Active tourism in the Basque Coast

activities & companies

In the sea

Boat trips, leisure ports, surfing, canoeing and more

With sea views

Trekking, bike trails, bird watching, paragliding and others

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The **Basque Coast** offers a unique combination of natural surroundings and range of activities on the land, in the sea or in the air.

You can visit the Guggenheim in the morning and go sailing in the afternoon. Go on an outing by kayak and recharge your batteries with the best pintxos or some grilled fish. Take a stroll around San Sebastián whilst waiting for the best wave. Enjoy a coastal trail, on foot or by mountain bike, and visit a txakoli winery.

And discover the unmissable parts of the Basque Coast by sea, by canoe, stand up paddle, or by boat.

More information at: www.tourism.euskadi.eus/basque-coast/

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Activities in the Sea

A wild but not at all treacherous sea, a wide variety of sea beds, incredibly charming ports and a quite astounding gastronomic offering. In addition to this, spectacular bays and rivers, many of them protected due to their environmental and scenic value, and a great variety of surfable waves.
**Holidays at sea**

To enjoy a different kind of holiday, you can rent a sailing boat or a motor boat, like a yacht. There are two types: ones without a skipper, if you have the necessary qualification, and ones that come with a skipper should you not have any training, or you simply wish to leave the day’s sailing in the hands of somebody who knows the coast, the hidden coves and the ports with the most attractions.

**Boat trips and specialised excursions**

If you want to experience sailing, take an unforgettable swim or witness the sunset from the sea, many companies offer excursions which last for several hours or a whole day. And for whale lovers, fishing enthusiasts or surfers looking for the perfect wave, specific excursions to the best areas.

**Excursions on tour boats**

In boats and catamarans of 12, 40 and up to 120 passengers, a dozen companies offer guided tours through the Basque Coast’s most beautiful scenery: the Bilbao Estuary, San Juan de Gaztelugatxe, Urdaibai, the Basque Coast Geopark, San Sebastián, Txingudi Bay... Even wine tasting in an underwater winery in Plentzia.

They often have a fixed schedule for trips but they also adjust to the requirements and availabilities of groups.

**Regular transport lines by sea**

Taking advantage of the frequent sea transport services through estuaries and bays is an easy and fun option, ideal for families, in order to access towns and beaches and see the surroundings in a different way. You will also avoid large detours during trekking routes, including the Saint James Way along the coast, or by bicycle. In the bays of San Sebastián, Pasaia and Txingudi and in the estuaries of Bilbao, Mundaka and Zumaia.
Between the Guggenheim and the Biscay Bridge

Boat trips to view the museum from an unique perspective, see the urban transformation which has warranted worldwide recognition and walk under a “hanging bridge” which has been declared a World Heritage Site.

Prices: Between Bilbao, Portugalete, Getxo and Santurtzi, boat trips along the estuary from €8 and the rental of small vessels which do not require any qualification, from €35/1 hour.

Getxo, at full sail

Getxo, located 10 minutes from Bilbao, is the place with the most to offer in terms of water activities in the Basque Country. With two marinas and a good number of nautical tourism companies, the range of courses and activities for making the most of the sea caters for all types of visitors and interests. In the summer season regular sailing trips are offered, without needing to hire the vessel.

Prices: guaranteed outings from €35 per person for short trips or to see the sunset. For more information call 94 491 08 00 or visit www.getxo.eus/turismo

Gaztelugatxe and Urdaibai from the water

Boat trips to San Juan de Gaztelugatxe - one of the Basque Coast’s iconic spots which has provided scenery for the series Game of Thrones - and along the Urdaibai Estuary, a unique setting which, due to its varied landscape and ecology along with its historical legacy, was declared a Biosphere Reserve in 1984.

From Bermeo, programmed trips to San Juan and Elantxobe, and also custom trips with the charter companies. From Mundaka, guided excursions along the estuary with refreshments and live music! Also short trips from Sukarrieta.

Prices: €12 (€30 with refreshments). Consult with charter.

Through the Basque Coast Geopark

Sailing along the coast from Zumaia to Mutriku, passing through Deba, in order to get to know, with guides, the secrets of the spectacular flysch cliffs, which have a history of over 60 million years. There is an excursion schedule (www.geoparkea.eus) but a custom service can also be contracted in Zumaia or Getaria.

Prices: Short excursions (45’ or 1 hr.) from €13 and long excursions (3 hr.), €25, from Zumaia, Deba and Mutriku.
Getaria, the birthplace of Elkano and Balenciaga

The hometown of Elkano, the first sailor to sail around the world, is the ideal port to arrive into on your own boat or to take an excursion from in a charter yacht: a picturesque town, the museum dedicated to the designer Balenciaga, fishing boats, high-quality leisure port and the best grilled fish in the Basque Country, accompanied, of course, by txakoli. And Zarautz and Orio – which also have leisure ports – only a few kilometres away.

Prices: Consult with charter.

Through the most beautiful bay in the world

San Sebastián deserves to be seen from all angles. The sea transport companies located in the port offer trips of different durations allowing you to sail along La Concha Bay, leaving the Santa Clara Island behind, and observe the city from the sea. In the port, you can rent sailing boats, motor boats and even traditional fishing boats. And fishing excursions.

Prices: excursion within the bay, €6.5; the three beaches, €10. Transport to the Island (return), €4. Consult with charter.

Unique boats in Pasaia

In a bay straight out of a postcard, excursions in vessels which are unique to the Basque Country: the tuna fishing boat-museum MATER and the historical vessels from the visitable sea factory, Albaola. Don’t miss the construction of the replica of San Juan, a ship which dates from the 16th century.

An opportunity to get to know fishing villages and their traditional activities: artisan fishing, coastal carpentry, sailing...

Prices: consult the wide range of services (short trips, accommodation...) and rates.

Hondarribia and Txingudi Bay

At the mouth of the bordering River Bidasoa, Txingudi Bay is an ideal setting for nautical activities thanks to its port infrastructures and the wide offering of water activities that it harbours: light sailing courses, yacht rental, excursions by catamaran and even a return service to the village of Hendaya. And back on the land again, a stroll around the walled city of Hondarribia, its marine... and its restaurants.

Prices: excursions from €9; Hondarribia–Hendaya trip, €1.90.
Basque leisure ports

Ports with transit services:

Bermeo
- **Telephone**: (+34) 94 688 023 2
- **Web**: www.ekpsa.eus
- **Transit mooring places**: 8
- **(summer season)**
- **Maximum length**: 12 m
- **Services**: water, electricity, showers, petrol station, crane/slipway, parking.

Donostia / San Sebastián
- **Telephone**: (+34) 943 00 04 64
- **Web**: www.ekpsa.eus
- **Transit mooring places**: 12
- **Maximum length**: 14 m
- **Services**: water, electricity, petrol station, crane/slipway, showers.

Donostia / San Sebastián
- **Telephone**: (+34) 943 42 35 75
- **Web**: www.rcnss.com
- **Buoys for transit**: 176
- **(summer season)**
- **Services**: 24 hr. boatmen service.

Getaria
- **Telephone**: (+34) 943 89 61 29
- **Web**: www.ekpsa.eus
- **Transit mooring places**: 10
- **Maximum length**: 14 m
- **Services**: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, wifi, washing machine, showers, parking, 24 hr. service

Getxo
- **Telephone**: (+34) 944 91 23 67
- **Web**: www.pdgetxo.eus
- **Transit mooring places**: 30
- **Maximum length**: 18 m
- **Services**: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, wifi, launderette, showers, workshops, parking, 24 hr. service

Getxo
- **Telephone**: (+34) 944 63 76 00
- **Web**: www.rcmarsc.es
- **Transit mooring places**: 20
- **Maximum length**: 25 m
- **Services**: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, wifi, launderette, showers, workshops, parking, 24 hr. service
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Pilgrimage to Santiago by sea

Seventeen ports in the Basque Country, Cantabria, Asturias and Galicia are involved in the “Navega el Camino – Sail the way” project which makes it possible to follow the Saint James Way by sea and receive the “compostela”. The Basque ports where you can stamp your sailing credential are Hondarribia, San Sebastián, Orio, Getaria, Mutriku, Bermeo, Santurtzi and El Abra Getxo.

One hundred nautical miles, in your own sailing boat or a hired one, plus one day on foot.

All of the information can be found at www.sailtheway.es

Hondarribia
- Telephone: (+34) 943 64 17 11
- Web: www.ekpsa.eus
- Transit mooring places: 12
- Maximum length: 18 m
- Services: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, wifi, launderette, showers, workshops, parking, 24 hr. service

Mutriku
- Telephone: (+34) 943 60 33 26
- Web: www.ekpsa.eus
- Transit mooring places: 12
- Maximum length: 14 m
- Services: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, showers, parking.

Orio
- Telephone: (+34) 943 24 94 00
- Web: www.ekpsa.eus
- Transit mooring places: 5
- Maximum length: 12 m
- Services: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane/slipway, showers, parking.

Santurtzi
- Telephone: (+34) 944 83 94 94
- Web: turismo.santurtzi.net
- Transit mooring places: 2
- Maximum length: 12 m
- Services: water connection, electricity, showers.

Zumaia
- Telephone: (+34) 943 86 09 38
- Web: www.marinaurola.com
- Transit mooring places: 30
- Maximum length: 20 m
- Services: water, electricity, 24 hr. petrol station, crane, ramp, changing rooms, workshops, parking, 24 hr. service.

Ports without transit services:
- Armintza (Lemoiz): (+34) 944 36 17 06
- Deba: (+34) 943 60 33 26
- Hondarribia–Molla: (+34) 943 64 17 11
- Elantxobe: (+34) 688 67 10 11
- Lekeitio: (+34) 94 684 07 21
- Mundaka: (+34) 946 880 232
- Ondarroa: (+34) 94 683 01 50 - (+34) 946 83 08 07
- Pasaia: (+34) 650 257 482
- Plentzia: (+34) 944 36 17 06
- Zierbena: (+34) 946 36 54 05

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All of the schools which have the Surfing Euskadi stamp comply with certain legal requirements regarding the safety and quality of their facilities. They are open all year round, their teaching staff are qualified, they comply with all legal requirements and their facilities meet the best conditions. The Basque Country is, undoubtedly, one of the best places in the world to learn how to surf.

Their training offering is very extensive. To get to know surfing, baptisms: short sessions (1–2 hours), a fun and affordable option, from €40. If you want to take it more seriously, introductory courses, lasting for one week (1 hr./day from €80) or on the weekend (3 hours from €60).
Surfcamps

Establishments comprising the surf camps which provide complete accommodation packages with meals and surfing lessons plus additional activities such as skateboarding, longboarding, trekking, yoga and outdoor surfing cinema.

Stays from 7 days, priced from €550 in Barrika or Laga.

SUP, the trending sport

One board, one paddle and a little balance. Those are the ingredients you need to enjoy Stand Up Paddle, or SUP. For example, in the Bays of Plentzia and Gorliz, Bakio, Urdaibai, Lekeitio or Txingudi. And if you want to have double the fun, there’s nothing like the Big SUP with friends or family... on the same board!

Prices: hire from €10/1 hr. and courses and guided tours from €30 depending on the number of participants, and Big SUP from €35 per person for groups of 5-6 people (consult prices for groups of more than 6 people).

A la carte

To be in the ideal place with the perfect wave. Inbound tour operators and surfing guides plan surfing get-aways and stays along the length and breadth of the coast for those who, as well as making the most of the waves without missing a second, want to get to know the corners and secrets of the Basque Coast a little better.

Surfing charters

A new way of getting close to the waves and making the absolute most out of each swim, with the advantage of reaching the most inaccessible waves in a more comfortable manner. The charters are also equipped for carrying out trips of more than one day.
Rowing

By kayak near the Guggenheim, through Urdaibai or in La Concha Bay

A little basic knowledge, such as how to row, is enough to kayak, with or without a guide, near the Guggenheim Museum, in Gorliz and the Plentzia Estuary, Urdaibai, Zumaia or La Concha Bay. For beginners, trips along the coast or advanced training in sea kayaking at Plentzia, Ibarangelu or Lekeitio.

**Prices:** rental from €16 for double canoe 1 hr. Guided descents from €20-35 depending on number of participants (3 hours).

Traditional rowing

The possibility of group rowing in competition trainera boats or historical replicas. They also explain about the rowing technique, the characteristics of the vessel and its history. Where? In three places which are very connected to the rowing sport: Orio, San Sebastián and Pasaia.

Diving

Along its more than 200 km, the Basque Coast has different ecosystems - rocky, sandy, craggy beds... - which are home to a surprising variety of marine fauna and flora. The Basque Country's professional diving centres are guaranteed to help you enjoy truly special dives and quality courses.

Diving baptism

To experience new sensations or as a first step into the world of diving, the baptisms allow you to discover this activity and marine environment in a couple of hours. Requirements? Knowing how to swim and being eager to have fun.

Underwater winery

A unique experience for lovers of both diving and wine: a dive to get to know Crusoe Treasure's winery and the reef in the Bay of Plentzia and Gorliz

Info at www.underwaterwine.com
Whale watching

The Bay of Biscay is considered an exceptional place for spotting dolphins, pilot whales, beaked whales and even large whales. It is an unforgettable experience. From Bermeo, Santurtzí and Pasaia scheduled trips are offered with expert guides. Some charter companies also offer whale watching trips in sailing boats.

Prices: guided trips of 4-5 hours from €40 or a full day from €65. Consult with charter.

Coasteering

A trending experience. A new form of trekking which takes place alongside the sea and which combines trekking, jumping into the water, stretches of swimming and diving, climbing, abseiling... In Gorliz, Ea, Lekeitio or Urdaibai, adventure and fun in parts of the coast which are practically unknown.

Prices: between €30 and €70, depending on the number of participants.

Trips by jet ski

Powerful emotions in spectacular natural scenery. From Zumaia, excursions which allow you to admire the flysch and the geopark coast; from Hondarribia, trips to Pasaia and San Sebastián, travelling in front of Mount Jaizkibel or towards San Juan de Luz and Biarritz. Always accompanied by a supervisor.

Prices: €95 for two people, for one hour of activity.
### List of companies

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- Outings

**Polaris nautika eskola**
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- www.sotaventonline.com
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- Outings

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- Outings
- Summer season

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- Outings

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- Outings

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- Rental with skipper
- Outings

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- Outings

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- Outings

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- Outings

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- Outings
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- Outings

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**Boat trips San Sebastian**
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- Summer season

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- Whale watching

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- Outing to three beaches in Donostia

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To access the full list of companies, visit [www.ciudadsansebastian.com](http://www.ciudadsansebastian.com) for Donostia/San Sebastián, [www.motorasdelaisla.com](http://www.motorasdelaisla.com) for Motas de la Isla Santa Clara, and [www.jolaski.com](http://www.jolaski.com) for Jolaski.

Diving services are available in various locations, including Bermeo, Getaria, Getxo, and Sukarrieta, offering unique experiences around the coast.
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**THE BASQUE COAST | ACTIVE TOURISM | LIST OF COMPANIES**
Activities with sea views
Exceptional scenery:

- **1 UNESCO biosphere reserve**: Urdaibai.
- **1 geopark** included in the **world network of UNESCO geoparks**: the Basque Coast Geopark.
- **2 nature reserves**: Aiako harria, a few km from San Sebastián, and Pagoeta between the lands of Aia and Zarautz.
- **3 biotopes**: Gaztelugatxe, Inurritza and the Deba-Zumaia coast.
- **13 special areas of conservation (ZEC)** in the Natura 2000 network
- **3 areas of geological interest** acknowledged with the "golden spike" (there are only 61 in the world)—flysch in Zumaia (2 spikes) and the cliffs and the beach at Gorron-datxe, in Getxo.
- **2 special protection areas for birds (ZEPA)** and designated wetlands of international importance RAMSAR: Urdaibai and Txingudi.
- **4 points of interest for ornithological tourism** (Txingudi, Urdaibai, Cape Matxitxako and the Port of Bilbao) and a specialised centre, Urdaibai Bird Center.

And many other corners to discover, investigate and enjoy on foot, by bicycle, on horseback... or from the air, alongside specialised companies and guides.
Marked routes along the Basque Coast

- **5 stages of the Northern Route to Santiago de Compostela.**
- **Routes through Aiako harria, Pagoeta and Urdai-bai.**
- **Flysch route in the Basque Coast Geopark.**
- **Talaia trail between Hondarribia and Mutriku.**
- **Itxasľur Greenway in Muskiz.**
- **River Lea trail, in Lekeitio.**
- **Route amongst whale watchtowers between Getaria and Zarautz.**
- **Short trails amongst vineyards in Bakio or to the Gorliz lighthouse.**
- **Geological walks between Getxo and Sopela.**
- **And several PR and GR trails:**
  
  [www.senderismoeskadi.eus](http://www.senderismoeskadi.eus)

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**Trekking**

All along the coastline there are watchtowers and lookouts which are easily accessed on foot and local trails of low difficulty which are suitable for all kinds of visitors who want to enjoy coastal panoramic views and do a little physical activity during the holidays.

But if you want to explore the coast in several stages (GR footpaths, the Saint James Way, themed and customised routes, etc.) whilst finding out about the natural and historical values of the surroundings, or discover the secrets of the nature reserves and the areas of geological interest – and indisputable beauty – there’s nothing better than placing yourself in the hands of companies and expert guides. A few hours, a day or several days, with no nasty shocks and with full guarantees. They take care of adjusting the route to the level of the participants, preparing the breaks for recharging batteries, organising extra activities or looking for accommodation.

**Prices:** one day guided tour between €40 and €100 per person depending on the number of participants. For tours over several days, please inquire.

- **Northern Saint James Way**

  Setting off from Hondarribia, the first three stages of the Saint James Way along the coast, or the Northern Way, run alongside the Cantabrian Sea. It then enters the lands of Biscay only to, once again, join the coast at Muskiz having passed through Bilbao. With good signage and a growing number of types of accommodation and establishments with menus for pilgrims, it’s a great option in order to discover the Basque Coast step by step.

  **Prices:** guide for 5 stages, between €200 and €400 depending on the number of participants. Inquire about rates according to requirements, duration of the experience, etc.
Bird watching

In spite of its small area, the Basque Country has several places which are ideal for bird watching, and some of them are found on the coast: the biosphere reserve in Urdaibai and the bay of Txingudi, both considered special protection areas for birds, Cape Maxitxako, on the San Juan de Gaztelugatxe biotope, the Bilbao port with the Serantes mountain as the best watching post and the Inurritza biotope, in Zarautz.

**Prices:** entrance to the Urdaibai Bird Center, €5 adults/ €2 children; guided trails from €15 per person or full days €170 /group.

Information regarding bird watching in the Basque Country: [www.birdingeuskadi.eus](http://www.birdingeuskadi.eus)

Bicycle routes

Bicycle lovers who design and organise itineraries of one or several stages, accommodation included, on the best routes along coastal roads or mountain trails on beaches and cliffs. Possibility of renting material.

**Prices:** from €50 for one day with a guide, or €795 for one week, with a guide and accommodation included. Check rates according to number of participants, characteristics and duration.

Information about Mountain Bike centres and routes at: [www.btteuskadi.eus](http://www.btteuskadi.eus)

By air

Soar over txakoli vineyards in a hot air balloon, go paragliding or hang gliding above a beach, marvel at San Juan de Gaztelugatxe or Hondarribia from a light aircraft... A unique proposal for the bold and those who love different experiences which allow them to witness unforgettable moments.

**Prices:** hot air balloon, €170 per person (1h15’); paragliding flights from €50.
List of companies

Companies part of Surfing Euskadi. Tourism Quality Commitment. Member of AKTIBA, Association of active tourism companies in the Basque Country.

Trekking guides

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- Canoeing
- SUP
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