

Schedule

Cuba: History, Politics and Culture

Schedule

Saturday

- Arrive in Havana
- Lunch
- Welcome by home-stay families
- Initial orientation
- Dinner at home-stays
- Visit to Malecón and downtown Havana

Thursday

- 9:00 - Orientation - health, safety, program
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Recorrido por la Habana Vieja
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays
- 7:00 - Visit to Malecón

Friday

- 8:00 - Spanish placement exams
- 9:45 - Hist: Colonia y Republica
- 11:30 - Reflexion
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Exploring Havana in small groups orientation to public transportation
- 6:00 - Dinner at Paladar

Saturday

- 9-4 - Visit to Santa Maria Beach
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays

Sunday

- Breakfast and Lunch at home-stays
- 6:00 - Dinner at Professor's house

Monday

- 8:00 - Spanish classes
- 9:45 - Hist: Revolution
- 11:30 - Reflexion
- 12:30 - Lunch

- 1:30 - Visit to the Museum of the Revolution
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays

Tuesday

- 8:00 - Spanish classes
- 9:45 - Cuban education system.
- 11:30 - Reflexion
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Primary School visit
- 6:00 - Dinner at Paladar
- 8:00 - Free time in downtown Havana

Wednesday

- 8:00 - Spanish classes
- 9:45 - Cuban Welfare System
- 11:30 - Visit to School for the blind and visually impaired children
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Visit to School for children with autism
- 3:00 - Reflexion
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays

Thursday

- 8:00 - Spanish classes
- 9:45 - Us- Cuba Relations, impact of the embargo
- 11:30 - Reflexion
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Visit to a family doctor
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays
- 7:00 - Cuba Cinema "Conducta"

Friday

- 8:00 - Spanish classes
- 9:45 - ECON: Economy Before the Revolution
- 11:30 - Prepare for Viñales
- 12:30 - Lunch
- 1:30 - Meet with Paolo Freire Casa Comunitaria
- 6:00 - Dinner at home-stays
- 7:00 - Reflexion

Saturday

- 8:00 - Depart for Viñales
- 11:30 - Settle in Casas Particulates

12:30 - Lunch
2:00 - Visit campesino tobacco farm, including environmental projects and land reclamation
6:00 - Dinner
8:00 - Noche Campesina, including music, poetry, and fiesta

Sunday

9:00 - Finca Wilfredo, tour of one of the largest agricultural projects in Cuba
12:00 - Lunch at Finca Wilfredo
4:00 - Visit a DTR in Viñales
5:00 - Meet community art project in Viñales
7:00 - Dinner

Monday

8:00 - Depart to Las Terrazas
10:00 - Activities in Las Terrazas
12:30 - Lunch
4:00 - Return to Havana
6:00 - Dinner

Tuesday

8:00 - Spanish classes
9:45 - Cuban Politics, govt structure, democracy
11:30 - Reflexion
12:30 - Lunch
1:30 - Free afternoon
6:00 - Dinner/ goodbye party from host families

Wednesday

8:00 - Depart