



SPAIN

BARCELONA GOURMET STAY (TOUR CODE: 12375)

STARTS AND ENDS

in Barcelona

TRAVEL PERIODS

01 Nov 24 - 31 Oct 25

EXPERIENCE

Food & Wine
City Stays

TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

Explore Barcelona's must see sights, relish in a culinary explosion of Catalonia and learn how to cook the exquisite Spanish paella.

Highlights

- Learn how to cook a traditional **Spanish seafood Paella!**
- Try the delicious **Spanish tapas**, small snacks now popular all over the world
- Enjoy a private tour of a gourmet **winery in Penedés**

Barcelona is renowned for its mesmerizing buildings, which seem to come straight out of a fairytale, but there is so much more to this wonderful city: besides a fascinating architecture and wonderful gardens, Barcelona also offers authentic local food from the small appetizers "Tapas" to the well-know Paella.

You'll also go on a private excursion to visit and taste some local wines in Penedes. Get awestruck by the city's awe-inspiring countryside.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support

- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

INCLUSIONS

- 4 nights in Barcelona at Derby Hotel - 4* or similar
- Return Private transfer to/from Barcelona airport or Railway Station
- Daily Buffer Breakfast
- Private tapas tour dinner (2 hours) accompanied by a local person
- Spanish Paella dinner in a local restaurant
- Private sightseeing of Barcelona (2 hours) with English-speaking driver
- Shared Group: Cooking class
- Private excursion 5 hours with driver-guide to winery area in Penedes

ITINERARY

Day **1**

Barcelona

Welcome to Barcelona. Upon arrival, private transfer by a luxury car with an English speaking driver.

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.



Day **2**

Barcelona

After Buffet breakfast, enjoy a **private sightseeing tour for 2 hours** with an English-speaking driver.

Meet the driver in your hotel and, by the end of this tour, you will have gained complete vision of the city and highlights of Barcelona, a cosmopolitan Mediterranean city. We will visit the Ramblas, Olympic port, Columbus monument and then on to the Montjuïc Mountain, where you will be able to see the Olympic Stadium and Sant Jordi Palace. We will arrive to Sagrada Família (entrance fees not included) to admire the façade of a unique creation that has become Barcelona's most universal symbol. We will finish in the gothic quarter where you can stroll through the narrow streets and local shops.

Later, you will enjoy a **Private tapas tour**, wine & market experience for dinner. The most inescapable element of Spanish cuisine is tapas, small snacks now popular all over the world. In all of Spain's cities, towns and villages you will find bars, taverns, and even entire neighborhoods, specialized in tapas. Spending a day trying different tapas is the ideal way to experience Spanish culture. You will be escorted by a food and wine expert guide who will point out little-known cultural and

gastronomic landmarks during the tour, as well as telling stories and answering queries, thus enriching and enlivening your experience of this vibrant and flavorful city.

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast, Dinner



Day 3

Barcelona

After buffet breakfast, the morning is at leisure to enjoy the city.

In the afternoon, you will learn how to cook the most famous Spanish dishes: **traditional seafood Paella**. Visit La **Boqueria market** with the chef to buy ingredients, and take a walk through the old town. Sample some tasty tapas, make sangria, and watch as the chef prepares a paella de marisco for you to enjoy.

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



Barcelona Penedés Barcelona

Buffet breakfast and **enjoy a private tour of 5 hrs to the gourmet winery area of Penedés.**

Located in less than an hour from Barcelona, between the plains of the Mediterranean coast and the nearby mountains and discover this region, with its wealth of art, culture and countryside. The region produces worldwide prestigious wines of exceptional quality: Cava (sparkling wine). Visit one of the famous winery with wine tasting in the end. Local flavors that will immerse you, not only in the art of pairing, but also in the local culture and gastronomy.

In the late afternoon, **enjoy a dinner of Spanish paella** in a restaurant with the most privileged views that can be enjoyed from a wonderful terrace overlooking the sea.

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast, Dinner



Barcelona Barcelona Airport

Buffet breakfast and a private transfer from the hotel to the airport.

Breakfast

ACCOMMODATION

Derby Hotel

Barcelona

This exquisite 4-star hotel offers an elegant and quiet setting next to the **Diagonal de Barcelona**, in Les Corts neighborhood, in the heart of the commercial and business area from the city. Its facilities combine modernity and comfort with an original contemporary painting **collection** that is exhibited in the most surprising corners of the hotel.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

Spanish

LOCAL CURRENCY

Euro

- We work with a selection of hotels in each location. All bookings are subject to availability, which means our team will confirm your specific hotels upon confirmation and payment of deposit. The package price is based on 4-star accommodation.

Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package