

Spain - Spanish Conversation in Avila  
Estimated Budget  
Summer 2024

**Costs Billed to Student's ISU Account**

(billed in March, balance due first week of April)

	15 Students	20 students	25 students
ISU Undergraduate Tuition (2 hours based on 2022-2023 catalog year)	\$ 789.38	\$ 789.38	\$ 789.38
Study Abroad Instructional Cost*	\$ 566.28	\$ 566.28	\$ 566.28
<i>Study Abroad Non-Instructional Costs</i>	\$ -		
Universidad de Salamanca Program Fee**	\$ 851.68	\$ 841.49	\$ 835.37
Foreign Language Faculty Support	\$ 954.29	\$ 715.71	\$ 572.57
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee (billed upon acceptance)	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
Mandatory International Health Insurance	\$ 33.41	\$ 33.41	\$ 33.41
	<b>\$ 3,495.03</b>	<b>\$ 3,246.27</b>	<b>\$ 3,097.01</b>

**Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student**

Passport	\$ 165.00	\$ 165.00	\$ 165.00
Expedited Passport Fee (may be required if passport ordering is delayed)	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00
Round-Trip Airfare from O'Hare International Airport	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00
Student Visa (not needed for U.S. citizens for stays under 90 days)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<a href="#">European Travel Information and Authorisation System (ETIAS) Registration</a>	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Train from Madrid to Avila	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
	<b>\$ 1,980.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,980.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,980.00</b>

**Total Estimated Cost of Program**

**\$ 5,475.03    \$ 5,226.27    \$ 5,077.01**

\***Study Abroad Instructional Costs Include:** Universidad de Salamanca Avila campus tuition and facilities charge

\*\***Universidad de Salamanca Avila Campus Program Fee Includes:** Accommodation with host family (includes 3 meals/day and laundry service) and afternoon activities at the university

Please note that this itemized budget sheet is a per term estimate accurate at the time of publication and is subject to change. The "Estimated Independent Costs Paid by the Student" section is based on estimates and it addresses basic necessities and light to moderate personal expenses. Costs can fluctuate based on changes in currency exchange rates, tuition and fees increases, varying personal lifestyles, etc.

**Financial Aid:** Financial Aid and scholarships may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Students interested in receiving financial aid should contact Office of Financial Aid, Hovey Hall 101, (309) 438-2231  
<https://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/financialaid/>

**ISU Tuition:** All students participating in an OIE-sponsored Study Abroad Program are billed for two credit hours of tuition based on the catalog year they first enrolled at ISU. For more information on your tuition rate please visit:  
<https://studentaccounts.illinoisstate.edu/billing/undergraduate-tuition/>

**OIE Study Abroad Withdrawal Policy:** Please visit:  
<https://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/withdrawal/>

**Universidad de Salamanca Cancellation Fees:**  
Cancel up to 15 days before program start: No fees incurred  
Cancel less than 15 days before program start: €150 fee (approx. \$185)  
Cancel after classes have started: No refunds available

**Spring Program Dates:**

**Official arrival date if participating in optional Madrid weekend:**  
May 30, 2024

**Optional Madrid weekend:** May 31 - June 2, 2024

**Official arrival date if not participating in optional Madrid weekend:** June 2, 2024

**Travel to Avila:** June 2, 2024 (\$14 train, one way)

**Classes Begin:** June 3, 2024

**Classes End:** June 28, 2024

**Last night at host family:** June 29, 2024

**Departure for US:** June 30, 2024

**Estimated Costs for Optional Excursions\***

**Madrid weekend:** May 31 - June 2, 2024  
(\$40-\$55/night at youth hostel)

**Salamanca:** June 8, 2024 (\$20 train round-trip)

**Sevilla:** June 13-16, 2024 (\$45/night at youth hostel, \$150 train ticket round trip)

**Segovia:** June 22, 2024 (\$16 bus round-trip)

\*During the optional excursions, family will provide a lunch sack but other meals and/or expenses will be responsibility of the student.

Students can choose other available means of transportation. Prices may