

GSD International School Buitrago



Long-Term Programs



Improving education to improve life

GSD International School Buitrago 35 years of experience transforming the world through education

We at GSD offer an integral, competitive educational experience which prepares our students professionally and emotionally to face the challenges and opportunities arising in our globalized world head-on.

GSD International School Buitrago's campus encompasses 80,000 m² set in peaceful surroundings close enough to be able to enjoy Madrid, just 45 minutes away, as well as the many options nature has to offer.

Students from a wide range of countries together day-to-day develop a global perspective, which contributes to personal growth.

GSD International School Buitrago's professional staff offer meticulous personalized attention so that students receive any academic and emotional support they might need during their time here.

The opportunity to study in Spain allows students to gain familiarity with European culture, as well as to get a feel for one of the world's most popular tourist destinations.

Students learn the second-most spoken language worldwide, smoothing the way for higher-level learning at prestigious international institutions, while also opening professional doors, all at competitive prices.





Foundation Year



- 15-20 weekly hours of Spanish as a foreign language class (ELE).
- Total immersion programs in corresponding classrooms as well as in all other activities.

Who is it aimed at?

- Students hoping to improve their Spanish in order to study in Spain.

Requirements

- All ages.

Why study at GSD International School Buitrago?

- Total immersion.
- Attain linguistic competence while improving Spanish level (reaching B1-B2).
- The approach fosters the possibility of taking subsequent courses.
- Small groups.
- Official degree: SIELE.

Entry date

- Academic year: Beginning of September (until the end of June).
- Semester / Quarter: Consult potential entry dates: admissionsgsdisbu@gsd.coop.



Included

- Airport transfers.
- Handling of all the documentation necessary for your stay once you arrive in Spain: NIE and recognition of previous studies.
- Legal guardianship of students.
- 24-hour security system.
- Live-in dormitories with 24-7 supervision, offering entertainment and activities, as well as monitored study time.
- Medical and counseling services provided.
- Our dormitories: quadruple rooms featuring two full bathrooms, living room-kitchen area, study zone, heated pool, soccer field, as well as other sports facilities.
- 5 daily meals created by a nutritionist, and prepared in GSD's own kitchens.
- Weekly laundry service.
- Extracurricular cultural, musical, and sport activities.
- Monthly leisure activity excursions organized by GSD for our students (such as visits to museums, amusement parks, ski trips, etc.).

Not included

- Visa process management.
- Private medical insurance. GSD offers the possibility of contracting the above at additional cost.
- Admission fee.
- A deposit paid in the case of any damage caused to our facilities during the stay. It is returned when the program ends.
- Accommodation in the dorms during Christmas break (from December 20- January 7, approximately).
- Optional trips: School trips and visits to other cities during Easter week.
- ELE course support provided 2 hours per week.
- Public transportation card and mobile phone costs.
- Fee for recognition of previous studies.
- Official exam fees: SIELE, university entrance exams, etc.
- Materials: books, calculator, paper, pens/pencils, etc.



International Baccalaureate



- **2 year program.**
- **6 subjects encompassing all fields of knowledge.**
- **Scientific research focused on university needs.**
- **Overall development of our students: creativity, activity and service.**

Who is it aimed at?

- ▶ Students with international perspectives, adapted to contemplate educational system differences.
- ▶ Ideal for inquiring, integral, caring, and reflexive students.

Requirements

- ▶ Ages 16-19.
- ▶ Prior knowledge level equivalent to G9/G10.
- ▶ B1 level English-Spanish.

Why study at GSD International School Buitrago?

- ▶ International renown and prestige.
- ▶ No access exams necessary for the majority of universities worldwide.

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