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Our country and our city



Barcelona an international city

Barcelona, located at the Mediterranean sea in the very north of the Spanish coast, is certainly the most cosmopolitan and economically most active city in this country.

It has always proved its will to be modern, to follow the latest international tendencies or be ahead of them. To the tourist this is evident specially in its architecture, which so well reflects the general approach to life in this always pulsating city.



Mapfre's Towers at the seaside

History and monuments

Barcelona has an old history, and there are monuments of Romanesque, Gothic and Renaissance periods or still before, but the most characteristic is what has been built during the last 100 years.

Barcelona has been a center of Modernist architecture and is distinguished specially by the works of genial Antoni Gaudí, who with his great contemporaries gave new and exciting looks to it, but has remained since then at the top of modernity.



Casa Batlló from Gaudí

Emblematic Sites

Barcelona is known worldwide for its monuments and architecture. Next you can look the most important ones.



Emblematic Sites



BASÍLICA STA. MARIA DEL MAR



Emblematic Sites



LA BOQUERIA



GÒTIC

Emblematic Sites

FONT MÀGICA DE MONTJUIC



LA RAMBLA



CAMP NOU



Culture: Festivities and traditions



Our flag: *senyera*



Castellers



Sant Jordi

Culture:

Festivities and traditions

Catalan culture has got a large tradition. We celebrate different festivities during the year.



Correfocs



La Patum de Berga

SANT JORDI

The legend explains that St. George killed the dragon and saved the princess.

From dragon's blood a rose grew.

We celebrate Sant Jordi on the 23rd April.

We buy roses and books.



CASTANYADA

We celebrate it on the 31st
October.

We eat chestnut and
“Panellets”.

It’s a typical autumn festivity.



GASTRONOMY

Calçots

It's a typical onion. We eat it mixed with sauce.



Cargols a la llauna

There is a lot of variety of snails which are cooked differently.



GASTRONOMY

Esqueixada de bacallà

Cod, tomatos and olives



Pa amb tomàquet

Some bread + some tomato + extra virgin oil and salt



GASTRONOMY

Carquinyolis

It is a typical food in Catalunya.
Carquinyolis are very sweet.



Crema catalana

It's a famous Catalan dessert. It is made with egg yolks, sugar, wheat flour, milk flavored with cinnamon and lemon peel.



BARCELONA IS WAITING FOR YOU

Thanks for your attention