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TANDEM IN OTHER CITIES
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2025
REFERENCE LEVELS



INTENSIVE GROUP COURSES

SMALL GROUPS (4-6 STUDENTS, MAXIMUM 8)

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY • MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS START ANY MONDAY

VIVE LA CULTURA: WORKSHOP + ACTIVITY

All our courses include the following each week free of charge:

- One **WORKSHOP** to learn about Spanish and Basque culture.
- One CULTURAL ACTIVITY to get to know the city of San Sebastián.

DURATION

Choose the **number of weeks** as you wish. You can also enrol on a course of **over eight weeks'** duration at very special prices.

LEVEL TEST

You will do a written **test prior to your arrival** to assess your Spanish level. And, once you've arrived, we'll give you an **oral interview** to determine which group you should join that suits your knowledge of the language.

STARTING EVERY MONDAY

If you have **prior knowledge** of the language, you can start your course any Monday.

And if you're an **absolute beginner**, the starting dates are as follows:

13/01/2025 · 03/02/2025 · 25/02/2025 · 17/03/2025 · 07/04/2025 · 21/04/2025 · 05/05/2025 · 02/06/2025 · 07/07/2025 · 21/07/2025 · 04/08/2025 · 18/08/2025 · 01/09/2025 · 22/09/2025 · 06/10/2025 · 20/10/2025 · 10/11/2025 · 01/12/2025

+ PRIVATE CLASSES

Complete your course with weekly private sessions so as to work on your areas of interest and study specific subjects in depth on an individual and personalised basis: conversation, pronunciation, grammar, culture, etc.

	INTENSIVE GROUP COURSES							
	Lessons per week	Description	1 week	2 weeks	Added week			
INTENSIVE 22	20 + 2	20 group lessons + Vive la cultura	195€	390 €	185€			
INTENSIVE PLUS 25	20 + 2 + 3	20 group lessons + Vive la cultura + 3 individual lessons	282€	564€	272€			
INTENSIVE PLUS 28	20 + 2 + 6	20 group lessons + Vive la cultura + 6 individual lessons	369€	738 €	359€			
INTENSIVE PLUS 30 BU	20 + 2 + 6 + 2	20 group lessons + Vive la cultura + 6 mini-group lessons + 2 BU (recognized as <i>Bildungsurlaub</i> in Germany)	399 €	798 €	-			
	20 + 2	20 group lessons + Vive la cultura		12 weeks	24 weeks			
LONG-TERM INTENSIVE 22	20 + 2	Great discounts staying 8 weeks or longer	1.315 €	1.798 €	3.598 €			

Administration fee for all courses: 60 €. All year round prices, no summer supplement. Administration fee includes placement test, information folder, class material, first text book (levels A1-B2) and attendance certificate • All lessons are 45 minutes • Minimum age: 16 years

2 PRIVATE & MINI GROUP LESSONS

TAILORED TRAINING

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY • MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS START ANY MONDAY

PRIVATE LESSONS

One to one. Decide the pace and content of the course according to your needs and objectives: pronunciation, grammar, conversation, business Spanish, culture, etc. You can choose from 2 to 5 classes every day. Start any Monday.

PRIVATE LESSONS (one to one)							
10 lessons	15 lessons	20 lessons	25 lessons				
380 €	380 € 570 €		950€				

Administration fee: 30 € per student • One class: 38 € • All lessons are 45 minutes

MINI GROUPS

For families, friends or couples who wish to undertake intense, customised work, focusing on your areas of interest in groups of 2, 3 or 4 students of similar level.

You can choose from 2 to 4 classes every day. Start any Monday.

MINIGROUPS (2-4 students)							
10 lessons per week	15 lessons per week	20 lessons per week	25 lessons per week				
420€	630€	840 €	1.050€				

Prices are per mini group • Administration fee: 30 € per student • All lessons are 45 minutes

3 ONLINE SPANISH LESSONS

FROM ANY PLACE

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY • MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS START WHENEVER YOU LIKE

We have a highly qualified teaching team and specific materials for distance learning.

Our online (one to one) lessons adapt to your pace and objectives, providing you with an effective experience, wherever you are.

You can start whenever you like.

ONLINE						
5 individual lessons	10 individual lessons	15 individual lessons				
140 €	270 €	399 €				

Administration fee: 30 € per student • All lessons are 45 minutes

4 ACTIVITIES & EXPERIENCES

LIVE LIKE A LOCAL
TO COMBINE WITH SPANISH CLASSES
ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY

SURFING

[E1] Surfing classes from Monday to Friday every afternoon (1.5 hours a day), all year round at La Zurriola beach, just 10 minutes' walk from Tandem.

The programme is offered in collaboration with a professional surfing school. The price includes classes in small groups, surfboard, neoprene wetsuit and insurance.

€ 115 • 7,5 h

YOGA

[E2] Two yoga classes a week in the afternoon. You can practice different types, ranging from Hatha Yoga to Rocket routines, Vinyasa Flow or Yin Yoga.

The programme is offered in collaboration with a yoga school close to Tandem.

€ 45 • 2,5 h

BASQUE CULINARY EXPERIENCE

[E3] PINTXO TASTING WORKSHOP WITH WINES FROM THE REGION. An approach to the soul of Basque culinary traditions. Tasting some of the most iconic pintxos and wines from the region, such as txakolí and Rioja.

€ 25 • 1,30 h

[E4] VISIT TO THE TRADITIONAL

MARKET. Guided tour to the local market with information about San Sebastián-foody city, followed by a *pintxo* aperitif at a bar in the Old Part.

€ 25 • 1,30 h

BASQUE CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

[E5] 10 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT BASQUE CULTURE. Tandem workshop.

€ 15 • 1,15 h

[E6] KAIXO! EUSKERA FOR BEGINNERS. An introduction to the Basque language in the course of which you will learn basic concepts and typical sentences to help you manage in everyday situations.

€ 15 • 1,15 h

TO COMBINE WITH ANY OF OUR SPANISH COURSES							
	Description						
SURFING	SURFING [E1] Monday to Friday surfing lessons in the afternoon. 1,5 hours per day		7,5 h				
YOGA	[E2] Two yoga lessons of your choice per week in the afternoon	45 €	2,5 h				
BASQUE	LINARY	25 €	1,5 h				
CULINARY EXPERIENCE		25 €	1,5 h				
BASQUE CULTURAL	[E5] 10 things you should know about Basque culture *	15 €	1,15 h				
EXPERIENCE	[E6] Kaixo! Euskera for beginners *	15 €	1,15 h				
* minimum 2 participants							



5 ELE TEACHER TRAINING COURSE

DESIGNED FOR SPANISH TEACHERS

NATIVES AND NON-NATIVES

ALL YEAR ROUND • START ANY MONDAY

Designed for native and non-native ELE teachers. For the most practical and up-to-date immersion possible in Spanish language and culture. This is a complete experience in which grammatical and socio-cultural knowledge of Spanish are reviewed. Also participation in sessions focusing on the creation of dynamic activities, methodology and integration of digital resources available online that can be applied in class.

Spanish level: C1 / C2 (B2 possible).

Timetable: 09:15 to 14:30.

The course meets the requirements for obtaining an **Erasmus+ grant**. Tandem San Sebastián is registered with ECAS under N.° PIC 946770926 and OID Number E10129242.

Start any Monday.

ELE TEACHER TRAINING				
Lessons per week Description				
30	Intensive group course of 20 lessons in one week + 6 minigroup lessons + 2 class observation sessions + Vive la cultura	420 €		

Administration fee: 60 €, includes placement test, information folder, class material and attendance certificate • All lessons are 45 minutes

6 DELE EXAM PREPARATION COURSE

INTENSIVE COURSES FOR THE OFFICIAL EXAMINATION ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]



ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY • MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS START ANY MONDAY

We help you prepare specifically for your Diploma in Spanish as a Foreign Language (DELE) official exam, combining an intensive group course with private classes.

Students can take the **DELE exam at Tandem** because we are an Instituto Cervantes accredited centre.

Start any Monday.

DELE EXAM PREPARATION							
Lessons per week	Description	1 week	2 weeks	Extra week			
27	Intensive group course of 20 lessons + 5 individual lessons + Vive la cultura	355€	710€	345 €			

Administration fee: 60 €, includes placement test, information folder, class material, first text book (levels A1-B2) and attendance certificate • All lessons are 45 minutes

7 SPANISH COURSE 55 +

LANGUAGE & CULTURE & CULINARY TRADITIONS
ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]
MAY & OCTOBER

A **one-week tailored course** for students over 55 years of age, which combines learning Spanish (intensive 20-hour course) while enjoying some pleasant cultural and culinary holidays.

Enjoy our **five exclusive activities** to learn about local customs and our culinary traditions.

- WELCOME to Tandem, with information about the programme, the city and the Basque Country.
- 2. **VISIT THE TRADITIONAL MARKET** at La Bretxa, with an aperitif in the Old Part.
- 3. *PINTXO* **WORKSHOP WITH TASTING.**Preparing the most iconic pintxos from local San Sebastián cuisine and wine tasting.
- UP TO MOUNT IGUELDO by funicular, and a stroll along La Concha beach to see the Chillida sculptures.
- 5. EXCURSION TO THE FISHING VILLAGE OF GETARIA, including tasting of its famous wine: typkoli

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May 19-23	October 20-24				
379 €	379€				

The price includes the intensive course 20 and all the activities of the programme, including transport costs, entrance fees, food and beverage tastings • Administration fee: 60 €, includes placement test, information folder, class material, first text book (levels A1-B2) and attendance certificate • All lessons are 45 minutes

8 SPANISH & WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMME

SPANISH AND WORK

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

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Programme designed to combine learning Spanish with an internship in a Spanish company.

The programme lasts 12 weeks. The Spanish course is of 4 weeks' duration and the remaining 8 will involve an internship in companies from a range of sectors, according to the applicant's requirements, interests and skills.

Owing to the change in law with regard to internships in Spain since January 2024, we can only offer this programme to **students from the EU** within the framework of the European Erasmus+ programme.

Start any Monday.

SPANISH & WORK EXPERIENCE				
Description	Price			
4 weeks intensive Spanish course 22 + 8 weeks internship in a Spanish company	1295€			

The price includes Spanish course, placement and monitoring • Administration fee: 60 €, includes placement test, information folder, class material, first text book (levels A1-B2) and attendance certificate • All lessons are 45 minutes

9 SPANISH COURSES FOR SCHOOL & ADULT GROUPS

TOTAL TAILORED IMMERSION: LANGUAGE AND CULTURE ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

ALL YEAR ROUND • MONDAY TO FRIDAY • MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS

We create **flexible**, **tailored Spanish courses**, with a wide range of **cultural and leisure activities**, as well as offering different accommodation options.

The programme combines learning Spanish with activities every afternoon (from Monday to Friday) and full-day excursions on Saturdays. We provide a wide range of cultural activities that can be totally customised to ensure you enjoy the city and its surroundings.

We work with a methodology that meets the needs and interests of students, guaranteeing dynamic learning with a team of qualified, experienced teachers.

At Tandem we are in charge of managing accommodation at student residences or with families to ensure students feel at home.

Please ask us for further information. Customised quote.

10 SPANISH COURSES FOR FAMILIES

LEARNING TOGETHER

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

ALL YEAR ROUND · MONDAY TO FRIDAY · MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS

Learning Spanish with the family is fun! We offer a **customised programme** depending on age, knowledge and the specific needs of each person. The course can be **combined with socio-cultural activities** to help you discover the richness of Spanish and Basque culture.

Please ask us for further information. Customised quote.

11 DELE EXAMINATION CENTRE

ACCREDITED BY THE INSTITUTO CERVANTES

ALL LEVELS [A1 · A2 · B1 · B2 · C1 · C2]

EXAM DATES: 14/02/2025 • 04/04/2025

24/05/2025 • 12/09/2025 • 17/10/2025 • 22/11/2025



As a member of FEDELE, Tandem is an official DELE examination centre with a view to obtaining the Diploma of Spanish as a Foreign Language. DELE diplomas are official qualifications that accredit a degree of competence and command in the Spanish language, awarded by the Instituto Cervantes on behalf of the Spanish Ministry of Education. Students can take the DELE exam at Tandem San Sebastián.

12 ACCOMMODATION

TO MAKE YOU FEEL AT HOME STAYS BASED ON YOUR NEEDS

ALL YEAR ROUND

We provide you with different accommodation options according to your needs and preferences, to ensure you feel at home.

We can organise an airport transfer from Bilbao, San Sebastián or Biarritz, and also from the train station in Hendaye. There are public buses every hour from Bilbao airport to San Sebastián.

APARTMENT WITH SPANISH PEOPLE AND KITCHEN FACILITIES

Single rooms in apartments shared with Spanish people (normally a couple or a person living alone). Shared kitchen. A way of maintaining contact with Spanish people while remaining independent at the same time.

WITH A FAMILY AND HALF BOARD (BREAKFAST AND DINNER)

Live with a family to feel at home while at the same time enjoying exquisite Basque cuisines (breakfast and dinner).

STUDENT RESIDENCE

Single rooms with ensuite bathroom at student residences in the city. You can choose to have just breakfast or half board with breakfast and dinner included.

ACCOMMODATION (reservation fee: 50 €)										
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	LOW	Single room	195€	337 €	479€	621 €	142€	1189€	1757€	35€
APARTMENT WITH	(14/09 - 31/05)	Double room	152€	258 €	364€	470 €	106 €	-	-	30 €
SPANISH PEOPLE: kitchen facilities	HIGH	Single room	225€	383 €	541 €	699€	158 €	1331€	1963€	50€
	(01/06 - 13/09)	Double room	175€	298 €	421 €	544 €	123€	-	-	40 €
	LOW	Single room	285€	515€	745 €	975 €	230 €	1895€	2760 €	50 €
WITH A FAMILY AND HALF	(14/09 - 31/05)	Double room	217 €	383€	549€	715€	166 €	-	-	45 €
BOARD: breakfast and dinner	HIGH	Single room	310 €	556€	802€	1048 €	246 €	2032€	3016€	55 €
	(01/06 - 13/09)	Double room	237 €	419€	601 €	783 €	182€	1511 €	-	50 €
	LOW	Single room & breakfast	310€	620€	930 €	1240€	-	-	-	70 €
STUDENT RESIDENCE.	(14/09 - 31/05)	Single room & half board	400 €	800€	1200 €	1600€	-	-	-	85 €
Rooms with own bathroom	HIGH	Single room & breakfast	370 €	740 €	1110€	1480 €	-	-	-	86€
	(01/06 - 13/09)	Single room & half board	480 €	960€	1440 €	1920€	-	-	-	100€

All prices are per person • Private accommodation is reserved from Sunday afternoon to Saturday morning • Double rooms can only be reserved for students travelling together • Bed sheets and towels are provided • Extra nights under availability • Special diets supplemet +25 € / week

TANDEM
IN OTHER CITIES

MADRID · BARCELONA · GRANADA

Our Spanish school offers the «Spanish in Spain» programme, which enables Spanish to be combined in San Sebastián with another TANDEM Spanish school in Madrid, Barcelona or Granada.

You can start your course of one-, two- or three-weeks' duration in San Sebastián and continue with Spanish lessons at another TANDEM Spain school. We take care of all the paperwork!

Enjoy Spain's cultural diversity by studying in different cities with their own culture and at schools with a proven track record in Spanish teaching! Please ask us for further information.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2025

NEVER MISS A CLASS

Spanish lessons are run as normal on public holidays or are made up the same week. You will never miss a class at Tandem!

Holiday calendar 2025:

18th April · 21st April · 1st May · 8th December

We do not offer group classes from 22/12/2025 to 02/01/2026, although the school remains open.

REFERENCE LEVELS

COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK OF REFERENCE (CEFR) AND THE INSTITUTO CERVANTES

The levels of our courses are in line with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) and the Instituto Cervantes.

