



## 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 we 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.

We do want to be honest about what the time will be like – it's a lot of being "on" with very little rest or alone time. It requires that you take initiative in planning, relationship-building, and being a team player. It's often frustrating and your patience will likely be tested. You'll be tired, and you'll have to push through it. Because of this, it's an incredible opportunity to lean on God's power and on each other. We pray constantly, support each other as a team, and navigate challenges together. We've seen God answer prayers in incredible ways, and we've had significant experiences of the Holy Spirit working in powerful ways we don't always get to experience in our everyday lives.

## Quick Facts

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

**Dates of the trip:** July 12 – 22, 2024

**English Camp:** July 14 – 20, 2024

**Theme:** Olympics!!

**Estimated cost:** \$2,800 - Options to raise funds through support raising or pay your own way

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## 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 \$250 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 teambuilding, planning, expectation-setting, and learning more about what camp is like.
- 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.

