

# WAY OF ST. JAMES BURGOS-LEÓN



SELF-GUIDED



## Who is it for?

This trip is addressed to wheelchair users with electric hand bike or scooter, with a bicycle companion. The gentle terrain allows the route to be done comfortably and independently on a wheelchair and with hybrid hand bike.



## Accommodation

The accommodation selected for this trip has been chosen according to location (daily stages to be covered), comfort and accessibility, both in rooms and common facilities.



## Transfer service

Throughout the programme travellers will have private transfers in adapted vehicles to the start of each stage, in addition to luggage transfer from hotel to hotel.



# History, nature and culture

**This trip covers one section of the French Route between Burgos and León, two of the most interesting cities on this pilgrimage route, both declared World Heritage Sites by UNESCO.**



## Accommodation

The accommodation selected for this trip has been chosen according to location (daily stages to be covered), comfort and accessibility, both in rooms and common facilities. The standard accommodations on this trip will be hotels\*\*\* and hostels (prioritizing rooms with private bathroom). When a standard accommodation is not available, these categories may vary. Extra nights may be booked in Burgos and León. The travel agency will inform clients about the accessibility at each of the accommodations.

## Programme

This trip includes stages between Burgos and León. Although it is a 9-day programme, the stages to be travelled on hybrid chair-hand bike and bicycle cover a total distance of 60km spread over 6 days. The other 3 days will be set aside to visit cities like Burgos or León.

In general terms, the stages are flat except for day 5, where there is a bit of slope. The type of surface is also different on each stage, but most sections follow compact dirt tracks. The daily stages cover an average distance of 15 kilometres with an estimated duration of 3 to 4 hours.

The stages selected for this trip have been selected after careful consideration of the terrain, relief, possible dangers due

to physical barriers, type of surface and availability of nearby accommodation with accessible facilities. However, there are inevitably certain critical spots where wheelchair users will need the help of their companion. There are also certain road crossings and short sections along road shoulders, which cannot be avoided if one wishes to do the longer stretches of the 'Camino'.

## Transfer service

Throughout the programme there are several stages in which pilgrims will need adapted transport from the hotel to the start of the stage, in addition to the luggage transfer provided from hotel to hotel.

- ✓ **Carefully selected accessible accommodations with adapted rooms and private bathrooms to ensure maximum comfort**
- ✓ **Feasible stages without prolonged slopes, allowing for enjoyment of the journey.**
- ✓ **Magnificent open landscapes, solitary plains and infinite horizons**
- ✓ **Fabulous gastronomy**
- ✓ **Heritage jewels of Romanesque and Mudejar art**

# Programme

## Burgos - León | 6 stages

**Day 1** Arrival in Burgos

**Day 2** From Itero de la Vega to Frómista. CANAL DE CASTILLA (15 km)

**Day 3** From Villovieco to Carrión de los Condes. RIO UCIEZA (14,5 km)

**Day 4** From Carrión de los Condes to Calzadilla de la Cueva. WIDE CASTILLA (12km)

**Day 5** : From Calzadilla de la Cueva to Moratinos / Sahagún. TEMPLAR LANDS (12km or 23km)

**Day 6** From Sahagún to Burgo de Ranero. ON THE 'REAL CAMINO FRANCÉS' (18km)

**Day 7** From Burgo de Ranero to Mansilla de las Mulas (13km)

**Day 8** Visit León

**Day 9** End of Programme

### TRIP SHEET

**CODE:** ESSH01

**Style:** Independent/self-guided

**Duration:** 9 days / 8 nights

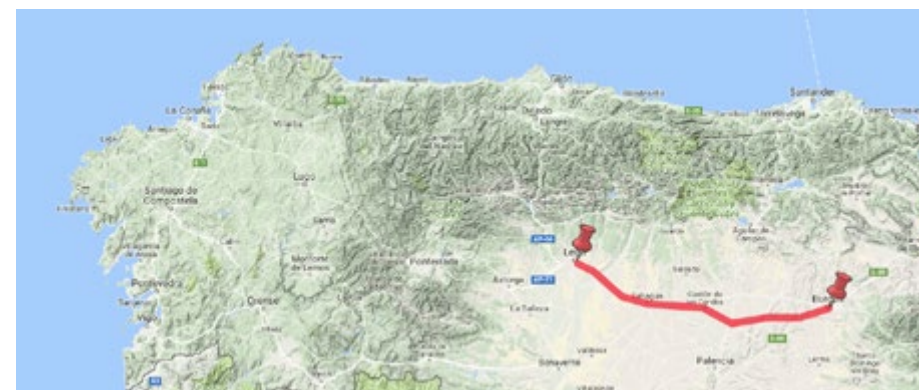
**Difficulty:** ★★☆☆☆

**Type of trip:** Wheelchair with electric hand bike (PMR) and bicycle (companion)

**Type of traveller:** Person with reduced mobility (wheelchair) with companion

**Daily distance:** 15 km

**Bookable dates:** 1st April - 15th June / 1st September – 30th October



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