GRANADA, SPAIN  Service Learning Abroad

See a different side of Spain... Build valuable professional skills and positively impact the community of Granada, Spain on this exceptional study abroad program. Students will study at Centro Granadi de Español (CEGRI), participate in a personalized service learning project, reside with a host family, and travel on program-led excursions.

WHAT IS SERVICE LEARNING?
Service learning is a unique opportunity for students to immerse themselves in the local community while gaining volunteer experience that will enhance their career goals, Spanish-speaking skills, and professional network. Interested students will meet with their program coordinator at the beginning of the semester to match their interests and major of study to their own distinct project.

ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL FIELDS
- Community Health
- Education
- Global Studies
- Humanitarian Affairs
- Law
- Psychology
- Spanish Language
- Speech & Hearing Sciences
- Tourism, Sports & Recreation
- Veterinary Medicine

“ I was able to observe a speech pathologist as she worked with several different children with language and communication disorders. It was great to not only learn more about my field, but to become more comfortable in it while speaking Spanish.

Morgan Casey
Speech and Hearing Science
While in Spain, I completed my service learning at La Parroquia de Jesus Obrero, where I taught English to Spanish children aged 3–6 years old. I learned things about myself and the world around me from the children I taught every day. This experience strengthened my desire to be a teacher and to work with bilingual children.

Grace Miles
Education Major

At La Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de Montserrat, I helped teach a catechism class to second graders. I learned several Spanish speech therapy phrases as well as speech therapy games and activities that I would love to incorporate into sessions of my own someday.

Paige Lightner
Speech Pathology Major

I volunteered at the local soup kitchen bi-weekly while in Granada. This experience gave me a different perspective into the effects of the economic turmoil of Spain. I saw entire families showing up and many people my age who were unemployed and could not support themselves.

Sean Tully
Education Major

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