



MOORPARK COLLEGE SEMESTER ABROAD IN ECUADOR

AUGUST 24TH - DECEMBER 6TH 2020

**REGISTRATION OPENS
ON DECEMBER 1ST, 2019!**

Limited spots available

ACADEMICS

- **Duration:** 15 Weeks
- **Spanish:** M01, M02, M03, M04, (5 units)
- **Anthropology:** M09, M11, (3 units)
- **Service Learning:** 1 -3 units
- **3 Cultural excursions**

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LANGUAGE CULTURAL IMMERSION

- **Homestay**
- **Cultural Activities**
- **Social Learning Opportunities**
- **Optional Excursions**

**Program fee:
4,580 USD***

PROGRAM AVAILABLE TO
NON-MOORPARK STUDENTS
ALL COURSES ARE UC AND
CAL STATE TRANSFERABLE

FULL-TIME STUDENTS ARE
ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL AID

*Program fee does not include plane
ticket, personal expenses, Visas,
Moorpark tuition and course units.

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QUITO

Surrounded by impressive volcanoes such as Pichincha Vulcan, at an altitude of 9,350 feet, Quito is seeped with history, culture and traditions passed down from the generations. Known for its colorful colonial style houses, Quito's historic center was included in the very first list of UNESCO World Heritage Sites in 1978. Quito is the perfect destination to immerse yourself in Spanish. Discover a world where every site, dish and corner of the city is connected to legends from ancient civilizations.



THE SCHOOL



Our **don Quijote school in Quito** provides students the perfect balance between study, socializing and relaxation. Apart from its comfortable and equipped classrooms, the school also boasts a library, complete with media resources as well, and Wi-Fi access throughout the school. With incredible recreation zones, including an outdoor terrace with hammocks and a ping-pong table, there's never a dull moment in our school! Our teachers and staff are dedicated to the Spanish learning and needs of our students, and to make the experience even more enjoyable, complimentary tea and coffee is also offered.

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Watch a video of our school in Quito



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Duration: 15 Weeks.

All students must register for at least one Spanish course and one Anthropology course.

Spanish Course: Elementary Spanish M01, Elementary Spanish M02, Intermediate Spanish M03, Intermediate Spanish M04. All Spanish courses are **5 units**.

** You can take two consecutive Spanish courses during your stay in Quito.

Anthropology: Sex, Gender, and Culture M09; Magic, Witchcraft, and Religion M11. All Anthropology courses are **3 units**.

** You can enroll in both courses at the same time. You can add any (or all) of the online courses available: Cultural Anthropology M02, Peoples and Cultures of the World M07.

Service Learning: 1-3 units.

3 Cultural excursions.

30% payment must be received at the time of booking. Total payment must be made 6 weeks before arrival.

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Students will have the opportunity to take additional **online courses** at Moorpark College during their stay in Quito.

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LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL IMMERSION

- 2 Full day excursions to **Otavalo**, the most famous indigenous market of Ecuador, and **Quilotoa**, an emerald color lagoon, located inside a volcano crater.
- Half day tour to **Quito Historical Old Town**.
- Cultural Activities.
- Stay with a family and live like a local.
- **Social Learning Opportunities - Students can sign up for 1-3 units:**
 - **Volunteering in an elementary school** to learn about childhood and education across cultures.
 - **Socializing with seniors** living in an assisted living facility to learn about aging and attitudes toward the elderly in Ecuador and across cultures.



ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

Students will be accommodated in **homestay** in double rooms. Half Board included (breakfast and dinner). Our selected homestays are located 15 minutes distance from the school.

Includes: Wi-Fi, laundry service once a week, bed linens, and blankets.

ABOUT US

don Quijote is recognized as the leading Spanish Language School, with 40 campuses across 13 countries in Spain and Latin America.

Our commitment is to inspire students of all ages and nationalities to achieve their dreams through education and unique cultural experiences. Since our founding, in 1986, we have provided lifechanging experiences to more than one million students worldwide.

Our Intensive Spanish courses are designed for interactive teaching and practical learning. Our programs are offered all year round and can be customized for study abroad faculty-led programs, volunteering abroad, Spanish for teachers, gap year, or summer and winter programs.

All our schools are certified by Instituto Cervantes.



PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION POLICY

- **Registration opens on Dec. 1st, 2019. 150 USD reservation fee** (non refundable)
- **30% first payment:** February 15th, 2020 (1,329 USD)
- **30% second payment:** April 15th, 2020 (1,329 USD)
- **40% third payment:** June 15th, 2020 (1,772 USD)
- For cancellations made before **April 24th**, 2020 90% of the payment will be refunded.
- For cancellations made before **June 24th**, 2020 70% of the payment will be refunded.
- For cancellations made before **July 24th**, 2020 50% of the payment will be refunded.
- After July 25th there will be no cancellation refund.

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