



Discover the world beyond your classroom

# MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGE TOURS

We offer a range of Language trips to destinations around Europe, giving students the chance to experience the culture and heritage of other countries first-hand.

Our educational trips make practising and understanding the language both fun and interactive and excellent preparation for speaking exams as students are immersed in a native-speaking environment, building confidence in their abilities.

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Both Lynsey and Sarah are awesome. From getting the ball rolling and booking us up, to organising all the elements of our trip, their flexibility and professionalism are incredible.

South Essex College



The team at EST did everything possible to make the experience of organizing and booking our tip as easy as it could be.

St Mary's University

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#### **PARIS**

Bursting with culture, elegance and cosmopolitan "joie de vivre", language students will be inspired by the French capital to bring their classroom learning to life.

#### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

Day 1: Travel by Eurostar right into the heart of Paris, drop your bags and head out on a Guided Walking Tour of the city in French or English. Take a cruise along the River Seine listening to the on-board French commentary.

Day 2: Take your pick from one of Paris' excellent museums or galleries; the Louvre, Musee D'Orsay or Cite des Sciences. Climb the Montparnasse Tower and complete their KS 3 & 4 language worksheets whilst getting some fabulous views over the city.

Day 3: Soak up the atmosphere of a Parisian market, where you can test out your language skills and converse with the locals. Enjoy a backstage tour, in French of one of Paris' popular theatres and finish with a performance with English subtitles to aid understanding.

Day 4: Visit the Arc de Triomphe with free time and shopping on the Champs Elysees before you board the Eurostar and return

The whole experience from the enquiry to the booking, travel, accommodation and our itinerary in Paris was excellent. **Mid Kent College** 

# COLOGNE

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For students of German language the capital of the Rhineland has much to offer, including the famous cathedral, the Rhine River, the Odysseum science museum and Phantasialand theme park.

## **POPULAR ITINERARY**

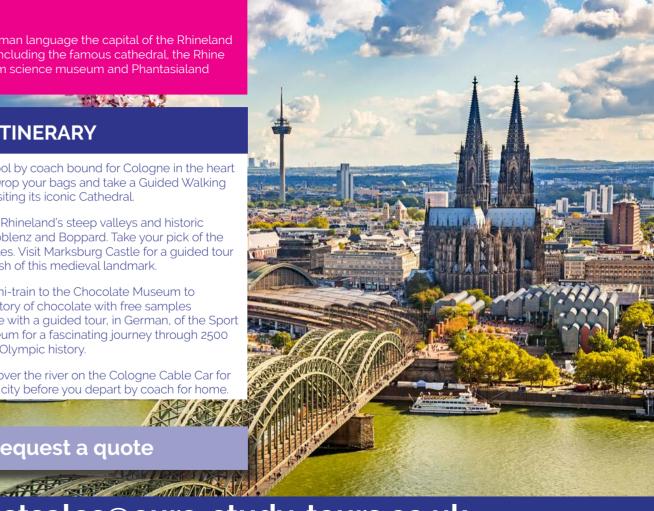
Day 1: Depart school by coach bound for Cologne in the heart of the Rhineland. Drop your bags and take a Guided Walking Tour of Cologne visiting its iconic Cathedral.

**Day 2:** Explore the Rhineland's steep valleys and historic towns including Koblenz and Boppard. Take your pick of the regions many castles. Visit Marksburg Castle for a guided tour in German or English of this medieval landmark.

Day 3: Take the mini-train to the Chocolate Museum to learn about the history of chocolate with free samples of course! Continue with a guided tour, in German, of the Sport and Olympic Museum for a fascinating journey through 2500 years of sport and Olympic history.

Day 4: Take a ride over the river on the Cologne Cable Car for a great view of the city before you depart by coach for home

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#### **BARCELONA**

As both a seaside resort and a bustling, lively city Barcelona offers varied opportunities for students to explore the culture of Spain and develop language skills.

### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Land in the capital of Catalonia. After dropping your bags head out into the sunshine to explore Las Ramblas.

Day 2: Enjoy a Guided Sightseeing Tour of the city in Spanish or English including the Gothic Quarter, Gaudi Houses and the Montjuic Cable Car. Immerse yourselves in Spanish language with tuition at a local Language School. End the day with Tapas and free time in the evening.

**Day 3:** Day Trip to Port Aventura, while you enjoy the rides and attractions complete the KS4 & 5 worksheets to improve Spanish language skills at the same time.

**Day 4:** Take a behind the scenes tour of Nou Camp home of Barcelona FC, before you transfer to the airport for your return flight.

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#### NICE

Thanks to its mediterranean climate, picturesque old town and tangible Italian influences Nice radiates a relaxed atmosphere, making it a perfect place to take your French language students at any time of year.

#### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Fly to the South of France and the Mediterranean city of Nice. Get straight into the French way of life with a Guided Walking Tour of the city culminating in a meal in a local restaurant.

Day 2: Immerse yourselves in the language with a workshop taught by locals at a French Language School. Visit the Matisse Museum close to the villa where the artist lived and created most of his work. End the day on a Food Tour enjoying some of the area's delicacies.

Day 3: Spend the day touring Provence with a visit to Chateau de Berne. Take a guided tour, in French, of the chateau and vineyards learning all about wine production. Follow this with a visit to the Fragonard Perfume Factory before returning to Nice for free time in the Old Town.

Day 4: Visit the Nice Flower Market, considered one of the country's best, where in the shade of striped awnings hundreds of flowers are sold. Return to the airport set for





#### **NORTHERN FRANCE**

The Opal Coast is an area of natural beauty which offers a taste of real France without the need for a long journey and is ideal for groups seeking to enhance their French language skills.

## **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Just a short hop across the channel and you arrive in the Opal Coast region. Check in to your accommodation. Enjoy an evening meal and bowling.

**Day 2:** Learn all about French farming life by visiting a snail farm to learn how this famous delicacy is reared. Then on to tour a goat farm for an insight into cheese production all explained in French. End the day with a splash at Aqualud Water Park.

Day 3: Watch a demonstration and enjoy a tasting at a local Boulangerie. Time to explore the cobbled old town of Boulogne Sur Mer and visit Nausicaa Sealife Centre where students can enhance their language skills through the interactive exhibits.

**Day 4:** Visit the La Coupole Museum before you return to Calais for your return channel crossing.

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#### **MADRID**

Madrid a bustling and energetic metropolis that buzzes in a way that only a capital can, and is the perfect place to practice Spanish language and get a taste of that special "madrileño" spirit.

### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Arrive into Spain's capital. Get a feel for this royal city and see the main sights on a Guided Walking Tour in Spanish or English.

**Day 2:** Enjoy learning from a native speaker with language tuition at a Language School. Follow this with a tour of the Palacio Real, the official residence of Spain's royal family.

**Day 3:** Learn more about one of Spain's deeply rooted traditions with a tour of Las Ventas, Spain's largest Bullring. Follow that with a visit to the Prado Museum. End the day with an evening meal and a Flamenco Show.

**Day 4:** Learn about another Spainish passion by visiting the Bernabeu Stadium home of Real Madrid FC. Transfer to the airport for your return flight home.

The Bernabeu and the Las Ventas tour were absolutely fantastic and well-loved by our students!

Regents Park Community





#### **COSTA DEL SOL**

A school trip to Andalucia has it all; beautiful coastal resorts and charming inland towns offer a diversity of attractions, and places to visit that will captivate your language group and capture the true essence of Spain.

#### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Step out into the sunshine as you arrive on the popular Costa del Sol in Andalucia. Get straight in with a traditional Spanish Cookery Class making and tasting Spain's national dish; Paella.

Day 2: Take a day trip to Seville the region's capital. Enjoy a Guided Tour in Spanish or English exploring its many historic landmarks including the Cathedral and Giralda Tower which offers superb views. Follow this with a lesson in the art form that is Flamenco which originated in this area.

Day 3: Immerse your students in the language with some tuition either at your hotel or in a local Language School. Get a bird's eye view of the coast as you head up Benalmadena Cable Car, 800m above sea level. End the day with a Tapas meal.

**Day 4;** Enjoy free time in your resort practising your Spanish in the shops and cafés before heading back to the airport and home.

#### **BERLIN**

Berlin has become a culturally diverse, dynamic, exciting and student-friendly capital at the forefront of European youth culture. Our range of activities will allow your group to explore the city and develop their language skills.

#### **POPULAR ITINERARY**

**Day 1:** Fly into the historic city of Berlin. See the highlights on a cruise along the Spree River listening to the on-board German commentary. Head to the Reichstag Dome for some great evening views.

**Day 2:** Test your language skills while you learn more about the city's past as you visit the Berlin Wall Documentation Centre and the DDR Museum, an interactive museum which even smells like East Berlin! Enjoy free time at Potsdamer Platz in the evening.

**Day 3:** Take a poignant visit to Sachsenhausen Concentration Camp. Follow that with a Guided Tour in German of the Olympic Park. Head up the TV Tower for some spectacular views after your evening meal.

**Day 4:** Visit the historic Checkpoint Charlie and make your way to the airport having fine tuned your language skills.

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#### WE TAKE RESPONSIBILITY

As founder members of the School Travel Forum and Learning Outside the Classroom accredited we are fully committed to providing the highest possible safety standards for all our customers. We adhere to rigorous safety management standards and are externally verified each year.





#### WE'RE YOUR SAFETY NET

Booking your trip with us gives you financial protection from the moment you book all the way through to your safe return. European Study Tours is an ABTA member and ATOL licensed, which is the best way for you to protect parents' money and give yourself peace of mind.





"The management team at EST are very proactive in their approach to health and safety." **Argent Health & Safety** 

#### **OUR KNOWLEDGE & EXPERIENCE**

For over 35 years our trips have inspired hundreds of thousands of imaginations and have also helped students improve their attainment and reach their potential.

Our knowledgeable and experienced team have travelled the world seeking out the essentials for your next trip and are keen to pass on other teachers' recommendations on the best options for your group.

As part of our personal service for each group leader, we give you a dedicated Tour Consultant and Tour Planner ensuring an effortless booking process.

"The first-hand experiences of learning outside the classrooom can help to make subjects more vivid and interesting for pupils and enhance their understanding. It can also contribute significantly to pupils' personal, social and emotional development." **Ofsted** 

#### YOU RATED OUR TEAM GOOD OR EXCELLENT:

99.6% Ease of contact

**98.7%** Effectiveness & helpfulness

**100%** General attitude

**97%** Itinerary planning

**98.3%** Knowledge of the subject programme / destination

98.8% Safety Management & Risk Assessment advice





# WE MAKE SCHOOL TRIP PLANNING EASY

As well as the day to day support and advice of our team of travel experts, you can take your trip to the next level with our smart travel technology.

#### **MY TOUR MANAGER**

Our market-leading on-line portal is a masterclass in tour organisation.

My Tour Manager is designed to save you time and enable you to keep on track with your school trip admin.

- ✓ School trip paperwork online and in one place
- Personalised tour checklist detailing what you need to do and by when
- ✓ Download free resources and templates
- ✓ Email reminders to keep on track
- ✓ Upload passenger information

#### YOU RATED MY TOUR MANAGER GOOD OR EXCELLENT:

99% Information & documents available

99% Usability of My Tour Manager

**99%** Your personalised tour timetable

#### AWARD WINNING TRAVEL APP

The EST Travel App is the secure on tour app for groups travelling with European Study Tours – it's free and is personalised to your tour.

Gone are the days of carrying bundles of paper. Download the app to your mobile device and you'll have instant access to everything you'll need whilst you're away.

#### WE'RE WITH YOU ALL THE WAY

- Locate My Trip is the easy, convenient way to trace your group's location, and has been specifically designed to provide reassurance to both parents and teachers
- Your school can log in and locate your group's whereabouts
   where you've been and your current location
- Your school and European Study Tours can react quickly to travel issues and other events which may affect your tour plans
- Easily provide parents with relevant information should travel plans be affected

"The app was excellent, all members of staff downloaded the app and it made organising where we needed to be and when very easy. I would definitely recommend the app to anyone travelling with EST."

Ormiston Horizon Academy

