



Free Time Discoveries in BARCELONA

Casa Milà' – La Pedrera

Casa Milà, also known as *La Pedrera*, is a famous building in Barcelona designed by the renowned architect Antoni Gaudí. Completed in 1912, it is celebrated for its unique, organic design, with undulating stone facades, wrought-iron balconies, and sculptural chimneys. The building was originally intended as a residential apartment complex, but its unconventional architecture made it stand out as a masterpiece of Modernisme (Catalan Art Nouveau). Casa Milà is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and a major attraction for visitors to Barcelona.

Address: Passeig de Gracia, 92 Closest Metro: Diagonal

Opening hours: Monday to Sunday 9am – 8:30pm

Admission fee: 29 Euro, Seniors 19 Euro

<https://www.lapedrera.com/en/>

Casa Batlló'

Casa Batlló is a striking modernist building in Barcelona, designed by Antoni Gaudí and completed in 1906. Known for its vibrant colors, flowing forms, and fantastical details, the building stands out with its dragon-like roof, skeletal balconies, and intricate tilework. Casa Batlló is often referred to as the "House of Bones" due to its organic, skeletal appearance. It is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Gaudí's most iconic creations, showcasing his unique approach to architecture and his ability to blend art, nature, and design.

Address: Passeig de Gracia, 43 Closest Metro: Passeig de Gracia

Opening hours: Monday to Sunday 9am – 7pm

Admission fee: 29 Euro, Seniors 26 Euro

<https://www.casabatllo.es/en/online-tickets/>

Palau de la Musica Catalana

The Palau de la Música Catalana is a stunning concert hall designed by architect Lluís Domènech i Montaner. Completed in 1908, it is a masterpiece of Catalan modernism and is renowned for its elaborate, colorful design. The building features intricate stained glass, mosaics, and sculptures, with the highlight being its breathtaking stained-glass skylight in the concert hall. The Palau is a UNESCO World Heritage Site

and remains an important cultural venue, hosting a variety of performances, including classical music, opera, and flamenco

Address: Calle Palau de la Musica 4-6 Closest Metro: Urquinaona

Opening hours: Monday to Saturday 8.30am – 9pm, Sunday 8.30 am – 3.30 pm

Admission fee: from 18 Euro

<https://www.palaumusica.cat/en/>

Barcelona Cathedral

The Barcelona Cathedral, officially known as the Cathedral of the Holy Cross and Saint Eulalia, is a Gothic masterpiece located in the heart of the city's Gothic Quarter. It was built between the 13th and 15th centuries and serves as the seat of the Archbishop of Barcelona. The cathedral is renowned for its stunning facade, soaring spires, and beautiful interior, which includes a serene cloister and intricate chapels. Dedicated to Saint Eulalia, the patron saint of Barcelona, the cathedral is a significant religious and architectural landmark, drawing visitors for both its historical and spiritual importance.

Address: Placa de la Seu Closest Metro: Jaume I

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 9.30am – 6.30pm (last entry 5.45pm), Saturday 9.30am – 5.15pm (last entry 4.30pm) Sunday 2pm – 5pm (last entry 4.30pm)

Admission fee: from 14 Euro

<https://catedralbcn.org/en/>

Sagrada Familia

The Sagrada Família is an iconic basilica in Barcelona, designed by the renowned architect Antoni Gaudí. Construction began in 1882, and it remains unfinished to this day, with completion expected in the coming decades. Known for its extraordinary and unique architectural style, the basilica combines Gothic and Art Nouveau elements, with organic shapes, intricate facades, and towering spires. The Sagrada Família is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the most visited monuments in Spain, symbolizing Gaudí's genius and his deep religious devotion.

Address: Carrer de Mallorca, 401, Eixample, Closest Metro: Sagrada Família

Opening hours: March to October Monday to Friday 9am-7pm, Saturdays 9am-6pm, Sunday 10,30am-7pm

Admission fee: from 26 Euro

<https://www.sagradafamiliatickets.org/en>

La Casa dels Entremesos – The Giants Museum

La Casa dels Entremesos, also known as The Giants Museum (Museu dels Gegants), is a cultural institution in Barcelona dedicated to showcasing the city's vibrant tradition of giant figures (Gegants) and other popular festivity characters. Located in the heart of the city, the museum offers visitors a chance to explore the history and artistry behind these iconic figures, which are an integral part of Barcelona's festivals and parades, particularly during events like La Mercè and the Correfoc. The museum features a collection of giants, cabezudos (big-headed figures), and other traditional carnival figures, along with exhibits explaining their cultural significance and the craft involved in their creation. It's a fascinating stop for anyone interested in Catalan traditions and the city's rich cultural heritage.

Address: Pl. De les Beates, 2. Closest Metro: Urquinaona, Jaume I

Opening hours: Tuesday to Saturday 10am-1pm, then 4pm-7pm, Sunday 11am-2pm, Closed on Mondays

Admission fee: donations accepted, 3 Euro for the show

Mercado de Santa Caterina

The Mercat de Santa Caterina is a vibrant market located in the El Born district of Barcelona. Originally opened in 1848, it was renovated in 2005, with a striking, colorful undulating roof designed by architects Enric Miralles and Benedetta Tagliabue. The market offers a wide range of fresh produce, local products, seafood, meats, and gourmet items. Its modern architectural design, combined with its traditional market atmosphere, makes it a popular spot for both locals and tourists. The Mercat de Santa Caterina reflects the lively food culture of Barcelona while maintaining a connection to its historic roots.

Address: Av. Francesc Cambo, 16 Closest Metro: Urquinaona, Jaume I

Opening hours: Monday, Wednesday and Saturday 7.30am-3.30pm, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 7.30am-8.30pm Closed on Sundays

Mercado de la Boqueria

Mercat de la Boqueria, or La Boqueria Market, is one of Barcelona's most famous and vibrant food markets, located along the bustling La Rambla. Established in the 13th century, it has grown into a lively hub offering a wide array of fresh produce, seafood, meats, cheeses, spices, and local specialties. The market is known for its colorful displays and bustling atmosphere, attracting both locals and tourists. With its striking iron entrance and diverse offerings, La Boqueria is not only a food market but also an iconic symbol of Barcelona's culinary culture.

Address: Rambla, 91 Closest Metro: Liceu

Opening hours: Monday to Saturday 8am-8.30pm, Closed on Sundays

Restaurants near Hotel Sercotel Caspe

El Chato Restaurante: Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 697, 4 minutes walking distance, Basque cuisine

Asador Vic Braseria: Calle de Sicília, 202, 3 minutes walking distance, Spanish Steakhouse

El Puestu: Calle de Ribes, 39, 5 minutes walking distance, Spanish tapas

Faire Brunch & Vegeterian Brunches: Carrer de Girona, 81 13 minutes walking distance, vegetarian cuisine and brunch (closes at 5pm)

Can Vador Restaurante: Carrer de la Diputació, 367, 8 minutes walking distance, Catalan cuisine

Metro Tickets (Maps can be found at the Hotel) Closest Metro Stop is Tetuan, Monumental (purple line) and Marina (red line).

2,40 Euro Single Tickets (lasts for 1h15')

Daily Ticket 11,55 euro

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