

# Frassati trip to Spain

SPRING BREAK 2020









- US-based tour operator specialized in Catholic and educational trips to Spain
- Founders spent >10 years living and working in Spain
- Bilingual and certified by the official tourist office of Spain as specialized experts in culture, regions and tourist attractions.



### WHYTRAVEL?

- 67% of students were motivated and continued to study a foreign language in college
- 94% of students feel more independent and confident after a trip
- 78% saw an increase in their problem-solving skills
- 92% saw an improvement in their interpersonal skills



### WHY SPAIN?

- Further Frassati's Goals
  - Catholic Tradition
  - Practice Spanish
  - Learn History / Culture
  - Build Friendships
- Experience Spain's most famous cultural activities like Flamenco and tapas
- Enrich the curriculum and allow students to make connections to what they're learning



#### Frassati School Trip (Spring Break 2020)

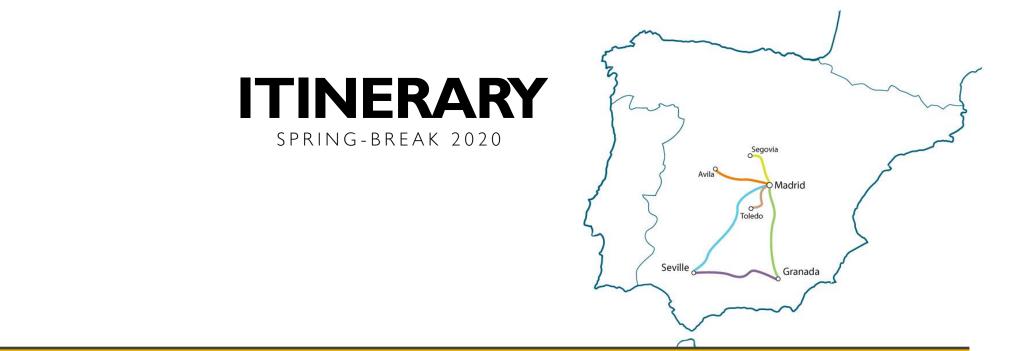
#### THE TRIP AT A GLANCE

- 975 miles
- 3 one-day trips
- 2 multi-day trips
- Guided visits
- Cultural activities
- Typical Spanish Meals



#### **SIGHTS TO VISIT**

- Prado Museum
- Royal Palace in Madrid
- Cathedral of Toledo
- Segovia's Roman Aqueduct
- La Giralda
- La Alhambra
- Generalife gardens



DATE	ΑCΤΙVITY	DATE	ΑCΤΙVITY
MARCH 7th	DEPART FOR MADRID	MARCH 12th	SEVILLE
MARCH 8th	MADRID MUSEUMS	MARCH 13th	GRANADA (Alhambra)
MARCH 9th	MADRID SIGHTSEEING	MARCH 14th	GRANADA (Sightseeing) Return to MADRID
MARCH 10th	SEGOVIA & AVILA	MARCH 15th	TRAVEL BACK HOME
MARCH 11th	TOLEDO		

#### MADRID

- Prado Museum
- Royal Palace
- Almudena Cathedral
- Puerta de Alcalá
- Mercado de San Miguel
- Plaza Mayor



### SEGOVIA

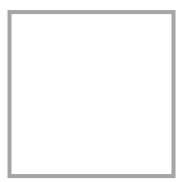
- Roman Aqueduct
- Alcazar castle
- Cathedral of Segovia
- Old City
- Plaza Mayor



### **AVILA**

- UNESCO World Heritage City
- Convent of St. Teresa
- НІКЕ ТНЕ WAY • City Walls
  - Medieval Streets

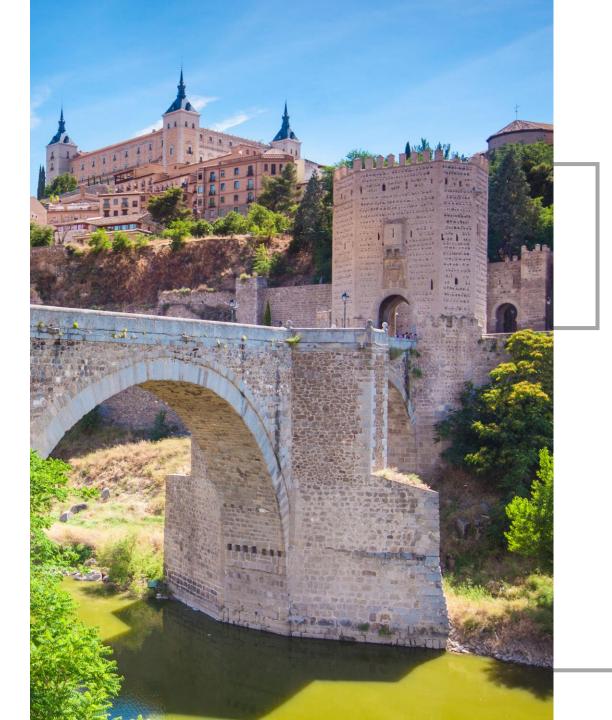






#### TOLEDO

- Gothic Cathedral of Toledo
- Puerta de Bisagra
- Roman streets
- Tour of city discovering the 3 religions and their influence on art and architecture.
- Greco Museum
- Zipline across the Tajo River



### SEVILLE

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НІКЕ ТНЕ WAY

- Ceramic Museum and shops
- Plaza de España
- Flamenco performance
- Royal Palace and gardens
- Bullfighting ring and museum



### GRANADA

- The Alhambra
- Generalife Gardens
- St. John of God Basilica
- Albaicín and Sacromonte neighborhoods
- Farewell dinner



#### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Round trip airfare IAH MAD
- Daily Breakfast & lunch or dinner
- Admission fees to museums, castles and

monuments

- Transportation Train, private bus
- Double/triple room 3\* 4\* hotels
- Activities: Flamenco show, guided city tours



**HIKE THE WAY** 

### LOGISTICS

- Number of students: max. 30
- Who's eligible: Juniors and Seniors
- Trip Price: \$4,675 / person\*
- **Deposit:** \$500 needed to reserve each spot
- Balance due: Remaining \$4,175 due by Nov 15th, 2019
- Payment Forms: Check
- \* May vary slightly as a function of the # of students

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### TRAVEL INSURANCE

#### OFFERED BY OUR PARTNER ALLIANZ

- Travel Insurance is MANDATORY for this trip
- Covers trip cancellation and Medical Insurance
- Buy your own or through our partner Allianz
- Approximate cost\*: \$172

\*Exact quote to be provided by Allianz directly to you

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### SUPPORT PERSONNEL

- Frassati teacher Chaperones
- Up to 4 additional travel guides
- Licensed Spanish Tour guides for City Tours

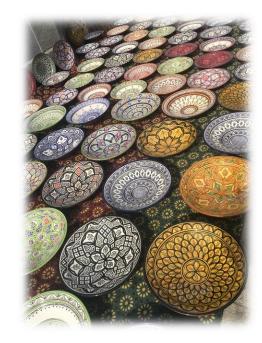
#### WHAT'S THE WEATHER LIKE?

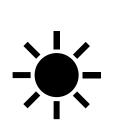
- Madrid and surroundings  $\rightarrow$  40F 60F
- Seville & Granada  $\rightarrow$  50F 70F





- Passport (6-month validity from return date)
- One <50 lb suitcase & 1 small carry-on
- Spending Money
  - Euros (~1.12 EUR/USD)





#### HOW DO I SIGN UP?



#### • Sign up at:

https://hiketheway.com/frassati-spring2020

• Pay your deposit using any major Credit Card at sign-up time.

#### CANCELLATION POLICY:

- Airfare is non-refundable after Dec 1<sup>st</sup>
- Cancellations after Jan 1<sup>st</sup> will incur a cancellation fee of 75% of the total trip price.

#### PAYMENT MILESTONES



- \$500 Deposit on sign-up
- Check for the balance due  $Nov \ 15^{th}$
- All Checks Payable to: HIKE THE WAY
- Mail payment to:

Hike The Way 2002 Timberloch PI. Ste 200 The Woodlands, TX 77380

• Write Student Name / Spain Trip on Memo

#### **ASWE MOVE FORWARD**

#### TRIP PREPARATION MEETING

- Travel Orientation for students about Spain
  - Language
  - Food
  - Cultural tips
- Documentation required:
  - Authorization for Minors
  - Waivers
  - Travel Insurance
  - Passport

#### FINAL PARENT MEETING



- Exact Itinerary
- Travel Specifics:
  - Luggage
  - Communications
  - Currency Exchange
  - Customs



## **QUESTIONS?**





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