
HIGHLIGHTS of DAILY ACTIVITIES – (subject to change based on local conditions)

SeaTac airport: SEA Spot Saver available to general screening passengers. If TSA PreCheck, Checkpoints 1 or 4 to still use PreCheck benefits such as not having to remove their shoes and electronics.

- Day 0** 5/2/2024 Arrive Holiday Inn Express at Bilbao airport
<https://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/gb/en/derio/biobl/hoteldetail>
The shuttle bus picks up at departures terminal on the upper level of Bilbao Airport (3rd floor) every 30 minutes approximately between 05:20 (first departure from the Hotel) to 22:30 (last departure from the airport, level 3).
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- Day 1** 5/3/2024 Transfer to Hotel Torrecerredo, Cabrales Las Arenas (elevation ~500')
~3-4 hour travel time
▫ Pay Hotel Torrecerredo for single supplement (credit card or €280 cash)
▫ Free time
- Day 2** 5/4/2024 Breakfast at Hotel Torrecerredo, 7:30-9:30am
▫ Cueva del Queso de Cabrales (Cheese Cave Museum)
▫ Sheep & Goat farm and Quesería tour
▫ Find shops for lunch additions
Businesses open ~9-10am, typically close between 2-4 or 5pm, open until 7-8pm
- Day 3** 5/5/2024 Breakfast at Hotel Torrecerredo
Briefing from local guide prior to departure
▫ Hike out and back from Hotel Torrecerredo. Foothills of Arenes (~7 hours)
- Day 4** 5/6/2024 Breakfast at Hotel Torrecerredo
Transfer (~45 min) by minivan to Lagos de Covadonga
▫ Visit historic sites
▫ Hike from Covadonga Lakes to Canales village (~5-7 hours)
- Day 5** 5/7/2024 OPEN
- Day 6** 5/8/2024 Breakfast at Hotel Torrecerredo
Transfer (~20 min) by minivan to Poncebos TH (8:15am departure)
▫ Hike Cares Gorge to Caín de Valdeón (~3.5 hr), BYO lunch on tables next to river
▫ Transfer by taxi from Caín to Hotel by road trip through Beyos Gorge with stops at Chorco de Lobos, to see Hórreos of Valdeón and a rest stop for refreshment with viewpoint in the Beyos Gorge
▫ Return to Hotel Torrecerredo by ~5-6pm
▫ Taxi to group dinner at sideria restaurant in Village of Asiego (depart ~7pm)

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- Day 7** 5/9/2024 Breakfast at Hotel Torrecerredo (Check-out of Hotel Torrecerredo)
Transfer (~30 min) by minivan to trailhead (~4200' elevation) near Village of Sotres
- Hike to twin summits of Mancondiu (~5-6 hr)
 - Check-in to Villa de Cabrales hotel
- Day 8** 5/10/2024 Breakfast at Villa de Cabrales hotel
Transfer (~30 min) by minivan to trailhead (elevation ~3000') near Village of Sotres
- Hike to Refugio de la Terenosa (~5-6 hr)
- Day 9** 5/11/2024 Breakfast at Villa de Cabrales (Check out of Villa de Cabrales)
Transfer by minivan to Village of Potes via Río Deva gorge (~1 hr)
- Visit Picos de Europa Interpretive Center (~1-2 hr)
 - Check-in to Casa Cayo hotel in Potes (elevation ~1000')
 - Free time
- Day 10** 5/12/2024 Breakfast at Casa Cayo hotel
Transfer by minivan to Fuente Dé (~30 min)
- Teleférico de Fuente Dé (cable car) to trailhead (from elevation 3600' to 5700')
 - Hike PR-PNPE 23 Horcados Rojos, out-and-back (~5-6 hr)
- Day 11** 5/13/2024 Breakfast at Casa Cayo hotel
Transfer by minivan to Fuente Dé (~30 min)
- Teleférico de Fuente Dé (cable car) to trailhead
 - Hike PR-PNPE 22 to Village of Mongrovejo by way of Los Puertos de Áliva (mountain shelter) and Peña Oviedo (area of tumular Neolithic burials) ~5-6 hr
- Day 12** 5/14/2024 Breakfast at Casa Cayo hotel (Check out of Casa Cayo)
Transfer by minivan to Bilbao (~3-4 hr)
- Check-in to Caserio Urikosolo (AirBnB)
 - AirBnB host will take us to a supermarket, make our own way back to AirBnB
 - Free time
- Day 13** 5/15/2024 DIY Breakfast at Bilbao AirBnB
- Bus tour of Gaztelugatxe, Gernika, and Mundaka (~6 hr), pickup at our AirBnB
 - Farewell group dinner at Basque restaurant
- Day 14** 5/16/2024 DIY Breakfast at Bilbao AirBnB (Check out of Caserio Urikosolo)
AirBnB host will arrange a taxi for our transfer to airport
- Depart

| Trip Day | Trip Date (check-in) | Trip Date (check-out) | Location | Contact information |
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| 7 - 8 | 5/9/2024 | 5/11/2024 | Villa de Cabrales General Highway SN. Sands of Cabrales. Asturias. 33554 - Cabrales | Villa de Cabrales https://www.hotelvilladecabrales.com/ +34 985846719 |
| 9 -11 | 5/11/2024 | 5/14/2024 | Casa Cayo C. Cántabra, 6, 39570 Potes, Cantabria, Spain | Casa Cayo https://casacayo.com/ Tel: +34 942 730 119 E-mail: informacion@casacayo.com |
| 12 - 13 | 5/14/2024 | 5/16/2024 | Caserio Urikosolo (Urikosolo Farmhouse) Carretera Artxanda-Santo Domingo Errepidea, 24, 48015 Bilbo, Bizkaia | Antonia García Torres (owner/manager) https://alojamientobilbao.wordpress.com/ +34 609358935 |