

# WELCOME TO YOUR HIGH SCHOOL 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

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[Pre-departure paperwork](#): Read, sign, and submit

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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](#)

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### 2. Then do these:

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

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Submit [1 character reference letter](#)

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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)

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Payment # 1 DUE – **Dec. 1st**

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### 3. And finally, do these:

Complete your pre-departure course (opens in **Jan.**) [Costa Rica Pre-Departure Course](#) / [Ecuador Pre-Departure Course](#)

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Placement Exam: Submit in March (or earlier) [Exam for Ecuador participants](#) / [Exam for Costa Rica participants](#)

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Payment # 2 DUE **Mar. 1st**

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Attend 3 online meetings with your trip leaders and participants. April – June

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Final Payment DUE – **May 1st**

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Optional activities: Register by **June 1st** (see info. in pre-departure course)

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