

"Santa Bárbara" Residence

LOCATION

Avda. Asturias 22 24008 León

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FACILITIES

BBQ, swimming pools, children park Terrace, cafeteria, mess hall, Parking lot, laundry



19 twin rooms 6 double rooms 10 single rooms 1 adapted room



















ACTIVITIES

The capital city, León, has some of the most spectacular monuments in Spain:

The gothic Cathedral with the most beautiful stained glasses in Europe, the Romanesque frescoes in the "Colegiata de San Isidro", known as the "Romanesque Sixtine Chapel", and the beautiful Plateresque façade, San Marcos Hospital.

Nevertheless, what you will find most attractive is the city life, making out of the "tapas" a ritual, in Barrio Humedo. It is advisable to get lost around the intricate street net in the Old City and the Jewish Quarter. Among its alleys, there are three squares: Plaza Mayor, arcaded and with the building of the old City Hall; Plaza de las Palomas,

there are three squares. Plaza Mayor, arcaded and with the building of the old City Hall; Plaza de las Palomas, with unique buildings and a map-guide of the city made in bronze; Plaza del Grano, preserving the medieval charm and where the pilgrim hostel is situated.

A relaxing visit to the Cathedral is a must to watch the visually light shapes of the stained glasses with a unique beauty among the Spanish cathedrals.

If you feel like, you can go around it looking for the "vole fur" whose fault, according to the legend the citizens of Leon tell, is the bad foundations of the cathedral.

Not far from the Cathedral, you will find the Romanesque "Colegiata de San Isidoro", the Panteón Real (Royal Pantheon), where the Monarchs from Leon are buried.

Museo Biblico y Oriental (Bible and Eastern Museum), with one of the most important collections of the Mesopotamian civilizations in the world. You cannot leave the city without visiting San Marcos (hostel, convent, hospital and prison whose distinguished prisoner was Quevedo). Close to the river, MUSAC, the Auditorium and the headquarters of Junta de Castilla y León

This residence, due to its location, is perfect to enjoy the city as well as its heritage and gastronomy since we are the Gastronomy European City 2018 "Manjar de Reyes". In its surroundings we can find the city of Astorga, cradle of "Maragateria", the caves of Valporquero, the stunning landscape of "Mádulas" (a big Roman gold deposit), the Hoces de Vegacervera, Picos de Europa, Babia and the close skiing slopes of San Isidro and Pajares, etc.

Its Holy Week has been declared an International Tourist Interest. It dates back to the 16h century, although there are still clear traces preserved from the 13th century.

Santa Bárbara Residence is located 5 minutes far from the city centre of León which you can access going for a pleasant walk.

With good means of communications by road and train (AVE).

You will enjoy your staying in Santa Bárbara" residence for its large choice of activities and its surroundings.

Situation of the residence



Tourism office link

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