

What is the program about?

In 2021, the "**Colegio Universitario IES**" signed an agreement with Projects Abroad to carry out this study program.

This program will allow you to combine higher studies in Argentina with Volunteer activities.

Learn or improve your Spanish, immerse yourself in Argentinian culture, make friends, and live an unforgettable university experience.

Medium Duration

17 Weeks

Requirements

Start Date

Is this higher education program in Argentina appropriate for me?

Are you finishing high school or in college? Are you interested in experiencing new cultures? Do you want to learn or improve your Spanish language skills while collaborating with local communities?

Would you like to take some time off to think about your future and meanwhile, travel and live an unforgettable experience?

Then this program is for you! In one or two semesters, you can turn this into reality.

IES partnered with Projects Abroad to give you the opportunity to do volunteer activities. This is an institutional presentation of our partner Projects Abroad.



What does this program consist of?

The program offers you the opportunity to study in Córdoba (Argentina) and do volunteer activities. The studies you will do are based on the subjects you choose (between one and five) for a period of one or two semesters. The subjects that you will take in this program can be credited to your university. The available subjects are listed in the following section. The choice of these depends on your level of Spanish language and your previous technical knowledge. You will also receive a certificate for the volunteer activities carried out.

During your experience in Córdoba, you will live in the homes of carefully selected families; this form of accommodation is very interesting as it allows you to get to know the culture of the country better.



Where will you study?

The program is carried out at the **IES** Siglo 21 University College, the largest tertiary education institution in the interior of the country. Since 1982 it has been training the professionals that the market needs, achieving great recognition for the quality of its teaching and its constant innovation in the creation of new careers and a study method based on the practical application of the knowledge acquired.

Its mission is:

"To contribute to the development of society with Innovation, Demand and Seriousness, training professionals capable of solving the problems of organizations." Being up-to-date requires changes and effort, that is why IES has 18 careers that adapt to the rhythm of students' lives, offering an education proposal with tools according to their objectives and with proposals designed for new markets.

It guarantees to live a comprehensive experience, with professional situations with real clients, where the theory will allow you to solve in a practical way, current problems of the profession.

The **IES** University College has more than 11,000 graduates working throughout the country and abroad and with more than 300 highly trained teachers in the different fields of study.

These are the subjects that are available to take in this program.

To see the available modules:

Make a request by sending us an email to:

- □ cristianseverina@projects-abroad.org or

You need to be able to communicate in Spanish. No certification of your level of Spanish is required. If you need a Spanish course before starting we can organize it.

In addition to academic courses, we can organize specific workshops if you wish; for example of Spanish language, tango and folk dances, Latin American culture, etc...



What will I do in this program that combines studie with volunteering?

Classes are generally morning or afternoon / evening, and Monday through Friday. The time load will depend on the number of subjects you choose. If upon arrival you realize that you do not like any subject, you have 15 days to exchange them for others.

Projects Abroad will give you the schedule of volunteer activities for the month for you to choose from.

This list will also include the social activities planned for all volunteers and those doing this program.

The time you are in the program you can travel and see other places in Argentina.



In which part of Argentina is this program taking place?

CÓRDOBA CITY

Córdoba is the capital city of the Argentine province of Córdoba. It is located in the central region of the country, on both banks of the Suquía River. It is the second most populated city in Argentina after Buenos Aires. It is also an important cultural, economic, educational, financial and entertainment center of the region. It is also known as "La Docta" or "The city of bells." It is estimated that it has a population of approximately 1,500,000 inhabitants.

It is an important cultural factory, receiving university students from all over the country and the world. Its University, founded in 1613, is the first in Argentina and the fourth oldest in America. It is considered one of the

most important on the continent. It has more than one hundred thousand students.

The city has important historical, cultural and tourist spots. In 2000, Unesco declared the Jesuit Block a World Heritage Site, in 2006 it was named the American Capital of Culture, and named headquarters of the International Congress of the Spanish Language in 2019.

You will arrive at the Córdoba City Airport (COR) and a friendly member of our team will be waiting to pick you up. The cost of transportation to and from the airport is already included in your program.



The neighbourhood where the **IES** is

NUEVA CÓRDOBA NEIGHBOURHOOD

It is an area full of apartment buildings, crossed by wide avenues and overlooking the largest park in the city. The Nueva Córdoba neighbourhood is located in the south-central sector of the urban community. It forms, next to the city center, one of the most dynamic sectors of the economic, cultural and recreational life of Cordoba, in addition to being the most sought-after sector of the city.

The neighbourhood is one of the most densely populated. The peculiarity is that most of its population comes from other parts of the province and the country, it is calculated that on average during times of study, 1,000,000 people frequent Nueva Córdoba. This is due to the fact that it is

largely about students who make their careers in some Cordoba institution. Especially at the National University of Córdoba, whose University City is located directly south of the neighbourhood?

In that sense, this has given Nueva Córdoba a characteristic neighbourhood air in which the novelty does not leave its streets, housing mostly young people who enjoy its abundant bars, pubs, squares, gyms, clothing stores and much more; since it is mostly a youth neighbourhood, and therefore various activities are planned with this in mind.

A typical week on the programme.

This would be a typical week:

Monday to Friday:

Begin with breakfast at home.

If you're taking day classes, they are held from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. You'll then come home for lunch and have the afternoon free to explore.

If you're taking evening classes, your mornings are free and classes are held from 6:00 pm until 10:00 p.m.

Some Saturdays:

You do a volunteer activity from 11:00 to 15:00.

Free Sunday.



What are the objectives and impact of this program?

This program seeks to expose students to new cultures while encouraging cultural and social awareness.

Our objective is to contribute to the global understanding of sustainable development and develop goodwill ambassadors that can spread this message within their social circles, companies, and governments.

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You will be accommodated in carefully selected families. The price of the program includes accommodation (private) and three daily meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner).

Our accommodation is safe, clean and comfortable. If you want any other arrangement regarding accommodation you have to contact us.

In the preparation process before your trip, we will give you more details about how the country meals are and the general rules of coexistence.

If you have specific needs or want a different accommodation arrangement, contact us.

What are the objectives and impact of this program?

The city of Córdoba offers many options for you to enjoy your free time. Nueva Córdoba and the Barrio Güemes, which is next door, have many restaurants, pubs, cafes, cinemas, theaters, shopping malls, discos, handicrafts market and many types of shops, especially clothing, squares and parks. In the center of the city you can find museums, Jesuit buildings and an immense commercial pedestrian area. A typical activity for students is to get together for math in the parks.

If you like sports, there are many options for you such as soccer, tennis, swimming, paddle tennis, basketball, etc.

You can also travel and get to know other places by bus or plane to different points in the province of Córdoba (Carlos Paz, La Cumbrecita, Mina Clavero, etc.), the country (Buenos Aires, Mendoza, Bariloche, Iguazú Falls) or even bordering countries (Chile, Brazil, Uruguay).

Safety and support of our staff

Your safety is our priority.

We have procedures to ensure that you have the support you need to enjoy your trip peacefully.

Our staff is available 24 hours a day to ensure that you feel comfortable in your accommodation and program.

If you have problems, they will help you at any time.



Prices

Includes:

- Study fee

Excludes: Flights, travel insurance and visa.

Total Prices: 1 Semester: u\$d 3.450 | 1 Academic year: u\$d 6.900

Semester (17 Weeks) U\$D 203 /Week

Academic year (36 Weeks) U\$D 192 /Week



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