# CULTURAL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS 2025–2026

**NEW ACTIVITIES!** 





### **PRESENTATION**

As Barcelona becomes the **World Capital of Architecture in 2026**, Poble Espanyol invites you to enjoy a unique educational experience during the 2025–2026 school year in a setting **where architecture, tradition, and creativity come together.** 

Located in Montjuïc, the green heart of Barcelona, Poble Es panyol was built in 1929 for the International Exhibition as a showcase of Spain's rich architectural and cultural diversity. Today, it stands as a **must-visit destination** that reflects the most **authentic and artisanal side of the city.** 

In this special year for Barcelona, Poble Espanyol becomes a key cultural hub where **architectural heritage** merges with **living craft traditions**: over 20 artisan workshops operate daily, demonstrating trades such as ceramics, leatherworking, glassmaking, and jewelry. This offers students a direct connection with Spain's cultural heritage.

Taking part in one of our activities means diving into **local cuisine** by becoming a chef of traditional recipes, developing **creativity** through art and crafts, and experiencing our **customs and traditions** firsthand. All of this turns the visit into a rich and well-rounded learning experience.

And as always, you can count on our professional team to make your visit to Poble Espanyol exactly what you need... or even more!

¡Bienvenidos! / Welcome! / Bienvenues! / Willkommen!





# CRAFT WORKSHOPS: A UNIQUE SOUVENIR FROM YOUR VISIT

- **NEW** Paint a Gaudí-style salamander
- Learn to design a leather keychain
- Create an artistic mosaic
- Decorate a ceramic piece
- Design a pendant with enamel on fire
- Create a design on glass



# WORKSHOPS AND TRADITIONAL LOCAL CUISINE

- **NEW** Spanish Omelette Workshop
- Paella Show cooking
- Spanish Tapas & Workshop
- Sweet & Savory Snacks
- **NEW** Ibérico Takeaway
- Student Menus



#### **FLAMENCO**

• Flamenco: Experiences, Workshops & Dining



#### **VISITS**

- Scavenger Hunt
- **NEW** Guided Tour
- Theatrical Tour
- Self-Guided Visit



# PAINT A GAUDÍ-STYLE SALAMANDER New

Immerse Yourselves in Modernist Art, so characteristic of the city, with a unique activity inspired by one of Barcelona's most colorful icons: the salamander from Park Güell.

We'll begin with a **live pottery wheel demonstration** by our potter, who will also share fascinating facts and secrets about the ancient craft of ceramics. It's the perfect opportunity to experience this traditional technique up close.

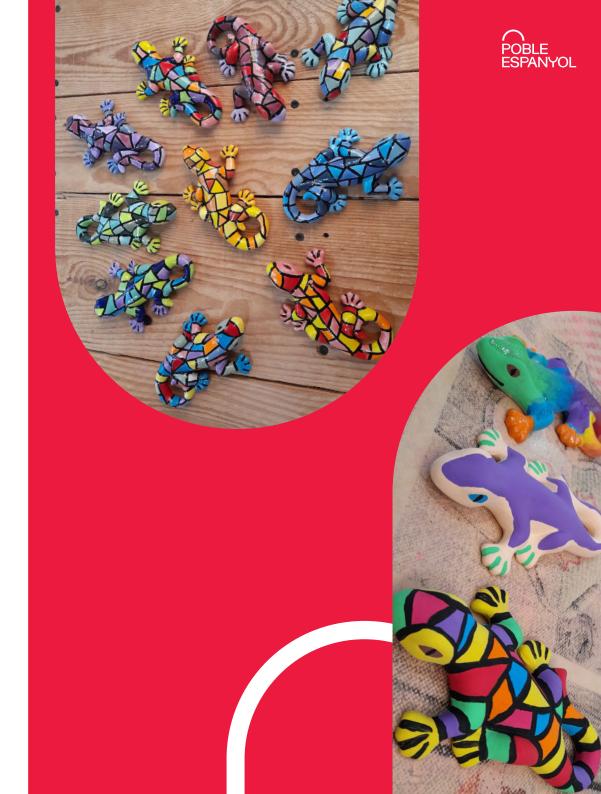
Next, students will get to **personalize their own white clay salamander**, decorating it freely with special tempera paints—drawing inspiration from Gaudí's distinctive style... or letting their imagination run wild!

Min group size: 15 participants
Max group size: 25 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

The price includes the workshop and entrance to the venue.





## LEARN TO DESIGN A LEATHER KEYCHAIN

What better souvenir from your stay in Barcelona than a keychain made by your own hands? In this activity, each student will take home a personalized, 100% handcrafted keepsake.

The workshop begins with an introduction to **leatherworking**, the traditional craft of working leather to create items such as bags, belts, and accessories—a trade deeply rooted in Catalonia's history.

Then it's time to get hands-on: each student will **design their own leather keychain** and learn the **technique of hand engraving**. Using a mallet and punches, they will carefully stamp letters, numbers, or meaningful words—like "Barcelona" or their own name!

This is a creative, practical, and unique experience that becomes a lasting memory of your time in Spain.

Min group size: 10 participants
Max group size: 50 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

The price includes the workshop and entrance to the venue.

You will be able to take your piece home the same day of the visit.





# CREATE AN ARTISTIC MOSAIC

Have you explored Barcelona? Surely, modernist architecture has captured your heart, with icons like **La Pedrera**, **Casa Batlló**, and the **Palau de la Música Catalana**, showcasing the richness of this artistic movement. In the city, mosaics are one of the most representative techniques, used both in ceramics and glass, as seen in the Palau Güell.

In this workshop, you will **learn the glass mosaic technique** by **creating your own coaster**. You will have complete freedom to design your piece however you like—whether with geometric shapes, drawings, or any pattern that inspires you.

A unique artistic experience to connect with Modernism—and to take home a personalized memory of Barcelona!





Min. group size: 10 participants
Max. group size: 50 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

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Ceramics are one of the most typical materials in Spain. Just a stroll through our streets reveals colorful tiles decorating façades, patios, and plazas.

In this workshop, you will discover the craft from within, at the Cal Terrissaire space. We will start with a **live demonstration**: our ceramic artists will present their work, show how the pottery wheel operates, and explain the complete process of creating a clay piece.

Then comes the hands-on part: each student will **choose a ceramic piece** and paint it using the dry brush technique—a creative way to layer colors and textures that results in a special relief effect.

Perfect for awakening creativity and taking home a handmade souvenir.

Min group size: 15 participants
Max group size: 25 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

The price includes the workshop and entrance to the venue.







# DESIGN A PENDANT WITH FIRED ENAMEL

Jewelry is one of the most deeply rooted crafts in Barcelona, ranging from traditional designs to more modern artistic expressions.

In this workshop, you will discover this fascinating world by designing a unique pendant using the fired enamel technique. This artisanal process involves **applying powdered glass onto metal**—such as copper, silver, or gold—and bringing the piece to life with personalized colors, shapes, and textures.

Once the design is complete, it is **fired at a high temperature**, causing the glass to melt and fuse with the metal, resulting in a shiny, durable, and completely personalized piece of jewelry.

A creative, enriching, and unique experience—perfect for taking home an original souvenir from Barcelona.

Min group size: 10 participants
Max group size: 50 participants

C 1hour

 Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

The price includes the workshop and entrance to the venue.

You will be able to take your piece home the same day of the visit.



# CREATE A DESIGN ON GLASS

How many stunning buildings decorated with stained glass have you seen during your trip? Surely you remember **Casa Batlló**, the **Sagrada Familia**, and **Park Güell**. These elements not only beautify the city but also showcase the creativity and originality that define Modernism.

In this workshop, you will unleash the artist within and create your own painted glass piece. Each student will be free to design their own drawing, which will then be transferred onto a glass panel. Using special paints, you can combine colors and play with the different luminosities and textures of the glass, creating a personal and vibrant artwork.

At the end of the workshop, you will have the opportunity to visit the Fran Daurel Museum's collection of glass sculptures and pieces, where you can discover works made with techniques such as blown glass and fusing.

Min group size: 10 participants
Max group size: 50 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

The price includes the workshop and entrance to the venue.





# POBLE ESPANYOL

# SPANISH OMELETTE WORKSHOP New

In this culinary workshop, you will become chefs for a day and discover how to prepare one of the most iconic dishes of Spanish cuisine: **the potato omelette** (tortilla de patatas).

Organized in **groups of 2 or 3, you will make your own tortilla** using an individual induction cooker. Additionally, you will learn how to prepare traditional **"pan con tomate"** a typical Catalan recipe that perfectly complements the experience.

Min group size: 15 participants

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)

👭 Restaurant: Flamma





## PAELLA SHOW COOKING

At Poble Espanyol, we want students to experience a true immersion in Spanish culture, and what better way than through our cuisine? Specifically, we invite you to discover one of the country's most iconic dishes: **paella**.

Originating from the Mediterranean coast, paella represents the values of a **healthy, balanced, and varied diet**. It can be made with seafood, vegetables, meat, or the classic Valencian version... and they're all delicious!

#### 1. PAELLA WORKSHOP

In this hands-on culinary experience, students become chefs for a day. Following the chef's instructions, they prepare an authentic Mediterranean paella together, learning the recipe step by step.

#### 2. PAELLA WORKSHOP + MEAL

A more complete option where, in addition to participating in the paella preparation, you will **enjoy a group meal in a relaxed atmosphere**. Perfect for sharing, chatting, and savoring together the dish you cooked.

Includes tasting of the cooked rice.



- A Min. group size: 15 participants
- (당 1h
- Catalán y castellano (francés e inglés, suplemento por idioma)
- Restaurants: La Bodeguita, Flamma, La Cookiteca







## **WORKSHOPS AND SPANISH TAPAS**

Traveling to Spain is much more than tourism: it's **immersing yourself in its culture through the senses**, discovering the unique flavors of every corner of the country, and learning about the roots of iconic diets such as Basque, Mediterranean, Galician, and Andalusian.

In these hands-on workshops, students will explore the **essential ingredients of Spanish cuisine**: ham, olive oil, coca de recapte, cheese, wine... and will learn how both the ingredients and their presentation play a key role in the culinary richness of each region. An educational, flavorful, and fun activity.

- Min group size: 15 participants
- C 1 hour
- Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)
- 👭 Restaurant: Mexgal, Flamma y La Cookiteca





# SWEET & SAVORY SNACKS

Walking through Barcelona's Poble Espanyol is a unique way to discover the architectural, cultural, gastronomic, and artisanal diversity of Spain. To complete this experience, we offer a **perfect sweet break** to share with your fellow students.

During the visit, you can enjoy one of the country's most traditional snacks: **chocolate with churros or melindros.** An ideal option for breakfast or an afternoon snack, perfectly paired with a day of outdoor cultural activities. And during the warmer months, you can complement your visit with **ice cream, waffles, or healthy smoothies.** 





# IBERIAN TAKE AWAY New

We know that some groups travel on tight schedules or prefer more flexible meal times. That's why, as a new option, we offer an **Iberian take-away** ideal for those who have little time between activities or want to enjoy their meal at their own pace.

This complete picnic allows you to make the most of your visit without giving up a **balanced and tasty meal**. It can be enjoyed comfortably in any of the **picnic areas** at Poble Espanyol.

A practical and delicious solution that suits the most dynamic groups.





# POBLE ESPANYOL

# **STUDENT MENUS**

Poble Espanyol, located in Montjuïc — the green heart of Barcelona — is a place where tranquility, culture, and leisure come together. Built in 1929, it offers students a unique opportunity to **explore a historic open-air museum** while enjoying its facilities.

After the visit, it's the perfect time to **share a group lunch or dinner**, exchange impressions, and savor the moments experienced during the trip.

We offer a wide selection of menus and restaurants to suit all tastes and needs. Our team will be happy to help you choose the option that best fits your requirements.











# FLAMENCO: EXPERIENCES, WORKSHOPS, AND MENUS

Flamenco is one of the most representative cultural expressions of southern Spain, specifically Andalusia. It is an art form born from a blend of cultures — Arab, Gypsy, Christian, and Jewish — and has been recognized by UNESCO as an Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity since 2010.

We offer student groups an immersive and participatory experience to discover this powerful and traditional dance.

- Flamenco workshop: Short sessions where participants learn basic hand, arm, and leg movements, getting introduced to the body language of flamenco.
- Immersive Flamenco: An exclusive activity where participants start by learning
  to mark the rhythm with hand claps, followed by enjoying a live performance
  showcasing the full artistry of flamenco singing, guitar, and dance.
- **Dinner with show:** We offer dinners accompanied by a flamenco show—a perfect combination to end the day full of rhythm and emotion.





## SCAVENGER HUNTS New

This school year, as a new feature, we offer Scavenger Hunts so you can discover Poble Espanyol in a dynamic and fun way, accompanied by our activity leaders. With these activities, you become the protagonists of the experience while exploring the site.

You will learn about the history, anecdotes, and our artisans with the **Orientation and Craftsmanship Scavenger Hunt**, which takes you through the most representative corners of the site while solving challenges related to trades and popular culture. On the other hand, the **Archaeological Adventure** reveals the secrets of our architecture through a team mission.

During these activities, students will not only discover how this unique space was built and explore its streets, but also learn about the cultural diversity of the country—all in one place.

Min: 15 participants per group
Max group size: 30 participants per group

C 1hour

Catalan and Spanish (French and English available with a language supplement)





## **GUIDED TOUR**

Opened in 1929 for the Barcelona International Exhibition, Poble Espanyol was originally meant to be temporary, but its success transformed it into an architectural gem with almost a century of history.

During a **one-hour guided tour**, you will discover how this unique space was built and explore our streets, squares, and buildings representing all of Spain. You will also experience the diversity of the entire country in one place, visit active artisan workshops, learn about the main festivals, and admire works by artists such as Picasso, Miró, and Dalí.

At the end of the tour, we invite you to visit the exhibition "A Photographic Journey," which reveals the process behind the creation of the site.

Min: 20 participants per group Max: 30 participants per group

C 1 hour

Catalan and Spanish French and English











## THEATRICAL VISIT

Dare to try a different tour? This **theatrical guided visit** transforms the experience into an adventure full of surprises, humor, and participation.

It all begins when the official guide doesn't show up... and a supposed staff member of the site—actually an actor—offers to lead the group. Will they be up to the task?

Throughout the tour, this quirky character will reveal anecdotes, secrets, and little-known legends of Poble Espanyol, while inviting students to **laugh, sing, and let themselves go.** 

An original, fun, and completely different way to explore the site. Fun guaranteed!

- Min: 20 participants per group Max: 30 participants per group
- C 1 hour
- Catalan and Spanish and English









## **SELF-GUIDED VISITS**

#### Want to discover Poble Espanyol at your own pace? Go for it!

Nestled in nature on Montjuïc Hill, this open-air, car-free site offers a safe and complete experience to explore the architectural, cultural, and gastronomic diversity of Spain.

During your visit, you can:

- Stroll among 117 replicas of real buildings
- Visit the Contemporary Art Museum featuring works by Picasso, Dalí, and Miró
- Discover how 20 artisans actively work their crafts
- Explore the Fiesta area, which recreates popular celebrations like the Sanfermines and the Castells
- Enjoy the Feeling spaces, with landscapes and flavors from across the country
- Eat at picnic areas or in one of our restaurants
- And slide down the giant slides in the Sculpture Garden!

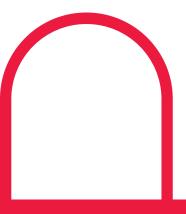
A relaxed and complete way to experience Spain all in one place. We have options for everyone!

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