

Residential students

Possible arrival dates: **Sundays: July 03 July 10 July 17 July 24**
 Possible departure dates: **Saturdays: July 9 July 16 July 13 July 29**
 On arrival day staff will be present to welcome and register students between 4.00 and 6.00 p.m.
 On departure day students need to be picked up between 6:00 and 7:00 pm.

Registration

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Fees

	Day Students		Residential students
	Hosting	Not Hosting	
1 WEEK	£75.00	£195.00	£495.00
2 WEEKS	£142.50	£370.50	£940.50
3 WEEKS	£208.00	£541.00	£1,373.50
4 WEEKS	£270.00	£702.00	£1,782.00

Hot lunch at school canteen: £25.00 per week (optional)
 Saturday day trip: £20.00 (optional)



SPANISH SUMMER SCHEME FOR TEENAGERS

(AGED 12-16)

International House Belfast



Spanish Summer Scheme for teenagers

International House Belfast, with the support of the BELB, is running its third Spanish language summer scheme for teenagers at Rockport School, Craigavad in July 2011.

An English language summer scheme for Spanish teenagers runs in tandem with this programme. In the mornings, while our local students learn Spanish, international students learn English. In the afternoons and at weekends the two groups join together to take part in a full and varied social and activity programme.

The teenagers can choose to enrol on the programme as **day students** or as **residential students** staying at Rockport School.

Day students can also choose to host a Spanish student from the English language scheme.

The programme is flexible and since the content is not repeated, allows young people the choice of enrolling either for the full 4 weeks or any 1, 2 or 3 weeks of the programme.

Language and culture

At International House we believe that language learning is best achieved by providing a stimulating and fun environment for young learners.

Here in Northern Ireland, young people put a great deal of effort into learning languages at school but lack the opportunity to see the language come to life. Learning alongside Spanish students at the summer scheme will enrich their language learning experience, encourage them to continue to expand their knowledge of the language and culture and help them to view languages as a life skill.

The language classes are designed to take into account the syllabus covered at school as well as student needs for the coming academic year.

Classes are given by a team of experienced, professional teachers, who have been specifically trained to teach Spanish to younger students and will focus on developing the students' communicative skills. In order to develop their confidence, students will be encouraged to speak Spanish right from the start.

Classes are small (12 students max.) and are organised on the basis of age and competence, so as to enable the students to enjoy maximum participation in the lesson and a high level of individual attention from the teacher. The lessons will cover different language skills appropriate to the class level and relevant to the school year ahead.

Accommodation

Day students 9.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.

Local students learning Spanish can take part in this scheme as either **day students** or **residential students**.

Day students also have the possibility of hosting a Spanish student from the English language scheme.

The day student course fee includes the following:

- 3 hours of language classes per day in groups of up to 12 students.
- All teaching materials, tests and certificates of achievement.
- Hot lunch on campus. (optional)
- Afternoon social programme of sports and other activities including local visits and excursions. Optional weekend excursions

Residential students

The standard of accommodation is excellent. Boys and girls are accommodated on separate floors. There are common rooms where students can relax and socialise before heading off to bed.

There are bathroom facilities on each floor. Once a week bed linen is changed and additional students' laundry is done. Students should bring their own towels.

The residential student course fee includes the following:

- Full board accommodation on campus.
- 3 hours of language classes per day in groups of up to 12 students.
- All teaching materials, test and certificates of achievement.
- Afternoon social programme of sports and other activities including local visits and excursion.
- Saturday excursion.
- Limited access to computers.

***Menus are varied and balanced; students with specific dietary needs are well catered for.**

Residential students arrive on the campus on the **Sunday** before their course begins.

Hosting

Teenagers taking part in the summer scheme can also host a Spanish student. Students are matched according to gender and age to encourage a lasting friendship.

Hosting a student maximises the opportunities for both students to practice their target language in a relaxed home setting.

International House pays £120.00 per week for hosting. This is deducted from the fee for the Spanish scheme.

The local student and their hosted friend have to be dropped off and collected daily from Rockport.

Local students can also join the weekend activities and certain evening activities such as the disco, etc. There is a small charge for some of these activities.

Programme

The course includes a full programme of excursions and other activities. All activities take place in a bi-lingual environment where students will be encouraged to communicate in the language they are learning.

Day students and **international students** living in host families leave the scheme everyday at 6.00 p.m.

Sample programme:

WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9.30 - 12.30	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	Day trip to the Giant's Causeway	Free Time
12.30 - 13.30	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH
14.00 - 18.00	Team Building with BAC	Half day trip to Belfast city centre	W5	Indoor swimming pool Lisburn	Workshops		Cinema
18.30 - 19.30	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
22.00 - 22.30	Games	Film	Games	Film	Disco	Film	Games
WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9.30 - 12.30	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	Day trip to Dublin	Free time
12.30 - 13.30	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH
14.00 - 18.00	BAC: climbing, caving ...	Visit to the Ulster Museum	Games and sport in the school grounds	Half day trip to Bangor	Workshops		Games at school
18.30 - 19.30	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
22.00 - 22.30	Film	Games	Film	Games	Disco	Film	Games
WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9.30 - 12.30	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	Day trip to Mourne Mountains	Free Time
12.30 - 13.30	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH
14.00 - 18.00	Games and sport	Visit to the Ulster, Folk and Transport Museum	Indoor swimming pool Lisburn	Half day trip to Belfast city centre	Workshops		Cinema
18.30 - 19.30	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
22.00 - 22.30	Film	Games	Film	Games	Disco	Film	Games
WEEK 4	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9.30 - 12.30	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES		
12.30 - 13.30	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH		
14.00 - 18.00	Games and sport	Half day trip to Bangor	Ice skating Dundonald	Half day trip to Belfast city centre	Workshops		
18.30 - 19.30	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
22.00 - 22.30	Film	Games	Film	Games	Disco		

