



Instituto Intercultural del Caribe



# DELE Exam Preparation

## THIS PROGRAM IS RIGHT FOR YOU IF:

- > You like to have an internationally recognized diploma certifying your Spanish knowledge
- > You want to be well prepared for the DELE exam
- > You want to get DELE-ready through studying in a Spanish speaking country
- > You want to combine classroom experience with everyday language practice
- > You like to immerse yourself into a new culture

**DELE (Diplomas de Español como Lengua Extranjera) is the official, internationally recognized qualification certifying students' knowledge of Spanish as a foreign language. It is issued by the Director of the Instituto Cervantes on behalf of the Spanish Ministry of Education. Every year, 30.000 candidates take the exam in over 70 countries worldwide.**

### Examination Levels

Exams are carried out on all 6 language levels of the Common European Framework of References for Languages CEFR: Beginner level DELE Nivel A1, Nivel A2, Nivel B1 (Inicial), Nivel B2 (Intermedio), Nivel C1, Nivel C2 (Superior).

The following abilities are examined on every level: reading comprehension, reading expression, oral comprehension, grammar/vocabulary and verbal expression. Exam A1 consists of 4, the other exams of 5 exam parts each.

### DELE in the DR

The DELE exams can be taken at Universidad Iberoamericana (UNIBE) and at Pontificia Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra (PUCMM), both located in Santo Domingo. There are three to five exam dates.



**Please note:** Not all exam dates nor exam levels are available at those centers! Please be aware of inscription periods!

### IIC preparation

In Santo Domingo and in Sosua we carry out Preparation Courses for exams B1, B2 and C1, on demand as well for A1 and A2 of the DELE diploma, strengthening specifically those language skills required for the exam.

The **DELE group course** covers 3 weeks of class with 90 lessons: 20 regular group lessons plus 10 private DELE lessons per week.

Classes are Monday to Friday, usually 4 lessons in the morning from 9:00 AM till 12:30PM and 2 additional DELE lessons in the afternoon from 1:30 to 3:00 PM.

DELE Exam Courses can also be booked throughout the whole year as **1-on-1 private classes only**. Preparation takes min. 2 weeks, depending on the entrance level and the exam level pursued.

Prior to inscription, IIC evaluates the language level of the participant with a written and oral placement test. Lacking Spanish knowledge can be caught up with an IIC Spanish course taken prior to the exam preparation course.



IIC Sosua school building

## PROGRAM KEY FACTS

Regular group + DELE preparation private classes	✓
OR as 1-on-1 private class only	✓
3 group starting dates	✓
1-on-1 starts any Monday	✓
Santo Domingo or Sosua	✓
Exams centers in the DR	✓
Weekly cultural & social activities with student care	✓

## Dates & Facts

### DELE-Preparation at IIC:

Group PLUS or Private Lessons

### Course Place:

IIC Sosua or IIC Santo Domingo

### Exam Levels (in general):

Nivel A1 | A2 | B1 | B2 | C1

### PLEASE RECONFIRM DATES!

### Examination Dates 2016:

**15 April 2016**

– Inscription Period: 15.02 - 16.03

### 21 May 2016

– Inscription Period: 15.02 - 13.04

### 15 July 2016

– Inscription Period: 15.02 - 08.06

### 21 October 2016

– Inscription Period: 15.02 - 14.09

### 26 November 2016

– Inscription Period: 15.02 - 19.10

### A. IIC DELE Group Course

\* 25 April to 13 May, 2016

\* 20 June to 8 July, 2016

\* 31 Oct. to 18 November, 2016

**Class:** 3 weeks with 20+10 les. (45 min/les) per week incl. placement test and study material

**Turn out:** No min. number

**Group size:** Mini-groups with average 4 participants/ max. 7 p.

### B. IIC DELE Private Lessons

**Dates:** all year round

**Class:** 20 (on demand 30) private lessons (45 min/les) per week incl. placement and study material

**Course length:** 2 or more weeks



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## OVER 20 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE



## ¡BIENVENIDOS AL IIC!



Enjoy learning Spanish.

## DELE EXAM PREPARATION

### Course Places

**IIC Santo Domingo** is situated in Zona Universitaria, right across the UASD (Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo), the largest university of the country.

**In Sosua**, the school is located in the district of El Batey, surrounded by a beautiful tropical garden just 5 minutes walking from city center and beach.

**Accommodation** in Santo Domingo, Sosua, and Cabarete can be booked as well through IIC:

\* **Students' Residence** (shared apartment or private studio)



Learning in Mini-groups

- \* **Guest family** (Sto. Dgo only)
- \* **Apartment- or Mid-range Hotel**
- \* **Private apartment**

For course rates, please see our program **price list 2016**.

For further information about IIC, its courses, and special programs, please feel free to visit our

website [www.iic-spanish.com](http://www.iic-spanish.com) as well or contact us by phone or email for a personal consultation.

You are always welcome!

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## IIC / CASA GOETHE: OVER 20 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

IIC was founded in 1994 as the Spanish Department of the German-Dominican Language and Culture Institute EDASE. Over the last 20 years it has become one of the major institutions in the Dominican Republic offering Spanish as a Second Language.

Its **sister school Casa Goethe** provides German/ English classes to the locals in the same building.

Spanish courses range from one week to several months. They are available at both IIC schools for all language levels: from beginners to advanced students (A1 to C2). Starting dates are every Monday throughout the whole year.

Besides classes, the IIC student facilitators at both schools organize **weekly cultural and social activities and excursions**.

### Accredited programs

In Germany, IIC Spanish intensive courses are recognized for **Bildungsurlaub** (educational leave for professionals) in the following German states: Hamburg, Hesse, Berlin, Brandenburg, Lower Saxony, and Rhineland-Palatinate.

Several US universities work with IIC for **academic credits and Study Abroad Programs**.

## WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY

**Amy Schlauder (28), USA**  
(IIC Sosua)

The course structure and the materials were great. I feel my course was paced appropriately. I loved the beach, the organization of IIC and the music in the DR.

Thank you so much for a great experience. I appreciate all you did to make it enjoyable for me. I hope to be back soon.

**Piotr Niewinski (44), Poland**  
(IIC Santo Domingo)

The school is like a family. The teachers are interested in the students and want to help us improve our Spanish every day. I am very satisfied with the way and methods that are used at IIC.

**Josephine Guillemine (16), France** (IIC Santo Domingo)  
The lessons were great. I learned

a lot in my classes and also outside about cultures, tolerance and multinational understanding.

**Randy Collett (19), USA**  
(IIC Sosua & Santo Domingo)

I honestly loved both schools, Sosua & Santo Domingo. The combination of cultures, nature and Spanish definitely made my stay a wonderful experience. I certainly recommend it.