# Cíjara Summer Camp Forest 2024

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#### Get the most from this Summer with an enjoyable and fun-filled

#### CÍJARA SUMMER CAMP experience!

We offer a weekly or fortnightly Summer Camp, with certified language teachers, all native speakers, as well as camp counsellors. We offer a truly international experience for children from many countries!! From **8 to 16 years old**. In one of our selected venues in Spain, choose from our extensive range of speciality camps offering languages, sports, arts and leadership training.

#### 🐠 💶 You can choose between: Spanish, English or French classes 🌌 🍫

Each camper can be sure to find the ideal camp for a meaningful learning experience and an unbeatable Summer holiday. Remember, CÍJARA SUMMER CAMP programmes are not ran like schools! Of course, youngsters improve their skills and achieve personal growth but by having a great time and enjoying all the activities, which is how the learning process becomes FUN!

This is the basis of your guiding mission – Education through Recreation.







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#### Why choose Cíjara Summer Camp?

Because of our professional staff made up of native speakers, our amazing countryside and views and our main objective: to help your son or daughter to improve their language skills in a safe, fun and sunny environment. This is achieved through our values: EXCELLENCE, QUALITY, TRUST, SAFETY, PROFESSIONALISM AND PERSONALISED CARE.

#### As a Cíjara Summer Camp Camper you:

- $\checkmark$  Develop a greater sense of independence.
- ✓ Learn new life-longing interests and hobbies.
- $\checkmark$  Improve skills in arts and sports.
- $\checkmark$  Interact with peers from all over the world.
- ✓ Experience different cultures.

✓ Gather memorable souvenirs to last a lifetime.

- ✓ Study a second language.
- $\checkmark$  Experience the thrill and excitement of
- $\checkmark$  competition and challenge.

✓ Understand the value of teamwork and leadership.

✓ Build greater self-confidence.

We are a team of qualified professionals with diverse experience in education and leisure activities. Our teachers, all of them native speakers, are certified language instructors with experience working with children and young adults and with an absolute commitment to teaching. Our aim is not just to teach languages, but for children to enjoy learning a new

language through dynamic workshops and fun games.



## Who we are



#### Acommodation facilities

- Swimming pool.
- Rooms for 4 people with private bathroom.
- Professional kitchen.
- Air-conditioned living room.
- Modern Rooms for workshops and classroom heated.

Where we are

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- 🖉 Porch.
- 🖉 Pool.
- Sports court.
- Sorest way.
- ් Wifi.
- Ø Nursing.
- Greenhouse.
- Ecological orchard.
- An ecological farm.



## Cuacos de Yuste

Our camp can be found in the LA VERA region of Cáceres, in a beautiful valley surrounded by the Gredos mountains and running paralell to the Tietar river, with some amazing facilities. It is a very special and unique place which captivates you with its beauty..

Extremadura, situated in the South West of Spain on the border with Portugal, is among the most diverse regions within Europe. It has the largest number of square kilometres of rivers and lakes and is among the first number of mountains as well as being the first in pasture land, in short, one of the luckiest regions in terms of biodiversity.

It also has an enviable culture and heritage with unique castles, palaces and monuments. Its historic towns compete in beauty. Mérida and Cáceres have both been declared World Heritage Sites by UNESCO and are rivalled by beautiful monasteries such as Guadalupe and Yuste, impressive castles such as Alburquerque or Trujillo, and palaces like the Parador in Zafra or Jarandilla de la Vera.Our excursion programme takes campers through the dramatic scenery of colourful Extremadura to visit its historical towns and cities of culture including the picturesque, old town of Cáceres and impressive Monastry of Yuste.

## FACILITIES



















#### Afternoon activities:

- ✓ Hiking
- Environmental Workshops
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Water Slide
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Archery
- ✓ Arts & Crafts
- ✓ Aerobics
- ✓ Cooking
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Kayaking
- ✓ Theatre



#### **Evening activities:**

- Pool Party
- Talent night
- ✓ Super team-Challenge
- ✓ Team Big Night
- Fast moving competitive games, sports and competitions
- ✓ International Night
- ✓ Last Night Prom Party
- ✓ Awards Ceremony



# Activities



 ✓ Cuacos de Yuste with its Monastry of Yuste.
✓ Plasencia with its Cathedral.
✓ Cáceres and its Old Town.

## Language Camp

Hightly successful and fun – the Cíjara Camp's style language programmes that campers really enjoy!

Spanish, French and English are available.

Learn languages in the Cíjara Camps – it's "different", successful and fun all the time!

Our highly succesful language teaching programme is mainly based on the spoken word and sets very high standards in language learning, yet with achievable goals for the young learner. Using techniques based on participation, role playing and fun, students enjoy the experience and achieve really positive results.



Students learn Spanish, French or English by practicing speaking together, using a range of specially chosen and interesting subjects. These become short but engagin projects using role play, developing ideas and discussing them with other campers using their improving language skills. Lessons are in well-equipped classroooms but in good weather can be moved outdoors. At the end of the camp our qualified teacher and the Language Director award certificates to each student but more importantly a separate detailed progress report is sent independently to each family. As a break, at all language camps the students enjoy a programme of excursions.

#### The learning process – how it works.

Students are assessed and placed into groups of about 8-10 campers according to their age and their abilities – but may be upgraded later as they progess. Lessons are from Monday to Friday from 10.00 am till 13.00 pm with short 10-minutes breaks.

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This is an exciting and challenging programme that introduces campers who are enthusiastic about outdoor life to a thrilling range of sports. With our base on the beautiful forest in Extremadura, adventure campers will quickly loose themselves in the beautiful scenery near a lake. The adventure activities take campers into the forest and trails that surround the camp as well as permit the use of the excellent on-site activity facilities available in our campus.

Campers will get an exciting taste of water activities in crystal clear waters. Who knows, they might even get to experience a bit of kayaking as well!! Why not?

In the lake, there might still be time for beach volleyball, swimming and just chilling out.

Away from the lake, campers enjoy through shady ferns and a great variety of trees into the camp. Other activities include archery, water slide and a lot of sports to round out a true Extremadura Adventure.

### **Environmental Education**

Tomorrow's leaders need to be equipped for tomorrow's challenges, and we must adequately prepare our children for the future they will inherit. That requires a commitment to provide children with environmental education that helps them become the educated thought leaders of tomorrow.

**R**aising an environmentally literate generation of problem solvers will help ensure that tomorrow's decision-makers are prepared for the challenges they will likely face. Studies have shown environmental education engages students in learning, raising test scores, and encourages youth to pursue career in environmental and natural resources. The future of the environment, natural resources, and our quality of life begins with the education of today's youth.

- 🖉 08.45 Time to get up
- 🖉 09.00 Breakfast
- 10.00 Language lessons!
- 13.30 To the swimming pool!!
- 🥩 14.00 Lunch & Rest
- 🖉 15.30 Workshops
- 🤄 17.30 Snack
- 🤄 18.00 Sports
- 🖉 19.45 Shower
- 🤄 20.30 Dinner
- 21.30 Night-time games
- 23.30 Time to sleep



## A typical day in the Camp...



## **DATES AND PRICES**

### Price includes...

 Full Board & Accommodation in our facilities.

15 hours per week of Spanish,French or English Lessons.

All learning materials.

24 hour supervision by camp Monitors and/or qualified teaching assistants at all times.

- Laundry service (one per week).
- Sports and Activities.
- Cultural and Recreational Activities, Trips and Workshops.

Final Report from Camp Monitors and Language Teachers on each child's progress.



695€ per week

1.295€ per fortnight

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