

## Terms and Conditions for Inmersión: Discovering Colombia through Language & Culture

### 1. Introduction

By registering for the Inmersión: Discovering Colombia through Language & Culture trip (the "Trip"), participants agree to the following terms and conditions. These terms govern the relationship between the participant and Lenguas Club, the company organizing the Trip.

### 2. Payment and Registration

- **Deposit:** A non-refundable deposit of \$350 is required to secure your spot on the Trip. This deposit will be applied toward the total cost of the Trip.
- **Payment Deadlines:**
  - Final payment is due in full by **July 5**.
  - Payments received after the due date will incur a **late fee of \$30**. There is a **5-day grace period** for late payments. After this grace period, if payment is still not received, the participant's registration will be canceled, and their spot may be offered to other travelers. No refunds will be provided.
- **Payment Plans:** Flexible payment plans are available and will be outlined upon registration.

### 3. Pricing

- **Teacher Package:** \$4,195
  - Includes 2 graduate credits (option to upgrade to 4 credits for an additional \$250)
  - All excursions, workshops, hotels, flights, insurance, and **all breakfasts** (lunches and dinners vary by destination)
- **Cultural Traveler Package:** \$4,195
  - Includes all excursions and daily activities, including **all breakfasts** (lunches and dinners vary by destination)
  - Hotels, flights, insurance, and some meals

- **Upgrade Option for Teachers:**

Participants in the Teacher Package can upgrade to earn **4 graduate credits** for an additional \$250. This includes participation in hybrid projects and extra PD sessions.

- **Discounts:**

- **Early Bird Discount:** Participants who register by **May 20** will receive a \$250 discount.
- **Referral Program:** Participants who refer travelers who book the trip will receive **\$100 back per referral** in their final payment.

#### 4. Refund Policy

- **Cancellations by Participant:**

- If a participant cancels before **June 5**, the deposit will be retained. After this date, no refund will be provided.

- **Cancellations by Lenguas Club:**

In the unlikely event that Lenguas Club must cancel the Trip, participants will receive a **full refund** or an **alternative experience** based on their preference.

#### 5. Code of Conduct and Participation Expectations

- **Adherence to Scheduled Activities:**

Participants are expected to follow the planned itinerary and engage in all scheduled group activities. Any deviation from the schedule or failure to participate in the planned activities may disrupt the group dynamic and may lead to removal from the Trip.

- **Respect for Local Culture and Laws:**

Participants must respect the laws, regulations, and cultural practices of Colombia. Non-compliance with these laws or any disruptive behavior will result in immediate removal from the Trip at the participant's own expense.

- **Removal from the Program:**

Participants whose actions disrupt the group, create safety risks, or violate the expectations of the trip will be removed from the program. No refunds will be provided in such cases, and participants will be responsible for their own travel

arrangements. This includes failure to comply with group rules and engaging in behaviors that place the group or individual participants at risk.

## 6. Travel Insurance

- **Travel Insurance:**

Lenguas Club provides basic travel insurance coverage, which includes medical emergency coverage, trip cancellations, and interruptions.

- **Additional Insurance:**

Participants are encouraged to purchase additional insurance if desired, such as coverage for lost baggage, additional medical coverage, or trip interruption. Lenguas Club is not responsible for providing additional insurance beyond the basic coverage.

## 7. Health and Safety

- **Health Requirements:**

Participants must notify Lenguas Club of any medical conditions, allergies, or dietary restrictions in advance. Participants are responsible for ensuring they are fit for travel and are encouraged to consult their healthcare provider before joining the Trip.

- **Safety:**

The safety of participants is a priority. All participants are required to follow safety instructions from Lenguas Club staff, local guides, and other personnel. Failure to do so may result in removal from the program.

## 8. Liability

- **Limitation of Liability:**

Lenguas Club is not liable for any personal injury, illness, loss, or damage to property during the Trip. Participants agree to release Lenguas Club from any claims or liability arising from their participation in the Trip.

## 9. Photo and Media Release

- **Consent to Media:**

By participating in the Trip, participants consent to being photographed or filmed during the program. These images and videos may be used for promotional

purposes by Lenguas Club, including on the website, social media, and other marketing materials.

## **10. Miscellaneous**

- **Force Majeure:**

Lenguas Club is not responsible for any delays, cancellations, or changes to the Trip caused by unforeseen circumstances or events beyond its control (e.g., natural disasters, strikes, political unrest).

- **Amendments to Terms:**

Lenguas Club reserves the right to amend these Terms and Conditions at any time. Participants will be notified of any material changes.

## **11. Agreement**

By registering for the Trip, participants acknowledge and agree to the Terms and Conditions outlined above. This agreement is binding upon payment of the deposit and subsequent payments.