

Camino de Fatima (Self Guided)



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This travel plan provides a **day-by-day outline** of a sample trip, giving you a clear idea of what to expect. Keep in mind that this package can be fully **tailored** to your preferences. As a **2024 Traveler's Choice Award winner** on **TripAdvisor**, we're proud to be trusted by hundreds of travelers who praise our **seamless service**, expert **guidance**, and unforgettable **experiences**. Before you set off, take a moment to read some of their stories.



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*There is a Camino for everyone! Photos are for inspiration and may differ from your selected itinerary.

LIZ F.



Walking the french camino is one of the best experiences of my life.

I was a bit anxious before starting my Camino walk but once I was into it , I had a brilliant time.

Follow the Camino planned my trip and everything went seamlessly , so all I had to do was concentrate on walking ! Il be back for sure.

LARA K.



Wonderful all round experience

Follow The Camino delivered on everything they promised with accomodation selection great and transfer of luggage seamless. The actual walk was wonderful and matched or exceeded my expectations. Wouldn't hesitate to use them again for my next Camino. Loved it!!!!

RANDY R.



Follow the Camino Frances

The Camino Frances was the best vacation experience I've ever had. Fitness, new friends, and fantastic country. Highly recommended.

GRETA O.



Follow the Camino with an eighty year old

Follow the Camino was excellent. Hotels included dinner and breakfast. Clean and good food. Luggage transfer seamless. Well done.

ITINERARY



Stage 1 of 1



142km



6 days



Comfort



Easy

Jan

Feb

Mar

Apr

May

Jun

Jul

Aug

Sep

Oct

Nov

Dec

Popular Time

Good Time

Off/Low Season

Not Possible

Overall

Distance:

16 min | 25km average | 30 max

Ascent:

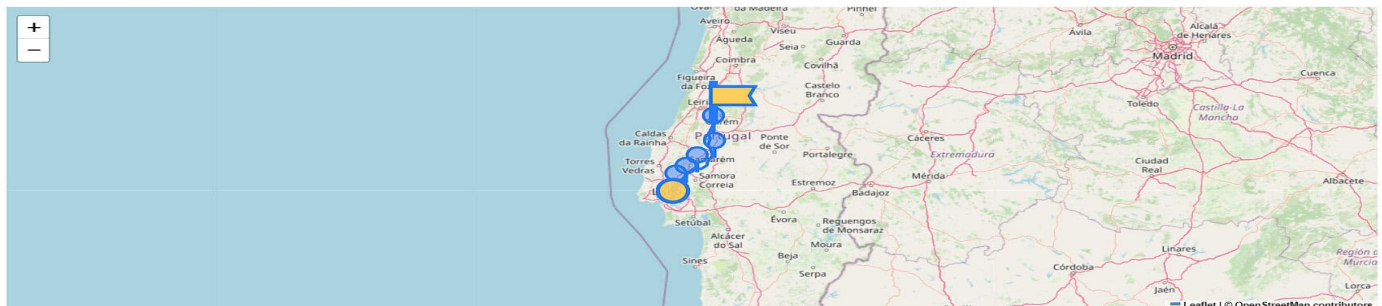
160 min | 800m average | 1200 max

Cardio:

2 3.2 4

The Camino de Fatima is a pilgrimage to the Shrine of Fatima, located in a small town in central Portugal where an apparition of the Holy Mary was claimed to have been sighted. This route is particularly popular on 13 May of each year, as hundreds of thousands of people journey to Fatima from all over the world to commemorate the sighting of Our Lady of Fatima. This 142km trail follows the Camino de Santiago to Santarem where it then diverts to the Shrine of Fatima.

Map



Services

Included in this package

- ✓ Bed & Breakfast
- ✓ Specially Hand-Picked Accommodation
- ✓ Our Holiday or Pilgrim Pack
- ✓ 24/7 On-Call Support
- ✓ Virtual Face-to-Face Pre-Departure Briefing

Add-On

- ⊕ Premium Accommodation
- ⊕ Airport Pick-Up
- ⊕ Additional Nights
- ⊕ Dinners
- ⊕ Luggage Transfers from Hotel to Hotel
- ⊕ Day Tours to Local Sites of Interest

Not included: Flights/trains, Insurance, Drinks/Lunch

Day
1
km

LISBON

Located on the Atlantic Ocean coast and on the banks of the River Tejo, the western-most capital city of Europe is a great place to relax before your trip. Visitors can visit UNESCO World Heritage sites such as the Jeronimo Monastery and Belem Tower amongst other interesting architectural buildings and squares. There are so many things to see and do in Lisbon that visitors have access to a wide array of different experiences.

Day
2
21.5 km

LISBON -> SANTA IRIA DE AZOIA

From Lisbon, the Camino de Fatima follows the Camino de Santiago, all the way to Santarem. Leaving Lisbon is relatively easy as we follow the Tejo river via Parque das Nacoes. Following a farm track through a green valley it's hard to believe you are only few miles away from the heart of Lisbon! The short first walking day soon brings us to Alpriate, where you will be picked up and transferred to your hotel for the night in Santa Iria de Azoia.

Day
3
17.4

SANTA IRIA DE AZOIA -> VILA FRANCA DE XIRA

The Camino leaving Santa Iria follows the Rio Tejo mostly along a flat and busy national road to the colorful and attractive town of Vila Franca de Xira, home of a famous bullfighting festival.

Day
4
19.1

VILA FRANCA DE XIRA -> AZAMBUJA

Leaving Vila Franca de Xira, you travel through a region where bullfighting and horse breeding are part of daily life for generations of locals. The Camino continues parallel to the Tejo River, offering tranquil riverside views across the whole section, before heading inland towards the pleasant town of Azambuja.

Day
5
32.9

AZAMBUJA -> SANTAREM

This walking day brings us to the highest point of this section, at 110 metres, in Santarem, which is also the final stop over of our first stretch of the Portuguese Way. This is a very enjoyable walk as half of the day is spent going through lush crop fields, fruit groves, and vineyards.

Day
6

28.2

SANTAREM -> AMIAIS DE BAIXO

From today you will notice a change in the landscape, with more hills to traverse as you make your way towards the mountain of Serra de Minde. Your stop for the night is in the town of Amiais de Baixo.

Day
7

25.2

AMIAIS DE BAIXO -> FATIMA

Today is your final walk to the Shrine of Fatima. Although a few tough ups and downs to start with today the second half of the day is more gentle terrain. A final stretch on a quiet road passing by eucalyptus trees takes you to Fatima where you will get your first glimpse of the Shrine from here you have about 1km left to walk to the Shrine.

Day
8

km

FATIMA

After breakfast, we bid you farewell. If you would like to continue to Santiago de Compostela get in touch with our Camino Planners to discuss your options for this.

NOTES & QUESTIONS FOR MY CAMINO PLANNER

We know that planning your Camino is a personal journey, and we want to make sure everything is just right for you. Use this space to **jot down your thoughts, questions, and preferences**. Here are some ideas to discuss with your Camino planner:

- Are the daily distances suitable for me, or should I split them into shorter walking days?
- Where would you recommend taking a rest day?
- Would I like to add a tour or special experience along the way?
- Do I need transfers to and from the airport?
- Are there any accommodations I would like to upgrade?
- Would I like luggage transfers for lighter walking days?
- Are there any dietary preferences or special requests I should mention?

Feel free to write down any other thoughts or questions below:

Your Camino planner is here to help make your journey as smooth and enjoyable as possible!

ABOUT US

At Follow the Camino, we are not just a tour operator; we are **passionate Camino enthusiasts** who have been guiding pilgrims **since 2007**. As the first tour operator in Ireland to coordinate walks on the Camino de Santiago, we offer unrivaled expertise in designing **life-changing adventures**.

Don't hesitate to contact us at info@followthecamino.com to request your **personalized itinerary**. We can add rest days or split days to suit your pace, as well as include special day tours or unique activities to **enhance your Camino experience**. Let us help you create the perfect journey tailored to your needs!

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