

Dear 2024-2025 Auxiliary,

First off, congratulations on your upcoming journey. I hope this next year brings you love, friendships, and joy! Those three qualities are guaranteed to show when working at CEIP Al-Andalus. Consider yourself the luckiest auxiliary yet because the school you've been able to join is truly the most amazing.

Before my first day on the job, I wanted to check out the school/commute/city of Utrera. As soon as I arrived at CEIP Al-Andalus, I was greeted by a homemade sign from the students of 5B (which is Blanca, the bilingual coordinator, classroom). In addition to the beautiful sign, students and teachers welcomed me with open arms and bright smiles. The bilingual coordinator, Blanca Nieto, is truly the most selfless, thoughtful and supportive person I encountered as I transitioned to living abroad. She will do everything in her power to help you adjust to the school and teaching environment.

As for the school, CEIP Al-Andalus is full of spirit, fun and laughter. Be prepared to join and participate in the fun during the holidays, especially Halloween, Christmas and Easter! Some of my favorite memories of working at the school are spending time with the children during lunch, going on field trips, and helping Isabel (the receptionist) with crafts during my free time. You are going to fall in love with this school and everyone in it! Enjoy your time because I wish my time wasn't over.

Best wishes,

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