

PALACE TOURS

Costa Verde Express: Weekend Escape from Oviedo (3 Days)

2 Nights • Luxury Experience

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Overview

You step onto the Costa Verde Express in Oviedo, leaving the everyday behind. The elegant carriage welcomes you with the soft glow of lamplight, the quiet hum of anticipation. This isn't just a journey; it's a recalibration, a chance to slow down and truly see the world outside your window. You realize quickly that this isn't about rushing from one place to the next, but about savoring every moment, every passing field and distant mountain peak along Spain's verdant northern coast.

As the train glides towards Llanes, you watch the rugged Asturian coastline unfold, feeling the gentle rhythm of the rails beneath you. The scent of salt air mingles with the aroma of a gourmet dinner, and the soft strains of live music invite you to relax completely. You carry home not just souvenirs, but a deep sense of renewal, the memory of mountain vistas and ocean breezes, and the quiet joy of a journey truly lived.

DAY BY DAY

Your Itinerary



DAY 1

OVIEDO / EL BERRÓN

The polished brass and rich wood of Oviedo station welcome you with a quiet promise of elegance. You settle into your suite, the soft hum of the train a lullaby as you unwind, perhaps with a book or a thoughtful gaze out the window. The air carries a subtle hint of the city's history, a gentle invitation to explore.

Later, the train begins its gentle roll towards El Berrón. In the dining car, the clink of crystal and the murmur of conversation create a warm atmosphere. You taste the first exquisite flavors of your journey, feeling the soft sway of the carriage as the Asturian night draws in around you.

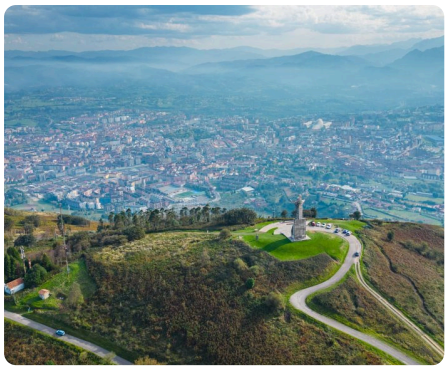
DAY 2

EL BERRÓN / LLANES



You wake to the gentle light filtering through your window, the scent of fresh coffee hinting at the gourmet breakfast to come. As the train moves, the landscape shifts from verdant hills to the dramatic, jagged coastline of Asturias. The air feels crisp, carrying the faint tang of salt from the Cantabrian Sea.

In Llanes, the vibrant colours of the fishing boats bobbing in the harbour catch your eye. You feel the cool cobblestones beneath your feet as you wander through the historic streets. As evening falls, the carriage fills with the joyful sounds of music and laughter, a perfect ending to a day spent discovering coastal charm.



DAY 3

LLANES / OVIEDO

A final breakfast on board, the sunlight bright through the dining car windows, and you find yourself lingering over your coffee, not quite ready for the journey to end. You take one last walk through Llanes, letting the quiet charm of the town settle into your memory, the gentle sea breeze a soft farewell.

As the train begins its return to Oviedo, you watch the familiar landscapes pass by in reverse, each vista now imbued with the warmth of your experience. You carry not just the scent of the sea, but the feeling of discovery, the quiet luxury of time spent well, long after you step off the train.

HELPFUL INFORMATION

Tips & Travel Guide

Check-in Information

The welcome for the Costa Verde Express Oviedo weekend journey begins at Oviedo station. Guests are requested to arrive from 6:30 p.m. on Friday, allowing ample time to settle into their suites before the train's scheduled departure at 9:30 p.m. Please ensure you have your passport or valid identification readily available for check-in. The station address is Calle de Uría, s/n, 33003 Oviedo, Asturias, Spain.

Dining Schedule

Meals on the Costa Verde Express are a highlight, served in the elegant dining cars. Breakfast is typically a gourmet buffet or à la carte, available at flexible times in the morning. Lunch and dinner times are fixed and announced daily by your guide, usually around 1:30 p.m. for lunch and 8:30 p.m. for dinner. The bar carriage is open for drinks and snacks for most of the day, from morning until late evening, providing a relaxed setting to socialize or enjoy a quiet moment. Specific meal times may vary slightly based on the day's excursion schedule.

Dress Code

During the day, a smart casual dress code is appropriate for comfort and practicality, especially for excursions. Think comfortable trousers, shirts, blouses, and sensible walking shoes. In the evenings, the atmosphere on board is one of refined elegance. While formal attire isn't strictly required, guests typically opt for elegant casual wear. For men, a jacket is often worn for dinner, while women might choose smart dresses, skirts, or tailored trousers. Jeans and shorts are generally not suitable for the dining cars in the evening.

Electricity & Connectivity

The Costa Verde Express operates on a 220V electrical system, utilizing standard European two-pin plugs (Type F). We recommend bringing appropriate adapters if your devices use different plug types. Each suite is equipped with electrical outlets for charging. Additionally, USB charging points are available within the suites for convenience. Wi-Fi is available in the common areas of the train, though connectivity can be intermittent in certain remote areas along the route. It's best to consider this an opportunity to disconnect and enjoy the scenery.

Climate & Weather

Northern Spain, particularly Asturias, experiences a mild and often humid climate, even in summer. The summer months of July and August, when this tour operates, typically see pleasant temperatures ranging from 20-28°C (68-82°F). However, the region is known for its Atlantic influence, meaning occasional rain showers are possible, even during summer. Packing layers is highly recommended, including light jackets or sweaters for cooler evenings and a waterproof outer layer. Comfortable walking shoes are essential for excursions.

Onboard Amenities

Each Grand Class Suite is well-appointed with a range of amenities to enhance your stay. The private bathrooms include a hairdryer and a selection of luxury toiletries. Laundry service is available onboard for a small charge, though it is limited to a few items per person per day with a typical 24-48 hour turnaround. Guests will find a well-stocked minibar in their suite, offering a selection of beverages. Dressing gowns are provided for your comfort.

While there is no dedicated doctor permanently stationed onboard the Costa Verde Express, the train staff are trained in basic first aid. In the event of a medical emergency, the train can make unscheduled stops at the nearest town with medical facilities. Guests requiring specific medications should ensure they bring an adequate supply for the duration of the journey. No specific vaccinations are generally required for travel to Spain, but it is always advisable to consult your personal physician regarding any health concerns or recommendations prior to travel.

Luggage

Space in the suites is comfortable but finite. We recommend guests bring two medium-sized suitcases per person, each not exceeding 20kg, along with a small carry-on bag. Soft-sided luggage is generally easier to store within the suite. Train staff will assist with luggage handling at stations. It's advisable to keep essential items and valuables in your carry-on.

Currency

The official currency in Spain is the Euro (EUR). Credit cards, particularly Visa and MasterCard, are widely accepted onboard the train and in most establishments in the towns visited. ATMs are readily available in larger towns like Oviedo and Llanes for cash withdrawals. It's always useful to carry a small amount of local currency for smaller purchases or tips.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates & Rates

DEPARTURE DATE	CLASS / CABIN	SINGLE	DOUBLE (PP)
Jul 2, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Jul 9, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Jul 16, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Jul 23, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Jul 30, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Aug 13, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Aug 20, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**
Aug 27, 2027	Gran Clase Suite	**€2,800**	**€1,600**
	Gran Clase Suite Early Bird	**€2,750**	**€1,550**

Rates shown in Euro (EUR). Approximate USD equivalents available upon request.

Rates shown are per person. Single rate applies to single occupancy; Double rate applies per person in double occupancy.

EARLY BIRD FARES

Book early, pay less

Plan ahead and you'll pay less for exactly the same journey. Every cabin on this tour has an Early Bird fare. Look for it in the booking calendar, right next to the regular fare: it is labelled "<cabin> Early Bird".

6 MONTHS OR MORE BEFORE DEPARTURE

Save €50

per person

3 TO 6 MONTHS BEFORE DEPARTURE

Save €50

per person

INSIDE 3 MONTHS

Regular fare

the Early Bird fare closes

CABIN	REGULAR DOUBLE (PP)	EARLY BIRD, 6+ MONTHS AHEAD	EARLY BIRD, 3–6 MONTHS AHEAD
Gran Clase Suite	**€1,600**	**€1,550** save €50	**€1,550** save €50

Double fares per person, two sharing. The saving depends on the cabin's regular price per person: €250 / €150 on journeys from €8,000, €150 / €100 from €5,000, and €50 on shorter trips. It's the same cabin, the same itinerary and everything included as before. The only difference is the price. Early Bird fares are limited to the cabins on each departure and close automatically. If you already know your dates, now is the time to book.

🏷️ **Look for Coupons and Special Rates on our website.**

Visit https://www.palacetours.com/tour/costa-verde-express-oviedo-weekend for the latest information.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Terms & Conditions

PAYMENT TERMS:

15% of total tour cost due at the time of booking

85% or balance no later than 35 days prior to tour departure date

CANCELLATION FEES:

Up to 30 days before departure: refund less 15% of official price.

Between 30 and 15 days: refund less 25% of the total.

Between 14 and 5 days: refund less 50% of the total.

Between 4 and 1 day(s): refund less 80% of the total.

Less than 24 hours or failure to turn up: No refund, 100% of the total is payable.

A 5% Administrative fee will be charged from Palace Tours against any refunds. All cancellation fees and administrative fees is applicable for FULL Tour price before coupons.

All cancellation, change, or update requests must be submitted in writing by email to travel@palacetours.com. Please allow at least 48 hours (and in some cases longer) for us to review, confirm, and process the request and advise any applicable fees. A cancellation, change, or update takes effect only once we have received and processed the request, and we will confirm the outcome to you once it has been processed. Cancellation timeframes and the applicable fee are calculated by reference to the local time and normal business hours at the destination where the tour is provided; a request received outside those business hours (including evenings, weekends, and public holidays at the destination) is treated as received on the next business day at the destination, and a further processing period of at least 48 hours (and in some cases longer) then applies before the request takes effect.

CHANGE OF DATE/OCCUPANCY/NAME/SCHEDULE (not including changes to itinerary)

WITHIN SAME TRAVEL SEASON (September to August) may be possible if requested up to 120 days prior to the first scheduled service of the tour. For certain tours, change of date/name/occupancy/schedule will NOT be possible. No changes will be permitted within 65 days of the first scheduled service; any requests for such are not guaranteed and will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Change of date/occupancy/name/schedule is subject to availability and at the sole discretion of TRAVBUZZ / PALACE TOURS. There might be a cost associated with any changes to a booking and the same will be communicated before the time of such change being processed or confirmed. No changes will be done without a formal change request and confirmation and payment of any fees acceptance by the client.

The above times are based on local time of the destination where the tour is provided. In order to provide enough time for processing cancellation, guests need to add 3 business days to the above timeframes.

We strongly recommend purchasing travel insurance to cover the losses incurred in case of cancellation. For information on available plans or to purchase travel insurance, please visit www.palacetours.com/insurance.

COMMON QUESTIONS

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the check-in process for the Costa Verde Express Oviedo weekend journey?

> The check-in for your Costa Verde Express weekend journey begins at 6:30 p.m. on Friday at Oviedo station, located at Calle de Uría, s/n, 33003 Oviedo. You should arrive at least one hour before the scheduled departure time of 9:30 p.m. Upon arrival, you will be met by the train staff, who will assist you with your luggage and escort you to your private Grand Class Suite. Please ensure you have your passport or valid identification ready for verification.

What type of accommodation is available on the Costa Verde Express?

> The Costa Verde Express features luxurious Grand Class Suites. Each suite is approximately 10 m^2 (108 ft^2) and includes a private bedroom area, a separate living room with a sofa, a wardrobe, desk, minibar, and a full private bathroom with a shower, hairdryer, and luxury toiletries. Guests can choose between a double bed (200x180cm) or two single beds (185x80cm), subject to availability. All suites are air-conditioned and designed for maximum comfort and privacy.

What meals are included on the Costa Verde Express Oviedo weekend journey?

> Your tour price includes all breakfasts, lunches, and dinners as per the itinerary. Breakfasts are served onboard and can be a gourmet buffet or à la carte. Lunches and dinners are served either onboard in the elegant dining cars or at selected local restaurants, offering a taste of regional cuisine. Beverages, including water, soft drinks, coffee, tea, selected wines, and alcoholic drinks, are included with all meals and in the bar carriage.

What is the dress code on the Costa Verde Express?

> During the day, a smart casual dress code is recommended for comfort, especially for excursions. For evenings, the atmosphere onboard is one of elegant casual. While formal wear is not compulsory, many guests choose to dress up for dinner; a jacket for gentlemen and smart dresses or tailored separates for ladies are common. Jeans and shorts are not considered appropriate for the dining cars in the evening.

Is there Wi-Fi and electricity on the train?

> Yes, the Costa Verde Express provides 220V electricity outlets with standard European two-pin plugs (Type F) in each suite, along with USB charging points. Wi-Fi access is available in the common areas of the train, such as the lounge and bar carriages. However, please be aware that due to the nature of some routes through remote areas, Wi-Fi connectivity may be intermittent at times.

What is the cancellation policy for the Costa Verde Express weekend journey?

> The cancellation policy for the Costa Verde Express is tiered based on the proximity to your departure date. If you cancel more than 45 days prior, a 15% fee applies. For cancellations between 45 and 30 days, the fee is 25%. Between 29 and 15 days, it rises to 50%. From 14 to 7 days, 75% of the total price is forfeited. For cancellations less than 7 days before departure, 100% of the total price is retained. All cancellations must be submitted in writing

What should I pack for a journey on the Costa Verde Express?

> For your Costa Verde Express journey, we recommend packing comfortable layers, as Northern Spain's climate can be variable even in summer. Include light jackets or sweaters for cooler evenings and a waterproof outer layer in case of rain. Comfortable walking shoes are essential for excursions. For evenings onboard, elegant casual attire is suggested. Remember your passport or ID, any personal medications, and a European plug adapter if needed. Soft-sided luggage is recommended for easier storage in your suite.

Are alcoholic beverages included on the Costa Verde Express?

> Yes, selected alcoholic beverages are included in your tour price. This includes a selection of wines and other alcoholic drinks served during meals, as well as in the bar carriage throughout the day and evening. Premium or specific high-end alcoholic beverages may incur an additional charge, but a generous selection is part of the all-inclusive experience.

Is there medical assistance available onboard the train?

> While the Costa Verde Express does not have a dedicated medical doctor onboard, the train staff are trained in basic first aid and emergency procedures. In the event of a medical emergency, the train can make unscheduled stops at the nearest town with appropriate medical facilities. Guests with specific health concerns or requiring regular medication should consult their doctor before travel and carry an adequate supply of their prescriptions.

Can I make changes to my Costa Verde Express booking?

> Amendments to confirmed bookings, such as date changes or itinerary modifications, may be possible but are subject to availability and may incur an administration fee. Name changes are generally permitted without charge up to 30 days prior to departure; changes requested closer to departure may be subject to fees. It is always best to contact Palace Tours as soon as possible if you need to make any alterations to your reservation.

How long is the Costa Verde Express weekend escape from Oviedo and what day does it start?

> It is a 3-day, 2-night journey that starts on a Friday evening in Oviedo and ends back in Oviedo on the Sunday. Guests are welcomed at Oviedo station from 6:30 p.m., the train departs at 9:30 p.m. with dinner served on board, and the journey ends after lunch on board on day 3.

What route does the Costa Verde Express weekend journey follow?

> The train runs from Oviedo to El Berron on the first night, then heads to the eastern Asturian coast, passing mountain scenery, meadows and cliffs above the Cantabrian Sea, and spends the second night in Llanes. On day 3 it returns along the Asturian coast to Oviedo, where the journey ends.

What can I do during the stop in Llanes?

> Llanes is the heart of this weekend. You have free time on day 2 and again on the morning of day 3 to stroll the historic centre, the port and the seafront at your own pace. Lunch on board is available on day 2 for those who want it, and that evening the train hosts a special dinner with an evening of live artistic performances.

Which dates is the Costa Verde Express Oviedo weekend available in 2027?

> Departures on sale run every Friday in summer, from 2 July 2027 to 27 August 2027, with 8 departures in total. Each date and its current availability is listed on this page, and suites on a weekend journey tend to go quickly because the train is small.

How much does the Costa Verde Express weekend from Oviedo cost?

> Fares start from about EUR 1,600 per person sharing a Gran Clase Suite, and single occupancy fares are also available. The exact fare for each departure is shown on this page. Palace Tours is the Official Representative and Authorized Renfe Sales Agent for Spain's luxury trains, so you book at the official fare.

What deposit is needed to book, and when is the balance due?

> A deposit of 15% of the tour price confirms your Gran Clase Suite. The remaining balance is due 35 days before the departure date. If you book within 35 days of departure, the full amount is payable at the time of booking.

Are there child fares on the Costa Verde Express weekend journey?

> Child pricing uses two bands based on age at departure: from 0 to 5 years and from 5 to 12 years. The journey is designed as a relaxed, elegant escape for adults, so please contact us before booking with children and we will confirm suite sharing and the applicable fare.

Is there a guide or entertainment on the Costa Verde Express weekend?

> Yes. A professional multi-lingual guide accompanies the journey throughout, announces the daily meal times and helps you make the most of Llanes. Live artistic entertainment is also scheduled on board, including the special evening of performances during the second night in Llanes.

What is not included in the Costa Verde Express weekend fare?

> The fare does not include flights to and from Oviedo, hotel nights before or after the journey, gratuities, travel insurance, visa fees if applicable, personal expenses or premium beverages beyond the standard offering. Because check-in only opens at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, many guests arrive in Oviedo a day early or earlier the same day.

How do I ask a question or book the Costa Verde Express weekend escape from Oviedo?

> Every departure listed on this page can be booked directly online. For questions, email travel@palacetours.com, call 786-408-0610, or message us on WhatsApp at https://wa.me/17864080610, where a travel specialist or our AI assistant will answer.

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