

# WELCOME TO YOUR SPANISH IMMERSION PROGRAM!

## WHAT ARE MY NEXT STEPS?

### 1. Start here!

- Passport: Check your passport and make sure it has 6 months of validity.

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- Registration form complete: [Teacher Immersion](#) / [Medical Immersion](#), [Adult Immersion](#) / [Family Immersion](#).

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- Pre-departure paperwork: Read, sign, and submit: [Paperwork for medical, teacher, and adult participants](#) / [Paperwork for Family participants](#).

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- Your program includes basic travel medical insurance, but if you're looking for a Cancel for Any Reason policy, we suggest you shop for it [here](#).

### 2. Then do these:

- Travelers Health: Read what the Center for Disease Control says about traveling to [Costa Rica](#) & [Ecuador](#)

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- Book your flights! Check with Leslie Foster if interested in a group flight. Airport codes are: UIO (Quito, Ecuador) / SJO (San Jose, Costa Rica). Send your flight info to [support@commongroundinternational.com](mailto:support@commongroundinternational.com) along with a copy of your passport.

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- Payment # 1 DUE (3 months before departure) – **March 15** for Ecuador participants, and **March 29** for Costa Rica participants.

### 3. And finally, do these:

- Complete your pre-departure course: [Medical Immersion](#) / [Teacher Immersion](#), [Adult Immersion](#) / [Family Immersion](#)

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- Placement Exam: Submit a month before departure (or earlier) [Exam for Ecuador participants](#) / [Exam for Costa Rica participants](#)

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- Payment # 2 DUE (60 days before departure) - **April 15** for Ecuador participants, and **April 29** for Costa Rica participants.

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- Attend 3 online meetings with your trip leaders and participants (dates TBD)

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- Final Payment DUE (30 days before departure) – **May 15** for Ecuador participants, and **May 29** for Costa Rica participants.

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- Optional activities: See info. in pre-departure course.