

PLANET EARTH

Geopark



The **Granada Geopark** is a geological and natural territory that contains the stony testimony of the geological history of a river and a lake, which were active between 5.3 million years and, approximately, 450,000 years during an endorheic stage; after which, its sediments have been eroding in a new exorheic stage that continues today, which has shaped the current modeling of the Geopark, characterized by tens of thousands of gullies.

Wines

The **culture of wine** has not ceased to exist in the Guadix area, with the arrival of the Romans its cultivation spread widely.

In the **Muslim era**, Granada wine watered the nights of the Caliphate and the Kingdom of Granada. The reference to local wines is recorded in the **Puerta del Vino** ('Bid al-jamra'), in the **Alhambra** (from the time of Mohammed II, at the end of the 10th century), before which the **16th century Granadans** deposited the wine they consumed. And vestiges of wine can also be found around the **Cathedral of Guadix**, in whose basement there is a cellar.

Grape production has traditionally been linked to the upper and middle areas of the province's mountain systems. This causes significant thermal oscillations (every 100 meters of altitude, half a degree of difference) and very low temperatures: if the normal is 240 hours (ten days), in this area maturation is paralyzed and the duration of the process is implied (480 hours, 20 days). To this we must add the unique thermal change that occurs in summer, with 40° during the day and 18° at night. And it is that the average altitude of the Granada vineyards is about 1,200 meters, only surpassed by the Argentine vineyards. To enjoy these wineries and wines we offer you a complete program in just one weekend.



PROGRAM

3 Days, 2 nights in Bed and Breakfast, with a visit to the 3 wineries selected in the area together with an Active Tourism activity, horseback riding through the lands of the Granada highlands.

Price: € 153. Minimum 2 Pax.

We include

2 nights accommodation at Hotel Cueva in double standard.

2 visits to wineries, one of them organic, with tasting of 3 wines paired with typical sausages from the area.

1 hour horse ride through the lands of the Granada highlands.

RESERVATION OF PLACES:

Payment policy:

Income in the account of Yolazul (Cultural Travel), Caixa: 2100 2154 89 0200255458, IBAN: ES40 2100 2154 89 0200255458, SWIFT: CAIXESBBXX. The reservation of places will be made by deposit of 25% of the total. Rest of payments, 7 days before the client's arrival.

Cancellation policy

The client who withdraws once the reservation has been formalized will be obliged to pay part of the agreed price. In any case, the management costs will always be paid.

Up to 3 days without penalty.

Rest 100%

The hours are approximate hours. Any variation in any of these concepts will lead to a modification of this budget.