



# Estudios Hispánicos



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# El Centro de Estudios Hispánicos

Universidad Antonio de Nebrija is a private and independent university officially accredited by the Spanish Ministry of Education. Spanish as a Foreign Language is a key asset at our university. Both the Department of Applied Languages and the Centro de Estudios Hispánicos take part in it, in such way that Spanish in Nebrija covers three strands: teaching, training and research.

The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos was created in 1985 exclusively devoted to the teaching of Spanish. Our commitment to quality has made us, in and outside of Spain, an essential benchmark in the world of Spanish and the training of professors for Spanish as a Foreign Language.

Our students enjoy an international environment inside a Spanish university. The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos is located in the city of Madrid, in Nebrija's Dehesa de la Villa campus. All our students have access to free Wi-Fi, a computer room, the library, the cafeteria, etc., and they can apply for housing and other services.

The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos for twenty-five years now has been a benchmark in the world of teaching and research of spanish as a foreign language



# Academic information university programs

These programs are designed for university students who wish to enroll in one or two semesters or summer programs for Hispanic Studies at Nebrija University.

Our excellent professors are greatly qualified and experienced. With a reduced number of students in our classrooms, they are able to apply an interactive, communicative and personalized teaching method.

All the programs include cultural and extracurricular activities.

Semester

## Semester programs

- Fall
- Spring

Intensive

## Intensive programs

- **Preparatory courses**
  - september
  - january
- **Summer courses**
  - june
  - july



### Placement tests

On the first day students take a placement test to determine their Spanish level. Therefore, students' participation in class can be adjusted to their knowledge of Spanish.



### Orientation session

All students have on the very first day of their program an orientation session about academic aspects, university life and living in Madrid.



### Class schedule

Classes are held between 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. Classes last 90 minutes, including the 10-minute break.

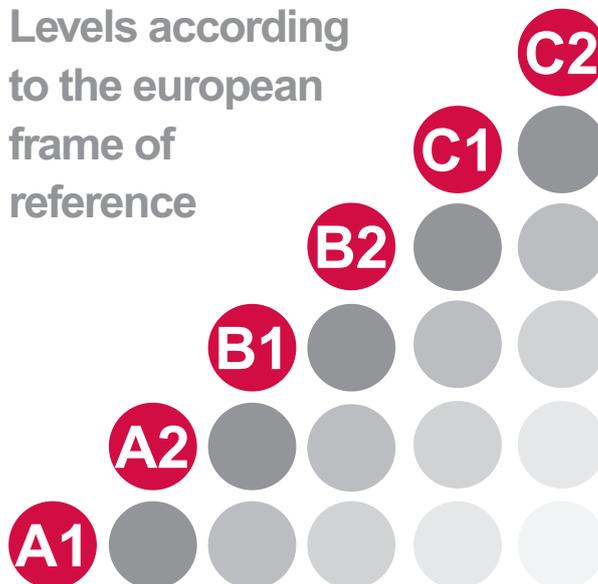


### Academic transcripts and certificates

An academic transcript for each student will be sent to the visiting university specifying the courses, the number of credits, and the student's grade.



Levels according  
to the european  
frame of  
reference



# Academic information semester programs

Every semester, students take a maximum of 5 courses, each one with a duration of 45 hours and 6 ECTS credits.

Students with an A1, A2, or a B1 Spanish level (beginner and intermediate), are placed in language and grammar courses, as well as culture and conversation and reading and writing courses.

Students in levels B2, C1 and C2 (high intermediate, advanced, and heritage speakers), can enroll in courses of their choice according to their level. These courses include language, conversation, writing, culture, literature, cinema, society, art, history, and Spanish for specific purposes.

Fall

## Fall semester

- 5 Courses maximum
- September-december
- 45 hours per course
- 6 Ects credits per course

Spring

## Spring semester

- 5 Courses maximum
- February-may
- 45 hours per course
- 6 Ects credits per course

The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos offers a wide selection of courses in its semester programs, amongst the following:

- Spanish Language
- Specific Grammar Problems
- Written Language
- Spanish Language Studies
- Business Spanish
- Spanish in the Mass Media
- Conversation and Composition
- Conversation and Reading
- Contemporary Spanish Society
- Spanish Current Events
- Spanish Cinema and Society
- Discover Spain
- Diverse Spain
- Contemporary Spain
- Art and Civilization
- Art in the del Prado Museum
- Contemporary Spanish Novel
- Panorama of Spanish Literature
- Medieval Literature
- 20th Century Spanish Theatre
- Current Spanish Politics



# Academic information intensive programs

## Summer courses

These programs are aimed for students who wish to make the best of the summer months by enrolling in a thorough academic program and, at the same time, enjoying the vitality and plurality of Madrid and the culture in Spain.

To attend the different needs of the students Nebrija offers diverse programs of study, with varying contents, each month of the summer.

Each program consists of two courses, which have a duration of 45 hours each.

Students may register in June and/or July.

### June program July program

- 2 Courses
- 4 weeks
- 45 hours per course
- 6 Ects credits per course

In the summer programs, all levels emphasize Spanish language, conversation, and culture courses.

These are supplemented by specific courses for advanced levels, such as Celestinas and Donjuans, Women in Golden Age Literature, and 20th Century Spanish Theatre, amongst others.

## Preparatory courses

The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos offers a two or four week preparatory course in September and January preceding the semester programs.

These preparatory Spanish courses are especially designed for the improvement of language proficiency.

- They are highly recommended for those students seeking to prepare for Spanish courses taught later on during the semester.
- These courses help international students integrate in the Spanish academic life, strengthening their competence in Spanish and widening their knowledge of the Spanish culture in a direct and effective way.
- Those students who wish to join the courses taught in Spanish but need to improve their level of the language, may enroll for an entire academic year program. university environment.

### Fall September preparatory course

- Language and Culture course
- 2 weeks
- 45 hours
- 6 erts credits

### January January preparatory courses

- Language and Culture course
- 4 weeks
- 90 hours
- 12 erts credits



# General Information

## Activities

Our courses and programs are complemented with numerous cultural activities in Madrid as well as with excursions and trips outside the capital.

### Cultural activities

Each of our programs includes, with no additional cost, 6 activities such as walking tours in Madrid, visits to the Prado Museum, the Reina Sofia Museum, the Royal Palace, the Senate, the Parliament, lectures, etc.

### Extra-curricular activities

There are many other activities with an additional cost that are offered throughout the year: theaters, shows, dance classes, etc.

### Excursions

Each program offers three guided one-day excursions. They are not included in the program fee. The places could be Toledo, Segovia, Salamanca, El Escorial and they take place on Saturdays. Round-trip bus fare, tour guide and sightseeing are included in the price.

### Sports club and international club

The activities of these two clubs help international students to integrate themselves in the Spanish university environment.

## Additional services

### SPANISH FAMILIES

The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos offers its students housing with Spanish families. They can choose between half board and full board. Half board includes two meals: breakfast and either lunch or dinner. Full board includes three meals per day: breakfast, lunch and dinner. Spanish breakfast is very light and the most important meal is lunch. The university only guarantees accommodation during the dates of the program.

### OTHER HOUSING

Students from the July Program can request accommodation in university residences. Availability will depend on the date of application. The Centro de Estudios Hispánicos does not arrange accommodation in hotels, hostels, or shared apartments.

### TO APPLY FOR ACCOMMODATION

The first month must be paid in advance. Once received, the University will send the student the relevant details of the family or residence. Students who apply for accommodation must inform in writing at the moment they are applying if they have any diet or health restrictions, allergies, etc., which may affect their housing conditions.

### MEDICAL INSURANCE

It is mandatory for students to have full medical coverage insurance in Spain. Nebrija offers their international students the opportunity of purchasing medical insurance with a prestigious insurance company in Spain. Students from the E.U. need the European Health Insurance Card to receive public coverage in Spain.



# Living in Madrid

Madrid is one of the most dynamic European capitals with a population of three million inhabitants plus eight million annual visitors. It is known for its cultural and artistic activity and its appealing night life. It is a cosmopolitan city, a business centre, seat of the Spanish Parliament and government.



## Main features

Madrid is characterized by its open mentality and hospitality. Madrid is a melting pot of cultures where anyone can easily feel at home



## Transportation

Madrid has one of the best public transportation services in the world.



## Climate

Madrid has many sunny days throughout the year. It has a continental climate, with cold winters and hot summers, although its temperatures are rarely extreme. In the peak of winter, temperatures are around 7°C (43°F). In July and August, temperatures can reach 33°C (90°F).



## Situation

Madrid has an exceptional location: in the centre of Spain, so that travelling is easy and cheap within Spain and into other European capitals

Cafetería CHF



### Nebrija Campus

Situated in the city of Madrid with easy access by bus and subway.

Live in a college environment together with Spanish and international students:



Cafeteria



Wifi



Computer lab



Library



Student clubs



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