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# **EXPERIENCE SPAIN**

11 days | Granada | Seville | Córdoba | Madrid | Barcelona

Experience the many facets of Spanish life as you participate in hands-on cultural activities across Spain. A traditional Moroccan tea house, a local olive farm, a salsa lesson, a flamenco show, a meeting with local students—from Granada to Seville to Madrid, each moment uncovers a new layer of Spain's diverse traditions and rich heritage.

#### **EVERYTHING YOU GET:**

Full-time Tour Director

- **Sightseeing:** 4 sightseeing tours led by expert, licensed local guides; 3 walking tours
- **Entrances:** Alhambra; Moroccan tea house; Seville Cathedral; Setas de Seville; Mezquita; Palacio Real; Prado; Park Güell
- **Experiential learning:** "City Challenge" scavenger hunt; olive farm; flamenco lesson
- **Personalized learning guide:** Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.

All of the details are covered: Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; AVE high-speed train; 9 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms; European breakfast and dinner daily (Lunch instead of dinner on Day 7)



#### Anyone can see the world.

## YOU'RE GOING TO EXPERIENCE IT.

As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your Tour Director in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our personalized learning experience, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. Expert local guides will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

@EFtours I attribute my college semester abroad to the love for travel I discovered on an EF Tour in high school #traveltuesday

- MELISSA, TRAVELER





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#### Day 1: Fly overnight to Spain

#### Day 2: Málaga | Granada

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport.
- Travel to Granada.

#### Day 3: Granada

- Take an expert-led tour of Granada.
- Compete in a "City Challenge" scavenger hunt.
- Visit the Alhambra, Granada's crowning jewel that's widely recognized as the world's premier example of Moorish architecture. Built as an allin-one alcazaba (fortress), alcazar (palace) and small medina (city), the Alhambra was home to the last of the Nasrid Sultans. Elaborately embellished in the 14th century and surrounded by lush green trees, it was described by Moorish poets as "a pearl set in emeralds." See the exotic mosaics, fountains, latticed windows, arabesques, and ornamented courtyards that made this vast stronghold worthy of royal occupancy. Here, King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella agreed to finance the historic voyage of Christopher Columbus.
- Visit a Moroccan tea house.

#### Day 4: Granada | Seville

- Visit an olive farm.
- Travel to Seville, city of flamenco dancing, Don Juan and Carmen, and the heartbeat of Andalusian culture. During your stay you can follow narrow, twisting alleys through the Barrio de Santa Cruz, where picturesque whitewashed houses, flower-filled patios, and tiled benches are pleasant reminders of an unhurried lifestyle. Pass by Maria Louisa Park to admire the mosaics and fountains of Plaza de España, centerpiece of the 1929 lbero-American Fair. Visit the Moorish Alcázar and the grave of Christopher Columbus, inside Seville's Cathedral.
- Take a walking tour of Seville: Giralda Tower; Torre del Oro; Plaza de Toros.
- Visit the Setas de Seville.
- Free time to see more of Seville or
- enjoy an evening river cruise.

#### Day 5: Seville

- Take an expert-led tour of Seville: Barrio de Santa Cruz.
- Visit the Seville Cathedral.
- Enjoy free time in Seville.
- Participate in a flamenco lesson.

#### Day 6: Córdoba | Madrid

- Travel to Córdoba, where you'll see influences of the Moorish, Roman, Jewish, and Christian cultures that flourished here at different times in the city's history.
- Visit the Mezquita, once a sacred Muslim site and the largest mosque west of Mecca.
- Continue on to Madrid.

#### Day 7: Madrid

- Take an expert-led tour of Madrid:
- Puerta del Sol; Plaza Mayor.
- Visit the Palacio Real.
- Take a walking tour of Madrid.
  Visit the Prado.
- Enjoy a free evening or
- experience a Tapas & Tunes dinner.

#### Day 8: Madrid

- Free time to see more of Madrid or
- participate in a cooking class.

#### Day 9: Madrid | Barcelona

- Travel by AVE train to Barcelona, an art lover's dream city and the place where masters like Miró, Picasso, and Dalí flourished. During your stay you'll explore open-air plazas dotted with avant-garde gems, like the Plaza de Catalunya and Plaza España. Snap photos of the twisting spires of La Sagrada Família and the Magic Fountain of Montjuïc, which delights with dazzling light and water shows. From atop Montjuïc Hill enjoy panoramic views of the harbor below. Here you'll also find the 1992 Olympic stadium. Marvel at the landscaped greenery and playful Modernist mosaics on your visit to Park Güell. Flower vendors and street performers greet you as you walk the tree-lined Las Ramblas.
- Take an expert-led tour of Barcelona: La Sagrada Família; Montjuïc Hill; Barrio Gótico.
   Visit Park Güell.

#### Day 10: Barcelona

- Take a walking tour of Barcelona: Las Ramblas.
- Time to see more of Barcelona or
- see Barcelona by bike.

#### Day 11: Depart for home



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-AARON, TRAVELER



Exploring Spain with EF sealed my decision to become a high school Spanish teacher. I got to explore all the cultures and traditions we read about and I loved them all and grew more interested in them and the language itself than I ever thought I would!

- ALYSSA, TRAVELER



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-CHARLOTTE, PARENT OF TRAVELER



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