

Lloret

TRAVELOGUE

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Mar

We understand that planning a trip can be quite daunting. That's why we're sharing this guide with you, to help plan your stay in Lloret de Mar with ease and comfort.

With its unique infrastructure, Lloret de Mar isn't just one of the most vibrant towns on the Costa Brava, rich in natural and cultural heritage; it also serves as the perfect base for exploring the surrounding area. Still sceptical? Consider this: we're just a stone's throw away from exceptional cities like Girona and Barcelona, as well as charming villages such as Cadaqués and Besalú, all set within stunning natural landscapes. Stay with us and keep reading, because we're confident that Lloret de Mar can surprise even the most experienced traveller.

How many days do you need to get to know Lloret de Mar? Ideally, considering the size of the town, we recommend spending at least two to three days here to properly explore and enjoy the place. More days to spare? Fantastic! Use them to head off on day trips to nearby attractions and prepare for some unforgettable moments. Prefer a slower pace? Combine your discovery of the town with a few relaxing hours at one of our beaches or coves, or take a scenic route to discover hidden gems in Lloret; there's no better way to appreciate the town's more tranquil side.

Remember, there's a Lloret de Mar for every traveller, and a traveller for every Lloret de Mar!

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What to see in Lloret de Mar

Twelve must-see attractions

With its prime location, just 75 kilometres from Barcelona and 40 kilometres from Girona, Lloret de Mar immediately captivates with its stunning beaches and coves, often ranked among the best in Europe.

But don't let this first impression fool you: while it's undeniably a fantastic beach destination, Lloret de Mar has so much more to offer. Travellers looking to delve deeper and go beyond the usual clichés are in for a real treat. Get ready to experience an incredible destination!



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Sanctuary of Sant Pere del Bosc
(3.4 km)



A MUST-SEE ATTRACTION!

Catalan Modernist Cemetery

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CARRER DE SANT PERE, CARRER DE LA VILA AND CARRER DEL CARME



Sant Romà Parish Church

Can Font

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Maritime Museum-Can Garriga

Passeig de Jacint Verdaguer

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Town Hall

Turó Rodó Iberian Settlement

Lloret Castle and Sa Caleta

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LLORET BEACH

Dona Marinera (Seafarer's Wife)

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Sant Joan Castle

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BANYS COVE

FENALS BEACH

Santa Clotilde Gardens

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THE JEWEL OF LLORET!

SA BOADELLA COVE

CHapel + Beach Spectacular!

Santa Cristina site

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SANTA CRISTINA BEACH

TREUMAL COVE

SPECTACULAR VIEWS

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200 m



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Santa Clotilde Gardens

Perched on a cliff with spectacular views of the Costa Brava and the Mediterranean Sea, this romantic, Italian-inspired *noucentista* garden has been lauded as one of Europe's finest historic gardens. A must-see attraction, it's the perfect setting for peaceful strolls while marvelling at the beauty of nature and taking in the views.

The gardens are accessible on foot from Fenals Beach or Sa Boadella Cove.

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PEACE

SA CALETA
IS ONE OF LLORET'S
MOST BEAUTIFUL COVES



2

Lloret Castle and Sa Caleta

Perfectly situated at the northern end of the seafront promenade, Lloret Castle stands proudly above Sa Caleta, a picturesque cove dotted with fishing boats, making it one of the town's most iconic picture postcard images and a favourite spot for visitors.

Recently opened to the public, the castle now features an open-air terrace bar and an immersive experience aimed at raising awareness of the effects of climate change.

From Sa Caleta, you can set off on one of the Costa Brava's most beautiful coastal paths, leading to the charming Trons Cove. Trust us, you won't want to miss the opportunity to explore this enchanting trail (of which more later).



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Maritime Museum - Can Garriga

Set in a perfect spot on the seafront promenade, Lloret's Maritime Museum is housed in Can Garriga, a historically significant *Indiano* house. This three-storey building offers a unique and captivating experience, revealing Lloret's deep connection to the sea and sailing throughout its history.

A MUSEUM
LIKE NO OTHER



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Turó Rodó Iberian Settlement

Just a stone's throw from the town centre, and right next to Lloret Castle, this unique archaeological site boasts seven houses, two of which have been reconstructed using techniques and materials from the Iberian period. The reconstructed guardhouse and entrance to the settlement will give you a better understanding of how the ancient inhabitants of Lloret lived.



4

Sant Romà Parish Church

With its striking Gothic-style exterior adorned with colourful roof mosaics and Catalan Modernist domes, Sant Romà Parish Church is one of Lloret de Mar's most iconic landmarks. While its exterior is captivating, take a moment to appreciate its more austere, simple interior, with notable features such as the main altar, the Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament and the bell tower.

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CATALAN MODERNIST
AESTHETICS = SANT ROMÀ



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Sant Joan Castle

Sant Joan Castle stands as a witness to the medieval period in Lloret de Mar and is deeply intertwined with the town's origins. Its recent restoration offers visitors the unique opportunity to enjoy excellent panoramic views of the coastline from its tower.

BREATHTAKING VIEWS



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Santa Cristina site

Two places dedicated to Christina of Bolsena, the patron saint of Lloret de Mar, are well worth a visit: Santa Cristina Chapel and Santa Cristina Beach. Santa Cristina Chapel, dating from the late 18th century, stands out for its marble main altar and its collection of ex-votos in the form of miniature model ships. Visitors can also enjoy its magnificent exterior terrace.

At the foot of the chapel, Santa Cristina Beach is a great spot for families. Surrounded by rocks and vegetation, it's perfect for unwinding. You can reach the beach by car via a road that connects with Blanes or, during the beach season*, you can use the boat shuttle service from Lloret de Mar Beach.



9

Dona Marinera (Seafarer's Wife) monument

Standing over two metres tall, this impressive bronze sculpture pays homage to the women who awaited the return of seafaring husbands who had crossed the ocean in search of their fortune. Climb up to the sculpture and you'll be rewarded with stunning panoramic views of Lloret de Mar Beach.



8

Catalan Modernist Cemetery

It might not be the visit you were expecting from this guide, but before you dismiss it, we encourage you to give it a chance and keep reading, since we're talking about one of the town's most important sites.

The so-called *Indianos* were Catalan families who'd made their fortune on the American continent. In Lloret, where they were also known as *Americanos*, many of them hired renowned architects to build their family vaults and hypogea. This cemetery is a unique example of how Catalan Modernism influenced local architecture, shaped by Lloret's *Indiano* past.

FUNERARY ART



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Sanctuary of Sant Pere del Bosc

Located about six kilometres from the centre of Lloret, the Sanctuary of Sant Pere del Bosc has a rich history. Its origins date back to the 10th century, when Benedictine monks resided in the monastery. In 1860, it came into the possession of the wealthy *Indiano* Nicolau Font, who enlisted the Catalan Modernist architect Puig i Cadafalch to renovate it. Today, the sanctuary is a private hotel complex. To explore its interior, you need to either be a guest at the hotel or make a reservation at its restaurant.



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The Lloret of the Indianos

Every June, Lloret de Mar comes alive with the *Americanos* Fair, paying homage to the townsfolk who, mostly of humble origins, upped sticks in the 19th century to seek their fortune in the Americas. Among those who ventured abroad, some found success, particularly in Cuba, and either returned or contributed from afar to Lloret's urban transformation, commissioning the construction of grand mansions and other significant buildings, for which they enlisted the services of the finest architects of the time. This *Indiano* or *Americano* legacy has been carefully preserved, and you can experience it by following a fascinating route through the centre of Lloret that highlights the many contributions made by the *Americanos* to the town.

- Maritime Museum - Can Garriga
- Passeig de Jacint Verdaguer
- Town Hall
- Sant Romà Parish Church (parish house and Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament)
- Can Font
- Modernist Cemetery

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Carrer Sant Pere, Carrer de la Vila and Carrer del Carme

This list of recommendations wouldn't be complete without mentioning three of the town's main shopping streets: Carrer Sant Pere, Carrer de la Vila and Carrer del Carme. These bustling streets are not only home to a multitude of fashion, accessory and gift shops, but also to charming cafés, delightful ice-cream parlours and inviting restaurants where you can take a break while enjoying your shopping. There's no better way to round off the day in Lloret de Mar.

One last suggestion: the sweet moment of the day! When you find yourself between Carrer Sant Pere and Carrer de la Vila, take a detour a few metres away to Can Frigola, one of Lloret's historic patisseries (established in 1921), to indulge in some of its specialities, such as *encasades*, *cristines*, *lioneses* and *carquinyolis*.

MORE THAN
1000 SHOPS
ALSO OPEN
ON SUNDAYS





The best beaches in Lloret de Mar

With its nine kilometres of coastline, stretching from the iconic Canyelles Beach at the northernmost end to the small Treumal Cove at the southernmost tip, Lloret de Mar boasts wonderful beaches and coves.

They're all amazing, but which one should you choose? Well, here's a list of our favourites:



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LLORET DE MAR

6
Canyelles Beach

WITH A MARINA 

9
Trons Cove

HIDDEN GEM

1
Sa Caleta (Little Cove)

GREAT VIEWS 

7
Lloret Beach

FULL RANGE OF SERVICES 

8
Banys Cove

SMALL AND ROCKY

3
Fenals Beach

FAMILY BEACH

2
Sa Boadella Cove

SMALL AND UNSPOILT

4
Santa Cristina Beach

PEACE AND CALM IN THE HEART OF NATURE 

5
Treumal Cove

400 m

MORE INFORMATION →



INTERACTIVE BEACH GUIDE



1

Sa Caleta (Little Cove)

Strategically located at the foot of Lloret Castle, one of the symbols of Lloret de Mar, fishermen's boats are usually dotted around this enticing cove.

As well as being one of the town's most beautiful coves, it's perfect for scuba diving and snorkelling.

Shall we let you in on a secret? It's our favourite spot; whenever we're in Lloret, we head there every single morning.



2

Sa Boadella Cove

Widely regarded as one of the best beaches on the Costa Brava and in Europe, Sa Boadella Cove offers a 250-metre stretch of sand far from the bustling centre. This idyllic cove provides moments of peace and tranquillity in an incomparable natural setting.

Please note that Sa Boadella Cove has a sector reserved for nudist bathing at the far right end.



3

Fenals Beach

At 725 metres long, Fenals Beach is the second longest beach in Lloret de Mar and one of the busiest, especially during the summer season.

Located in the Fenals district, it boasts a beautiful promenade lined with hotels, apartments and restaurants, where you can savour typical local dishes.

4 5

Santa Cristina Beach and Treumal Cove

Located in a beautiful spot below Santa Cristina Chapel, in the heart of nature, this 500-metre-long beach is a particular favourite among locals.

The atmosphere here is more family-oriented compared to other beaches in Lloret de Mar. Additionally, at the far right end, separated by rocks, lies the beautiful Treumal Cove, an idyllic retreat for those looking to unwind.



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Canyelles Beach

This is another beach much loved by Lloret's locals. Alongside the beautiful Rajols Cove, with its well-preserved seabed perfect for snorkelling or diving, spending the day at Canyelles Beach always brings back childhood memories. At its southern end, there's a small marina boasting a wide variety of restaurants.



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Lloret de Mar Beach

Located in the town centre, this is the best known and longest beach of all, stretching over a kilometre. Offering a wide range of tourist services, this urban beach is conveniently close to most of the town's hotels and leisure spots, on and around Avinguda de Just Marès, which is why it tends to get very busy in summer.



8

Bany's Cove

This small rocky cove can be reached on foot from the seafront promenade to the north, or from Sant Joan Castle to the south. It's a beautiful setting that features the charming Cala Bany's bar, the perfect spot to enjoy a drink.



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Trons Cove

Heading along the coastal path from Sa Caleta, you'll reach Trons Cove, one of the most beautiful coves on the Costa Brava. Walking this path as it winds its way between cliffs and small coves with crystal-clear water is a truly magical experience.

After a little more than a kilometre, you'll come to a small cove divided into a sandy and rocky area, where you can leave your towel and cool off after your walk.





One-day route in Lloret de Mar

Planning to spend a full day in Lloret de Mar? Want to see the most important sights but worried you won't have enough time?

No need to stress! Here's a quick and easy route that's right up your street.

Just follow the numbers to discover the town's highlights. Ready to explore?

- 1 Coastal path to Cala Trons
- 2 Lloret Castle
- 3 Sa Caleta
- 4 Maritime Museum - Can Garriga
- 5 Lloret Promenade
- 6 Lloret de Mar Town Hall
- 7 *Dona Marinera*
(Seafarer's Wife) monument
- 8 Sant Romà Parish Church
Lunch break
- 9 Santa Clotilde Gardens
- 10 Carrer Sant Pere, Carrer del
Carme and Carrer de la Vila

And to round off a perfect day...

After all that walking, you're probably hungry, right? If you want to stay in the more central area of Lloret de Mar, you can choose one of our favourites from the list of recommended restaurants and bars, or take the plunge and discover restaurants on your own.

Looking for a night out? Head to a beach bar or check out our top pick: Lloret Castle. It's arguably the most iconic spot in Lloret de Mar, offering stunning views where you can enjoy a drink and some music. We also feature other must-visit places in the Recommended restaurants and bars section.

Looking for something livelier and want to make the most of the night until dawn? Then head straight to the area around Avinguda Just Marès; it's the place to be.





Two-day route in Lloret de Mar

If you've decided to spend a couple of days in Lloret de Mar, you've made the right choice. You'll have the chance to explore the area at a leisurely pace and uncover hidden gems. Get ready to enjoy one-of-a-kind experiences and, above all, create unforgettable moments.

Day one - Lloret town centre

- 1 Coastal path to Cala Trons
- 2 Lloret Castle
- 3 Sa Caleta
- 4 Turó Rodó Iberian Settlement
- 5 Maritime Museum - Can Garriga
- 6 Promenade
- 7 Lloret de Mar Town Hall
- 8 *Dona Marinera* (Seafarer's Wife) monument
- 9 Sant Romà Parish Church
- Lunch break
- 10 Carrer Sant Pere, Carrer del Carme and Carrer de la Vila

And to cap off your first day...

For dinner, we suggest you stay in the centre and try another restaurant. There's a wide range of options to suit all tastes and budgets. And if you're not ready to call it a night, check out our Recommended bars and restaurants section for more suggestions to keep the night going.

Day two - Fenals and the surrounding area

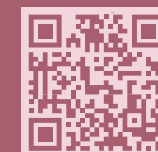
- 11 Banys Cove
- 12 Sant Joan Castle
- 13 Fenals Beach
- 14 Santa Clotilde Gardens
- Lunch break
- 15 Santa Cristina site
- 16 Catalan Modernist Cemetery

And for a perfect end to day two, head over to Canyelles Beach for dinner at one of its restaurants. After exploring this beautiful and peaceful beach, you can stay for a drink or head back to Lloret town centre to wrap up the night.



ACTIVITIES,
CONCERTS...

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WHAT'S ON
GUIDE





Coastal paths in Lloret de Mar (GR-92)

The coastal paths form a network of footpaths covering approximately 200 kilometres, stretching from Blanes to Portbou. These ancient paths were originally created to spot smugglers who used sea routes.

Today, following extensive restoration work, these well-maintained, highly accessible paths have become one of the region's most special features. In Lloret de Mar, we're fortunate to have this coastal path, which happens to form part of the GR-92 long-distance footpath. It's a unique opportunity to experience this remarkable route!

Lloret de Mar - Blanes

This could be considered the first coastal path on the Costa Brava, as it starts in Blanes. However, we suggest you experience it in reverse, starting in Lloret, thus giving you a gentle start to the day. Enjoy a leisurely breakfast in your hotel or in one of Lloret's many excellent patisseries and cafés.

Once your batteries are fully charged, let the adventure begin! It's a truly delightful route, passing numerous beaches and coves, as well as some of the most enchanting spots in both towns. You'll discover treasures like the Marimurtra Botanical Garden and our stunning historic Santa Clotilde Gardens.

Points of interest:

- 1 Lloret de Mar
- 2 Banys Cove
- 3 Sant Joan Castle
- 4 Fenals Beach
- 5 Santa Clotilde Gardens
- 6 Sa Boadella Cove
- 7 Santa Cristina Beach
- 8 Treumal Cove
- 9 Pinya de Rosa Tropical Garden
- 10 Sant Francesc / Bona Cove
- 11 Marimurtra Botanical Garden
- 12 Blanes

When you reach the end of the route, take the opportunity to stroll around Blanes and then hop on a bus (or, during beach season, a boat) that will take you back to Lloret de Mar.

If you don't fancy completing the entire route, we recommend walking shorter sections such as the stretch from the *Dona Marinera* monument to Fenals (1.5 kilometres), to Santa Clotilde Gardens (2 kilometres), to Sa Boadella (3 kilometres), or, if you're up for it, to Santa Cristina (4 kilometres). We promise you'll have a one-of-a-kind experience, filled with unforgettable moments as you take in the stunning coastal views.

This is one of our favourite activities when we're in Lloret de Mar.



LLORET DE MAR -
BLANES
COASTAL ROUTE

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ROUTE

DIFFICULTY: LOW
DISTANCE: 9KM
TIME: 2.5H



Lloret de Mar – Tossa de Mar

This is one of our favourite coastal footpaths on the Costa Brava. It's considered an easy to moderately challenging route, with some sections being a bit more strenuous due to the steps. However, this 12-kilometre walk is an excellent way to discover one of the most beautiful areas of the coast.

You'll also have the chance to visit the charming town of Tossa de Mar and the historic walled area of the Vila Vella (Old Town), which you're sure to love. At the end of your visit, you can return to Lloret de Mar by bus, or by boat during the beach season.

It's important to note that this section of the coastal path has a variant that runs along the GI-682 road after Cala Canyelles in Lloret de Mar. If you skip this option and continue along the coast, you'll enjoy some incredible views and discover beautiful natural coves.

Points of interest on the route:

- 1 Lloret de Mar
- 2 Sa Caleta
- 3 Lloret Castle
- 4 Turó Rodó Iberian Settlement
- 5 Dels Frares Cove
- 6 Trons Cove
- 7 Canyelles Cove
- 8 Morisca Cove
- 9 Cap de Bou Beach
- 10 Santa Maria de Llorell Beach
- 11 Llevadó Cove
- 12 Es Mirador
- 13 Es Codolar Cove
- 14 Tossa de Mar

If you're not keen to complete the entire route, we suggest walking at least the section from Lloret de Mar to Trons Cove. This spectacular 20-minute walk offers some of the most breathtaking views of this part of the Costa Brava.

It's one of our favourite stretches and such a wonderful way to start the day. We hope to cross paths with you if you've been convinced by our recommendation!



LLORET DE MAR -
TOSSA DE MAR
COASTAL ROUTE

DOWNLOAD
ROUTE

DIFFICULTY: LOW-MEDIUM
DISTANCE: 12 KM
TIME: 3.5 H





Recommended restaurants and bars

Are you keen to indulge all five senses on your visit to the town? With its rich gastronomic tradition, Lloret de Mar boasts a wide and varied range of dining options. In addition to excellent restaurants, the town offers a plethora of bars where you can enjoy tapas while visiting its tourist attractions.

Without a doubt, there's no better way to get to know a place than by combining cultural visits with delightful cuisine.

WHERE TO EAT

Al Freskito
Mediterranean cuisine
C. de la Sènia del Barral, 64

Can Guidet
Local cuisine
C. Senyora de Rosell, 25

Trattoria Da Paolo
Italian cuisine
Passeig Camprodon
i Arrieta, 36

Easy Lloret
100 % gluten-free
C. de la Vila, 33

El Trull
Market cuisine
Plaça Nacions Unides, 1

Gammarus
Market cuisine
and *beach club*
Av. Canyelles, 1

Ganeshay
Indian cuisine
C. Francesc Cambó, 33

Kay Japanese Bar
Japanese cuisine
C. de la Vila, 40

Komo Pez
Traditional cuisine
C. Sant Isidre, 10

La Brava Steak House
Grill
C. Sant Pere, 42

La Campana
Roast chicken
C. de l'Areny, 42

La Terrassa del Bella
Tapas
Plaza Espanya, 5

Pizzeria Margue 1889
Pizzeria
C. de la Riera, 14

**SmashBros Burgers
and Fries**
Hamburgers
C. del Carme, 8

VarioPintaS
Mexican cuisine
Travessia dels Jardins, 28

Vela Mar
Mediterranean cuisine
and *lounge club*
Passeig de Sa Caleta, 12

WHERE TO HAVE A DRINK

Lloret Castle
C. Costa d'en Josep Macià, 5

Banys Cove
Camí a Cala Banys

Gerry's Bar
C. Hospital Vell, 14

La Carpa
C. Josep Tarradellas, 1

THESE ARE OUR
FAVOURITE OPTIONS

Day trips from Lloret de Mar



We've already shared all that Lloret de Mar has to offer, but have you ever considered that it could also be the perfect base for exploring the surrounding area?

Thanks to its prime location, Lloret de Mar is one of the best places from which to discover the Costa Brava and other nearby places of interest. Stay in Lloret and head off on day trips to explore the region; it's a great way to fully enjoy the beauty of the Costa Brava and Catalonia.

1

Tossa de Mar

Located right next to Lloret de Mar, Tossa de Mar is one of the most beautiful towns on the Costa Brava. You can get there by car, bus or even boat. Set aside half a day to enjoy its charming historic centre.

2

Figueres

Another interesting place to visit during your stay in Lloret de Mar is the city where the brilliant and eccentric artist Salvador Dalí was born. A full day will give you enough time to explore the city's main attractions, including the famous Dalí Theatre-Museum.

3

La Garrotxa Volcanic Zone Natural Park

Nature lovers will find this place fascinating. With more than 40 volcanic cones and several lava flows, the Garrotxa area boasts the most remarkable volcanic landscape on the Iberian Peninsula. The best way to explore this natural park is on a hiking route. You can start your journey at the Fageda d'en Jordà, a spectacular beech forest that grows on a cooled lava flow. And don't forget to climb the craters of the iconic Santa Margarida and Croscat volcanoes.



4

Girona

There's little we can say about one of the most beautiful cities in Catalonia that you don't already know. With a magical historic centre that will transport you back in time, we recommend setting aside a full day to explore it all. You won't regret it!

5

Calella de Palafrugell

Cobbled streets, old fishermen's houses and small wooden boats are what await you when you visit the historic centre of one of the most beautiful towns on the Costa Brava. If you have a full day to make this trip, we suggest you also visit Begur.



6

Barcelona

One of Europe's most vibrant cities, Barcelona offers a unique blend of history, stunning architecture, delicious cuisine and a cosmopolitan atmosphere. This city caters to all tastes and always provides an unforgettable experience for travellers. One day is the minimum you should dedicate to this incredible city.

7

Pals and Peratallada

Get ready for a trip back in time. Stroll through cobbled streets lined with old stone houses adorned with wrought-iron balconies and latticed windows, transporting you back to medieval times. If you're keen to visit both towns, we recommend setting aside a full day.



8

Montserrat

Montserrat Mountain holds great cultural and religious importance. It's known for its impressive landscape, with distinctive peaks and rock formations, and for its Benedictine monastery, which houses the *Moreneta* (Virgin of Montserrat), the patron saint of Catalonia. Ideal for a day trip.

9

Cadaqués

Famous for being one of the most beautiful villages in Catalonia, this picturesque fishing village offers a unique opportunity to explore the world of the painter Salvador Dalí. Getting to the village can be a bit challenging, so we recommend setting aside a whole day for it.





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and don't miss a thing!

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