

Andalusia



WHAT'S IN STORE...

Andalusia is famous for its flamenco, fiestas, bullfighting, architecture and food...and it also has the Iberian peninsula's highest mountains. Nearly 15 percent of its terrain is over 1,000 metres, which whilst challenging, makes a stunning setting for a cycle tour!

You'll spend three nights in the town of Ronda, one of the oldest towns in Spain and a haven of culture, before heading over to Antequera, which will be your base for the remainder of the trip, with rides out to its many great reservoirs and vast planes.

You'll enjoy stunning scenery, challenging riding, culture and great food on this amazing cycling journey.



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ITINERARY

A stunning exploration of Southern Spain's Sierras, ancient Cities and Desert landscapes. This is an outline itinerary and options / shorter alternatives will be provided in the detailed information pack ahead of the tour.

Itinerary:

Arrival Day: Arrive to Ronda before getting your bikes set up and ready for 5 great days of riding!

Day 1: Ronda loop (95km, 1800m or 60km, 1200m)

A gorgeous first days riding takes you out to OR the historical town of Olvera via mile after mile of undulating and vast scenery

Day 2: Juzcar (49km/61km/87km 1000m/1450m/1850m)

All three loops today will head out to the unique Town of Juzcar - a typical town of the region with the slight quirk of being entirely painted blue! the terrain is challenging, but jaw-droppingly beautiful!

Day 3: Ronda to Antequera (100km, 1800m) You'll leave Ronda today, heading East to Antequera through the stunning Sierra de las Nieves before riding along the vast Gobantes reservoir.

Day 4: El Torcal (110km, 2200m)

A long loop exploring to the South of Antequera before tackling the famous ascent up to El Torcal. A shorter option is also available for those either wanting to avoid the climb, or do less mileage on their way to the climb.

Day 4: Iznajar reservoir (97km, 1600m) You'll head North East towards the pretty town of Iznajar today, which sits on the banks of the Iznajar reservoir

Day 5 - Siera de Yeguras and Lake Fuente de Piedra (105km, 1000m or 141km/1400m) Today you'll head North to explore the region of Yeguras - a barren and expansive area with towering monoliths all around. For those wishing to venture further, you can head out to the Town of Estepa for the extra KMs and another expansive view!

Departure day - Transfer from Antequera to Malaga airport



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PACKAGE

Package:

- 6 nights twin share accommodation (3 nights in Ronda, 3 nights in Antequera)
- 6 breakfasts
- Airport transfers to / from Malaga airport based on group arrival and departure
- Luggage transfer from Ronda to Antequera
- GPX files for route guidance
- Route notes and lunch reccomendations for each days ride

Price £825pp (twin share - solo occupancy supplement of £345pp)

Bike hire available at additional cost (see separate document)

Based on minimum numbers of 15 £250 deposit due on booking, with balance due 60 days prior to the tour



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HOTELS

We know how important a good night's sleep is when you're on a cycling tour, and the hotels provide a comfortable nights sleep, good food, and in many cases a stunning setting!

Here's where you'll be staying:

Ronda (2 - 5 October) - Catalonia Reina Victoria Hotel Antequera (5 - 8 October) - Antequera Hills









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GROUP FLIGHTS

Arrival day - 2nd October

There will be a transfer from Malaga airport to the hotel in Ronda to coincide with the following flight from Bristol

Easyjet Bristol to Malaga Departs 06:00 Arrives 09:45

Departure day - 8th October

The transfer will depart from the hotel in Antequera for the following return flight to Bristol

Easyjet Malaga to Bristol Departs 14:25 Arrives 16:10





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