

## **INTENSIVE SPANISH COURSES FOR COMPLETE BEGINNERS**

LAE Madrid offers intensive Spanish courses designed specifically for complete beginners. These courses provide a strong foundation in Spanish through full immersion and a communication-first methodology.

All beginner intensive courses follow the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and are taught at an Instituto Cervantes accredited school. Classes are conducted entirely in Spanish and focus on helping students understand and communicate naturally from the very first day.

### **WHO ARE THESE COURSES FOR?**

These courses are suitable for students with no previous knowledge of Spanish who want to start learning in Madrid in a structured and supportive environment. They are ideal for new arrivals, long-term residents, gap year students and professionals who want to build confidence quickly and effectively.

### **COURSE FORMAT**

Beginner intensive courses run Monday to Friday with daily classes that provide regular exposure to Spanish. Lessons focus on communication, listening and interaction, with grammar and vocabulary introduced in context.

Teachers guide students step by step through A1 level, following CEFR objectives and providing continuous feedback to support progress and confidence.

### **WHAT DOES A1 LEVEL COVER? (CEFR FRAMEWORK)**

A1 is the first level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. At this level, students develop the ability to understand and use basic Spanish in familiar, everyday situations.

By the end of A1, students are typically able to:

- Introduce themselves and others
- Ask and answer simple questions about personal details such as where they live, what they do and their interests
- Understand and use common everyday expressions and simple phrases
- Interact in a basic way when the other person speaks slowly and clearly
- Handle practical situations such as ordering food, shopping, asking for directions and making simple requests
- Understand basic instructions and classroom language in Spanish

At LAE Madrid, A1 is taught through a communication-first, full immersion method. Grammar and vocabulary are introduced in context to support real communication rather than memorisation. Students practise listening, speaking and interaction from the very beginning, building confidence alongside accuracy.



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## **COMPLETE BEGINNER START DATES – 2026**

<b>January</b>	20 April	<b>September</b>
12 January		7 September
26 January	<b>June</b>	21 September
	1 June	
<b>February</b>	22 June	<b>October</b>
9 February		12 October
23 February	<b>July</b>	
	6 July	<b>November</b>
<b>March</b>	20 July	2 November
23 March		23 November
	<b>August</b>	
<b>April</b>	17 August	<b>December</b>
6 April		7 December

## **CERTIFICATION AND PROGRESS**

Students receive a certificate corresponding to their CEFR level at the end of the course. Progress is monitored throughout to ensure students meet the required learning objectives before moving forward.

## **NEXT STEPS**

If you are starting from zero and want a clear, immersive introduction to Spanish in Madrid, these intensive courses offer a strong and motivating starting point. Our team can help you choose the best start date and course length based on your goals and availability.