









Cala de Finestrat

Small sandy bay, behind Poniente beach, with a lively promenade full of bars, cafes and restaurants. Market day: Friday. Buses number 2 and

3 take you there. Around 4 km inland, you will find **Finestrat**, the village, with a very nice old part, from where you can start the climbing to the "Puig Campana" (1.406 m), the highest mountain in the area. Bus 15, leaving from Hotel Bali, takes you there. On Friday there is also a Market on the village.



El Albir

Is the pebbled beach of the village of **Alfaz del Pi** (2 km inland), with a promenade full of bars and cafes. You can walk, by the beach, from Albir

6 km

to Altea. Sunday is Market day. Local bus number 10 from Mediterráneo Avenue.



Altea

Coastal fishing town, up north, with a beach promenade, a fishing harbour and a very nice Old Town, where the Church of "Nuestra

8 km.

Señora del Consuelo", known as the "Dome of the Mediterranean", stands out, with its two blue domes. Its many art galleries and the handcraft market and shops are famous. Market: Tuesdays. Take the local bus 10, or the TRAM, to go there.



La Vila Joiosa

It means "happy town", in Valencian language. Going down south by the coast, you will recognize this town for the typical coloured houses and fishing harbour. You can

visit the VALOR Chocolate Factory and Museum. Thursday is Market day in the

town, and Tuesday and Saturday at La Cala de Villajoyosa (next to La Cala de Finestrat). Sundays: Flea Market. ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station or TRAM from the Train Station to the village. Local buses 2 or 3 to La Cala de Villajoyosa.



Calpe

Besides the Natural Park of "Peñón de Ifach" (332 m. high rock, great for climbing) you will find the famous fishing harbour of Calpe, where you

will be able to watch the fish auction from a Vantage Point inside the Fish Market. Do not miss the Old Town, the monuments, like the Queen's Baths ("Baños de la Reina"), or the beachside promenades. Saturdays: Market. Wednesdays: Antique Market. ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station or TRAM from the Train Station.



Denia

Located on the coast, heading north, there is a Castle overlooking the Old Town, with an Archaeological Museum inside. The boats to Ibiza leave from the Denia

60 km.

Harbour. Market: Mondays. Flea Market: Fridays. You will enjoy the nice views, on the ride by TRAM. You can also go with ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and the Bus Station.



La Nucía

Inland neighbouring village to Benidorm, with a pretty Old Town (where you will find an old Washhouse), as well as natural areas like the "Font de la Favara" and vantage

8 km.

points like "Mont Calvari". The fresh cheese, produced here, with guarantee of origin

and quality, is very well-known. Famous Flea Market: Sundays, ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station.



Polop

Nice town inland, known as the "Oasis of the Costa Blanca", due to its famous "Plaza de los Chorros", with 221 water spouts. If you walk up to the Cemetery

located on top of the hill, where the Castle used to be in the old days, you will enjoy the great overviews. Sundays: Flea Market. ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station.



Guadalest

The Castle of Saint Joseph stands out in this small and charming town (of Moslem origin), up in the mountains. You will find a lot of curious museums, like the Museum

28 km.

of Miniatures or the Museum of Nativity Scenes and Doll Houses, in his narrow streets. Local bus 16 from Monday to Friday (not on bank holidays).



Fuentes del Algar

Near the town of Callosa d'Ensarrià (about 3 km away) there is a natural area that includes the source of the river Algar (with natural pools where

you can swim), waterfalls, walking paths bordered by aromatic plants and a botanical garden (Cactus d'Algar). Bus 18 takes you straight to the Waterfalls (Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays) or you can take ALSA buses, from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station, to the village of Callosa (daily), and then walk or take a taxi to the Waterfalls.



Alicante

Capital of the region. It is worth visiting the Old Town, the Concathedral of Saint Nicolas, the Castle of Saint Barbra, the "Explanada" promenade and the vacht

Archaeological Museum haven. The (MARQ) and the "Foqueres" Museum (dedicated to the Bonfires of Saint John) stand out, ALSA buses from Europa Av., Jaime I Av. and Bus Station or TRAM from the Train Station



Flche

The Palm Tree Groves and Historical Old Town were declared Universal Cultural Heritage by the UNESCO. You have to visit the "Huerto del Cura", the "Hort del

60 km.

Gat", the Calahorra Tower, the Basilica of Saint Mary, the Town Hall and the Convent of "La Mercé". You have to take an ALSA bus to Alicante Bus Station, from where the SUBÚS buses leave towards Flche.



Valencia

It is the third largest city in Spain. In the Old Town you should visit the Cathedral. the "Micalet" and the Silk Market, and museums like the IVAM (Modern Art) and

the "Fallas" Museum. Don't miss the "City of Arts and Sciences", built by Santiago Calatrava and the Convention Center. by Norman Foster (both examples of the avant-garde architecture of this modern city). ALSA buses only from the Bus Station.

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