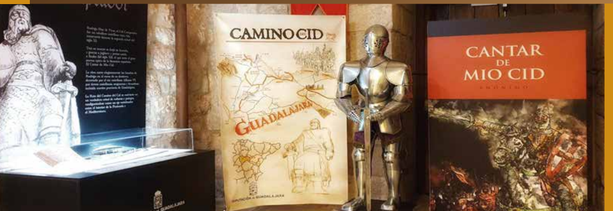




The historical Castle of Torija, built in the 15th Century and located in an exceptional spot of La Alcarria landscape, invites you to discover the province of Guadalajara through an interesting tour exploring different thematic areas as well as the Museum of the literary masterpiece Viaje a la Alcarria (Journey to the Alcarria).

Visiting the Castle, you will have a first look at our historical heritage, breathtaking natural landscapes and unique culture and gastronomy. Welcome to Guadalajara!



MUSEUM **OF VIAJE A LA ALCARRIA**

The Museum of Viaje a la Alcarria is placed in the Keep of Castle. It was opened on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the first publication of Viaje a la Alcarria, a travel book written by the Nobel award-winning Camilo José Cela, that describes the author's travels in the Alcarria region.







Organized in different spaces over three levels, the Museum presents a collection of personal mementos and notes taken by the author during his journey through our territory, along with a compilation of different editions of this fabulous literary work.







VISITING HOURS

MONDAY: Closed

THURSDAYS AND FRIDAYS:
From 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
and from 4:00 to 7:00 pm

SATURDAYS:
From 10:00 am to 8:00 pm

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Floor 1

Iberian wildlife

The well-preserved forests, vast moorlands, fertile riverbanks, and mountains of Guadalajara constitute the perfect and balanced natural habitat to foster the presence of a remarkable diversity of wildlife. Species such as the elusive otter, the imposing Eagle owl, the agile Bonelli's eagle, or the unique Great Bustard, excellent examples of the Iberian fauna, make their home in our lands.

Natural landscapes

Guadalajara's stunning natural beauty and diverse landscapes create an environment of striking contrasts, clearly demonstrating the variety of ecosystems present within its borders. The Natural Parks of Sierra Norte, Barranco del Río Dulce, and Alto Tajo are protected natural areas that are simple unmissable.

Floor 2

Jewels of a Territory

Within this area, visitors can discover a curated selection of Guadalajara's artistic and monumental treasures, irrefutable proof of the rich historical legacy of these lands. Situated centrally within the Iberian Peninsula, the territories of Guadalajara have served as a privileged witness to numerous historical events.

Black Architecture

Hidden away in the northwestern part of the Guadalajara, lies one of Europe's most impressive examples of traditional architecture: the Black Architecture. This collection of charming villages has remarkably preserved its distinctive and rustic architectural character over the centuries, defined by the use of black slate in all its constructions. Combined with its stunning natural setting, it presents a landscape of exceptional beauty.

From Romanesque Simplicity to Renaissance Finesse

This room invites you to explore Guadalajara's exceptional monumental heritage, a journey through history from the simplicity of the Rural Romanesque - a unique medieval Castilian artistic expression - to the finesse of Renaissance architecture. Indeed, Guadalajara became the gateway for the Italian Renaissance in the late 15th Century, with the Palace of the Dukes of Medinaceli (Cogolludo) standing as an exclusive example of Quattrocento Florentine architecture.

Floor 3

Echoes of Enduring Craftsmanship

The province of Guadalajara holds a deep-rooted history of artisan traditions, where age-old crafts have shaped the identity of its towns

A Tapestry of Popular Culture

Situated at the crossroads of many paths, Guadalajara has skillfully embraced and woven meaning into the diverse cultures and traditions that have traversed its lands, resulting in a captivating and precious inheritance of popular culture. Ask about our local celebrations and festivals for an immersive, firsthand experience.

Awaken Your Senses

No visit to this province is complete without indulging in its rich and diverse gastronomy, rooted in traditional recipes crafted with the finest local ingredients. Discover the authentic flavors of Guadalajara.