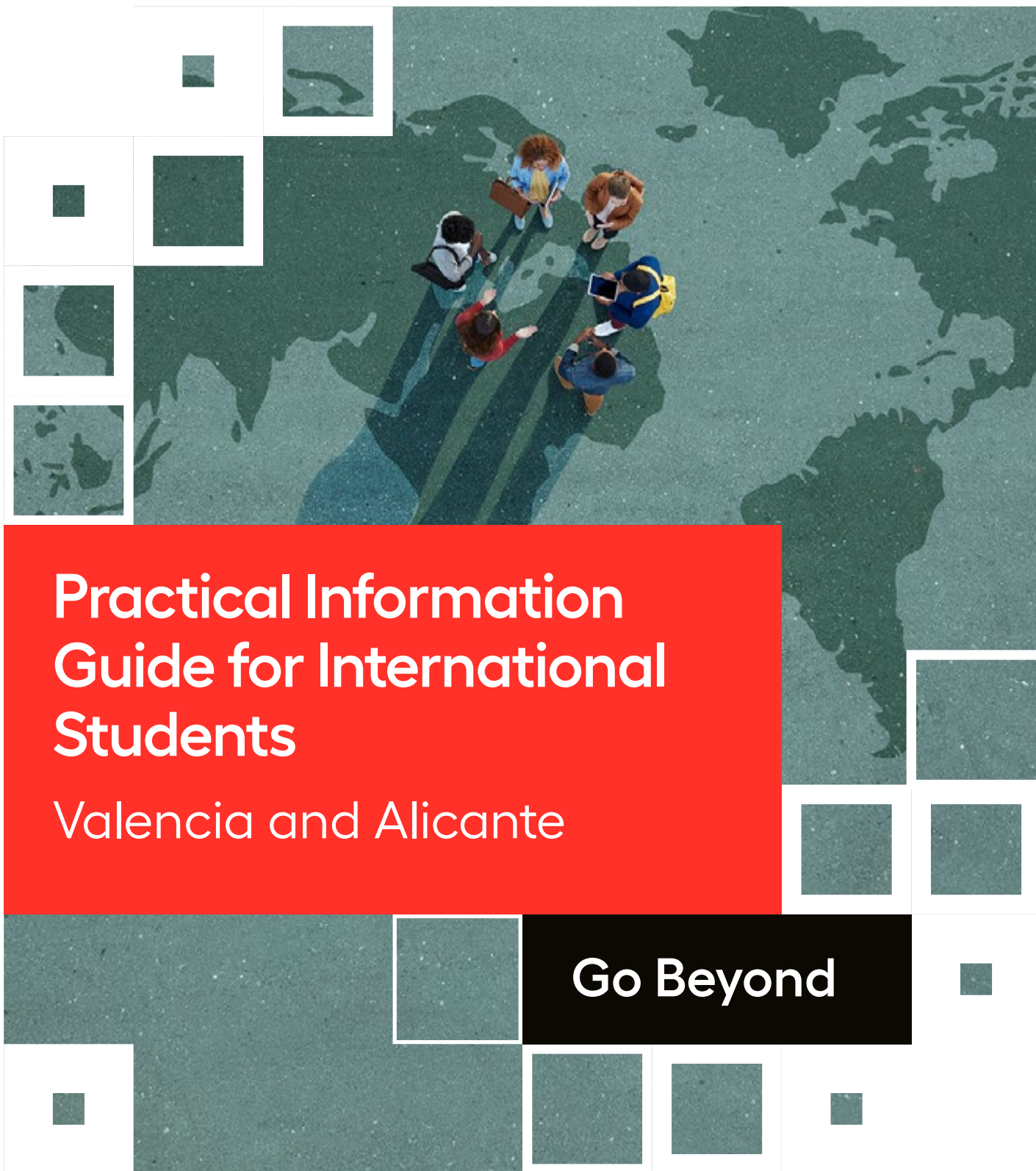




Universidad  
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# Practical Information Guide for International Students

Valencia and Alicante

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# Welcome to Universidad Europea

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It is a pleasure to welcome you  
to **Universidad Europea**.



# 01

## Welcome to Universidad Europea

It is a pleasure to welcome you to Universidad Europea. Founded in 1989, **40% of our students are international and come from more than 125 countries**, making us one of the most international universities in Spain. We have around 22,000 students and 95,000 alumni between our three campuses in Madrid, Valencia and Canarias.

**47%** of the students at **Universidad Europea de Valencia** are international, from more than 60 countries, and we have an employability rate of 90% within the first year of graduating.

We have designed this Guide to give you the practical information you need to plan your trip to Valencia and the first steps to take when you arrive.



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# Plan your stay in Valencia

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# 02

## Plan your stay in Valencia



### Health Insurance

Students coming from a member country of the European Union can apply for the **European Health Insurance Card** to access the Spanish health system. For further information and to apply, visit the [official website of the European Commission](#).

The University **recommends all international students take out private health insurance**; it is important to be covered in case of an emergency or unexpected situation.

We offer a **health insurance policy with Nueva Mutua Sanitaria**, which also allows you to **apply for and renew your student visa** to meet all the Spanish Government's requirements for this process. You can take it out at any time and **from your country of origin** via the following [link](#).



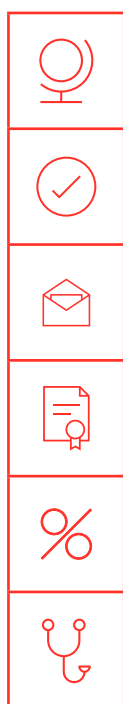
## Student visa\*



Students who need a visa must apply for one themselves at their nearest Spanish **Consulate or Embassy**.

Visit the website of the [Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Spain](#) to find out the address of the Spanish Consulate or Embassy in each country, as well as the application process and documents needed.

The following is an **indicative list** of the requirements and documents needed to obtain a visa:



**Passport:** valid for at least the period for which the stay is requested (this must be presented by the student).

**Financial evidence:** proof that you have sufficient funds (to be provided by the student).

**Admissions letter:** from the educational institution (this will be provided by Universidad Europea).

**Criminal record certificate:** to be provided by the student.

**Fee:** you must have paid the fee for processing your application.

**Health insurance:** private health insurance including repatriation costs (to be provided and paid for by the student).

If you would prefer a specialist company to manage your visa application, you can get in contact with **Homologation Student Services** for information and fees on how they can help you with the procedure by emailing [info@hostudents.com](mailto:info@hostudents.com) o en el teléfono **+34 628 237 237**.

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## Access Documentation

These are the academic documents that **you must provide for admission to the University's courses**. It is **important to start the procedures in good time**; it can take several weeks to certify and obtain apostilles for documents or have prior studies recognised.

If you do not submit these documents by the date established, your record will be closed and you will not be able to continue with your studies. For further information, click [here](#).

If you are an Undergraduate or Higher-Level Technical Degree student, you can get in contact with **Homologation Student Services** for information and fees on how they can help you with the procedure by emailing [info@hostudents.com](mailto:info@hostudents.com) o en el teléfono **+34 628 237 237**.





## Accommodation in Valencia



### Student accommodation contact details:

- [Residencia Colegio Mayor La Concepción](#): located in Avenida de Suecia 23, just a 5 minute walk from Universidad Europea de Valencia campus.
- [Residencia Collegiate Marina Real](#): located in Calle Francesc Cubells 7, just 10 minutes from Universidad Europea de Valencia campus.

Both residences offer individual studios, all exterior-facing and air-conditioned, with a private bathroom, fully-equipped kitchen, large desk, broadband and a TV.

### Websites for finding accommodation:

- [Universal Students](#).
- [Uniplaces](#).
- [Help Housing](#).
- [Hello Flat Mate](#).
- [Spot A Home](#).
- [Students.com](#).
- [Idealista](#).

We recommend that you **visit the accommodation first and do not make any payments** before signing the rental agreement.

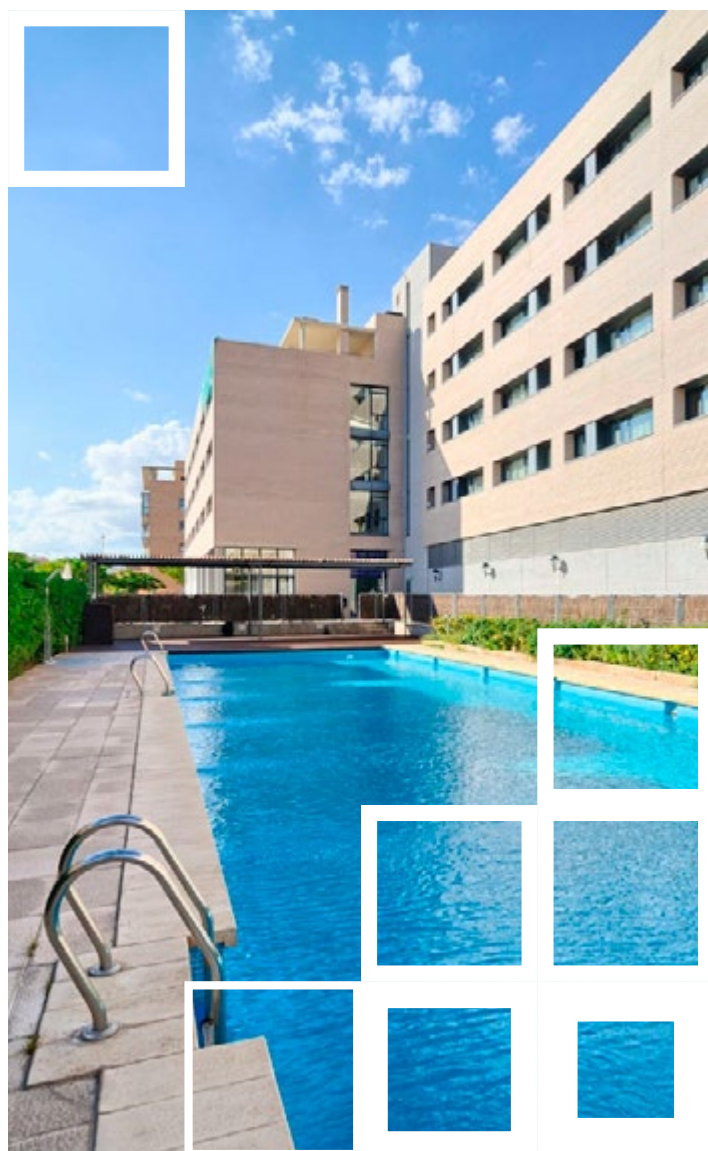




## Accommodation in Alicante

The city of Alicante and neighbouring towns offer a wide range of university accommodation, halls of residence and flats to rent for extended stays, given the great importance of university life and tourism there.

Below you will find a list with details of **university accommodation**. This information has been published by the accommodation organisations themselves.



### Oblatas en Europa

Public transport: 26 min.

By car: 15 min.

■ [Web.](#)

### Europa House University & Sport Residence

Public transport: 44 min.

By car: 16 min.

■ [Web.](#)

### Mi campus Alicante

Public transport: 46 min.

By car: 15 min.

■ [Web.](#)

### Residencia Universitaria EZME

Public transport: 40 min.

By car: 14 min.

■ [Web.](#)

### Villauniversitaria

Public transport: 45 min.

By car: 15 min.

■ [Web.](#)



## Cost of living in Valencia



**Valencia** is one of the most modern and stylish cities in Spain today, with a diverse offering of cultural and culinary activities and jobs.

The average cost of living is difficult to calculate, but we have listed some figures that may help you:

- Renting **accommodation** in Valencia can cost **between 400 and 1,000 euros** per month, depending on the area. Click [here](#) to see the different **districts** in Valencia.
- **Utilities** (water, electricity and gas) vary according to the time of year, in the summer you may use air conditioning and in the winter heating, but, roughly speaking, they could cost around **100 to 200 euros** per month.
- A **monthly shop** could cost around **250 euros** per month.
- **Mobile tariffs** can vary between **20 and 50 euros** per month, while home internet is around 50 euros per month.





## How to get to the Valencia campus

### Bus

#### Buildings A, B y C

- **Vivers Bus Stop (both directions):**
  - 70. Alboraiá bus.
  - 70. La Font Santa bus.
  - 31. Poeta Querol bus.
  - 71. La Llum bus.
  - 81. Est. del Nord bus.
  - C2. Blasco Ibáñez bus.
  - C2. Est. bus.
- **Albereda Bus Stop:**
  - 6. Torrefiel bus.
  - 11. Orriols bus.
  - 16. Vinalesa bus.
  - 26. Moncada bus.
  - 70. Alboraiá bus.
  - 94. Campanar bus.
  - 95. Tres Creus bus.

#### Building I

- **Sant Vicent Màrtir-Ànimes Bus Stop:**
  - 71. Universitats bus.
  - 72. Est del Nord bus.
  - 70. Alboraiá bus.
  - 10. Benimaclet bus.
- **Av. De l'Oest-Roger de Flor Bus Stop:**
  - 62. Benimàmet bus.
- **Av. De l'Oest-Sant Agustí Bus Stop:**
  - 73. Sant Isidre bus.
  - 27. Mercat Central bus.
  - 7. Mercat Central bus.

**Building C:** Carrer del General Elio, 2.

**Building B:** Carrer del General Elio, 8.

**Building A:** Passeig de l'Albereda, 7  
(Library and offices).

**Building:** Carrer del Músic Peydró, 26.

**Dental Clinic:** Carrer d'Alfambra, 4  
semiesquina, Carrer del Guadalaviar.





# How to get to the Valencia campus

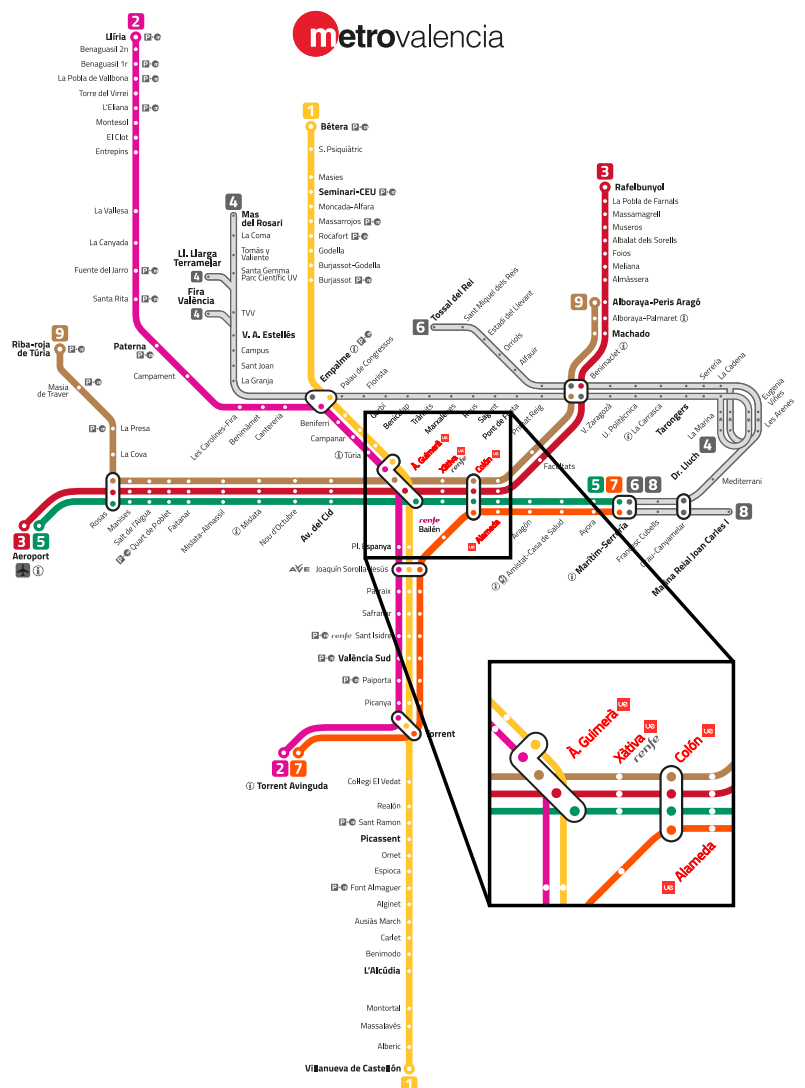
## Metro

### Buildings A, B y C

- **Alameda Stop:**
  - Line 7. Marítim.
  - Line 5. Marítim.
  - Line 3. Alborai Peris Aragó.

### Building I

- **Xàtiva Stop:**
  - Line 3. Aeroport.
  - Line 3. Rafelbunyal.
  - Line 5. Av. Del Cid.
  - Line 3. Av. Del Cid.
  - Line 9. Alborai Peris Aragó.
  - Line 3. Alborai Peris Aragó.
- **Colón Stop:**
  - Line 5. Av. Del Cid.
  - Line. Av. Del Cid.
  - Line 9. Alborai Peris Aragó.
  - Line 3. Aeroport.
  - Line 3. Rafelbunyal.
  - Line 5. Marítim.
  - Line 7. Marítim.
- **Àngel Guimerà Stop:**
  - Line 5. Aeroport.
  - Line 2. València Sud.
  - Line 2. Paterna.
  - Line 1. Bétera.
  - Line 1. Torrent.
  - Line 3. Rafelbunyal.
  - Line 3. Aeroport.
  - Line 9. Alborai Peris Aragó.



# How to get to the Alicante campus



## Getting to Alicante by plane

### Alicante Airport

The airport is located southwest of the city, 11 km from the city centre. You can get there easily from any part of the city, and it is well signposted along the A-7 and AP-7 motorways.

### Which airlines fly to and from Alicante Airport?

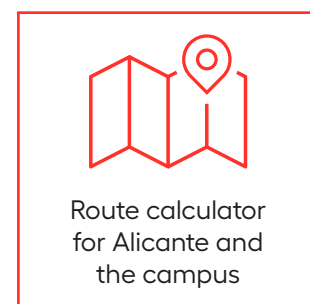
Ryanair, Vueling, Iberia, easyJet, Air Europa.

[See full list.](#)

## Bus

### Which bus stops are closest to the campus?

- **Rómulo 1:** 295 m from the campus, 4 min. walk.
- **Condomina 30:** 639 m from the campus, 9 min. walk.
- **Sergio Cardell:** 861 m from the campus, 12 min. walk.
- **Costa Blanca 1 - Iglesia:** 946 m from the campus, 13 min. walk.
- **Albufereta:** 1,844 m from the campus, 24 min. walk.



### Alicante campus

C/ Deportistas Hermanos Torres, 17  
03016 Alicante.





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# After your arrival in Valencia

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## Transport in Valencia

There are several ways to **travel around Valencia by public transport**:



**Metro:** Valencia has 9 metro lines that enable you to travel from one side of the city to the other. See the map [here](#).



**EMT de Valencia:** there are more than 60 bus routes, you can buy a single journey ticket or a ticket with 10 journeys. The personal youth pass for under 30s costs 20.50 euros.



You also have the option of using **Valenbisi** (municipal bicycle service) to travel around the city in a sustainable way.

### Alicante



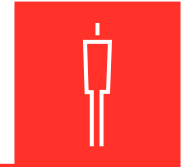
**Tram:** Alicante has a network of 6 tram lines available, allowing you to move easily from one end of the city to the other. [Here](#) you will find the route map.



**Vectalia Group:** there are more than 38 bus lines available. You can buy a single journey ticket or a 10-trip ticket. The youth bus pass for under 30s costs 20.50 euros. [Here](#) you will find details of the lines and timetables.



## Foreigner Identification Number (NIE)\*



Generally speaking, the visa issued by Spain allows you to move freely between the countries in [the Schengen area](#). The visa is not valid outside this area.

### What is the NIE?

The **NIE is the identification number for foreigners**. This number is unique and personal.



If **you are a national or resident of an EU country**, you will be given a NIE number when you **apply for registration in the Register of EU Citizens**. To obtain this certificate, book an appointment [here](#).



If you are a **national of a country outside the EU**, the NIE number will be included on your **student card**.

**The student card will replace the student visa** issued in your country of origin and provides a legal basis for your stay in Spain.

**You must apply for it within one month of entering Spain** and before your visa expires. This card will assign you a Foreigner Identification Number (NIE). **It is not recommended to leave Spain** until you have this card.

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## Foreigner Identification Number (NIE)\*



### How do I apply for it?

To apply for the NIE (registration in the Register of EU Citizens) or the Student Card, you will need to book an appointment online via:

<https://sede.administracionespublicas.gob.es/pagina/index/directorio/icpplus>

#### Online:

1. Select **the province** where you are going to study.
2. Then select , “**trámites cuerpo nacional de policía**” [national police procedures] and the procedure you wish to carry out:
  - a. “**toma de huellas**” [fingerprints] for the issuance of the student card.
  - b. or “**certificado de registro de ciudadano de la UE**” [EU citizen registration certificate] in the case of EU citizens.

The system will assign you an appointment, indicating the **place, date and time** when you will be seen.

If you would prefer a specialist company to manage your TIE/NIE application, you can get in contact with Homologation Student Services for information and fees on how they can help you with the procedure by emailing [info@hostudents.com](mailto:info@hostudents.com) or calling **+34 628 237 237**.

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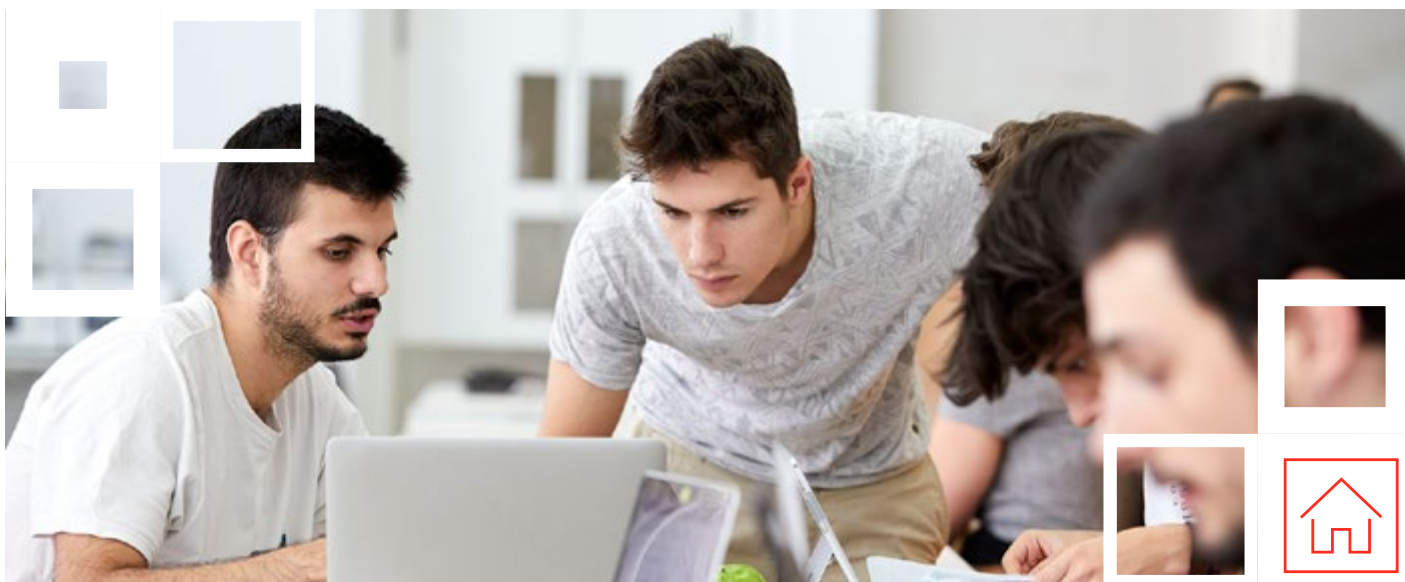
## Spanish bank account

For your day-to-day finances, we recommend opening a Spanish bank account and suggest:

- **Online bank account with N26:** in just 8 minutes you can open a bank account with the **YOU rate free for 12 months**, an exclusive offer for students of Universidad Europea.

Once you have enrolled and have access to the [student portal](#), click on the “**International IN-OUT**” section to find the link for opening a bank account with N26.

Bear in mind that banks may ask to see your Foreigner Identification Number (NIE) / Foreigner Identification Card (TIE) to open your bank account.



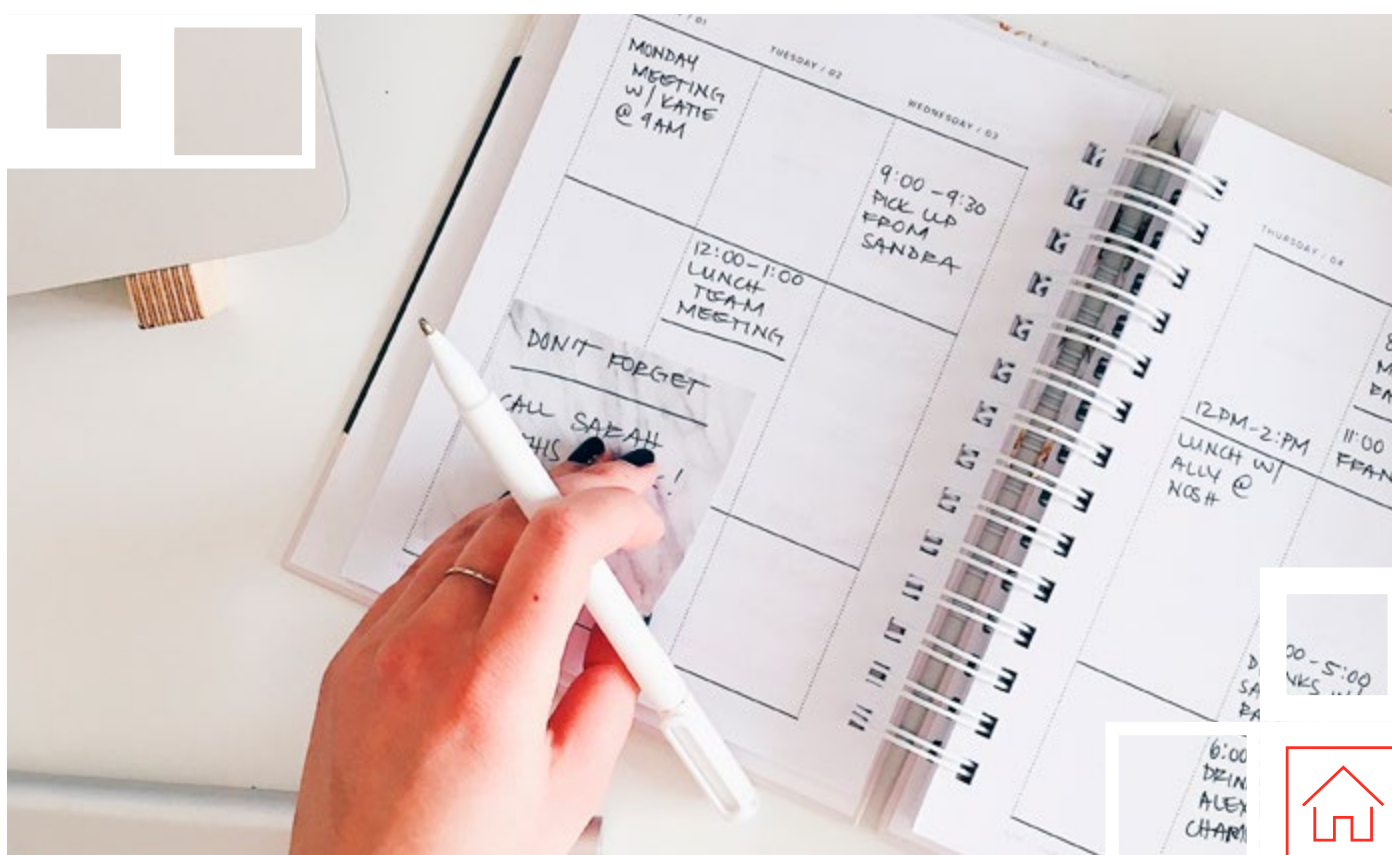
## Academic calendar and personal timetable



Click on this [link](#) to download the academic calendar and access your personal timetable.

### In general:

- The **first term** begins in September and finishes at the end of January, with a two-week holiday at **Christmas** (usually the final week of December and the first week of January).
- The **second term** begins in February and finishes in the middle of June, with a one-week holiday during **Holy Week** (the date varies every year).







## Other information of interest

### Useful websites for living in Valencia:

- [Valencia Council.](#)
  - Things to do in [Valencia.](#)
- [Alicante Council.](#)
  - Things to do in [Alicante.](#)

### Useful websites for living in Spain:

- [Tourism in Spain](#): discover all the historic cities, museums, monuments, natural parks and much more to enjoy during your free time.
- **Explore Spain by train:** [Renfe](#) is the main railway company for people and goods in Spain.
- **Travel around Spain by bus:** [Alsa](#) is the most popular bus company in Spain.

### Emergency contact numbers:

- Emergencies: 112.
- Police: 112.
- Valencia Council: 010.



## Universidad Europea de Madrid

### Campus Villaviciosa de Odón

C/ Tajo, s/n, 28670.  
Villaviciosa de Odón, Madrid

### Campus Alcobendas

Av. Fernando Alonso, 8, 28108.  
Alcobendas, Madrid.

Telephone: (+34) 91 740 72 72

Student services: (+34) 91 414 66 11

## Universidad Europea de Valencia

### Campus Valencia

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Valencia.

Telephone: (+34) 96 104 38 83

Student services: (+34) 96 104 38 80

### Campus Alicante

C/ Deportistas Hermanos Torres, 17, 03016.  
Alicante.

Telephone: (+34) 96 104 38 83

Student services: (+34) 96 104 38 80

## Universidad Europea de Canarias

### Campus de La Orotava

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La Orotava, Tenerife.

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Student services: (+34) 92 298 50 06

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