

# Spanish Language Project – Our visit to Valladolid, Spain – November 2016



## **Design of Project**

- **Title of Project: Linguistic-Cultural Visit to Spanish Language Foundation in Valladolid, Spain**
- **Number of students/participants: 5**
- **Year Class: Form IV, FV, Lower VI**
- **Visit to be arranged in partnership with the Spanish Foundation**
- **Scholarship Colegio Sainte Marie**  
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# WHY WE SHALL NEVER FORGET VALLADOLID

1. *We have learnt about a city full of charm and architectural historical magnificent beauty.* Valladolid is a historical, artistic, cultural and linguistic Spanish town, only 2 hours from Madrid, the capital of Spain  
Native town of well-known of spanish writers such as Cervantes, Zorrilla and Christopher Columbus, the explorer who discovered the American Continent.
2. *We have improved our spoken spanish and get to know the people of Valladolid, who were very kind and friendly to us. Also we met students from different parts of the world such as Brazil, England, Canada, Australia and Japan.* The people of Valladolid speak very good spanish with clear pronunciation and this has been our best souvenir of the city.
3. *We have enjoyed a peaceful stay as Valladolid is a very safe, modern and clean city . Enjoy shopping and nice quality of life.*
4. *We will never forget the wonderful tapas and pinchos*
5. *Finally, we want to show thousands of pictures from our stay in Valladolid and our trips to other towns as Salamanca, Segovia.*

# View of Valladolid, site of our students Residence



# Activities

		LUNES	MARTES	MIERCOLES	JUEVES	VIERNES
1 <sup>st</sup> week	am	Normal classes	Normal classes	Normal classes	Salamanca'	Visit Colombus
	pm	12.00 Guided tourist visit Valladolid – River trip Tour of GARDENS and chocolate tasting	17.00 Science Museum	Shopping Tour  Nature Walks	Excursion	Museum Tapas tasting
2 <sup>nd</sup> week	am	Normal classes	Normal classes	Segovia' Excursion	Normal classes	Visit Cervantes
	pm	18.30 Cooking Workshop	18.30 Talk on SP events	Students Lunch Rio Shopping	Visit to Cathedral	Shopping day

# SSR INT'L AIRPORT 25 NOVEMBER 2016

## Leaving Mauritius



# On board Air France plane



# Here we go



# Window's picture Indian Ocean



# GIRLS SELFIE ONBOARD



# TITLE

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# Our first day at the Residence



# Our first night in Valladolid



# First week end – trip by boat down the river Pisuerga



# Video

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## Going down the river



Happy together and cold



# Bridge view



# Second bridge



# Inside the boat



# Beautiful chill day



# Touring in nature



# Stress-free



# Warming up inside boat



# Welcome break



So much fun



We care for each other



# Going back to our residence



# Winter mood



Going down for breakfast



## Warming up in our rooms



# Lunch meal at our Residence



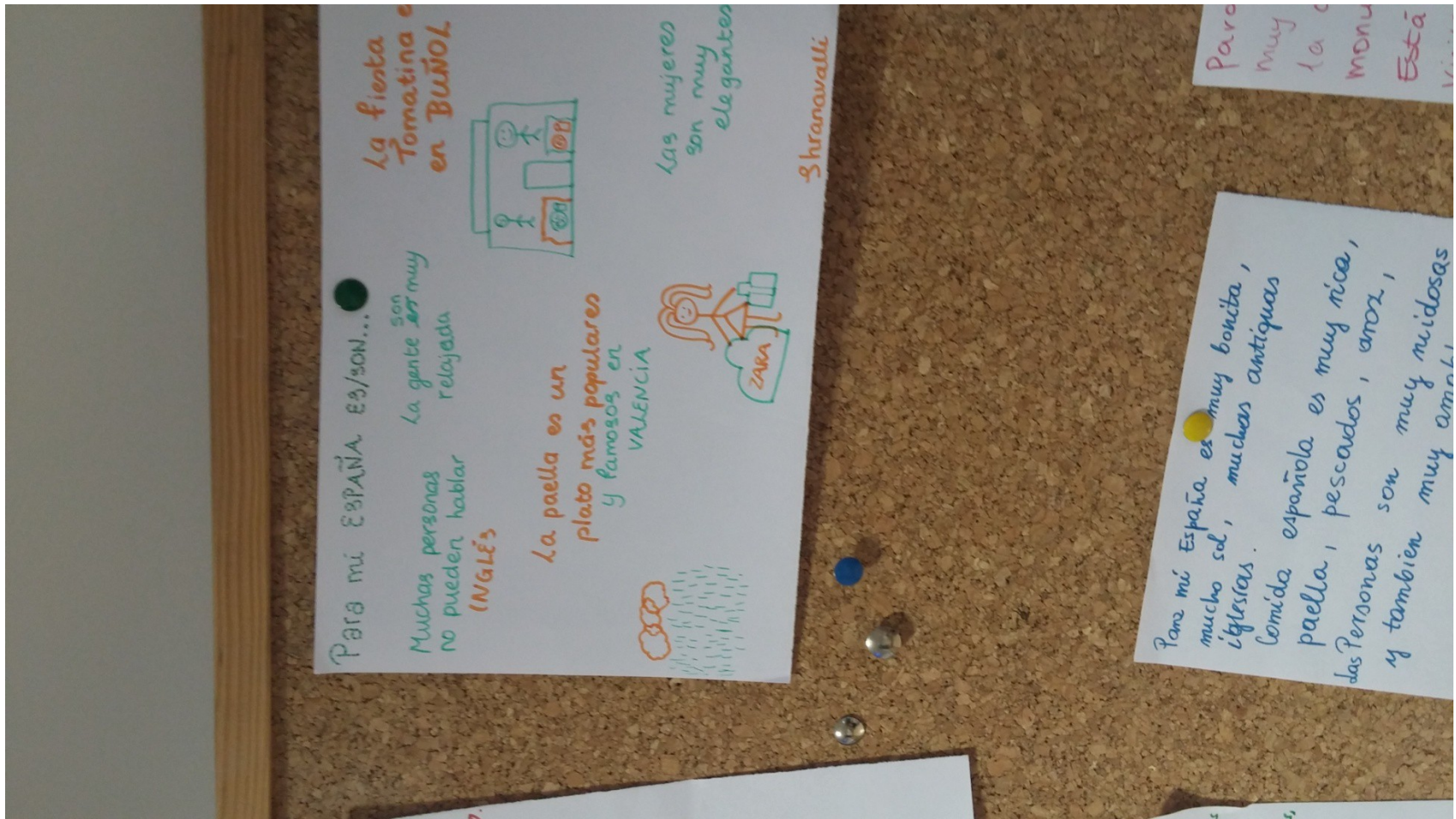
# First day – level test



# First day of class



# Students Writing about Spain – First Day Class



# Teachers Drama class



# Teachers educational meetings



# Drama class teachers



# Teachers at the Foundation – Pedagogy Seminar



# Bus tour of town, Valladolid

- Un paseo en el bus turístico de Valladolid.  
P. España-P. Mayor-Acera Recoletos

# Visit to Valladolid Town Council



# Guided visit to Town Council



# Guided tour to Casa Murillo



# Looking at paintings



## Visiting historical rooms



# Visit to Plaza Mayor



# Plaza Mayor



## Enjoying walk in town



# Outside the Cathedral



# Walk in town



# Not enough clothes on



# Park in town



# Autumn fall



# View of our residence



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# Church next to our Residence



# Church front view





# Mass at the cathedral





# Day trip to Salamanca



# Welcome break from routine



# Bridge view Salamanca



# Historical quarters



# Botanic gardens



# La casa de las conchas - Salamanca



# Taking a break



# Team spirit



# University of Salamanca





# Visit town of Salamanca



# Simancas' Castle



# Visit to historical archives Castle Simancas



# Visit of Archives



## Educational visit



# View from top of tower



# Leaving Castle



## Break in Salamanca



## Enjoying views - Salamanca



# Wildlife in Campo Grande



# Video

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# Friendly peacocks



# Visiting the swam lake



Good opportunity to build team spirit



## Observing peacocks







# Always together





# Opportunities always there



# End of visit to Salamanca



# video

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# Eating delicious churros



## Well deserved churros



# Sunny day Valladolid





## Going out to eat tapas



# Patatas a la Brava



# Visit to Science Museum



# Tijani new friend Einstein




# Video

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# Video



# Visit to Rio Shopping



**¡Nuevo servicio directo!**

- 20 minutos de puerta a puerta
- Atención personalizada
- Low Cost. Más barato y ecológico que el coche

### PARADAS

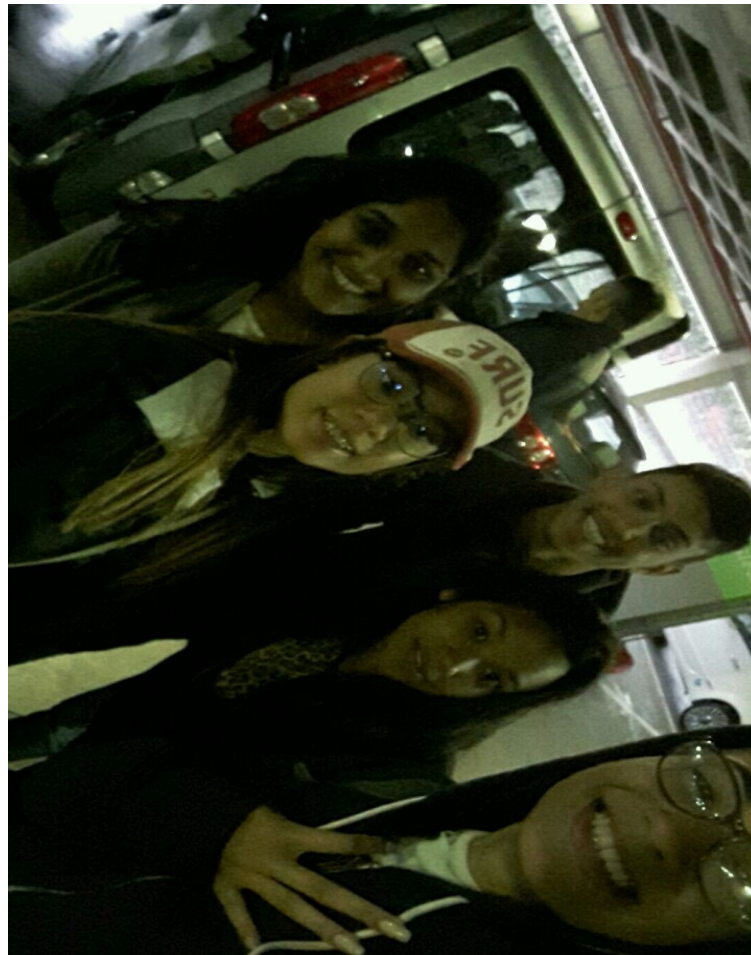
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### HORARIOS

SALIDAS DESDE VALLADOLID	SALIDAS DESDE RÍO
09:45 h.	10:15h.
10:45 h.	11:15h.
11:45 h.	12:15h.
12:45 h.	13:15h.
13:45 h.	14:15h.
14:45 h.	15:15h.
15:45 h.	16:15h.
16:45 h.	17:15h.
17:45 h.	18:15h.
18:45 h.	19:15h.
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20:45 h.	21:15h.
21:45 h.	22:15h.



Really happy



# Night walk



# Last day at La Fundacion

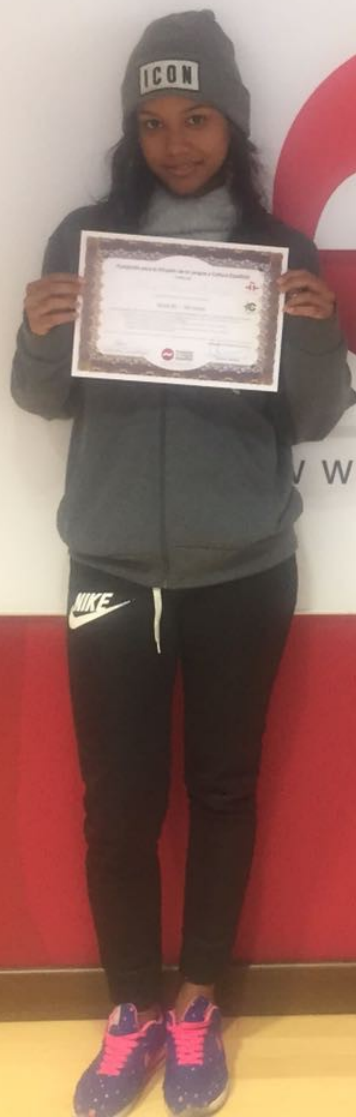


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# Saying goodbye to Sisters at the Residence





# Evaluation Linguistic-Cultural Visit Students

- A) Have the objectives being met?
  - **Yes, because students would like to enjoy again this most enriching educational tour and also other academic and touristic activities**
- B) Has the level of the students target language been improved?
  - **Yes, all the students who took part in this project agreed that in general their level of oral spanish has improved when they were in close contact with native speakers in different real life situations**
- C) Has the language and Spanish culture being promoted?
  - **Yes, they all want to repeat their fruitful experience of travelling to Spain, but this time they would like to stay for longer time. Also, they would recommend their classmates to visit Spain.**
- D) New Suggestions
  - **To include a visit in Madrid the capital city of Spain, and to have more free time for a shopping spree!**
- E) Does this visit to Valladolid be considered as a rich experience which helps students for their personal growth and international intercultural exchanges?
  - **Yes, they all think it was really an interesting and enjoyable educational trip, full of exciting and pleasurable memorable experiences to be renewed in the years to come.**

