

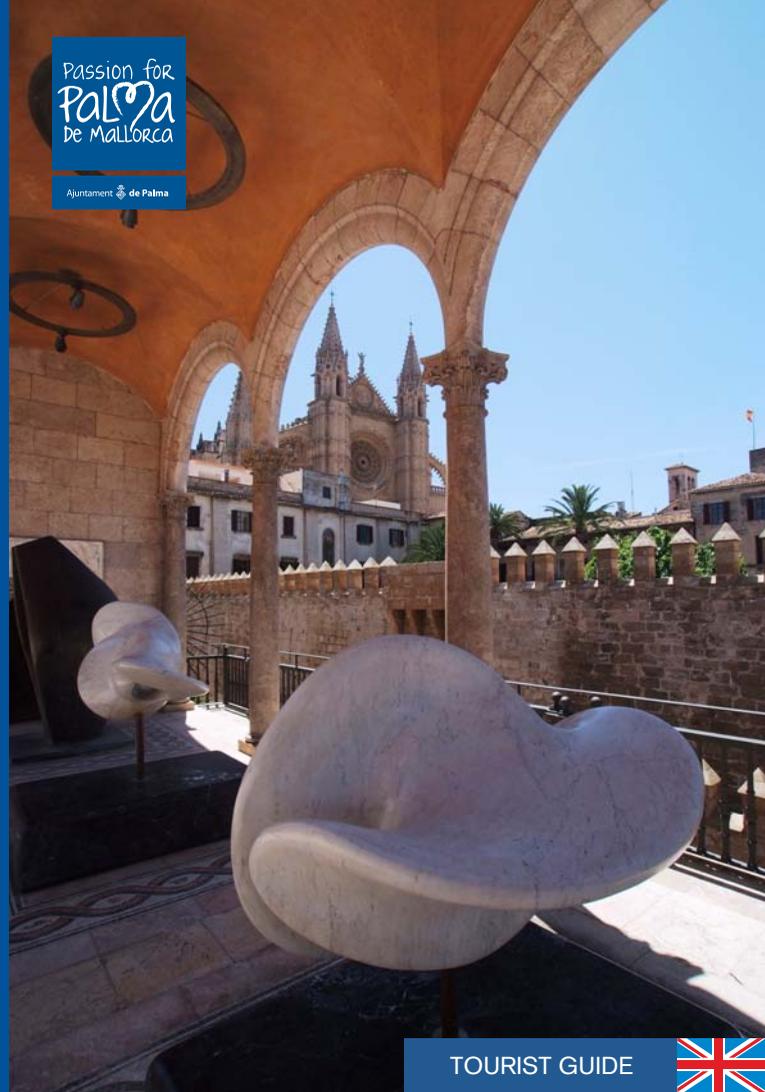


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Useful Information

Some information about Palma de Mallorca

The Balearic Island archipelago is located in south-western Europe in the middle of the western Mediterranean area. The city of Palma, the capital of the Balearics, is located on Mallorca, the largest of the islands. The Palma de Mallorca municipal area is made up of an area of 21,355,844 hectares and has a population of approximately 400,000. It borders the areas of Calvià, Puigpunyent, Esporles, Valldemossa, Bunyola, Marratxí, Santa Eugènia, Algaida, Llucmajor and the sea. The archipelago of Cabrera, made up of the islands of Cabrera, Conejera, Estells, Imperial, Rodona, Foradada, Plana, Pobra and other small islands, also belongs to Palma. The city enjoys an **exceptional climate** thanks to its excellent location, with an average annual temperature of 17.9°C.

Palma awaits you all year round

The capital of the Balearic Islands has always been a strategic point in the Mediterranean. It is perfectly positioned for **excellent land and air access** and, with the average flight lasting only two hours, it is a nearby destination for many European capitals. Palma is a city with a long tradition of tourism which is reflected in the **wide range of activities and services it offers**. What makes it really unique, however, is the **mixture of influences and traditions** of the peoples who have settled in the city over the centuries. Distinguished civilisations such as the Phoenicians, Romans, Vandals, Byzantines, Muslims and Christians have marked the city's progress. Over the years Palma has become a **modern, cosmopolitan city offering a rich variety of activities and one that welcomes visitors with open arms all year round**.

Palma is an ideal urban destination both for **short getaways** and long holidays.

LOCAL TOURIST OFFICES (9 to 20 h.)

- **Virtual Office**
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- **Parc de ses Estacions Office**
Plaça d'Espanya - Ed. Parc de ses Estacions
Tel.: +34 902 102 365
- **Casal Solle ric Office** (9 - 17h.)
Passeig des Born, 27 (Casal Solle ric)
Tel.: +34 902 102 365
- **Platja de Palma Office**
Plaça Meravelles, sn
Tel.: +34 902 102 365
- **OIT Parc de la Mar**
Tel.: +34 902 102 365

- **Tourist Information Office**
Plaça de la Reina, 2
Tel.: +34 971 173 990 · Fax: +34 971 173 994
- **Airport Information Office**
Tel.: +34 971 789 556

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

- **Palma Fire Brigade** · 080
- **General Emergency** · 112
- **Medical Emergency (Insalud)** · 061
- **Civil Guard** · 062
- **Municipal Police** · 092
- **National Police** · 091
- **Civil Defence Organisation**
Tel.: +34 971 218 133
- **Palma City Hall**
Tel.: +34 971 225 900
- **Visas** · 900 150 000
- **Son Espases Hospital** Tel.: +34 971 205 000
- **Off-hour and weekend pharmacies** · 010
- **Directory Assistance** · 11818 · 11824
- **Collect Calls** · 1005

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- **American Express**
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- **4B (MasterCard, Visa, Electron)**
Tel.: +34 902 114 400
- **Diner's**
Tel.: +34 900 801 331
- **Servicard (MasterCard, Visa, Electron)**
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- **Bus (Empresa Municipal de Transportes)**
Tel.: +34 971 214 444
- **Train (Serveis Ferroviaris de Mallorca "SFM")**
Tel.: +34 971 752 245
- **Radio Taxi**
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- **Taxis Palma Radio**
Tel.: +34 971 401 414
- **Taxis for handicapped**
Tel.: +34 971 703 529
- **Taxi Stands:** Porta Sant Antoni · Plaça Weyler · Passeig del Born · Av. Alemanyà · Plaça d'Espanya · Jaume III · Plaça de la Porta des Camp · Plaça del Fortí · Av. Gaviel Alomar i Villalonga · Plaça del Pont · C. Carmel José Cela
- **TIB (Transports de les Illes Balears)**
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- **Italy** · C/ Barón de Pinopar, 11 esc. B puerta 9, 6D · Tel.: +34 971 09 70 13
- **France**
C/ Caro, 1, 1G · Tel.: +34 971 73 03 01



MAIN VISITS

- A Cathedral
- B The Almudaina Palace
- C Palacio Episcopal
- D City Hall
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Palma, a warm city

Make yourself at home

Palma offers its visitors the experience and quality they deserve in its extensive selection of hotels, which range from those nestled right in the city centre to those located along the city's beaches.

• Urban hotels: right in the heart of the city

Accommodation in Palma's urban hotels gives guests the pleasure of **basing themselves right in the middle of the city's diverse range of historical, cultural, leisure and shopping activities**. Whether you're visiting for business or pleasure, you'll be sure to enjoy a high-quality stay in Palma. Modern and functional accommodation is complemented by services that are tailored to the needs of every guest, such as dining and spa facilities.

• Hotels that caress the sea

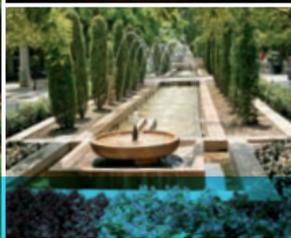
In Palma, a city that looks over the sea, there is no shortage of beachfront hotels. Cala Major, Sant Agustí and Platja de Palma are some of the areas that offer guests the chance to spend a few days combining rest and relaxation with entertainment. Excellent connections to the public bus network provide easy and quick access to the city centre. Palma's beach area hotels and apartments offer high-quality accommodation to fit any pocketbook.

• Charming hotels: places of distinction

There are an increasing number of charming hotels in the city. These refined and elegant establishments share a common denominator –excellence. Restored palatial houses and minimalist hotels combine their distinctive aesthetic with excellent dining to provide **a unique experience for everyone who visits**.



Palma Beach Hotel Association www.playadepalma.net
Palma de Mallorca Hotel Association www.visit-palma.com



Let yourself be swept away

So you don't feel lost when you get to Palma, we have put together **seven guided tours** to help you discover all the city's special features. We'll go with you, show you around and explain everything to you until your curiosity is satisfied. From **"Monumental Palma"** which offers an overview of the main buildings of the city's historical and artistic heritage to more specific routes such as **"Modernism in Palma"**, **"The Convent of the Capuchin Nuns"**, the **"Jewish Quarter"**, **"Tradition and Modernity: the commercial history of Palma"**, to seasonal tours such as **"Stories and Legends of Palma: A Guided Night Tour"** or **"Nativity Scenes of Palma"**.

And, to help you get your bearings, we also offer a **Tourist Bus** or **Taxi Tour** service to take you comfortably round all the most interesting sites in Palma.

TOURIST BUS

Palma has a tourist bus that lets you visit the city's most characteristic sites. The service allows tourists to enjoy the tour at their own pace as they can get on and off at any stop that catches their fancy at any time while their tickets are valid.

Multilingual: 8 languages, headphones supplied.

Length of route: 1 hour and 20 minutes.

TAXI TOUR

You can also enjoy different tourist routes around Palma by taxi. You can visit the city's most interesting sites or travel in comfort while touring the entire city.



A stroll through history

Patios

Historic Palma is home to more than seventy houses whose unique architecture is expressed through a characteristic patio. These patios contribute to Palma's unique personality and charm. Descriptions recounted by travellers throughout the ages have often focused on the impact of these magical spaces. These patios let us travel back through Palma's history, as we can see examples dating back to the 14th century and going all the way up to the 20th, each of them reflecting the style of their time. For centuries these patios, which were considered semi-public spaces, paid witness to the political, social and romantic goings-on of the people of Palma. Nowadays, despite the disappearance of Palma's urban patriciate and the changes in the use of these houses that modernity has imposed, Palma's patios retain their charm.

Churches

A different way to visit the city is through its many churches. Palma is a city rich in religious architecture of predominantly Gothic and Baroque styles. The [Church of San Francisco \(17\)](#), with its spectacular 14th century medieval cloister, stands out among the conventional churches as does the church of the former [Convento de la Misión \(22\)](#), one of the most beautiful examples of Baroque Palma, and then there's the [Church of Santa Clara \(23\)](#); the [Church of Montesión \(18\)](#); Socors... La [Casa Sagrada del Temple \(24\)](#) is one of the smallest and most charming chapels in Palma and the oldest in Mallorca, and is located in the Temple fortress. Other small and lovely chapels to visit are the Chapel of [San Juan del Hospital \(25\)](#) in the seaside neighbourhood of La Lonja, and the 14th century [Chapel of San Lorenzo \(26\)](#), also known as the [Crypt of Santa Cruz \(4\)](#), located in the parish church of the same name. The five parish churches of the old quarter also deserve a visit: [San Jaime \(27\)](#), [Santa Eulalia \(10\)](#), [San Miguel \(28\)](#), [San Nicolás \(29\)](#) and [Santa Cruz \(4\)](#). and last but not least, we cannot forget the [Cathedral \(A\)](#), the flagship of Mallorcan architecture.



Emblematic buildings

Palma, the city that invites you to discover its buildings steeped in history.

D **City Hall** (Pl. Cort, 1)

The exterior of this building dates from the 17th century and the interior from the 19th. It is located in the Plaza de Cort, the nerve centre of Palma. Originally this was the seat of the *Jurados*, the executive branch of the Kingdom of Mallorca. When the administration changed in the 18th century, the Palma city council inherited the building and the furniture from the former University of the Kingdom. The interior is accentuated by an art gallery, the highpoint of which are the portraits of distinguished gentlemen of the kingdom.

A **Cathedral** (Pl. Almoina, s/n)

Without a doubt the Cathedral de Mallorca is the crowning architectural jewel of the island. If you visit Palma, you can't leave without having seen la Seo – the local name for the cathedral. Besides being one of the most magnificent Gothic cathedrals in Europe, its interior reveals the entire history of Mallorcan art: from its Gothic altarpieces to its famous gold work - the treasure of the cathedral, and something really worth seeing. And don't miss the Baroque altarpieces or the additions of Antoni Gaudí, including his magnificent baldachin in the presbytery. Finally, enjoy the latest additions of Miquel Barceló in the Capilla del Santísimo.

Tel.: +34 902 022 445 // www.catedraldemallorca.info

H **Bellver Castle** (C. Camilo José Cela, 17)

The castle was built all at once in 1300, which gives it a very beautiful and unified appearance. The view from the terraces is spectacular and its circular form makes it a unique example of European Gothic civil architecture.

Tel.: +34 971 735 065 // www.cultura.palma.es



F La Lonja (the fishermen's market) (Pl. Llotja)

La Lonja de Palma presides solemnly over the Paseo Sagrera beside the sea. The beauty that the building radiates outwards - the grand windows with gothic tracery, the gargoyles and saints that flank the building - is reflected within. The unique interior space is accentuated by the fine helical pilasters, like a garden of stone palm trees. La Lonja was built by Guillem Sagrera in the 15th century.

Tel.: +34 971 176 565

B The Almudaina Palace (C. Palau Reial, 20)

This building, which dates back to Roman times, was the residence of the Muslim walis. After the Christian conquest, the Mallorcan king, Jaime II, restored and enlarged it. Of the new construction the salón del tinell is of particular interest - today it is divided into two floors - and the Chapel of Santa Ana is considered to be one of the most beautiful chapels in the city. Also noteworthy is the Torre del Angel (angel's tower) so called because of its weather vane, which is a representation of the archangel Saint Gabriel. King Jaime II ordered its construction in the 14th century.

Tel.: +34 971 214 134 // **Hours:** 10.00 - 18.00 h.

J Arab Baths (C. Can Serra, 7)

This is one of the few examples of Arabic architecture in Palma. The baths date from the 10th to the 12th centuries. They were constructed using older elements, for example recycling capitals from earlier eras (Arab, Byzantine, or Roman). This building and its gardens are integrated into what was the vegetable garden of the Casa Fontirroig.

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Palma is inspiration

Museums

Palma's rich heritage is reflected in its ample offering of museums. They illustrate the trends of today as well as those of the past. From the Museo de Mallorca (Mallorca Museum) which depicts the history of the island, to the Museo de Arte Contemporáneo Es Baluard (Museum of Modern Art), with works by Picasso, Miró, Calder, Magritte, and a selection of the best contemporary Mallorcan art, such as that of Miquel Barceló.

Museums and Exhibition halls:

- E** **Casal Sollerich**
Passeig des Born, 27; Free. // Hours: 11 - 14.00h., 15.30h. - 20.30h. - Sundays and holidays: 11.00 - 14.30h. - Mondays closed.
Buses: 2 and 15 (Ps. des Born), 3, 7 and 50 (Pl. de Joan Carles I) and 46 (Pl. de la Reina)
- G** **Es Baluard. Museum of Modern Art of Palma**
Pl. Porta de Santa Catalina, s/n
// Hours: 10.00h. to 20.00h.
Sundays: 10.00h. to 15.00h.
Buses: 1, 2, 3, 7, 20, 29, 46, 50
- M** **Fundació "la Caixa"**
Pl. Weyler, 3; Free. // Hours: 10 - 21h. - Sundays and holidays: 10 - 14h. - Mondays closed.
Buses: 3, 7 and 15 (Pl. des Mercat) and 50 (Pl. Juan Carlos I)
- N** **Fundació Pilar i Joan Miró**
C. Joan de Saridakis, 29 // Hours: 16/05 to 15/09; 10.00 - 19.00h. - 16/09 to 15/05: 10.00 - 18.00h. - Sundays and holidays: 10.00 - 15.00h. - Mondays closed.
Buses: 46 and 50 (C. Joan de Saridakis).
- I** **Museum of Modern Spanish Art. Fundació Joan March**
C. Sant Miquel, 11; Free. // Hours: 10.00 - 18.30h. - Saturdays: 10.00 - 14.00h. - Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 46 and 50
- 25** **Misericordia Chapel**
C. Misericordia, 2; Free. // Hours: 11.00 - 14h. and 17.00 - 20.00h. - Saturdays: 11 - 14h. - Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 3, 7 and 15 (Via Roma s/n and Av. Portugal, 7)
- O** **Sa Nostra Cultural Centre**
C. Concepció, 12; Free. // Hours: Monday to Friday: 10.30 - 13.30h and 17 - 20h Saturdays, Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 2, 3, 46, 7 and 50 (Av. Jaume III)

- H** **Municipal History Museum (Bellver Castle)**
C. Camilo José Cela, 17
www.cultura.palma.es
Buses: 50 (Castillo Bellver), 3 and 46 (C. Joan Miró, 16)
- 30** **Cathedral Museum**
Pl. Almoina s/n // **Hours:** November to March; 10 - 15.15h. – April, May and October; 10 - 17.15h. – June to September; 10 - 18.15h. – Saturdays from 10 - 14.15h. – Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 2 (Pl. Cort)
- 31** **Krekovic Museum**
C. Ciutat de Querétaro, 3. // **Hours:** 10.00 - 14.00h. Saturdays, Sundays, holidays and August closed. **Buses:** 12 (C. Caracas, 6A)
- 32** **Diocesan Museum**
C. Mirador, 5 // Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 25 and 50 (Pl. Porta des Camp)
- P** **San Carlos Military Museum**
Dique del Oeste; **Free.** // **Hours:** Tuesdays to Sundays: 10 - 14h. Mondays and holidays closed. **Buses:** 1 (Crta. Dique del Oeste)
- I** **Palau March Museu**
C. Palau Reial, 18
Horario: November to March; 10 - 17h. – April to October; 10 - 18.30h. – Saturdays from 10 - 14h. – Sundays and holidays closed.
Buses: 2 (Pl. Cort), 15 and 25 (Pl. Reina)
- F** **La Lonja**
Pl. Llotja, s/n; **Free.** // **Hours:** 11 - 14h. and 17 - 21h. – Sundays and holidays from 11 - 13.30h. – Mondays closed.
Buses: 15 and 25 (Pl. Reina)
- 2** **Ses Voltes**
C. Dalt murada, s/n; **Free.** // **Hours:** Monday to Friday: 16 - 21h. Saturday 11- 21h. Sunday and holidays closed.
Buses: 15 (Pl. Reina)

Art Galleries

In the many art galleries hidden throughout the city you can enjoy some of the most innovative designs in contemporary art today. There are **27 galleries** in which you can discover new talent and get a closer look at the culture of the island. Palma is a city that invites you to be creative.

Associations:

- **Independent Association of Balearic Art Galleries (AIGAB)**

C. Montcades, 4 **Tel.:** +34 639 621 088

maneuart@maneuart.com // galeria@gabrielvanrell.com

- **Art Palma**

C. Pelaires, 5 **Tel.:** +34 971 723 696 // sala@pelaires.com



Palma in 1, 2, 3 days

First day

• Morning

On the morning of the first day we'll discover a city open to the sea. For a Mallorca style visit, we'll start at the Plaza de la Reina, and stroll through the [s'Hort del Rei gardens \(1\)](#) then follow the old city walls. At the foot of the imposing [Gothic cathedral \(A\)](#) there is a panoramic view of the Parc de la Mar, the [Ses Voltes cultural space \(2\)](#) and the bay. We'll end up at the [Palacio de la Almudaina \(B\)](#), the [Palacio Episcopal \(C\)](#). Palau Reial Street takes us to the Plaza de Cort, where we'll find the emblematic [city hall \(D\)](#). From there we'll head towards the Born, meandering through some of the city's unique shopping streets. The Born is a pleasant street filled with elegant shops. We'll stroll on to visit the exhibitions and the tourist information office at the beautiful [Casal Solleric \(E\)](#). Heading towards the sea we'll arrive at [the fishermen's market \(F\)](#), winding up the lovely route through the area at the crypt and museum of the [Church of Santa Cruz \(4\)](#).

• Afternoon / evening

For lunch or dinner you can choose from a wide selection of eateries in Llotja, Born and Porta de Santa Catalina.

Afterwards, one option would be to combine some shopping on Unió street, la Plaza de Weyler and Jaume III with a visit to the [Es Baluard Museum of Modern Art \(G\)](#). You could alternately take the tourist bus to the [Bellver Castle \(H\)](#); rising from the west, this old giant has protected Palma since the 14th century.

To discover the Palma's nightlife, we recommend dining in the always lively Paseo Marítimo.



Second Day

• Morning

Immerse yourself in the culture of Palma. We'll start with a visit to the majestic **Palau March (I)** and its lovely museum. Afterwards we'll set off towards the manor house **Can Marqués (5)**, a trip into a fascinating past. After taking a closer look at the patios de **Can Oms (6)**, **Can Bordils (7)** and **Can Olesa (8)**, we come to the **Arab Baths (J)**, and truly experience the city's history. The **Church of Santa Eulalia (10)** is set in a plaza of the same name, close to the **Casal de Can Vivot (11)**, from there we'll move on to the emblematic Plaça Major, stopping to take in the modernist facades of **Can Forteza (12)** and **El Àguila (13)**.

• Afternoon / evening

For lunch we can stop in any of the delightful restaurants near the popular **Mercado del Olivar (L)**.

The number 3 bus will take us to the must-see **Fundació Pilar i Joan Miró (N)**. Another option is to shop along the way from the Ramblas to the Plaça d'Espanya, stopping to recharge at a café and maybe a visit to the old **Gran Hotel (M)** (a modernist jewel), the façade of the **Palacio de Justicia (14)**, **Casa Casasayas (15)** and the **Museum of Modern Spanish Art (16)**. For dinner the fashionable Santa Catalina neighbourhood is the place to go.



Third Day

• Morning

A perfect day for a guided tour of the Jewish quarter, and/or the commercial history of Palma.

As you wish, we can mix and match shopping, art galleries and history. Embarking from the Plaza de Cort we walk to the Plaza de [San Francisco \(17\)](#), to visit the church of the same name. Continuing onwards we arrive at the Sa Gerreria neighbourhood, where in the Paseo por la Artesanía craftspeople make and sell their wares. Wandering on, we stumble across the absorbing exteriors of El Temple, the plaza and [Church of Sant Jeroni \(18\)](#), the [Church of Montesión \(19\)](#), the [Crianza courtyards \(20\)](#) and [Can Catlar \(21\)](#).

• Afternoon / evening

The number 15 bus (Porta des Camp) takes us to the seaside Portitxol and Es Molinar neighbourhoods, where first class fresh seafood is on offer.

We'll take advantage of this opportunity to do any last-minute shopping and visit some of the art galleries in the city.

If you want to see Palma from a different and fun perspective, why not go on a bike or Segway outing?

For information and reservations:

- [Belori Bike](#) Tel: +34 971 490 358
- [Bicisport](#) Tel: +34 971 401 594
- [Palma On Bike](#) Tel: +34 971 718 062
- [Rent a Bike](#) Tel: +34 971 401 821
- [Segway](#) Tel: +34 605 666 365

For dinner, head down to the Paseo Mallorca - [Jaume III](#), another of Palma's culinary centres par excellence.

A narrow street in Palma de Mallorca, with a white bicycle leaning against a stone wall. The bicycle has brown handlebars and a black tire. The wall is made of large, light-colored stone tiles. In the background, a narrow alleyway leads to a building with a balcony.

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Sports

Everyone, tourists as well as locals, have access to free bicycles. Park your car and pick up your bikes at the toll booth in certain municipal parking garages.
Park and Ride.  +34 902 102 365.



Healthy Holidays

In Palma there are limitless sporting opportunities. If you want to try something new, discover a new sensation, on the 5 beaches you can try one of today's most popular sports: **beach football, beach volleyball, windsurfing, kitesurfing, canoeing, jet skiing or water skiing.** If you are a marine life aficionado, try **fishing or scuba diving** to get a true taste of the beauty of the Mediterranean. Palma is also a **football, tennis and basketball** city, with frequent high level sporting events.

Playing **golf** on one of the sensational courses in the middle of nature is another one of the many options that you'll find on Palma de Mallorca. **For more information** about golfing or Son Vida Golf, Son Muntaner Golf, Golf Son Quint, Golf Park Puntiró or Golf Son Gual **call the Balearic Golf Course Association**, acgm@mallorcagolfisland.com

The bay of Palma is an ideal place for **nautical sports**, one of the reasons why Palma is a key location for important sporting events year-round –the SAR Princess Sophia Trophy, Palmavela, Copa S.M. El Rey, and many more.

The marinas and nautical clubs in Palma are:

- [Escuela Nacional de Vela Calanova](#) Tel.: +34 971 402 512
- [Club de Mar](#) Tel.: +34 971 403 611
- [Pantalán del Mediterráneo](#) Tel.: +34 971 458 211
- [Marina Port de Mallorca](#) Tel.: +34 971 289 693
- [Real Club Náutico de Palma](#) Tel.: +34 971 726 848
- [Club Náutico Portitxol](#) Tel.: +34 971 242 424
- [Club Marítimo Molinar de Levante](#) Tel.: +34 971 249 460
- [Club Náutico Cala Gamba](#) Tel.: +34 971 261 849
- [Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa](#) Tel.: +34 971 745 076



Beaches

One City. Five beaches.

Palma extends along both sides of the bay. There are 5 beaches and 8 swimming areas, long sandy areas, and crystal clear water for you to take in the sun or the sound of the waves washing ashore. Platja de Palma (Palma Beach), Cala Major, Can Pere Antoni, Ciutat Jardí, Can Pastilla and Cala Estància are some of the beaches where you can be sure to find the facilities you need to guarantee a comfortable and unforgettable holiday. All of these beaches can be reached by public transportation.

• Cala Major-Sant Agustí

Recently improved and enlarged, this beach is in one of the most popular areas in Palma. This charming beach draws a very varied crowd of sun and fun seekers at all times of the year. This cove is protected from winds from the north, the coldest of the winter winds.

Buses: 46 and 3.

• Platja de Palma (Palma Beach)

Almost 6 kilometres long and 40 meters wide, this fine white sand beach with crystal waters has lifeguards, refreshment stands, showers, beach cleaning and many other services to make your stay more enjoyable.

Buses: 15, 23, 25, 31, 52, 21

• Isla de Cabrera (Palma Municipal Area). Paradise within reach.

This island and other contiguous islets were declared a national maritime park in 1991. Located off the southern coast of Mallorca, its amazing natural beauty is made up of a series of gorgeous coves, with only one cove on the east side.

How can you get to Cabrera?

Excursions a Cabrera: + 34 971 649 034

Marcabrera: +34 971 656 403

Trip time: a little over an hour. (It's a good idea to make reservations). If you want to visit the island on your own, you need to get permission. Permits are issued by the Park Administration, **for information go to:** <http://reddeparquesnacionales.mma.es/parques>



Restaurants and Nightlife

In a city soaked with Mediterranean influence, like Palma, it is almost obligatory that you take advantage of the **excellent local cuisine**. Classic recipes made with the exquisite fruits of the sea and countryside have been the source of inspiration for dishes like tumbet or frit, among others. And you'll find over 1,000 restaurants with **a wide variety of fare from all over the world**.

The most popular restaurants areas are the following:

Nucli antic / Old quarter

Palma's casco antiguo (old quarter) is the biggest in Europe, so there are also quite a few bars, cafés and restaurants to be found here, ranging from the traditional to the avant-garde. The variety of styles on offer is noteworthy too: Mallorcan, Mediterranean, international, Italian, Basque, Galician, regional and seasonal foods are the most the predominant types. Let's not forget the tapas and the creative pinchos (small snacks). To round things off you can finish with a delicious traditional ice-cream or a chocolate with ensaimadas (a Mallorcan pastry). **Buses:** 2, 46 and 15.

Passeig marítim

There is a large concentration of restaurants with different culinary styles here. There is an abundance of Mediterranean and Italian restaurants and also pizzerias and paella restaurants. There is also exquisite Chinese and Indian cuisine. In Monsenyor Palmer street you can try Mexican or Japanese food. Passeig Marítim is also the place to find numerous night spots.

Buses: 1, 41 and 50.

La Llotja - Born - Porta de Santa Catalina

The Passeig del Born also has quite a few Mediterranean style restaurants and cafés where delicious sandwiches and pa amb oli (bread with oil) are done well. The streets Sant Feliu and Apuntadors branch off of the Passeig, where you can find vegetarian, international, French, Mallorcan and Mediterranean cuisine, in addition to tapas and other assorted dishes. In the Plaza la Llotja, there are also pizzerias, Basque taverns, and seafood restaurants. In the Avda. de l'Argentina you'll find seafood, Chinese, paellas, Italian and Galician restaurants.

Buses: 46, 15 and 50.

Passeig de Mallorca - Jaume III

This is another culinary centre par excellence in Palma, quantitatively as well as qualitatively. The specialties on offer include Mediterranean, international, Basque, Spanish, Mallorcan, Chinese, Italian and grilled and seasonal dishes.

Bus: 2.



Santa Catalina - Pl. del progrés

This has become one of the most popular areas for restaurants and cafés. The possibilities are many: tapas and pa amb oli, Argentinean, Italian, Mallorcan, Asturian, Japanese, African, Mediterranean and grill restaurants. In the Plaza del Progrés there are also Mexican, vegetarian and Vietnamese restaurants. **Buses:** 3, 5, 46, 41 and 50.

Mercat de l'Oliver

Near the Mercado Municipal (central marketplace) in the centre of Palma there are also many restaurants with Mediterranean and seasonal specialities. Also on offer: pizzas, salads, hamburgers, kebabs, sandwiches, and an assortment of tapas and pinchos. **Buses:** 17, 23 and 41.

Es Molinar - Portixol

This area of the Bay of Palma has a long tradition of serving fresh seafood, stews and rice dishes. On the promenade that borders the sea there are restaurants with terraces that offer Mediterranean cuisine, exquisite tapas and pa amb oli. In Capitán Ramonell Boix street you can also taste the cuisine of Andalusia. **Buses:** 15, 18, 28 and 30.

Ciutat Jardí

Some of the most popular seafood restaurants hide in this seaside neighbourhood. The fish is fresh and usually grilled; Mediterranean, Mallorcan, paellas and upscale food reign here. Tapas and pa amb oli are also available with a view of the sea.

Buses: 15, 18, 28 and 30.

Gènova

This neighbourhood, on the hill behind Bellver Castle is renowned for its Mallorcan and Mediterranean food as well as excellent meat dishes. In the last few years, Columbian and Scandinavian cuisine have been added to the repertoire. **Bus:** 46.

Other areas

On the road to Establiments there are more large restaurants that offer Mallorcan and Mediterranean cuisine. Otherwise, in Portopí there is a wider selection, running the gamut from international to North American food, pizzerias, Chinese restaurants, and Spanish taverns.



Shopping and tourism

Here's another way to get to know the city: stroll about shopping either in the **main exclusive shopping district** or through the **small traditional shops** where you'll discover hundreds of years of tradition and authentic products from the island. You can **relax on a terrace** and contemplate the hustle and bustle of day-to-day life, or you can get lost in the labyrinths of **history-filled alleyways**. This is really the way to get to know the true spirit of this cosy, charming city on the Mediterranean.

- **The most exclusive shops in town**

Plaza Weyler - Calle Unió - Plaza Joan Carles I - Avenida Jaume III

- **The most traditional and charming area**

Plaza de España - Calle Sant Miquel - Mercado del Olivar - Plaza Mayor - Calle Oms - Las Ramblas

- **Historic route through the foundations of the city and its commerce**

Plaza Cort - Calle Colom - Calle Argenteria - Plaza Sant Francesc - Plaza Llorenç Bisbal - Paseo por la Artesanía - Plaza de Salvador Coll - Via Sindicat - Porta de Sant Antoni

- **Exquisite area of streets soaked in history**

Plaza Cort - Calle Jaume II - Calle Sant Domingo - Calle Sant Nicolau - Calle Paraires - Paseo del Borne - Calle Apuntadors - Plaza de la Llotja - Avenida Antoni Maura - Plaza de la Reina