

Palacio Catalina

Region: Andalucía Sleeps: 22

Overview

Step into the timeless elegance of Palacio Catalina, a 17th-century palace beautifully restored to offer an exclusive sanctuary for guests seeking refined charm and authentic Andalusian heritage. Tucked away in the peaceful town of Lora del Río, just an hour from Seville, this historic residence has been thoughtfully brought back to life with its intricate Baroque façade, tranquil courtyards, and an abundance of period details—from antique tapestries and hand-painted frescoes to grand columns and original stables. Every space is a celebration of legacy and artistry, offering guests a unique blend of historic grandeur and contemporary comfort.

Throughout the property, moments of quiet beauty invite you to slow down and savour. Whether lounging by the shimmering pool, enjoying a glass of wine in the library, or dining beneath chandeliers in the gallery or stables, the palace offers a setting that is both intimate and inspiring. Ten individually styled rooms, including a tower suite with 360° panoramic views and a spacious family suite, are each designed with their own story—featuring marble bathrooms, organic Andalusian amenities, and thoughtful touches like private terraces and accessibility features. Here, every detail is curated to feel deeply personal and effortlessly luxurious.

More than just a place to stay, Palacio Catalina is a destination to experience! Guests may choose complete privacy or let the expert team handle every detail—from chef-prepared Andalusian feasts and private flamenco performances to vineyard tours and countryside adventures. Whether you're planning a private retreat, a celebration, or simply a chance to immerse yourself in soulful surroundings, this palace welcomes you to relax, reconnect, and feel truly at home within its walls. Make sure to check out the 'Extras' section for more information or get in touch with us today to learn more!

Facilities

Weddings • Villa • Not for little ones • Historical Sites • Horse Riding • Walking/Hiking Paths • Walk to Village • Private Pool • Wine Tasting • Recommended • Air-Con • Maid Service Available • Marquee Hire Permitted • Wow Factor • Ideal for Teens • Pets on Request • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Outdoor Ceremony • Instagrammable • Ground Floor Bed & Bath • Flexible Catering Options • <1hr to Airport • Walk to Restaurant • Heritage Collection • Parking Space • Wi-Fi/Internet • Allow External Caterers • Easy By Train • Indoor Reception Available • Washing Machine • Nearby Church/Chapel • Outstanding Landscapes • Coffee Machine • Hairdryer • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • TV • Tumble Dryer • Dishwasher • Microwave • Smart TV • Wine Cellar • Heating • Caretaker/Owner on Site • New Villas 2025 • Yoga Classes Available • Spa Treatments Available • Wine-Tasting Available •



Transfers Available • Catering Available • Breakfast Available • Babysitting Available • On-Site Concierge • Bathroom Toiletries • Laundry Service • Fenced Grounds

Interior & Grounds

Ground Floor

- Reception hall perfect for large events and with direct access to the patios
- Bedroom 11 with joined twin beds (110 cm each), ensuite shower, Smart TV, air conditioning and heating, and perfect for those with reduced mobility
- Kitchen (*suitable for caterers only, please enquire for cost to use*)
- 'Vistahermosa' Library filled with books, Smart TV, sofas and the Honesty Bar
- Dining Room I with space for up to 10 guests and a good spot to work in with comfortable chairs, air conditioning, natural light, and great Wi-Fi
- Dining Room II with space for up to 18 guests
- 17th century wooden stables with space for a private dinner with flamenco or an event
- Wine cellar
- Gallery with space for dinners or a great area to practice sports or do some yoga
- Interior parking spaces for 2 cars

First Floor

- Fully-equipped kitchen
- Pool area
- Jason living room & Shield dining room (*please see T&Cs for more information on access*)

Bedroom 1 - Junior Suite

- 18th century-style room with a French style
- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV
- 31 m²

Bedroom 2 - Junior Suite

- Overlooking central courtyard
- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV
- 31 m²

Bedroom 3 - Junior Suite

- Views of the central courtyard
- Two twin beds
- Ensuite bathroom with shower and bathtub
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV
- 35 m²

Bedroom 4 - Junior Suite

- Views of central courtyard and pool
- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV



- Desk
- 33 m²

Bedroom 5 - Junior Suite

- Bedroom dedicated to the Miura ranch with photographs by German photographer Timm Khonn
- Views of central patio and pool
- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- 33 m²

Bedroom 6 - Junior Suite

- Overlooking geranium patio
- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV
- 23 m²

Bedroom 7 - Suite

- Bedroom designed by the owner and great as a family room
- Views of geranium patio
- Two queen beds (150 cm each)
- Ensuite bathroom with shower and bathtub
- Air conditioning and heating
- Sofa
- Desk
- Smart TV
- 45 m²

Bedroom 8 - Suite Superior

- Bedroom designed by the owner
- Large king-size bed
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning
- Desk
- Smart TV
- Access to a private terrace with views of the nearby church
- 42 m²

Bedroom 9 - Junior Suite

- Double bed (150 cm)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Direct access to the pool area
- 26 m²

Second Floor/Tower

Bedroom 10 - Private Suite

- Large king-size bed (two 110 cm twin beds joined)
- Ensuite shower
- Air conditioning and heating
- Smart TV
- Accessed via lift
- Access to the tower's private terrace with incredible panoramic views of the property and Lora del Río
- Accessible room that can be adapted to guests with disabilities
- 30 m²

Exterior

- Three charming Andalusian patios
- Pool area with private pool and surrounding sun lounger and parasols

Additional Facilities

- Wi-Fi connection
- Air conditioning
- Heating
- Hairdryers
- Laundry facilities
- Organic and local bathroom toiletries in every bedroom
- Exterior CCTV
- Smoke & carbon monoxide alarms
- Fire extinguisher
- First-aid kit

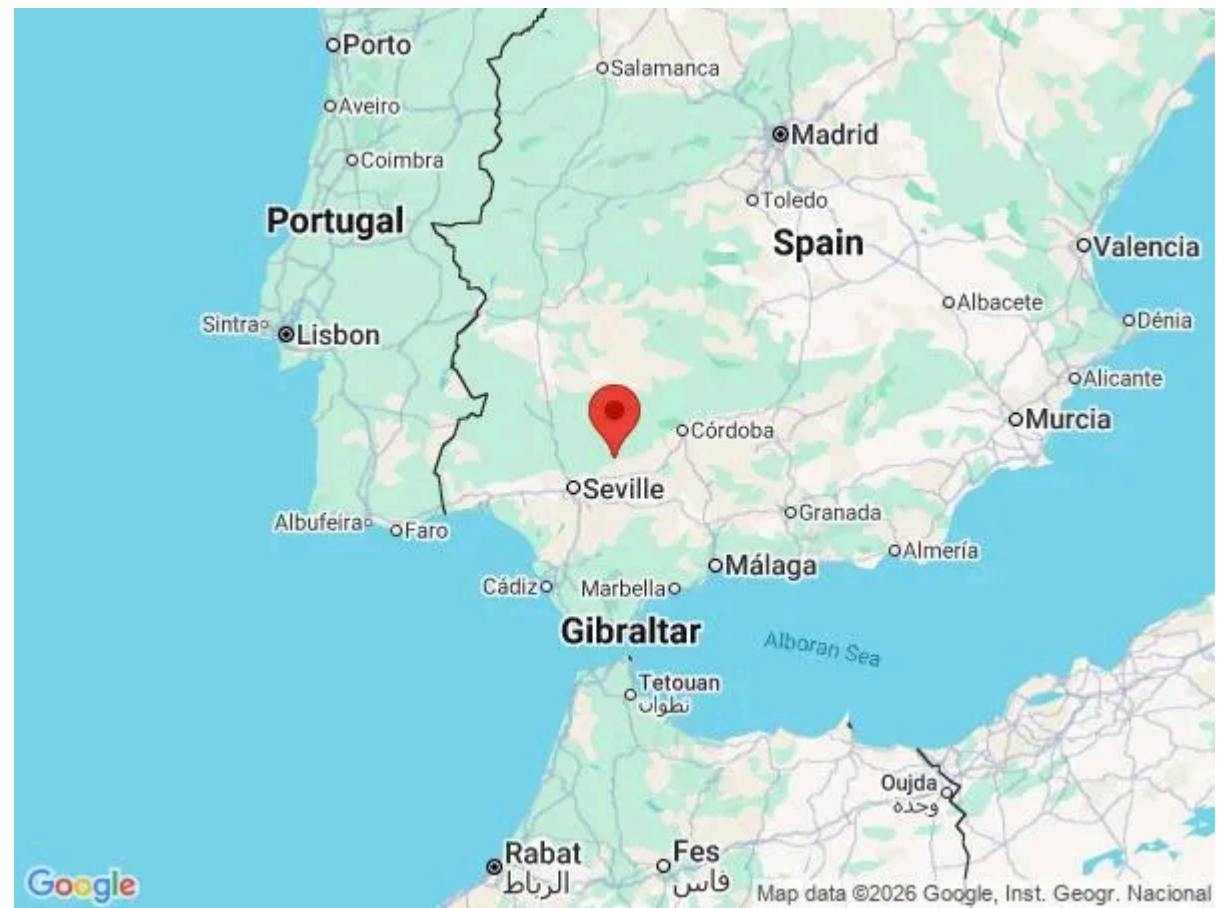
Location & Local Information

Nestled in the fertile plains of the Guadalquivir River, the charming town of Lora del Río offers an authentic slice of Andalusian life, untouched by time yet wonderfully accessible. With its whitewashed streets, local markets, and traditional tapas bars, this town invites visitors to slow down and embrace the rhythm of southern Spain. Palacio Catalina sits quietly within this historic town, just a leisurely 15-minute walk from the local train station—making it perfectly placed for both seclusion and exploration.

From Lora del Río, guests can easily reach some of Andalusia's most celebrated cities. Seville, with its vibrant energy, Moorish architecture, and flamenco spirit, is just an hour away by train or car. Córdoba—renowned for its Mezquita, cobbled Jewish Quarter, and elegant patios—is similarly just an hour away and a must-see to experience Andalusia. The owner is happy to help organise your travel to both places and can even organise day trips, tours, and activities for when you're there! Whether you're drawn to cultural treasures, countryside charm, or simply the art of doing nothing, Palacio Catalina's location offers the best of all worlds.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Seville Airport (49 km)
Nearest Train Station	Lora Del Río Train Station (1 km)
Nearest Town	Lora Del Río (0 km)
Nearest City	Seville (57 km)
Nearest Restaurant	Taberna Morales (200 m)
Nearest Bar/Pub	La Abacería del Centro (150 m)
Nearest Supermarket	Mercadona (900 m)
Nearest Golf	Arruza Golf (78 km)
Nearest Tennis	Karmo Tennis Club (25 km)



What we love

- Bursting with history and charm, Palacio Catalina is an incredible property that promises an authentic Andalusian experience with plenty of room for your group!
- Each bedroom has been thoughtfully designed with comfort in mind and highlighting aspects of the local culture
- Located in Lora del Río, a charming town between Seville and Cordoba, guests are in a perfect spot to explore both destinations - the owner can even organise day trips and tours to both if that's something you would like for your group! If you'd prefer to do something on your own, you can easily drive to either one or even get an easy train from the town's station (just a 15-minute walk away)
- Looking for a property for your Spanish wedding or event? You're in luck! Palacio Catalina can cater for weddings and various events - just get in touch with us to learn more information!

What you should know...

- Being located within a town, this means you are within walking distance to various amenities, but the tall walls of the Palacio mean you are not overlooked by neighbours
- The pool is not fenced, so children should be supervised at all times
- This property is much more suited for adults and older children

Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** €1,000 paid via wire transfer to the owner before arrival and refunded 48 hours after departure, subject to full inspection.
- **Arrival time:** 2 pm.
- **Departure time:** 12 pm.
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Linen & towels included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Pets welcome?:** On request only and with prior agreement with the owner. If accepted, a pet supplement of €25 per pet per day will apply (paid prior to travel). Maximum 10 kilos only. Please request this during the booking process.
- **Other Ts and Cs:** A barbecue can be provided to guests, on request, and with prior arrangement before travel. This will incur an extra cost. Please request this during the booking process.
- **Changeover day:** Flexible.
- **End of stay cleaning available?:** No. Extra €600 payable with the balance payment. Guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- **Smoking Allowed?:** Outside only.
- **Other 2:** Please note that in order to have access to the entire home and all of the bedrooms, you will need to select more than 20 guests at the time of booking. Those travelling in smaller groups can benefit from a reduced rate, however, certain bedrooms may not be accessible.
- **Minimum stay:** 2 nights.
- **Heating costs included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Pool heating charge?:** Not available.
- **Tax:** Not applicable.
- **Internet access?:** Wi-Fi internet access included in the rental price.
- **Pool towels included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Stag & Hen Do Allowed? :** Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges.