

One-Week Spanish Course (Bildungsurlaub) A2

This intensive one-week Spanish course is designed for participants who wish to improve their language skills in a short period of time while fulfilling the requirements of Bildungsurlaub. The program focuses on all four core competences: speaking, listening, reading, and writing, with special emphasis on communication in everyday and professional contexts.

Structure:

- Duration: 1 week (5 days)
- Lessons: 30 hours of instruction (6 hours per day)
- Methodology: communicative approach, interactive group activities, role-plays, and cultural integration
- Target group: employees and professionals who want to develop practical Spanish skills for personal or professional use

Learning outcomes:

- Improved confidence in spoken Spanish
- Expanded vocabulary for daily and workplace situations
- Better understanding of Spanish grammar and sentence structure
- Enhanced intercultural awareness

Duration: 15 lessons – 30 hours

General objective: consolidate the A2 level and prepare the transition towards B1, expanding vocabulary, basic verb tenses and communicative competences in everyday contexts.

Day 1

- **Lesson 1 (2h):** Revision of A1 structures. Extended personal introductions. Talking about routines and free time.
- **Lesson 2 (2h):** Past tenses: introduction to *pretérito indefinido*. Regular verbs.
- **Lesson 3 (2h):** Past tense: irregular verbs in *pretérito indefinido* (tener, estar, ir, hacer).

Day 2

- **Lesson 4 (2h):** Narrating past experiences. Time markers (*ayer, la semana pasada, en 2010*).
- **Lesson 5 (2h):** Contrast: *pretérito perfecto vs indefinido*. Contexts of use (Spain vs Latin America).

- **Lesson 6 (2h):** Talking about childhood and habits. Introduction to *pretérito imperfecto*.

Day 3

- **Lesson 7 (2h):** Contrast *indefinido* vs *imperfecto*. Narratives, setting the scene vs main actions.
- **Lesson 8 (2h):** Family and personal history. Describing past events.
- **Lesson 9 (2h):** Holidays and trips. Narrating experiences with past tenses.

Day 4

- **Lesson 10 (2h):** Expressing future plans. *Ir a + infinitivo* vs *futuro simple*.
- **Lesson 11 (2h):** Future time expressions (*mañana, la próxima semana, dentro de...*).
- **Lesson 12 (2h):** Making predictions. Expressing certainty and probability (*seguro, probablemente*).

Day 5

- **Lesson 13 (2h):** Daily life: shopping in a market, comparing products. Quantifiers (*mucho, poco, bastante*).
- **Lesson 14 (2h):** Health: describing symptoms, making an appointment, giving advice (*tener que, deber, hay que*).
- **Lesson 15 (2h):** At the doctor/pharmacy: role plays.