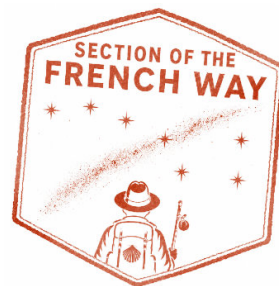


French Way Sections

SELF-GUIDED FROM BURGOS TO LEÓN

Walk 182 km over 12 days / 11 nights in carefully selected guesthouses and 2 to 4 star hotels.



BURGOS → LEÓN

Walk 182 km (113 miles) along the French Way from Burgos to León. This journey across the vast Meseta, with its open horizons, wheat fields and quiet villages, is one of the Camino's most contemplative sections. Leave Gothic Burgos and follow ancient tracks through Hontanas, Castrojeriz, Frómista and the Tierra de Campos before arriving in León. Romanesque churches, medieval bridges and historic pilgrim towns punctuate the route, while the broad landscape offers space to settle into the rhythm of walking. Travel independently, staying in selected guesthouses and 2 to 4 star hotels, with daily luggage transfers and trusted local support. Premium accommodation upgrades can be arranged where the route and availability allow.

— IDEAL FOR —

The Camino at
its most spacious and contemplative

For walkers drawn to open landscapes, long horizons and the steady rhythm of the Meseta.

From **€1980**

Base price per person for two people sharing a twin or double room

EXTRAS

- Half-board upgrade — €440 per person
- Single room supplement — €1320

Subject to availability and final confirmation.

— WHAT'S INCLUDED —

- ◆ En-suite accommodation in carefully selected guesthouses and 2 to 4 star hotels
- ◆ Daily breakfast at your accommodation
- ◆ Luggage transfer from accommodation to accommodation, one piece per person up to 20 kg
- ◆ Transfers between the Camino route and accommodation where the accommodation is not directly accessible on foot
- ◆ Ultreya Pilgrim Kit delivered to your first accommodation, including an official Pilgrim Passport (Credential), luggage tags, a scallop shell and practical Camino essentials
- ◆ Detailed Camino guidebook, one per room

- ◆ Local emergency support by WhatsApp, telephone and SMS during your tour
- ◆ Personalized Google Maps walking route, available on your smartphone

NOT INCLUDED

- ◆ Travel to and from the starting point of the journey
- ◆ Lunches & dinners
- ◆ Travel and medical insurance
- ◆ Personal expenses and gratuities

WHAT TO EXPECT ON THIS TOUR?

This section from Burgos to León immerses you in the Meseta and Tierra de Campos. Balanced stages, quiet villages and historic Camino landmarks create a deeply rewarding journey through a landscape whose beauty lies in its scale, simplicity and changing light.



Cross the vast Meseta and the changing fields of the Tierra de Campos



Discover Romanesque churches, medieval bridges and historic pilgrim towns



Walk from Gothic Burgos to León at your own pace, with trusted local support

01 Find Your Rhythm on the Meseta

This is a self-guided journey, allowing you to experience a section of the French Way at the rhythm that suits you best. Daily stages are carefully balanced, with time to rest, explore and connect with the remarkable places you pass through. There is no set walking schedule—you decide when to start, where to pause and how to enjoy each day on the Camino.

02 Stay Somewhere Special

Stay in welcoming guesthouses and carefully selected 2 to 4 star hotels, chosen for their character, comfort and location. Each main part of the journey includes an exceptional historic stay, perhaps in a Parador, medieval monastery or converted palace. Where your accommodation is not directly on the Camino, the necessary transfers are included.

03 Taste Castile and León Along the Way

A hearty breakfast is included each morning. Dinners are not included, giving you the freedom to discover local restaurants and the traditional cooking of Castile and León, including regional cheeses, morcilla, roast dishes and local wines. Please advise us of any dietary requirements in advance so we can recommend suitable options.

Make It Your Own

Add extra nights in Burgos or León, shorten selected stages or request particular hotels. We can also arrange private transfers, guided visits, or food and wine experiences to personalize your journey.

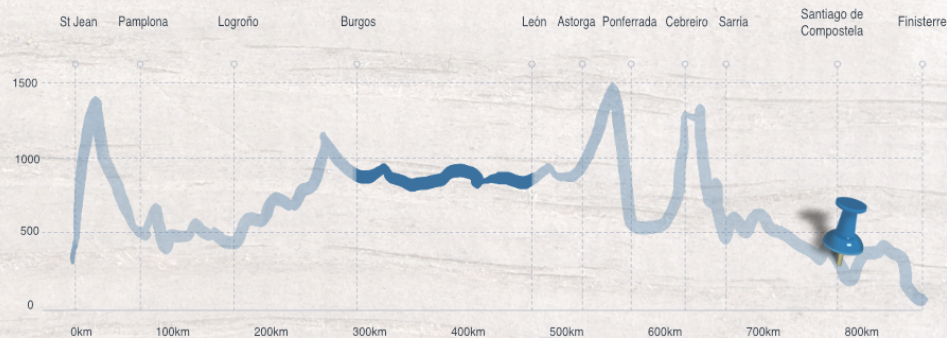


French Way Sections Day by Day Itinerary



Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port - Santiago de Compostela - Finisterre

Camino Francés - 775 km + 88 km



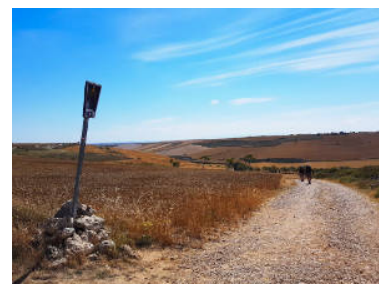
Day 1 - Make your way to Burgos

Welcome to the UNESCO World Heritage City of Burgos! This splendid City is home to one of the most magnificent Gothic Cathedrals and the final resting place of the Spanish national hero El Cid.

Spend the afternoon discovering this beautiful city, enjoying its world famous dishes including Morcilla (black pudding) & cordero lechal asado (succulent roast lamb) and relaxing in your hotel next to the Cathedral.

Day 2 - Walk 21 km (13 miles) from Burgos to Hornillos del Camino

You are entering the Meseta, a vast, mostly flat plateau in the heart of Spain, around 700 m above sea level. The Camino is said to unfold in three stages: physical, mental and spiritual. During the first week, your body gradually adapts to the effort. By the Meseta, your legs and back are stronger—but the varied landscapes, shade, fountains and frequent villages give way to long, exposed stretches. No less beautiful, the Meseta presents a different challenge: a time for introspection, mental resilience and strengthening your will.





Day 3 - Walk 20 km (12 miles) from Hornillos del Camino to Castrojeriz

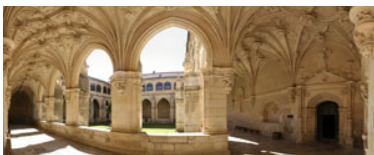
We are getting deeper into the Meseta and the vast Castilla y León region. Today's walk is one of our favorite sections as it offers some of the most striking and memorable landscapes of the French Way. There will be resting places every 5 km but little shade so leave early. The Jacobean village of Hontanas appears as a welcome and unexpected oasis in the middle of the Castilian deserts and we enjoy discovering beautiful Castrojeriz, its 9th century castle and 13th century Collegiate church.

Day 4 - Walk 25 km (16 miles) from Castrojeriz to Frómista

Welcome to Tierra de Campos, a rich agricultural region once considered the breadbasket of the Roman Empire! Until Hospital de Órbigo, you will walk through endless green and gold fields with practically no relief, few towns and limited services. Yet this vast plain still has plenty to offer pilgrims who accept the challenge of the Meseta. Enjoy spectacular views from Alto de Mostelares, pass an old Roman mica mine and finish with 6 refreshing kilometers beside the historic Canal de Castilla before reaching Frómista.



Day 5 - Walk 21 km (13 miles) from Frómista to Carrión de los Condes



This is our first day of perfect flatness on the French Way and it feels quite monotonous, especially as the Camino runs parallel to a small road all day long. This is unless you follow our digital map, add 1 km to your journey and take the Villovieco detour from Población de Campos. This way, half the day will be along a pretty riverside path shaded by trees. You will be rewarded on arrival in Carrión de los Condes with the most interesting town between Burgos and León and a night in a 4* hotel inside the renovated Royal Monastery of San Zoilo, a former 10th century pilgrim hospital with an outstanding Renaissance cloister.

Day 6 - Free time in Carrión de los Condes

You have a full day to rest your tired legs, enjoy your 4* hotel in the Royal Monastery of San Zoilo and discover all that the great town of Carrión de los Condes has to offer.

Go for a long walk in the old town and make sure to visit the Church of Santiago, famous for its splendid Pantocrator. Before you leave the hotel, ask the hotel clerk to let you visit the Renaissance cloister, a genuine ornamental and technical wonder by Juan de Badajoz, and visit the whole building.





Day 7 - Walk 24 km (15 miles) from Carrión de los Condes to Ledigos

The Camino crosses the broad plains of the Meseta, where the immense sky and open horizon create one of the route's most distinctive landscapes. This stage follows a long, quiet track with few villages or shaded places, so carry sufficient water and food. The spacious landscape encourages a steady rhythm and a more reflective way of walking before you reach the small pilgrim village of Ledigos.

Day 8 - Walk 16 km (10 miles) from Ledigos to Sahagún

Continue across the Tierra de Campos, following quiet tracks between fields and small villages. The open landscape may appear simple, yet its changing light, distant church towers and wide horizons give this section a character unlike anywhere else on the Camino. Your destination is Sahagún, an important medieval pilgrim town where the French Way reaches its geographical halfway point.



Day 9 - Walk 18 km (11 miles) from Sahagún to El Burgo Ranero

We consider the Agricultural Revolution, when our ancestors started dominating agriculture 10,000 years ago, the dawn of civilization. So why do we feel like we are leaving civilization behind the longer we walk through the farmlands of the Meseta? The distances between towns are increasing and there are no more distractions. Only the most determined pilgrims continue in these lands and an occasional car may interrupt the solitude. If you choose the Calzada Romana, you will walk 17 km without seeing a house or a fountain. This is the best moment for introspection.



Day 10 - Walk 19 km (12 miles) from El Burgo Ranero to Mansilla de las Mulas

We continue advancing through El Páramo, with a landscape similar to the previous days: flat terrain and extensive cereal fields. Today, almost the entire stage takes place along dirt paths created for pilgrims, and maintained by the thousands of feet who walk by each year. The region has planted some trees so for once we enjoy a bit of shade. The only break from the flatness today is Reliegos after 13 km, where we find some bars and shops so make sure you have enough food and water before leaving El Burgo Ranero. Your destination for the day is the walled town of Mansilla de las Mulas.





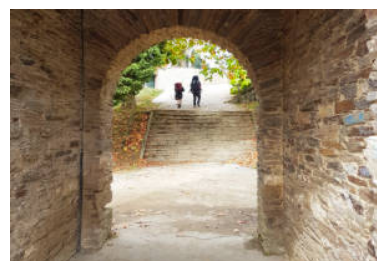
Day 11 - Walk 18 km (11 miles) from Mansilla de las Mulas to León

After crossing the Meseta, you will be rewarded with an evening in the beautiful city of León. Take time to discover its remarkable cathedral, the Romanesque treasures of San Isidoro and the lively tapas bars of the Barrio Húmedo. The historic Hostal de San Marcos, now home to the Parador de León, is also well worth visiting.

Day 12 - Start of your next adventure

You have accomplished this challenge and reached León, but there are still over 310 km left to reach Santiago de Compostela, the end of the Camino de Santiago and the resting place of the Apostle Saint James.

We hope this section of the French Way has brought you whatever you were looking for and that it made you want to discover more of the Camino and Northern Spain.



How to book

Booking with Ultreya Tours is simple and personal. We are here to take care of every detail.

1. GET IN TOUCH



Tell us your preferred travel dates, the number of people and any special requests.

2. WE PREPARE YOUR PROPOSAL



We'll confirm availability and send you a personalized proposal.

3. SECURE YOUR BOOKING

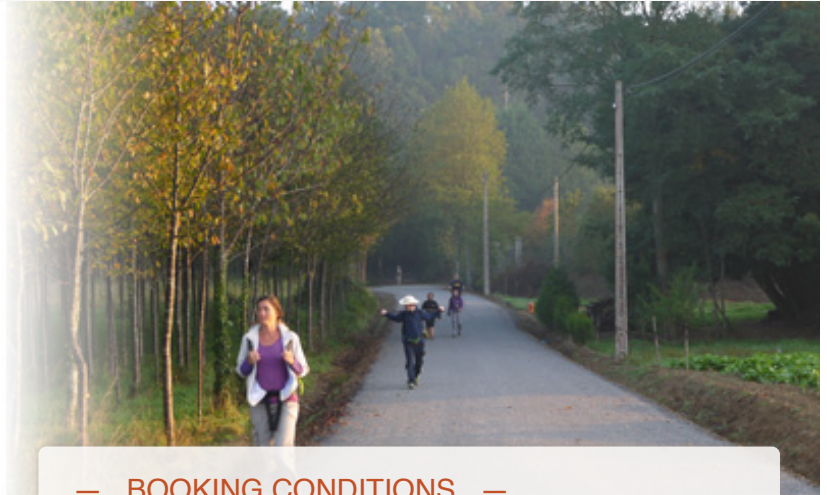


To confirm your booking, a 50% non-refundable deposit is required.

4. GET READY & ENJOY



We'll take care of the details. You just prepare for the journey!



— BOOKING CONDITIONS —

- ◆ **DEPOSIT** A 50% non-refundable deposit of the total invoiced amount is required to confirm your booking.
- ◆ **BALANCE** Balance due 30 days before the start of your tour.
- ◆ **AMENDMENTS** Changes to dates, accommodations or services are subject to availability and may incur costs.
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PERSONAL SERVICE. We're a small team, and we care about every detail. Every journey is handled with genuine care.



OUR PASSION. The Camino is our way of life. We love sharing it with fellow pilgrims.

Based in Galicia. Dedicated exclusively to the Camino.

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Your Booking

A booking is confirmed once we have received the required deposit and issued written confirmation. The person making the booking confirms that they are authorized to accept these conditions on behalf of all travelers included in the booking.

Prices & Inclusions

Your quoted price includes only the services expressly listed in your itinerary or booking confirmation, such as accommodation, specified meals, transfers, luggage transfers, guides, VAT, and other stated services.

Unless specifically included, prices do not cover flights, rail tickets, travel to or from the starting point, lunches, drinks, travel insurance, personal expenses, optional activities, or services not listed in your itinerary.

All prices are quoted and invoiced in euros (€).

Accommodation & Luggage

Unless otherwise stated, prices are based on two people sharing a twin or double room with private bathroom facilities. A single supplement applies for sole occupancy.

Where luggage transfer is included, this covers one normal-sized bag per person, up to 20 kg, during the walking days shown in your itinerary. Extra, oversized, or overweight luggage may be refused or charged separately.

Payment

A non-refundable 50% deposit is required to confirm your booking. The remaining balance is due no later than 30 days before departure, unless otherwise stated in your booking confirmation.

We accept major credit cards and bank transfers. Any bank, exchange, or payment-provider charges are the traveler's responsibility.

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Requests to amend a confirmed booking must be made in writing and are subject to availability, supplier conditions, and any applicable costs.

If you need to cancel, please notify us in writing as soon as possible. The deposit is non-refundable. Payments beyond the deposit may be refunded where possible, less any non-recoverable supplier costs. No refund is normally available for unused services once travel has started.

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Where a significant change or cancellation is necessary, we will inform you as soon as reasonably possible and offer the options required under applicable law.

Your Responsibilities & Insurance

Travelers are responsible for meeting passport, visa, health, immigration, and entry requirements. Please tell us before booking about any medical condition, mobility limitation, dietary requirement, or other circumstance that may affect safe participation.

Comprehensive travel and medical insurance is strongly recommended, including cancellation, interruption, medical expenses, and emergency assistance.

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