

### 2010 Course prices

One time Enrolment fee \$50

<b>A Main Group Course, 20 lessons per week</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Main Group Course, 1 to 12 weeks	\$242	\$320
Main Group Course, 13 weeks plus	\$220	\$300
<b>B Intensive Group Course, 30 lessons per week</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Intensive Group Course, 1 to 12 weeks	\$330	N/A
Intensive Group Course, 13 weeks plus	\$300	N/A
<b>C Combination Course, 20 or 30 group lessons + 5 private</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price of course A or B per week plus	\$120	\$120
<b>D Combination Course, 20 or 30 group lessons + 10 private</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price of course A or B per week plus	\$240	\$240
<b>E One to one lessons, 10, 20 or 30 per week</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price of each private lesson	\$24	\$24
<b>F DELE Exam Preparation Course, 30 lessons per week</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price for a 4 week DELE course	\$1,320	N/A
Price for an 8 week DELE course	\$2,475	N/A
<b>G Interactive Course Pura Vida, 2 week course</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
10 lessons & 7 activities per week	\$825	N/A
<b>H Parent &amp; Child Course, 2 week course</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
10 lessons & 7 activities per week	\$825	N/A
<b>I Internship Program/Work Experience 8-24 weeks</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Non refundable registration fee	\$100	N/A
Program placement supervision fee	\$320	N/A
<b>J Volunteering Prog./Community Service Work 2-24 weeks</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Program placement fee	\$150	N/A
<b>K Spanish Teacher's Course, 20 lessons per week</b> <b>NEW!</b>		
	Coronado	Jacó
Spanish grammar & 10 hr/wk activities	\$800	N/A
Price for 2 weeks	\$800	N/A
<b>L Coronado-Jacó Special, 2 weeks at each school</b> <b>NEW!</b>		
	Coronado & Jacó	
2 week Main Group Course at each site	\$1000	
<b>M Pre-Columbian Pottery Course</b> <b>NEW!</b>		
	Coronado	
3 week pottery course, 1 weekly session Or single session (1 hr 40 min. long)	\$150 \$50	

### 2010 Accommodations prices

<b>Category I – On Campus Student Eco-Residence</b> <b>NEW!</b>		
Single or double rooms, shared bathrooms & kitchen, Cable TV, WI-FI, laundry machines, weekly linen & room cleaning services, tropical garden, linen is included but student must bring towels.		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price for a Single room per week	\$130	N/A
Price for a Double room per week	\$100	N/A
Extra night in single or double room \$22 p.p.		
<b>Category II – Host family</b>		
Single or double rooms, shared bathrooms, half board (breakfast & dinner), weekly laundry, linen & room cleaning services, laundry machines, linen is included but student must bring towels.		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price for a Single room per week	\$140	\$140
Price for a Double room per week	\$125	N/A
Extra night in single or double room \$25 p.p.		
W/Private bathroom – add \$50 per week for single room		
W/Private bathroom – add \$25 pp per week for double room		
Extra night in single or double w/ private bathroom \$30 p.p.		
<b>Category III – Shared Flat</b>		
Furnished apartments with own facilities, Single or double rooms, shared bathrooms & kitchenette, Cable TV, laundry machines, weekly linen & room cleaning services, linen is included but student must bring towels.		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price for a Single room per week	\$175	\$185
Price for a Double room per week	\$140	\$140
Extra night in single or double room \$30 p.p.		
<b>Category IV – Hotels – Playa Jacó Only</b>		
Academia Tica recommends certain hotels in the Jacó area but booking conditions are defined by the hotel. Price listed is just an indicator of the general fee range used by a hotel in that category. Amenities may vary. Hotel details provided upon request.		
<b>Economy</b> - \$40 to \$80: small clean hotel, choice a/c or fan		
<b>Standard</b> - \$80 to \$120: medium size hotel, pool, a/c		
<b>Superior</b> - \$125 and more: a/c, pool, restaurant on the premises or nearby, private parking lot, 24 hr security.		
<b>Airport Transfer – school organized transportation</b>		
One way door-to-door private service.		
	Coronado	Jacó
Price of a door-to-door transfer pp	\$35	\$100
<b>Jacó only available for flights arriving from 7am to 7pm</b>		

**Course prices include:** Course as booked, book and materials, placement exam, certificate of attendance, orientation kit and orientation tour in Coronado or Jacó. Also includes participation in the Free Time Activity Program, use of library resources, use of free Internet lab and WI-FI and free tourism advice. (1 lesson = 50 minutes, 2-6 students per group).

Course Starting Dates	Key Persons
<p><b>Courses start every Monday</b> from Jan 04 to Dec 13.</p> <p><b>DELE</b> exams are in May, August and November.</p> <p><b>Holidays:</b> April 1,2; Ago 2, Sep 15; Oct 12; and school. closed from Dec 20 to Dec 31.</p> <p><b>Beginners can start</b> on Jan 4, 18; Feb 1, 15; Mar 1, 15; Apr 5, 19; May 3, 17; Jun 7, 21; Jul 5, 19; Aug 2, 16; Sep 6, 20; Oct 4, 18; Nov 1, 15; Dec 6.</p>	<p><b>Ana Mercedes Rodríguez, Director</b> toyopan@racsa.co.cr</p> <p><b>Joachim Pitsch, Public Relations:</b> joachim.pitsch@dialog.de</p> <p><b>Rodolfo Madrigal, Marketing:</b> actica@racsa.co.cr</p> <p><b>Alexander López, Dir Studies:</b> alopez@academiatica.com</p> <p><b>Elza Quirós Rojas, Bookings:</b> infoat@racsa.co.cr</p>

## Terms of conditions and bank details

- 1. Minimum Age:** Minimum Age is 16 for individual students (the average in 2009 is 22). For students who come to school as part of a group the minimum age is 14.
- There is a \$50 **administrative fee** for changing any booking conditions, for example a change in accommodation type (e.g. from family to apartment).
- 3. Converting group to private lessons.** The following conversion ratio will be used when ever it is required to convert group lessons into private:
  - 20 group lessons become 12 private lessons
  - 30 group lessons become 18 private lessons.
- 4. All enquiries and bookings are handled by our central booking office in Coronado.**
- 5. Refund policy.** All cancellations must be sent to school in writing, fax or e-mail. 100% refund to invoices with cancellations received 30 days or more before the course starting date. 50% refund to all invoices with cancellations received less than 30 days and up to 1 week before the course starting date. 25% refund to cancellations that arrive 1 week or less before the course starting date.  
**There are no refunds for cancellations after the course starting date.**  
 In all cases bank charges will be deducted.
- 6. Late arrival and early departure.** Students who arrive after the course starts or leave the school, the Volunteering or Internship program and/or the accommodation before the official end date will not be refunded for any unused portion.
- 7. Hotel bookings.** Hotel bookings are bound by hotel norms and the student must resolve all situations with the hotel. The school is not involved in managing cancellations, early withdrawals or any other breach of contract. Group cancellations of any kind, where specific terms are agreed and conditions are defined by a written contract must check cancellation conditions with the school management.
- The internship fee has a **non-refundable portion** of \$120. There will not be any refunds in the Internship or Volunteering program after the program has started.
- Changes from **Social Volunteering into National Park Volunteering** or Internship into Internship at a National Park are possible – but the student is responsible for the National Park accommodation fees.
- 10. In-coming door-to-door transfers** to Academia Tica Coronado has a cost of \$35 and to Academia Tica Playa Jacó a cost of \$100. Provided that flight details are communicated by e-mail or fax to the school at least one week prior to the arrival. A taxi to the accommodation must be taken at the students expense if the flight is more than 1.5 hours late. Academia Tica transfer drivers will not wait more than 1.5 hours at the airport. If a taxi transfer is arranged by student on his/her own please use a Costa Rican style addresses. Because of the way directions are given in Costa Rica, the student must give the taxi driver the accommodation's address as sent.
- 11. Certificate of attendance:** All students are expected to attend classes regularly. At the end of the course they are entitled to the "Academia Tica Certificate" which shows course type, lessons per week, duration, level attained as well as progress made.
- 12. Payments:** All invoices are due on the course starting date. Bank charges must be paid by the sender.  
**Our bank details are:**  
**Diálogo - Academia Tica S.A.**  
**Banco Nacional de Costa Rica**  
**Agencia de Coronado, San José, Costa Rica**  
**Swift Code BN CR CR SJ**  
**Account No.: 200-02-053-001721-0**
- 13. Holiday Policy:** Lost group classes because of public holidays will not be refunded or recovered, a low cost tour will be organized instead (except for Good Friday). However, lost private classes due to official holidays will be made up on other working days.