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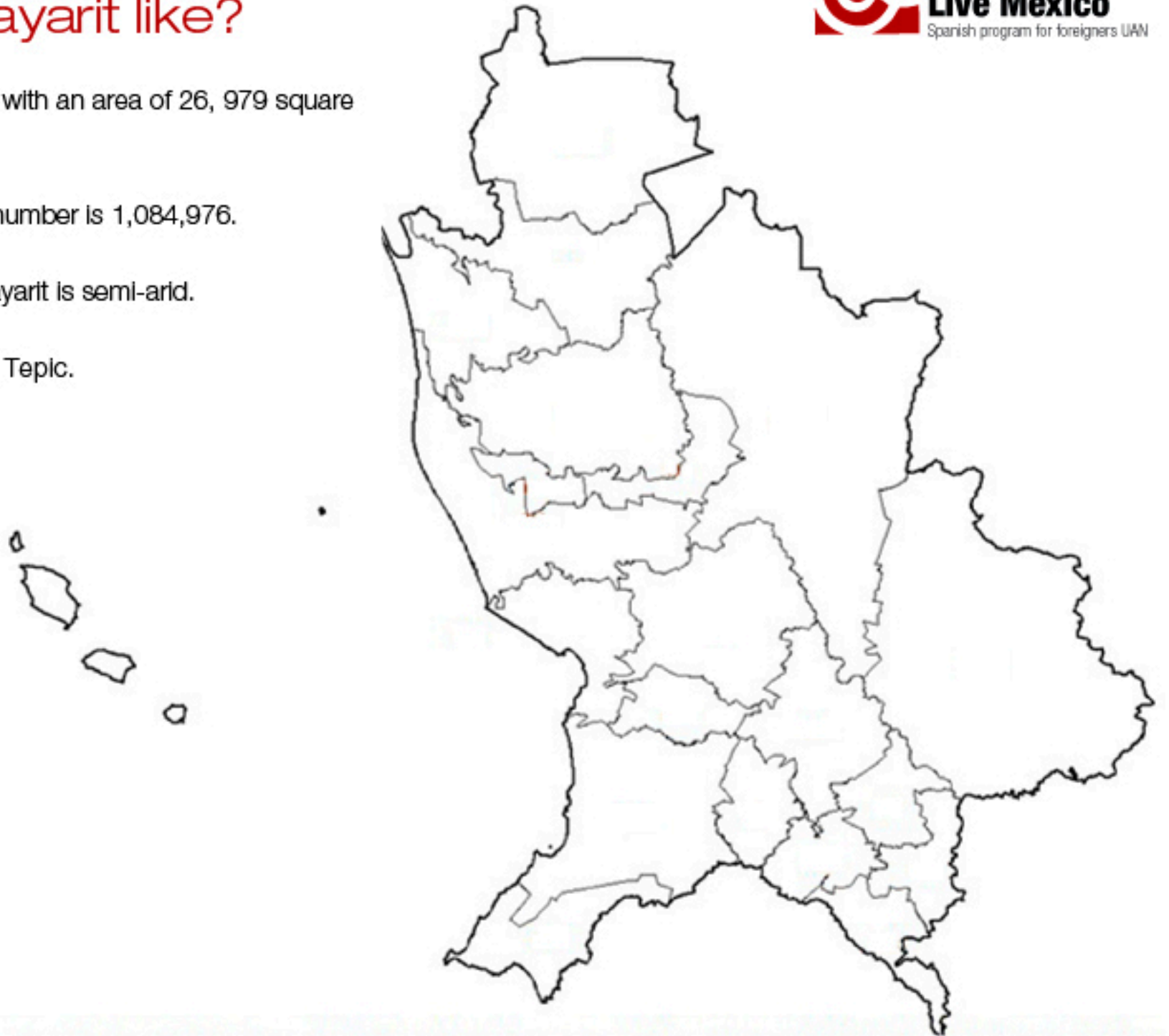


Where is Nayarit?

Nayarit is in the northwest of the Mexican territory, the adjacent states in the north are: Sonora, Durango and Zacatecas to the south with the state of Jalisco and to the west with the Pacific Ocean.

How is Nayarit like?

- Nayarit is a State with an area of 26, 979 square kilometers.
- The inhabitant's number is 1,084,976.
- The climate of Nayarit is semi-arid.
- The capital city is Tepic.





Why is it interesting to live and study spanish in Tepic?

To live and study in Tepic Nayarit is one of the best options for foreigners because:

- It is cheaper than other cities of the Mexican Republic.
- It is a small city with sufficient security.
- It is located two hours away from Guadalajara Jalisco, one of the largest and most modern cities in Mexico.
- In an hour you can reach the most beautiful beaches of Nayarit: San Blas, Sayulita, Chacala, Rincón de Guayabitos, San Pancho, etc.

What does spanish for foreigners of the UAN program offers me?

- Intensive courses of 6 weeks.
- 4 days per week from Monday to Thursday.
- 4 hours per day.
- Schedule from 9: 00 a.m.-1: 00 pm.
- Mexican culture, art and film workshops (focused on the Spanish).
- Trips and visits in Nayarit without additional cost:
- Cultural trip (Museum, Downtown etc.).
- Visit to a company in Nayarit.
- Short trip (beach, lake or any touristic site)

The program also includes:

- Welcoming at the airport in Guadalajara or Puerto Vallarta.
- Personalized attention in English, French, Korean and Spanish.
- Assistance to perform the visa procedure (the cost of the proceedings incurred by the student).
- Certified with recognition of the Autonomous University of Nayarit.
- Full guidance for hosting.
- First aid attention in case of an accident.

Important note: To register for the course is a requirement that the student has health insurance. UAN has a health insurance at a cost of \$ 100 for those students who are not insured.

- Program: "International friend". Foreign students can have a Mexican friend to practice Spanish.
- International dormitory (coming soon).

Calendar of the courses 2012

| Course | Beginning of the course | End of the course |
|--------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | January 09 | February 17 |
| 2 | February 27 | April 20 |
| 3 | April 30 | June 08 |
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Cost of the courses

| University | UAN | UDG | UAG | UNAM |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Weeks | 6 | 4 | 4 | 6 |
| Hours per day | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Hours per course | 96 | 64 | 64 | 72 |
| Registration | 0 | 120 | 0 | 165 |
| Cost of the course | 500 USD | 450 USD | 400 USD | 365 USD |
| Book and materials | 0 | 0 | 10 USD | 20 USD |
| Trip | 0 | 25 USD | 25 USD | 25 USD |
| Total cost | 500 USD | 595 USD | 435 USD | 575 USD |

Activities Schedule

| Hour | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 9.00 - 9.50 | Spanish Class | | | | SHORT TRIPS |
| 10.00 - 10.50 | | | | | |
| 10.50 - 11.10 | Break | | | | |
| 11.10 - 12.00 | Spanish Class | | | | |
| 12.00 - 13.00 | Art Workshop | Mexican Culture Workshop | Mexican Culture Workshop | Film Workshop | |

Methodology

- The teaching methodology of this program is based on the 4 main features of Spanish learning: listening, speaking, reading, writing and culture knowledge .
- It is important that the student builds their own knowledge from their daily communication needs, using grammatical tools acquired during these courses of Spanish.
- The student must realize the importance of interacting with the natives of Mexico for the constant practice of its Spanish.
- The programme comprises 8 levels altogether, explained below in a brief manner the objective of each level.

| Level | Objective |
|---------|---|
| Basic 1 | Students come in contact with the Spanish language, so it is important to all your learning to focus carefully on basic grammar: present indicative conjugation of regular and irregular verbs, as well as information that helps students to socialize with the surrounding environment, this will form a solid base of knowledge of the language. |

| Level | Objective |
|----------------|--|
| Basic 2 | <p>At this level new grammar is studied and grammar from the previous level is reinforced, here, the student can form complex sentences grammatically, as well as understand the hispano-hablante and respond with practical responses to their needs.</p> <p>Grammar focuses on: use of the verb to be / to have, introduction to the copretérito, future simple and use of prepositions.</p> |

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|----------------|---|
| Basic 3 | <p>This level focuses on reading and text writing.</p> <p>The student comes into contact with simple texts to develop their reading and pronunciation in a progressive manner.</p> <p>The texts focus on life and Mexican culture.</p> <p>Grammar focuses on word spelling, conjugation of irregular in past, present and future verbs, punctuation and sentences construction for daily use.</p> |

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|----------------|---|
| Basic 4 | <p>This is the last baseline, the student will study more complex grammar, focused on communication with other people, and will be able to construct sentences that express opinion like and dislike, impersonal expressions, conditional sentences, among others. The grammar consists of: an introduction to the subjunctive, the use of pronouns of OD and O.I, use of the imperative.</p> |

| Level | Objective |
|-----------------------|---|
| Intermediate 1 | <p>The student will develop a communication skills in which he can express the dialogue of other people, as well as situations in past, hypothetical expressions, judgments of value, etc.</p> <p>The grammar used is: direct and indirect speech, present perfect, indicative, use of verbs of perception, the use of relative pronouns.</p> |

| Level | Objective |
|-----------------------|---|
| Intermediate 2 | The student continues the Spanish learning from an impersonal perspective, i.e., ceasing to be the protagonist of his own dialogue and describing what others do and say. Grammar focuses on the use of "Were" passive, impersonal, dative, pronominal verbs with "Se". |

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| Intermediate 3 | This is the last intermediate level, it focuses on the use of formal language, the student will use other tools of expression with which he can improve his Spanish from an aesthetic perspective, in itself, this level includes the preparation for the higher level. Grammar includes: discursive connectors, opinion verbs, use of relative pronouns, verbal periphrases verbs. |

| Level | Objective |
|-------|---|
| Upper | <p>The objective of this final level is that students perfect their Spanish, their vocabulary and grammar from the analysis of literary texts with which to write their own texts in a more formal and precise way, this is not a level in which the teaching of the Spanish ends but it begins the fluid use of the language with Spanish speakers</p> |

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