

# ADVANCED ENGLISH LANGUAGE (C1)

Erasmus+ KA1 Training Course in Córdoba (Spain)





# Advanced English

English-speaking teachers play a pivotal role in language education, offering students unique a opportunity for immersive and authentic language learning experiences. The presence of a teacher proficient in English not only provides model for pronunciation, grammar, and usage but also brings cultural context and real-world applications the language.

The ability to communicate fluently in English allows teachers to explain concepts clearly, provide immediate feedback, and engage in meaningful interactions with students.

English level C1 corresponds to the level of Proficient User or Effective Operational Proficiency. This level will enable the learner to use the language flexibly and effectively for social, academic and professional purposes. It is also intended to enable the learner to master a wide lexical repertoire which will enable him/her compensate for to communicative deficiencies with circumlocutions.

To take this level it is necessary to have a minimum level of B2

#### Skills at level C1

- He/she can understand a wide range of more demanding, longer texts, and recognise implicit meaning in them.
- He/she can express him/herself fluently and spontaneously without much obvious searching for the right expression.
- He/she can use language flexibly and effectively for social, professional academic and purposes. He/she can produce clear, well-structured, detailed text on complex subjects, showing correct use organisational patterns, connectors and cohesive devices.

# Course description

Achieving a C1 level in English represents a commendable mastery of the language, signaling an advanced proficiency that opens doors to nuanced and sophisticated communication. Individuals at this level demonstrate an impressive command of both spoken and written English, enabling them to engage effortlessly in complex conversations, debates, and academic discussions.

Proficiency at this stage equips individuals to contribute meaningfully to debates, deliver persuasive presentations, and navigate complex written materials with ease.

The achievement of a C1 level in English reflects not only linguistic expertise but also a heightened ability to critically analyze and express thoughts with precision and eloquence.

## **Learning outcomes**

- Make learning English a fun and enjoyable experience.
- Be able to understand a wide range of long texts, recognising explicit meaning.
- Express ideas and make convincing reasoning in English.
- Be able to understand the main ideas of complex texts on a variety of topics, both concrete and abstract.
- Express oneself in writing with clear and precise discourse.
- Express him/herself spontaneously in real life situations and everyday conversations.

#### **Details**

- One week course
- Starting from 480€ (Cultural activities included) \*
- Min. 4 max. 14 participants
- Certificate of attendance included (80% of attendance required)
- Available in Córdoba
- \* A 60 € late registration fee will be applied if you register less than 8 weeks before the course start date.

## **Tentative schedule**

## **Day 1. Course introduction**

- CHECK IN. Emotions, expectations and focus
- Vocabulary: Life experiences and lifestyles
- English grammar according to the level
- Speaking, listening and writing exercises

## Day 2.

- · Vocabulary: News and current affairs
- English grammar according to the level
- Speaking, listening and writing exercises

## Day 3.

- Vocabulary: Money and business
- English grammar according to the level
- Speaking, listening and writing exercises

## Day 4.

- Vocabulary: Technology
- English grammar according to the level
- Speaking, listening and writing exercises

#### Day 5.

- Vocabulary: Books and literature
- English grammar according to the level
- Speaking, listening and writing exercises

This schedule describes likely activities but may differ significantly based on the requests of the participants, and the trainer delivering the specific session.

Course modifications are subject to the trainer's discretion. If you would like to discuss a specific topic, please indicate it at least 4 weeks in advance.

# **About the provider**

Andalusia Teacher Training is a training company founded in 2018 focused in the attitudinal training and the improvement of human performance. The company works with clients with the aim of increasing their results both in personal or professional areas, developing techniques and strategies in the areas of coaching, Emotional Intelligence, soft skills and Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP).

Andalusia Teacher Training learns from the experience gained by its staff, professionals with years of background in the fields of training and the development and management of transnational projects in the frame of Erasmus + Program. Andalusia Teacher Training is currently made up of a multidisciplinary team of 8 people, with backgrounds in languages, translation and interpreting, psychology, international relations, pedagogy and communication.

In the field of international projects, the staff has a solid background in the development and implementation of funded projects in the frame of Erasmus+ and in the areas of entrepreneurship, leadership and application of coaching, Emotional Intelligence and soft skills to different fields. In the last five years we have been involved in more than 50 KA2 projects, of which more than 25 have been developed by our staff.



José Antonio Alonso: Has studies in Economics and Psychology. He is Master in Coaching and El, Master Trainer in NLP (Spanish NLP Association), Expert in Gestalt therapy and Master in Ericksonian hypnosis.

José Carlos León: Coach with a large experience training teams, persons and organizations using El tools. With a degree in English Philology, he has also been tutor in the Master of Coaching of the University CEU San Pablo and facilitator in the greas of El and NLP.

## **Enjoy training... and Andalusia**

Obviously, training is a key aspect, but the environment makes the experience complete. That's why Cordoba is the best possible setting, the only city in the world with four World Heritage Sites by UNESCO, a city steeped in history and culture, and also the ideal place to discover Andalusia.

Less than an hour away by train you can enjoy the bewitching Seville, the cosmopolitan Malaga and the haunting Granada, as well as having some of the best beaches just two hours away by car. All in the best connected city in Spain by high-speed train, 1.45 minutes from Madrid and in the centre of Spain's most charming region. Are you going to miss it?



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# How to get to Córdoba?

Córdoba has no airport, but there are excellent connections to our city from three international airports thanks to the AVE (High Speed Train):

- Madrid. 400 kilometres, 1.45 hours to Córdoba by train.
- Seville. 130 kilometres, 45 minutes to Córdoba by train.
- Málaga. 145 kilometres. 50 minutes to Córdoba by train.

**Málaga** is the best option, due to the high amount and variety of international destinations and the facilities to link your flight to the train.

**Madrid** International Airport Adolfo Suárez is the biggest airport in Spain and it has connections with all the important destinations in Europe. Flights use to be cheaper and both the frequency and the options are higher, so it is also a good chance.

**Seville** is another option, though destinations and frequencies are not the best. Check if it fits your plans.

Train. There are different companies offering connections from and to Madrid, Málaga and Sevilla to Córdoba. The sooner you book, the cheaper!!

- RENFE (www.renfe.es). In trains from and to Seville or Málaga, you will find AVE and AVANT. The
  service is the same, though this last one is cheaper. It happens the same from Madrid with
  AVE and ALVIA.
- IRYO. (https://iryo.eu). Cheap tickets if booked with months in advance.
- AVLO (https://avlorenfe.com). From June 1st 2023. Renfe low cost brand.

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