

13 November 2025

Spanish Trip 2025–2026 — Expression of Interest

Dear Parent / Carer,

Spanish Trip 2025–2026

Visit to Madrid for a cultural stay: 13th–16th February 2026 (last day of term into February half term)

It gives me great pleasure to offer your child the opportunity to participate in our Spanish Trip 2025–2026. Although our trips to Spain have been on hold for some years, the trips in the past have been a great success. This is an excellent opportunity for your child to visit the Spanish capital, improve their Spanish, to get to know Madrid (an extremely culturally relevant and vibrant city) and, above all, make new friends. Just 4 days in Spain has the potential to greatly boost students' confidence, especially in speaking and listening skills. For this reason, it is currently only offered to GCSE students (both Year 10 and 11) and Year 12 students.

We will be travelling by plane to Madrid on the **13th February**, where our students will be staying in a hostel, and returning on the **16th February 2026**, allowing plenty of time for you to pursue plans over February half term and for some revision too! Please note that this means your child will miss one day of school and be expected to catch up on any missed work. During our stay we will be doing a number of interesting and exciting activities and attending a Spanish language school twice for an hour lesson each full day we are there. The activities will include visiting museums, with world-renowned works of art, visiting historical sites and sightseeing around Spain's capital. I estimate the total cost of the trip to be around £700. Due to the nature of the trip, the payment can only be paid in one instalment, before the Christmas break. The final cost may change slightly, depending on the amount of students who wish to take part. Also, pupil premium discounts are available. Please email pupilpremium@farlingaye.suffolk.sch.uk to request further information.

If you would like your child to take part in the trip, please could you fill the form expressing your child's interest in taking part.

Please note that the deadline for your child's expression of interest is **21st November 2025.**

Once we have enough expressions of interest, we will send out an application letter.

If you have any questions regarding the trip, please don't hesitate to email me.

Kind regards,

Miss S Hopkins
Teacher of Spanish

I would like to express an interest in my child (name and form group) taking part in the Spanish Trip 2025-2026.