



## What do you do?

It's a summer camp, and one of our primary responsibilities is to help kids learn to speak English as we share the love of Christ with them. The campers range in age from 9 – 18 and some come from Christian backgrounds while others do not. The camp is a typical summer camp – games, swimming, evening activities, workshops, and of course, English class! The camp is in the mountains and is absolutely beautiful! Our team partners with the YFC (or JPC) team to run the camp, and our team will be responsible for planning and leading the evening activities and games throughout the week. What exactly our jobs will be depends on several factors, but typically high school students will be campers alongside the Spanish students, and post-grad team members will serve as counselors, lifeguards, dishwashers, conversation partners, cheerleaders, and small group leaders.

You do not have to speak Spanish to attend, although it is a valuable skill. We're also looking for people with a wide variety of other skills, including people great at relationship building, serving behind the scenes, leading games and generally being "hype," party planning, and teaching English or patiently speaking English in conversation. It can be a difficult week, emotionally, mentally, physically, and spiritually, but it's an incredible opportunity to see God work in ways we may not experience in our everyday lives.

## Quick Facts

**Location:** Youth for Christ International English Camp – near Barcelona, Spain

**Dates of the trip:** June 30 – July 10, 2023

**English Camp:** July 2 – 8, 2023

**Estimated cost:** \$2,500 - Options to raise funds through support raising or pay your own way

**Leaders:** Pastor Nathan Kingsley ([nathan@faithliveitout.org](mailto:nathan@faithliveitout.org)) and Erin Cosler ([erin.cosler@gmail.com](mailto:erin.cosler@gmail.com))

## Will COVID impact this trip?

As of January 2023, COVID vaccines and testing are NOT required for Americans to travel to Spain. The country has eased requirements since last year when vaccinations + boosters were required, so while we don't expect any changes, they can certainly happen. Agreeing to go on this trip means agreeing to be flexible and implies an understanding that things may not work out the way we'd like them to.

## Great! I'm in! What's next?

- 1** Please **complete the short application** to indicate your interest in joining the team. The QR code is below, or you can also visit the Faith Church website, navigate to Missions, and then the link will be under the Serve & Learn trips tab. We can email it to you as well!
- 2** If you don't already have a **passport**, you'll need one! Go ahead and apply for that now so we don't have to stress when we get closer to the trip.
- 3** **Pay a \$200 deposit** – this reserves your spot on the trip! You can fundraise this money or pay it directly. More info to come on fundraising options – please talk to Erin or Pastor Nathan if you are interested in fundraising for your trip.
- 4** Look out for the dates of our **team meetings!** We are hoping to finalize our team by March, and then we'll start having team meetings at least once a month to prepare. This will include some teambuilding, some planning, and learning more about what camp is like and what will be expected of you.
- 5** **Pray!** Start praying for the trip, for the campers who will come, for the leaders as they plan and make decisions, for funding for the trip, and for you and how God will change your heart by participating in this camp.

