

**International Soccer Tour 2025 Itinerary  
Elk Grove United  
Spain – MADCUP**

**Travel dates:**

June 18-26, 2025

**Itinerary:**

- June 18 Departure from San Francisco airport.
- June 19 Arrival Madrid airport. Transfer to your accommodation. Accreditations, age control, and check-in of the tournament.
- June 20 Start of the tournament – group phase. Evening opening ceremony at ED Cívitas Metropolitano, home stadium of Spanish pro club Atlético de Madrid. Leisure time option: Sightseeing Madrid – Puerta del Sol and the Plaza Mayor.
- June 21 Continuation group phase of the tournament.  
Leisure time option: Sightseeing Madrid – the Royal Palace and Almudena Cathedral.
- June 22 Continuation group phase of the tournament.  
Leisure time option: Visit Toledo, a UNSECO World Heritage city.
- June 23 Continuation group phase of the tournament.  
Leisure time option: Visit the Bernabéu stadium, home of Real Madrid
- June 24 Continuation of tournament with playoff games.  
Leisure time option: Sightseeing Madrid – visit the Prado Museum and Parque del Retiro.
- June 25 Continuation of tournament with Finals followed by an Awards Ceremony.  
Leisure time option: Sightseeing Madrid – head to the Gran Vía, Madrid's most famous street full of shops, restaurants, and some of the capital's most iconic buildings.
- June 26 Transfer to Madrid airport. Return flight.

**Price estimate per person:**

Number of people traveling	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
Participant prices	\$4,162	\$3,998	\$3,890	\$3,810	\$3,750	\$3,705

**Price inclusions:**

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to the availability of flights and fares at the time of booking.
- Accommodation and meals as specified in this proposal – see below. Hotel options and room types (triples, doubles, etc.) are subject to availability at the time of tour booking.
- Ground transportation – see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program – see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant – see below.

**Sport program included:**

**San Sebastian:** Participation in the MADCUP.

**Accommodation and meals included:**

**MADCUP/Madrid:** 4-star hotel accommodation on the outskirts of Madrid.

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- Hotel in Madrid outside the city center approx. 14 miles from the city center.
- The hotel has a restaurant, bar-café, lounge, business center, and laundry service.
- Accommodation in triple rooms (3 people – typically 2 single beds + 1 sofa bed). All rooms have TV, telephone, private bathroom, air-conditioning, and Wi-Fi.
- Double rooms available as well at a supplement of \$15.00 per person per night.
- Single rooms available at a supplement of \$55.00 per person per night.

**Ground transportation included:**

During your entire stay a private bus will be available exclusively for your group – 10 hours a day.

**Local guide services included:**

A local bilingual tour assistant will be assigned to be exclusively with your group full-time each day during your stay to provide you with any assistance when necessary and help plan or amend your daily schedule as needed.

**Options available (not included in prices)**

**Travel insurance option:**

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

**Not included in prices:**

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions.



## Tournament Information

### MADCUP – MADRID/SPAIN

MADCUP is much more than a soccer project. Its mission is to link soccer with culture, education, and values, in one of the world's soccer capitals. Top-level teams from all over the world will compete in this upcoming edition. MADCUP is an international soccer tournament, which offers its participants a unique opportunity to enjoy their passion for football, taking part in an exciting competition. The headquarters will be the Ciudad Deportiva Alcalá de Henares of Atlético de Madrid.



In 2024 more than 800 teams from 30+ countries played games on the 94 soccer fields in and around Madrid.

#### **MADCUP facts:**

- 800+ international youth soccer teams.
- Guaranteed minimum of 4 matches per team.
- The Opening Ceremony of the tournament takes place in ED Cívitas Metropolitano, home stadium of Spanish pro club Atlético de Madrid.
- Matches take place in 32 venues with 90+ fields and the main tournament venue is Alcalá de Henares, youth academy home of pro club Atlético Madrid.

#### **Touristic information:**

- Madrid - Madrid, Spain's vibrant capital, is bursting with activities to suit all tastes and ages. From exploring its majestic museums to getting lost in its lively streets, Madrid offers a unique experience full of culture, history, and fun. Main sights in Madrid include The Prado Museum, the Royal Palace, Retiro Park, Plaza Mayor, Puerta del Sol, and Santiago Bernabéu Stadium, home of Real Madrid,
- Alcalá de Henares - the birthplace of Miguel de Cervantes, is famous for its Renaissance architecture and historic university, both of which are UNESCO World Heritage Sites. One of the highlights of Alcalá is its University, one of the oldest in Europe, founded in 1499 by Cardinal Cisneros. The historic center of Alcalá de Henares is a labyrinth of cobbled streets, charming squares, and historic buildings, such as the Cathedral of the Holy Children Justo and Pastor, which combines Gothic, Renaissance, and Baroque styles.
- Toledo - The famous "city of three cultures" is approx. 70 kilometers from Madrid. Its historic quarter –a UNESCO World Heritage Site– still preserves its original medieval layout, making it a fascinating place to visit.

For more information about the tournament including age groups, rules and regulations, and more touristic information please visit the tournament website:

<https://www.madcup.es/>.