

MALTA

LIVING ON THE SUNNY ISLAND OF MALTA

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YEARS

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LANGUAGES PLUS

# WELCOME TO HOPES & DREAMS!



## Welcome to Malta!

Malta, officially recognised as the Republic of Malta, is a captivating archipelago nestled in the central Mediterranean Sea. Formerly under British rule, Malta boasts a unique blend of cultural influences that make it an enticing destination for those seeking to improve their English language skills. With its picturesque natural landscapes and a rich historical heritage, Malta offers a comprehensive experience for language learners. Despite its modest size, spanning just 316km<sup>2</sup>, Malta is a treasure trove of captivating historical narratives and Insta-worthy landscapes. Think stunning beaches, warm sunshine, and a vibe that's all about blending fun with learning. Whether exploring its historic sites or soaking in the Mediterranean sun, Malta provides an ideal environment for personal and linguistic growth.

## The Best of Malta

Malta, though small, offers rich history and stunning landscapes for diverse experiences and an abundance of activities.

Explore ancient sites or enjoy breath-taking scenery. Whether you're drawn to the fascinating history or the picturesque landscapes, Malta promises an enriching and unforgettable journey filled with exploration and discovery.

These are some of the top places to visit in Malta ►

## Delightful Maltese Climate

Escape the cold and grey of other European destinations like Ireland and the UK and head to Malta! Even in winter, temperatures rarely drop below 13°C, while the countryside starts to come alive; it's the perfect time for hiking or exploring the island! What is the weather like in Malta during the summer? Get ready for warm and sizzling days perfect for spending time by the pool or beach. With over 300 days of sunshine throughout the year, Malta truly lives up to its nickname as the 'Sunny Island'. Rainy days are a rarity, and even in winter, you'll find plenty of sunny moments to enjoy. So, whether you're seeking refuge from the cold or basking in the warmth of the Mediterranean sun, Malta is your perfect getaway destination.

Valletta  
St John's Co-cathedral  
Mdina  
St Julian's, Sliema  
Blue Lagoon  
Blue Grotto  
Dingli Cliffs  
Mosta Dome  
Popeye Village  
Ghajn Tuffieha Bay

Golden Bay, Paradise Bay  
St Peter's Pool  
Tarxien Temples  
Blue Hole & Inland Sea  
Xlendi Bay  
Marsaxlokk  
Ramla Bay & Tal-Mixta Cave  
Cittadella (Gozo)  
Wied Il-Ghasri  
Ta' Pinu Church

# WHY CHOOSE MALTA?

**Affordable cost of living:** Despite using the Euro as its currency, Malta boasts a significantly lower cost of living compared to other parts of Europe. Exchange bureaux here are also widely accessible.

**Strategic location:** Situated between Europe and Africa, Malta serves as a convenient hub for accessible and affordable travel to the most captivating cities across the continent.

**Climate:** With more than 300 days of sunshine each year, Malta enjoys a pleasant warm climate that perfectly complements its laid-back beach lifestyle.

**Vibrant nightlife:** If you are looking for a vibrant nightlife, Malta has something for everyone. From nightclubs and pool parties to lively bars and live music, there's no shortage of entertainment options.

**Cultural wealth:** From its Roman Empire roots to influences from various other civilisations, Malta is steeped in history and offers a treasure trove of exploration. Many sites, including all of Valletta, are recognised as UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

**Work & Study:** International students can work up to 20 hours a week with a student visa, making Malta an attractive option for longer stays and offering valuable opportunities for both learning and professional growth.



## Your Accommodation in Malta

When it comes to finding accommodation in Malta, typical options include:

- Homestay or student accommodation organised by the school
- Renting an apartment or your own house

## Cost of Living in Malta

Wondering about the cost of living in Malta? Well, the good news is that Malta is a relatively inexpensive European country and lower than the cost of living here is lower than EU average. The significant difference primarily lies in housing and utility costs, which are substantially lower in Malta when considering the quality of housing. Expenses for groceries and eating out depend on the region, with touristic areas often charging higher prices than local towns. Public bus transport is free for local residents whilst taxis are also an afforda-

ble option, making exploring the island easy and budget friendly. It's crucial to evaluate your budget and intentions to find the best option that aligns with your individual expectations and makes your stay experience enriching.

ble option, making exploring the island easy and budget friendly. It's essential to note that Malta's minimum wage is lower than in other European countries such as Ireland and the United Kingdom. Currently, the minimum wage in Malta stands at around €925 gross monthly, though it's uncommon for job opportunities to offer this amount. Starting salaries generally range from €1000 to €1300, with the possibility of earning considerably higher amounts depending on the position.

# OUR WORK & STUDY PROGRAMMES IN MALTA.

## Your journey starts here

Welcome to our dynamic **Work & Study** programme, where exciting opportunities for personal growth and career advancement await you! Unleash your full potential while immersing yourself in the vibrant culture of Malta. Turning your aspirations into reality and becoming part of the SPRACHCAFFE family is closer than you think – just a few clicks away, literally! And to express our excitement about having you join us, don't miss out on our exclusive promotion for people interested in the Work & Study in Malta programme. Our programme is tailored for participants aged 18 and above. Since 1983, SPRACHCAFFE Languages Plus has been committed to empowering students like you. We believe that true language proficiency is

achieved through direct application and immersion in real-life situations. Our Work & Study programme not only opens doors to new horizons but also serves as your partner on this extraordinary journey of growth. With your student visa, you'll have the freedom to explore Europe freely, thanks to the Schengen Agreement.

Discover the unique charm of each destination and enjoy the convenience of having all of Europe at your fingertips! From 1st March 2024, students will be able to apply for a part-time employment license (20 hours / week) as soon as they enter Malta and have found an employer, who is willing to proceed with the work permit application for them.

### Work & Study at Malta

What kind of visa do I need to work?	Long-stay visa (D-Visa)
Can I work attending short-term courses (less than 90 days)?	no
Is it possible to renew my student visa after I finish my course?	yes
What levels are available?	From A1 to C2
When can I start my course after the payment has been completed?	within 1 year
How many hours per week am I allowed to work?	20 hours
Course requirements	Minimum weekly 15 hours (20 lessons: Standard Course)
<b>12-week Standard Course in €</b>	<del>1.910</del> <b>1.750*</b>
<b>24-week Standard Course in €</b>	<del>3.710</del> <b>2.990*</b>
Letter of Acceptance	€ 50
Enrolment Fee	€ 60
VFS fee (if applicable)	€ 100 / 150
Accommodation options	Details at page3

\*Special conditions apply to these discounted prices: non-refundable deposit of €150, with the Letter of Acceptance (LoA) issued upon settlement of the final invoice, no later than 4 weeks before departure. Cancellation: standard conditions apply (plus the deposit) before the issuance of the LoA, no refunds available afterward.

### Consult our Experts

1.

Connect with us or one of our agents who will understand your needs to recommend the ideal destination and course.

### Choose your Destination

2.

Opt for either Malta or Málaga and enrol in your course – we'll help you with the travel arrangement, visa, course, and payment.

### Apply for your Student Visa

3.

Our agents will provide you with all the details for your visa application and guide you through the process. Check our quick guide here: ▶

### Malta Quick Guide to Student Visa Application

Sprachcaffe Letter of Acceptance (LoA)

National visa application form

Copy of valid passport

Proof of financial means to cover your stay

Proof of course payment

Proof of accommodation for the first 14 nights

Travel insurance with a min. coverage of €30.000

Bank statements for the last 3 months with dates, balances, and full name

Return ticket to your residency country

Print out of the conversion rate from your currency to Euro on the date you visit the CVU.

Further costs may apply for student visa / work permit

# VISA INFORMATION MALTA.



## Visa Countries (e.g. Thailand, Libya, Turkey, China etc.) – Visa needed from 1<sup>st</sup> day of entry

Stay **up to 90 days** (12 weeks)

Students can stay for less than 90 days and follow the current visa application procedure outlined by their country. Students will only be allowed to extend their visas in Malta as long as they originally enter the Schengen area with a study visa.

Stay **more than 90 days** (13 weeks)

A long-term study visa is required for stays of 90+ days. Students have to apply for a long-term visa using the new Extended Visa Service provided by VFS. This process will be conducted online by the school and costs €150 per application plus a local administration fee will have to be paid to VFS in the student's country.

## Visa Exempt Countries (e.g. Japan, Brazil, Korea, Colombia etc.) – 90 day visa free, visa needed from 91<sup>st</sup> day

Stay **up to 90 days** (12 weeks)

Students can enter Malta using their 90 day visa free entry. If students decide to extend their course and apply for a visa extension after entering the Schengen area for their first 90 days, the student will need to prove that their original reason for entry was to study for less than 90 days. This will be proved with attendance records showing 75% or above.

Stay **more than 90 days** (13 weeks)

Students can use the extended visa service process from 1st of March 2024, although this is currently not obligatory. This might change from 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024 – it is currently in the planning that the extended visa service will then become obligatory as well.

**Arrival at Destination**

**4.**

With details in place and your visa confirmed, book your flight ticket and reach your destination. Our local staff is there to support you.

**Secure your Job Opportunity**

**5.**

Start working while improving your language skills. We'll support you in your job research if you haven't found one already.

**Extend your Stay**

**6.**

Either choose to book another 12 weeks of courses and extend your student visa or decide to convert into a work permit.

Discover the wonders of Europe and enjoy your Work & Study experience!



# DISCOVER OUR SCHOOL.

## Study at the most unique school in Malta!

When it comes to Malta, there's no doubt that studying at SPRACHCAFFE is the dream of many students. There are two big reasons for this. Firstly, SPRACHCAFFE has built a reputation for trustworthiness in international education over 40 years. Secondly, our campus offers a one-of-a-kind environment for learning and leisure all in one place, which we proudly call the SPRACHCAFFE CLUB VILLAGE. With a fantastic outdoor pool, accommodation, sports, dining, and learning facilities, we're excited to welcome you here. Get ready for an unforgettable stay!

## Explore the beautiful island of Malta!

With year-round sunshine and an abundance of leisure activities, SPRACHCAFFE Malta guarantees not only learning success but also countless memories. Learn and live in a place filled with new international friends and benefit from our extensive experience in teaching students of all language levels. Learning has never been so relaxed and effective at the same time. And let's not forget about the comfort and cosy atmosphere found both here and throughout Malta. Our team at SPRACHCAFFE is ready to serve you, aiming to make your stay enjoyable and unforgettable.

### SPRACHCAFFE CLUB VILLAGE



- 5 min. to the **Coastline**
- 10 min. to **St. Julian's, Beach**
- 15 min. to **Sliema, St. Paul's Bay**
- 30 min. to **Valletta**



# MAKE YOUR DREAM COME TRUE, ENROL NOW !



12 weeks  
now starting from only:

**€1750**

## Benefit from our Special Price Reduction!

### What the Special Package includes:

- 12 or 24 weeks course (depending on your choice)
- Studying at the most unique school in Malta
- Plan your future with a company that has more than 40 years of experience
- Access to our own campus including use of swimming pool and other facilities
- Support with the visa application
- Support with job search and visa application locally.

### What it costs:

- 12 weeks: from ~~€2640~~ **NOW ONLY €1750**
- 24 weeks: from ~~€5280~~ **NOW ONLY €2990**

### Additional costs:

- Letter of acceptance: €50
  - Enrollment fee: €60
  - VFS visa fee: €100 / 150 (if applicable)
  - Accommodation: Optional
- Contact us to know more!



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