

INTERCULTURA COSTA RICA: 2008 PRICE LIST

SPANISH PROGRAM: Group courses consist of four hours per day intensive language study from Monday to Friday, offered mornings and afternoons. Prices include course and registration fees for both the Heredia and the Sámara Beach campus, textbook, and materials. Classes with only one student may be reduced to three hours per day instead of four.

GROUP CLASSES:

1st week: \$270
2 weeks: \$490
3 weeks: \$690
4 weeks: \$890
Each additional week: \$199/week

PRIVATE CLASSES:

Privates (1 student): \$19/hour
Semi-privates (2 std.s): \$28/hour

TEEN SUMMER PROGRAM:

All inclusive, with tours: \$710/week

LODGING OPTIONS:

1. HOMESTAY: \$124 / week (Sunday to Sunday, 7 nights), and \$18 / additional night.

NOTE: Homestays are charged in week-long blocks from Sunday to Sunday, but an extra night may be added on before or after your program, if space is available. Homestays include private room (doubles also available), breakfast, dinner and laundry.

2. HOTEL (Sámara campus only): \$124 / stay (Sunday to Friday, 5 nights)

Hotel stays are from Sunday 2pm to Friday 12 noon, in shared accommodations. Hotels have AC/fan and/or pool. Hotel space is assigned on a space-available basis. Students choosing to be alone, or for whom no roommate is available, must pay an additional \$65 per week directly to the hotel. Hotel stays do not include food, though some hotels offer breakfast.

3. STUDENT RESIDENCE (Sámara campus only): \$124 / week (Sunday to Sunday, 7 nights)

Residences are either in student apartments or hostels, and are from Sunday to Sunday. Accommodations are usually shared (2 /3 per room), and do not include food or laundry. They do, however, offer a more independent living situation than the homestay, and 7 nights are included vs. 5 nights for the hotel option. Most residences provide one of the following "extras": kitchen access/ breakfast/ pool/ AC/ private room.

4. SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION PACKAGE: \$65 (Transport from San Jose to Samara with overnight in Heredia). Includes pick-up from the SJO airport, overnight in Heredia with a host family, transportation to the Alfaro bus station in San Jose, and the bus ticket from San Jose to Samara.

ACTIVITIES: (included free of charge for all language students)

Latin dance classes (daily); Latin music and cooking classes (weekly); Spanish film night; disco & theater excursions (students pay admission only); lectures/'tertulias'; 'intercambios' with local students; monthly cultural events calendar; free Internet access, and use of tour/travel planning resources.

Weekend **excursions** and additional cultural activities are offered at a small cost. Friends and family are welcome to join us for these when space permits.

PAYMENT METHOD: All prices are listed in U.S. dollars. Program fees may be paid upon arrival. Intercultura recommends payment in dollars, euros, traveler's cheques or Costa Rican colones. Visa, MasterCard and Amex are also accepted (check with your bank regarding extra costs, as foreign transaction fees are common). Reservations will be guaranteed with a 20% deposit or credit card number.

REFUNDS: No refunds are given after the program has begun, except in the case of a documentable emergency or medical condition, in which case 50% of the unused portion of the fees may be returned at the discretion of the administration.