

INFORMATION SHEET FOR LANGUAGE ASSISTANTS



SCHOOL DATA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - School name: DOCTOR FRANCISCO MARÍN SCHOOL. - Full address: 49 DE LA PUERTA ROAD, 23380.SILES - Telephone number 953499911 - Email: 23700323.edu@juntadeandalucia.es. - Location link on Google Maps: https://www.iesmarin.es/ https://satellites.pro/mapa_de_Espana#37.378888,-3.394775,6 https://www.mapacallejero.com/jaen/siles/
Contact of the reference person(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Email of a member of the management team: juanestebanrus@gmail.com - Email of the teacher coordinating the program: lolaiesiles@gmail.com
Education level	-High School: STUDENTS AGED BETWEEN 12 AND 16.
Collaboration subjects/modules of the Language Assistant	SCIENCES, GEOGRAPHY & HISTORY AND PHYSICS. (But it will depend on each academic course).
Information about the town and/or neighborhood	<p>The school is located in the “Natural Park of Cazorla, Segura y Las Villas” which is one of the most beautiful sceneries in the province of Jaén whose economy is based on olives and oil production. The city's economy is growing at a reduced speed if you compare it to the neighbouring towns and numerous young people from move to another city in search of a job. The village enjoys basic services and also educational ones, such a public library with Internet connection, which we intend to visit on a monthly basis as part of the Reading Programme, some bars with tapas, two pubs, a takeaway stand food at the local market, town hall, medial site, and outdoor swimming pool, leisure activities like: volley, paddle, hiking club, pilates. There is no foreign tourism: students are not used to listening to foreign languages. Parents do not the habit of sending their children abroad to practise English and we have to encourage them, step by step.</p> <p>As our High School is located in “La Sierra”, many students come by bus from different villages and hamlets, even from</p>



	<p>“Castilla la Mancha”.</p> <p>If you like hiking and nature you are welcome to the perfect place. It is also located close to Úbeda and Baeza. Two spectacular cities World Heritage Site.</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=370797254357219</p>
Getting to school	<p>- As many teachers live in different locations or provinces in Andalucía it will be very easy to travel with them and visit different places.</p> <p>-Buses schedule:</p> <p>https://www.busbud.com/es/autobus-siles-jaen/r/eyy4mh-eytqcg https://www.horarios.info/transporte-de-jaen-a-siles</p>
<p>Accommodation</p> <p>- Where to live in town?</p> <p>- Possibility of staying with a family?</p> <p>- Possibility of sharing a flat with teachers?</p>	<p>For accommodation we would help you when you contact with the School to find a comfortable and cheap place.</p> <p>https://www.inturjoven.com/albergues/jaen/albergue-inturjoven-spa-jaen (For the first day, the capital city).</p> <p>https://www.milanuncios.com/alquiler-de-pisos-en-siles-jaen/ https://www.fotocasa.es/es/alquiler/pisos/siles/todas-las-zonas/1</p> <p>- We will try to, but normally previous languages assistants stayed on their own, or share with teachers from School.</p> <p>When you contact School you will find it easier. (Sometimes some of the teachers have offered a place to stay).</p>
Contact with other Language Assistants	<p>Every year we established contact with our former languages assistants to share their experiences.</p> <p>sarah.bolton@hotmail.co.uk kmlichtenberg@gmail.com kmlichtenberg@gmail.com https://www.facebook.com/groups/824891444303329/about/ https://www.facebook.com/groups/300626923406245/</p>
Previous Experiences with Language Assistants	<p>We are very happy with previous experiences in our School and village, the people in here are very charming and the students are expecting forward to a new Language Assistant, for them is the best way to practise and get in touch with a different culture, and a fantastic experience. We are a very familiar and welcoming community.</p> <p>We also get in touch with our previous assistants. Last year she was very young and it was a different year because of COVID-19 situation.</p>