

Spanish and Geography Department Combined Trip 2008

Costa Rica's varied landscape provides an ideal opportunity to combine a language course with visits to volcanoes, turtle beaches, and tropical rain forests. We have been sending students to our San José school for many years, with great success. It has modern and comfortable facilities and is located in a quiet and secure neighbourhood, with easy access to museums, theatres and shops.

Costa Rican families are proud of their country and enjoy welcoming students to stay in their homes and become part of their family.

Proposed programme

Friday	Arrival in San José and transfer to host families
Saturday	Morning: visit to National Museum Afternoon: walking tour of San José
Sunday	Cruise to Tortuga Island. Beach buffet.
Monday	Morning: visit to coffee plantation Afternoon: Spanish classes/survival Spanish Dance class
Tuesday	Morning: La Paz Waterfall Garden Afternoon: Spanish classes/survival Spanish Cooking class
Wednesday	All day tour: Irazu Volcano, Cartago, Orosi Valley and Lankester Gardens. Lunch included
Thursday	Morning: Inbio Parque exploring Costa Rica's ecosystem Afternoon: Spanish classes/Geography lessons. Dance class
Friday	Morning: visit downtown for shopping Afternoon: Spanish classes/Geography lessons. Cooking class
Saturday	Transfer to airport for departure

**From £ 1500 per person based on a group of 20 students
+ 3 group leaders**

What's included

- Two closed groups for tuition, all class materials included
- Spanish Dept: 10 hours of Spanish lessons
- Geography Dept: 5 hours of 'Survival Spanish' + 5 hours of Geography lessons
- 8 nights accommodation in San José homestays, twin rooms, half board
- Trips guided by member of San José school staff, entrances included.
- 3 group leaders, including all trips and entries. Homestay, single room, HB
- Return flights for 20 students + 3 teachers from London to San José
- Return airport transfers in San José.

What's not included

- Local public transport
- Insurance
- UK airport transfers

