



Spanish Courses in

NEWCASTLE

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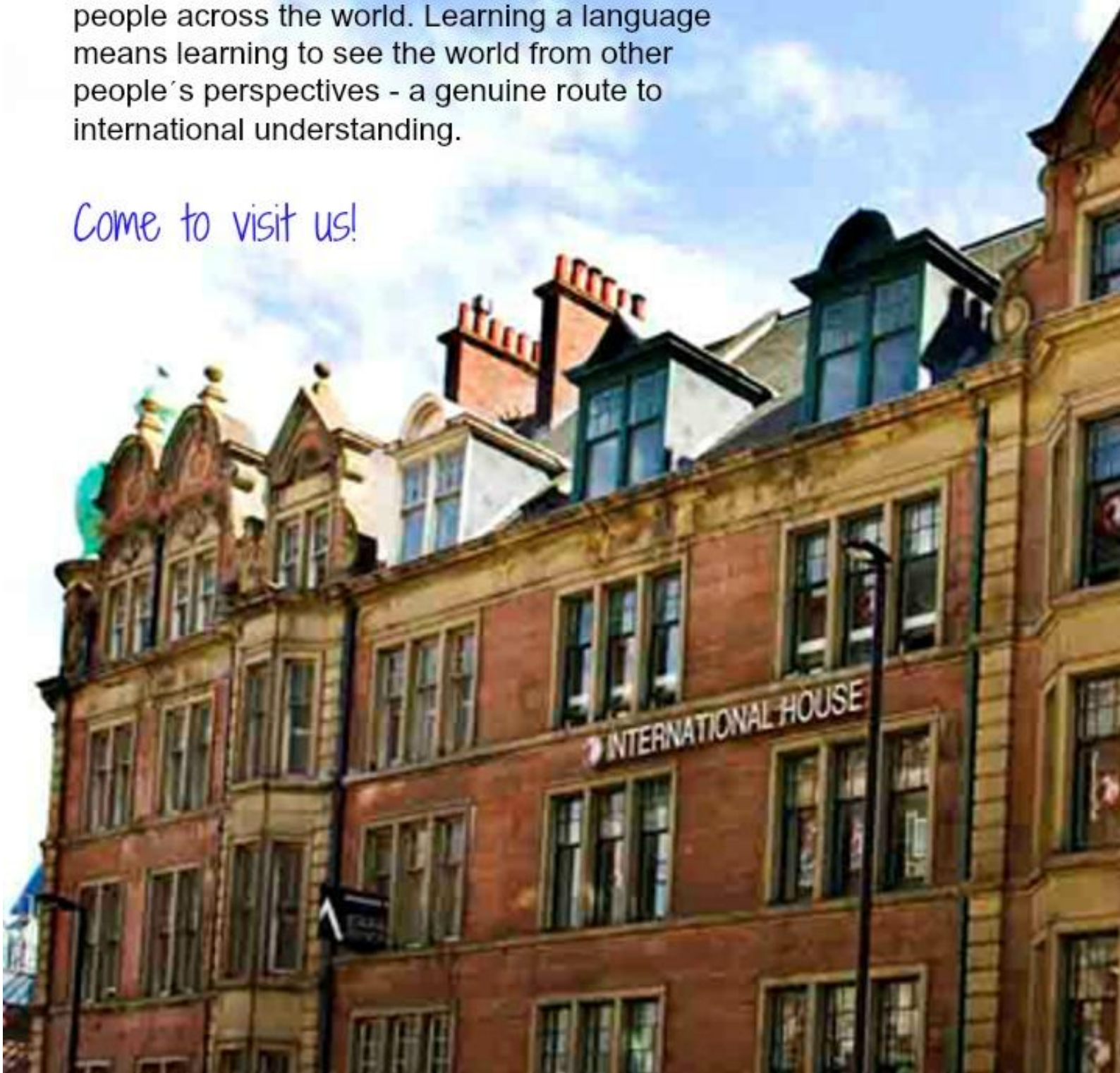
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Language school and teacher training centre

International House Newcastle is a member of the International House worldwide organization, a network of language schools considered to be one of the most established in the world.

Through language training we aim to develop communication and understanding between people across the world. Learning a language means learning to see the world from other people's perspectives - a genuine route to international understanding.

Come to visit us!





"I never expected to learn so much so fast and remember it!"

Spanish is becoming more and more important regards to business and if you speak Spanish, you will be more marketable and have more career choices than your monolingual counterpart. Just having a basic knowledge may be all it takes to separate yourself from the crowd of applicants for the job you are pursuing!

Spanish is one of the easiest foreign languages to learn. Much of its vocabulary is similar to English's, written Spanish almost completely phonetic and the basic grammar is straightforward enough that you can have meaningful communication after only a few lessons!

OUR TEACHERS

Our teachers have not only been chosen for their qualifications and experience, but also for their ability to work enthusiastically with students



Our teachers are all experienced with a University degree, University diplomas in foreign languages teaching, qualified by Instituto Cervantes and M.A degree in Spanish linguistics



They are very experienced and they will do all what they can do to make students understand and participate using Spanish only.



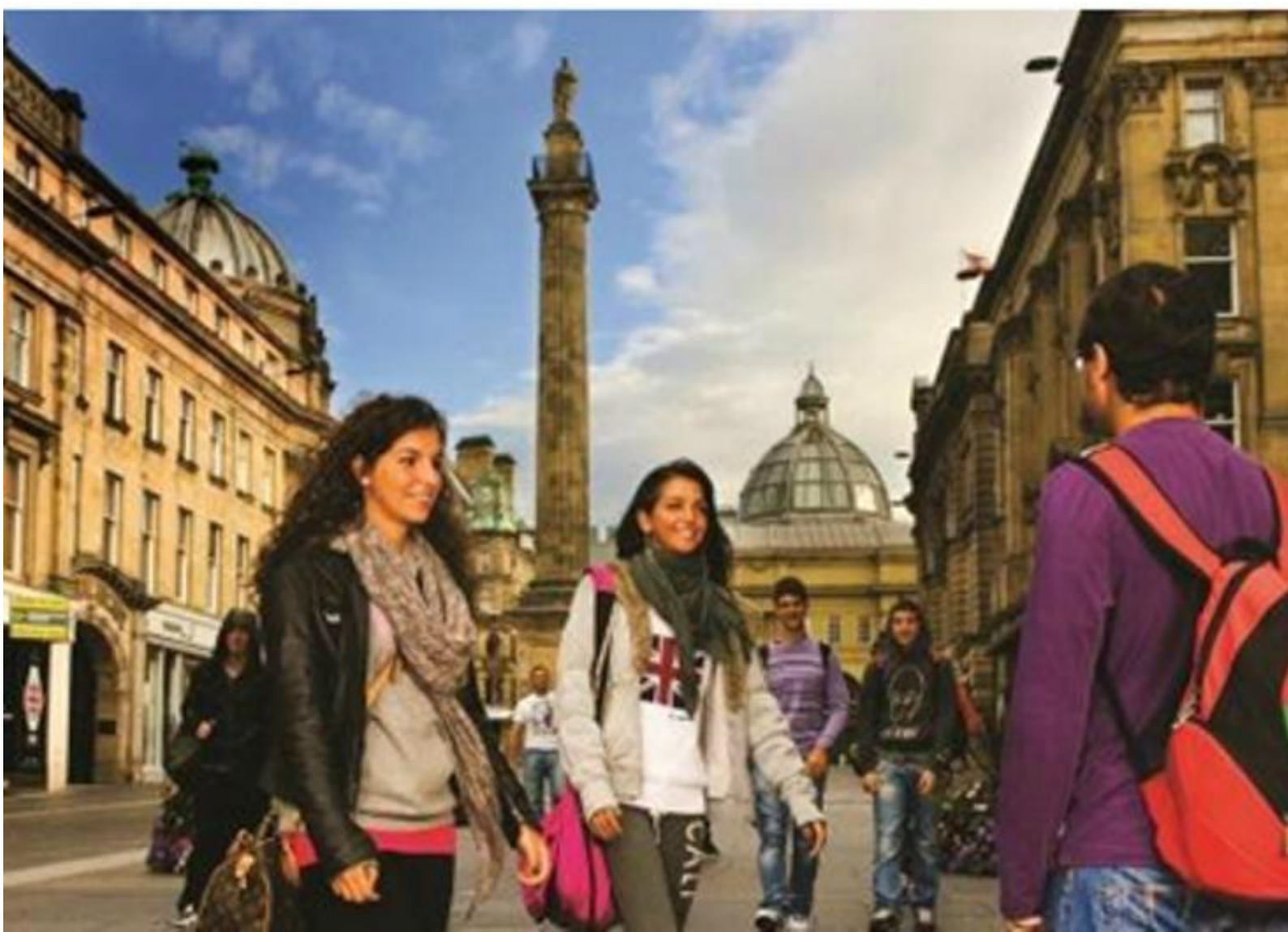
We use a communicative method by which you will practice and use your Spanish from your first day.

OUR COURSES

The duration of the courses is 12 weeks (2 hours a week from 6:00pm to 8:00pm) and takes place in different days of the week.

Second term: From 7th of January until 29th of March
Last term: From 15th of April until 5th of July.

We offer four different levels: Beginner, False Beginner, Elementary, Intermediate/Upper-Intermediate



How do I know my language level?

In order to let us find the right group for you, you need to do a level test. You can do our level test [here](#) and the first day of the course you can do the oral test or you can do it before. In order to make an appointment for that, please contact us. Please note that the placement evaluations are only required if the student has previous knowledge of the Spanish language. If you have never studied Spanish before, just let us know and in that case you do not need to do a level test. No matter what your level of Spanish, you will always find a course that is suitable for you!

How many students will be in my class?

Average group size is 4-6 students. In any case no more than 12 students are admitted in a classroom. Bigger sizes would be easier for us, but these extra-small classes are much more successful. We limit class to 12 because you learn so much more this way.

Why is it so important to have very small classes?

We offer our General Courses with a maximum size of 12 students. This leads to a very family like environment in our studying groups, which results in an even more efficient acquisition of the language.

What's the environment like at your schools?

If you're having fun, if you feel safe, if you're actively participating, if no one feels embarrassed, if you're working with nice people, you learn much, much faster and far, far better. Our environment is fun and safe and comfortable, and school's a nice place to be. We all work together so that you and everyone learn the most Spanish possible.

I have never studied Spanish or any other language before; is this a disadvantage?

NO, it is not a disadvantage, sometimes it is even an advantage because there will be no bad habits to undo! We can start from the beginning & build a strong foundation!

What is the average age range of students who usually attend the courses?

Students of all ages are welcome to attend, though the estimated age range throughout the year is 20 to 50. From college aged students, to busy working persons, to senior students, Spanish programs are available for everyone!

I am an older adult so is it too late for me to learn a second language?

NO! It is never too late to learn. Some people think that only children have the learning advantage because their brains are like a sponge but adults have a different advantage. Adults already have a network of knowledge in their brains so we use this existing network as a bridge for Spanish!

If English grammar is not my strength, will that make learning Spanish difficult?

We create in class the same reality that takes place outside, so the language practice is produced in a natural way and the skills are integrated in the same way they are produced in real life, that is, interrelated and interdependent. Learning a second language will actually help you understand the grammatical structure of your native language!

Do you offer private tutoring?

YES we do, and you can also combine them with an intensive course. Private lessons are a bit more expensive but much more effective! The main advantage to One-to-one lessons is that they are specifically structured according to each student's individual needs, in regards to methodology and content.

Which method and material do you use in the lessons?

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APPLICATION FORM FOR MODERN LANGUAGES 2013

Please complete this form as carefully as possible

First Name *

Family Name *

Address *

Home Telephone *

Mobile Phone

Fax

E-Mail

Date of Birth *

Sex *

Start Date *

Language * Spanish
 Mandarin
 Russian
 Arabic

Currently only beginners in Russian and Arabic.

Payment Method Cash
 Card
 Bank Transfer

Cheque

Applications are also accepted mid-term, provided students understand they will need to make personal arrangements to catch up on missed work.

Level Beginner
 Elementary
 Intermediate
 Advanced

How Did You Hear About International House? Friend
 Family
 Webpage
 Advert in Magazine
 Other, please specify below

How can I enroll for a Spanish course?

To enroll on a course simply complete the following steps: Complete the attached application form. Pay the full fees. Return the application by email to: info@ihnewcastle.com

What form of payment is accepted?

The payment can be made with a credit or debit card over the phone, by cheque payable to IH Newcastle or by bank transfer (please see below our bank details). If you decide to pay via bank, please email us to let us know so that we can identify your payment promptly.

Bank details: HSBC, 110 Grey Street, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 6JG.

A/c name: International House

A/c no: 62397536

Sort code: 40-34-18

Branch Identifier Code: MIDLGB22

IBAN: GB49MIDL40341862397536

Online Booking

Courses and accommodation can also be booked and paid for online at www.ihnewcastle.com

How much will it cost?

The price is 180 GB Pounds per 12 week term – total of 24 hours of general Spanish classes and 540 pounds per 3 terms.

How many days in advance do I need to book my course?

You can enroll for a course the week before you want to start but the sooner you enroll, we can let you know if there will be a course for your level.

For further information about how to make the payment, please contact

info@ihnewcastle.co.uk

Do you offer Spanish courses in Spain?

YES we do. You have the opportunity to study *Spanish* in Spain with a preferential rate. What can I do to practice Spanish, if I don't have any friends to practice with?

Do you also organize cultural activities?

YES we do One of the benefits of study Spanish at International House Newcastle is that you will have the option of participating in our social and *cultural* program.

Our social programme includes: Spanish film club. Conversational club. Reading group. Debate group. Language Exchange. Culture club (history, literature, art...)

Where is the school located?

International House Newcastle is on Gallowgate, in Newcastle City Center. NE1 4SG. We relocated at the start of 2010 to new premises in the city centre and close to all transport links. The new school has 16 classrooms, a large student cafe and vast Personal Study Programme suite. The building is grade 1 and grade 2 'listed', which means it is a building of special historical interest and beauty. It was recently declared 'excellent' by EAQUALS and British Council inspectors

How do I get to your school?

Easy access on public transport: the nearest metro stations are Haymarket, Monument and St.James. The nearest bus stops are located on Haymarket Station, Eldon Station, Monument and St Marys Place. Parking is available for students.

Free services

Class materials. Written and oral placement test on the first day of class for all students except beginners. Free access to the Internet through our computers and wireless connection. Student ID card. Use of the computer & Internet room. Language exchanges classes and cultural exchanges with the Spanish students. Great variety of socio-cultural activities.

Accreditations

International House World Organization.
Full member of EQUALS
UKBA Highly Trusted Sponsor License No:
5P2D6T558
ISO 9001:2008 approved.
English UK
TVET UK



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