

Location

Catalonia



Catalonia occupies a triangular area in the northeastern corner of Spain. It is bordered by France and Andorra to the north, the Mediterranean Sea to the east, the autonomous community of Valencia to the south, and the autonomous community of Aragon to the west. The Pyrenees separate Catalonia from France, and to the west the pre-Pyrenees and the Ebro River basin mark the border with Aragon.

Catalonia has a population of more than 7.5 million inhabitants from which almost 70% live in Barcelona metropolitan area. It has an extension of a 32.108km², a little bit bigger than Belgium and a little bit smaller than Switzerland. Catalan territory is mainly hilly but it has more than 500km of coastline. In the north, Pyrenees rise with Catalonia's roof at Pica d'Estats (3.143m).

Language

People in Catalonia are bilingual, since they speak as native language catalan and spanish. In Barcelona the use of spanish is quite noticeable but in rural areas the huge majority speaks catalan as first language. So, here are some words and phrases that can help you at your stay:

English	Catalan	Spanish
Hello	Hola	Hola
Bye	Adéu	Adiós
Goodmorning	Bon dia	Buenos días
Goodevening	Bona tarda	Buenas tardes
Goodnight	Bona nit	Buenas noches
Thank you	Gràcies	Gracias
You're welcome	De res	De nada
How are you?	Com estàs?	Como estás?
Fine / Very good	Molt bé	Muy bien
What is your name	Com et dius?	Como te llamas?
My name is...	Em dic...	Me llamo...
I can't speak catalan/spanish	No parlo català	No hablo español
I don't understand	No ho entenc	No lo entiendo
I need help	Necessito ajuda	Necesito ayuda
I'm lost	Estic perdut	Estoy perdido
Where is the toilet?	On és el lavabo?	Donde está el lavabo?
Excuse me	Perdó	Lo siento
Do you speak English?	Parles anglès?	Hablas inglés?
Can I make a call?	Puc fer una trucada?	Pueda hacer una llamada?
Yes	Sí	Sí
No	No	No
I want this	Vull això	Quiero esto
How much is it?	Quant costa?	Cuánto vale?

Tremp

The project will be held in Tremp, surrounded by the low South Pyrenees Mountains in Catalonia, Spain.

Tremp is the capital of the small region (Comarca) Pallars Jussà

Tremp, the capital of the Pallars Jussà region of Lleida, is located in a setting shaped by the river Noguera Pallaresa. The natural surroundings offer a great many routes and the opportunity to do all kinds of outdoor activities. Tremp sits halfway up the Noguera Pallaresa valley, which forms the backbone running north to south of this enclave in the foothills of the Pyrenees. Its territory covers some thirty small rural towns, which makes it the largest municipality in Catalonia. Its historic quarter, with a medieval layout, has its centre in Plaza de la Creu, site of the City Hall and the church of Santa María de Valdeflors. Also to be seen are several defensive towers which belonged to the city's old wall. The strategic position of Tremp and the beauty of the landscape in the foothills of the Pyrenees make this town an ideal setting for hiking, mountaineering and other outdoor activities, as well as different types of sailing on the Sant Antoni reservoir. Tremp stages its festival in honour of Sant Antoni every 19 January, a celebration with agricultural origins which includes traditional dances and tastings of typical local produce.



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