AMA SPANISH

PANAMA EXPERIENCE

LEARN IT. SPEAK IT. EXPERIENCE IT.

March 15-19, 2027 | Panama City, Panama

Learn it in the morning. Use it in Panama.

Practical Spanish, guided conversation and five days of cultural immersion.

$600 USD | 10 HOURS OF SPANISH | 5 HOURS OF GUIDED CONVERSATION | 5 DAYS OF CULTURAL IMMERSION

WHO IS THIS FOR?

For adults who want to improve their Spanish while experiencing Panama beyond the typical tourist itinerary. You do not need to be fluent - come ready to learn, speak, make mistakes, connect with others and use Spanish in real-life situations.

YOUR DAILY RHYTHM

9:00-11:00 AM LEARN IT	11:15 AM-12:15 PM SPEAK IT	AFTERNOON / EVENING EXPERIENCE IT
A 2-hour interactive Spanish lesson connected to the day's cultural theme or experience.	A guided café conversation session to practise Spanish in a relaxed, social setting.	Put the day's Spanish and cultural learning into practice through a 1-4 hour cultural experience.

The connection matters: Morning lessons introduce useful vocabulary, expressions and cultural context that you can practise during the café chat and then use or encounter during the cultural experiences.

EXPERIENCE PANAMA

Cultural experiences may include Monkey Island tour, the Panama Canal, Casco Viejo, a Panamanian cooking or coffee experience, live music and other local activities. Where possible, experiences will be selected in Spanish so the immersion continues beyond the classroom.

Cultural experience costs are not included in the $600 program fee. Most selected experiences are approximately $20-$60 USD per person and are booked and paid for separately using the booking information provided by Ama Spanish.

OUR MORNING HOME BASE

Lessons and café conversation sessions take place in Obarrio, Panama City, at a meeting venue, and cafe approximately a 5-minute walk from the Sortis Hotel. You are welcome to stay wherever you prefer in Panama City.

Café courtesy: a minimum purchase of $5 USD is suggested during the café conversation session. Food and beverages are not included in the program fee.

THE ESSENTIALS

The practical details before you apply

PROGRAM FEE & PAYMENT

Program fee: $600 USD. A $150 non-refundable deposit is due December 15, 2026, with the $450 remaining balance due January 29, 2027. Your place is confirmed after acceptance and receipt of the deposit.

INCLUDED	NOT INCLUDED
• 10 hours of Spanish instruction • 5 hours of guided café conversation • Ama Spanish Panama workbook and learning materials • One Ama Spanish Panama Experience T-shirt • Pre-trip information, recommendations and group communication	• Flights and accommodation • Meals and café purchases • Local transportation • Travel insurance and personal expenses • Cultural experience/activity costs

CULTURAL EXPERIENCES & BOOKING

Cultural experiences are an important part of the Ama Spanish immersion week, and participants are strongly encouraged to take part. Confirmed participants will receive the selected activity, date, time and booking link in advance. Participants choose and book the experiences directly with the activity provider and pay the provider separately. Ama Spanish does not add a markup to activity costs.

GETTING AROUND

Ridesharing apps are widely available in Panama City and is generally an affordable and convenient way to get around. Fares are displayed in the app before booking and vary by distance, traffic and demand. Participants are responsible for their own transportation. When schedules and locations align, participants may have opportunities to coordinate shared rides with the group to and from cultural activities.

ACCOMMODATION

You are free to stay wherever you prefer in Panama City. Obarrio may be convenient because the morning lessons and café sessions are based there, but staying in Obarrio is not required. Exact venue and meeting details will be provided to confirmed participants.

CANCELLATIONS, REFUNDS & RESCHEDULING

The $150 deposit is non-refundable if a participant cancels. If Amaversity needs to reschedule the Ama Spanish Panama Experience, all program fees paid will automatically transfer to the new dates. If a participant is unable to attend the rescheduled dates, they may request a refund of program fees paid to Amaversity, including the deposit. Changes to individual activities, venues, instructors, meeting locations or the daily schedule do not constitute a rescheduling of the program. Amaversity is not responsible for costs or losses related to flights, accommodation, transportation, insurance, third-party activities or other travel arrangements resulting from a cancellation, rescheduling or program change. Participants are encouraged to make flexible or refundable travel arrangements where possible.

RECOMMENDED TRAVEL DATES

To enjoy the full experience without rushing, we recommend arriving in Panama City by the evening of Sunday, March 14, 2027, and departing Saturday, March 20, 2027, or later. The program begins at 9:00 AM on Monday, March 15 and concludes on Friday, March 19. Please wait until your application is accepted and your place confirmed before making non-refundable travel arrangements.

APPLICATION

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ABOUT YOU

Full name: _____

Preferred name: _____

Date of birth: _____

Email: _____

WhatsApp / phone: _____

Travelling from (City and country): _____

T-shirt size: ☐ XS ☐ S ☐ M ☐ L ☐ XL ☐ 2XL ☐ 3XL

YOUR SPANISH

Current level: ☐ Beginner ☐ Elementary ☐ Intermediate ☐ Upper-intermediate ☐ Advanced ☐ Not sure

Studied with Ama Spanish before? ☐ Yes ☐ No

What would you most like to improve? ☐ Speaking ☐ Listening ☐ Vocabulary ☐ Grammar ☐ Confidence

What are you hoping to gain from the Panama Experience?

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TRAVEL READINESS

Is your passport valid for at least 3 months beyond your arrival date in Panama? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Mobility, accessibility or other considerations:

_____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Please provide someone we may contact in the event of an emergency during the Panama Experience.

Name: _____

Relationship to participant: _____

Phone / WhatsApp: _____

BEFORE YOU SUBMIT

Please review and sign the Release, Assumption of Risk & Participant Agreement on the following page before submitting your application.

QUESTIONS

Please contact Sasha at +12424250786 or info@amaversity.com

RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK & PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT

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I voluntarily choose to participate in the Ama Spanish Panama Experience and understand that international travel and participation in educational, cultural, recreational and other activities may involve inherent risks, including illness, injury, accidents, transportation incidents, theft or loss, delays, cancellations, weather-related events and other circumstances that may be outside the control of Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish. I knowingly and voluntarily assume the risks associated with my participation.

I understand that I am responsible for my own health, safety, personal belongings, conduct, travel arrangements and decisions during the program. I am responsible for arranging and paying for my flights, accommodation, transportation, meals, cultural activities and personal expenses except where specifically stated as included in the program fee.

I understand that tours, cultural activities, transportation, accommodation, restaurants, attractions and other services may be provided by independent third parties that are not owned, operated or controlled by Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish. I understand that Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish, is not responsible for the acts, omissions, services, cancellations or safety practices of these independent providers.

I am responsible for ensuring that I have appropriate medical and/or travel insurance for my stay in Panama and that my designated emergency contact has access to my insurance information. Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish, does not review, verify or determine the adequacy of my insurance coverage. In an emergency, I authorize Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish, to contact my emergency contact and, when reasonably necessary, seek or facilitate emergency assistance on my behalf. I remain responsible for any resulting medical, transportation or other expenses.

I understand that schedules, venues, activities and program arrangements may be changed or cancelled because of weather, safety concerns, third-party provider decisions, closures, circumstances beyond the reasonable control of Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish, or other circumstances requiring a change to the program. I acknowledge and agree to the payment, cancellation, refund and rescheduling terms stated in the program information, including that Amaversity is not responsible for my independent travel or third-party expenses arising from a cancellation, rescheduling or program change.

To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, I release and hold harmless Amaversity, trading as Ama Spanish, and its owner, employees, instructors, representatives and agents from claims, demands, losses, damages, costs or liabilities arising from or related to my voluntary participation in the Ama Spanish Panama Experience, including the inherent risks of travel and participation and the acts or omissions of independent third-party providers, except to the extent that liability cannot lawfully be excluded or limited.

I confirm that I have read and understood this Release, Assumption of Risk & Participant Agreement, have had the opportunity to ask questions before signing, and voluntarily agree to its terms.

☐ **I have read, understood and agree to the Release, Assumption of Risk & Participant Agreement.**

Participant name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____