

Information About the Arabic Language Course

Morocco, beneath the country of Spain, is geographically the gateway to Africa. Morocco combines the traditional souks in Fez and Marrakech, camel caravans in Tarazoute, beautiful sandy beaches in Agadir, and not least the legendary film "Casablanca" with Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergmann. In the midst of the oriental flair and the many cultural attractions, there is the "everyday life" which most tourists barely notice. Unless they have the wonderful opportunity to be invited into a Moroccan-American family. The participants of our work camps have the opportunity to get to know Morocco more in depth than most.

If you fly into the airport in Casablanca, we will make sure you get picked up. Please share with us your arrival details (airport / flight number / arrival time) by e-mail.

After arrival, you will be treated to a welcome drink with the other participants and teachers in the work camp. Here you will have the opportunity to get to know everyone and to ask any questions that may have come up.

Next, you will be placed with a family or in a hostel. Lunch and dinner is cooked for you and again there is the possibility to ask questions and begin getting settled in. Our partner organization is experienced in performing work camps. Every effort will be made to ensure your satisfaction.

Classes:

Classical Arabic is taught in the program. From Mon to Friday, during the period from 9.00-12.30 clock, you will participate in Arabic lessons. We will place participants in different levels as appropriate. At about 10:30am, there is a short pause. During this break, you can also ask the teacher questions and get help with your studies.

The afternoon is unplanned. You can spend it getting to know your fellow classmates, preparing for lessons, you can just relax or explore the city.

On weekends, our section organizes tours in the surroundings, the beach, the souks, the famous Hassan II mosque, etc. These excursions are not included in the price of the camp. The cost varies depending on the tour, but none are expensive.

Food:

The food included with the accommodation. You will together with the other participants each morning in front of the school and have breakfast. After school, there will be lunch and, in the evening, a warm meal. The exact details will be explained upon arrival. Please also let us know if you do not eat meat, then in addition to the usual salads, we will provide more cooked vegetables.

Arrival:

You will have to arrange transport to Morocco yourself. From the airport in Casablanca, the program will take care of you.

Pocket Money:

The board is of course free of charge for you. If you do have extra wishes, you should bring a little spending money (for things like Cigarettes and visits to cafes and souvenirs).

Disease:

Please inform the work camp leader about possible health problems and about foods that you can not eat due to allergic reactions. Please remember to bring enough medication with you that you might need.</p>

Insurance:

Prior to travel abroad, please choose insurance for the duration of your stay. For students, there are cheap fares e.g. in STATRAVEL travel agencies. You can purchase insurance when booking the flight in any good travel agency. You might be covered by parental insurance, but please verify this prior to arrival. The camp organization is not liable for any claims.

Sports:

In sports and games such as beach sports, horse riding, and swimming, you have to decide whether you can participate. You are responsible for your own activities while in the program.

Program Cost:

In order to participate, deposit the amount of 300 euro to our Association Account: German-Moroccan League eV / Berliner Sparkasse account number: IBAN DE40 1005 0000 0190 4227 50

The application will be considered binding as soon as the amount mentioned is deposited in the account. The number of participants is limited.

Other:

If you want information about traveling in Morocco, we recommend the book "Morocco", by Erika Där from the "travel know-how-Verlag. Before the trip we organize a weekend Vorbereitungstag where you again have the opportunity to receive information about the country, people and culture and to ask questions. Of course you can e-mail or phone us with questions. E-mail: info@dml-berlin.de