

PAMPLONA 2010 – Getting to Estella by Public Transport

Please note that these timings and prices were correct at the time of printing this information but that changes may be made at any time by the local authorities and private companies in Spain.

Please note: In the Basque language Pamplona is “Iruna”, Estella is “Lizarra” and San Sebastian is “Donastia”.

Camping Lizarra is situated on the outskirts of Estella, which is approximately 42 km southwest of Pamplona. The easiest way to get to Estella by public transport is the regular local buses that run from Pamplona. To reach Pamplona you’ll either be catching a bus from Bilbao or San Sebastian or maybe train/bus from Barcelona or Madrid?

PP Airport Transfers

An excellent alternative to public transport are our special transfers from Bilbao and Biarritz airports to Estella on July 3, 4 and 5 and returning on July 8 and 9. Click here for further details on [PP Shuttle service](#).

Car Hire

Another alternative to public transport is car hire. If there is a group of you, car hire in Spain is economical and you can park safely at our camp. Take the A12 motorway from Pamplona in the direction of Logrono. Come off at exit 40 to Estella. Immediately after exiting the motorway, take the first right only about 50 metres from the exit round a bout. There is a camp sign here. Follow this small road down the hill, the road turns sharply left and the camp is at the top of the hill.

Maps

click these links for maps of the region.

- [Pamplona region on Google maps](#)
- [Estella on Google maps](#)
- [Getting to Estella camp from bus station on Google maps.](#)

FLYING TO SPAIN

If you are flying to Spain the two closest airport offering direct flights from London are Biarritz (130km from Pamplona) and Bilbao (160km from Pamplona). Other low cost destinations in the region are Zaragoza (180km from Pamplona) and Santander (260km).

Further afield Barcelona (490km) and the capital Madrid (450km). You can fly into Pamplona Iberia Airlines, but must change flights in either Madrid or Barcelona.

Public transport from all these cities takes some doing. Here are some suggestions:

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FROM BILBAO

Bilbao Airport Bus to Bilbao City then bus to Pamplona and onto Estella

Bus Bilbao Airport to Bilbao Centre: The Bizkaibus A - 3247 departs from the outside of the airport terminal to Gran Via 79, Plaza Moyaua (central Bilbao) and Alamameda Recaide 11 at 20 min intervals from 0620 (6:20am) to midnight. The journey time is around 45 minutes and costs €1.10.

Bus Bilbao centre to Pamplona: Take the Metro. The station is beside the Carlton Hotel where Airport bus arrives (Station Casco Viejo) - go on the Yellow line across town to San Mames station. Over the road from there is the bus station (Estacion Autobuses Garellano). Pamplona buses leave from platforms 7 & 8. This takes 2 hours and will drop off at the main bus station in Pamplona.

Timetable: Monday - Saturday: 0700, 1000, 1300, 1530, 1800, 2030, Sunday: 0830, 1145, 1600, 1730, 2000.
Cost: One way €13.00, Return €20.25.

FROM PAMPLONA to ESTELLA [www.laestellesa.com]

From the Main Bus Station in Pamplona take a bus to Estella.

Timetable: 0730, 0930, 1000, 1130, 1330, 1430, 1630, 1800, 1900, 2030. Cost €5.00.

Bus will drop off at bus station in Estella it is a good 20 min walk (see attached map) to Camping Lizarra.

You can also catch a taxi from the Estella bus station to the campsite which will be about €7.00.

FROM SAN SEBASTIAN to ESTELLA [www.laestellesa.com]

Direct buses operate from San Sebastian to Estella daily.

Timetable: 0745, 0830, 1000, 1630, 2015. Cost €10.22.

Note that these times may change in July as their summer timetable (still not confirmed) comes on board. There are normally more departures in July.

FROM MADRID

Buses Madrid to Pamplona (two companies)

PLM [www.plmautocares.com]

Timetable: 0700, 0900, 1100, 1230, 1500, 1630, 1730. Cost €18.32.

CONDA [www.condasa.com]

Timetable: 0100, 0640, 0700, 0800, 1030, 1100, 1200, 1500, 1630, 1930. Cost €27.20.

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Trains Madrid to Pamplona [www.renfe.es]

Timetable: 0735, 1035, 1505, 1935.

FROM BARCELONA

Buses Barcelona to Pamplona VIBASA [www.vibasa.es]

Timetable: 0730, 1500, 2245 Cost €24.69.

Trains Barcelona to Pamplona [www.renfe.es]

Timetable: 0735, 0920, 1535 journey about 4 hours. Cost €56.

TRAVELLING on from ESTELLA

TO PAMPLONA

Timetable: 0645, 0800, 0845, 0850, 1100, 1400, 1515, 1715, 2000. Cost €3.83.

TO SAN SEBASTIAN [www.laestellesa.com]

Timetable: 0845, 1045, 1700. Bus costs €10.69. Travel time approx 2.5hours.

Note, these times may change in July as their summer timetable is still not confirmed. There are normally more departures in July.

TO MADRID

Buses (from Pamplona) (two companies)

CONDA [www.condasa.com] (they stop at the airport and then the city)

Timetable: 0100, 0700, 0830, 0915, 1415, 1615, 1815 (only Friday and Sunday), 2045. It takes between 5 and 5.45 hours. Cost €27.20.

PLM [www.plmautocares.com]

Timetable: 0600, 0700 (stops at Estella 0740), 830, 930, 1500, 1600 (stops at Estella 1640), 1730. It takes 5 hours from Estella and 0540 hours from Pamplona. Cost €18.32.

Trains (from Pamplona) [www.renfe.es]

Timetable: 0640, 1126, 1435, 1945. Cost €56. It takes 3 hours.

TO BARCELONA

Buses (from Pamplona) VIBASA [www.vibasa.es]

Timetable: 0115, 0920, 1650, 1715. Cost €24.69.

Trains (from Pamplona) [www.renfe.es]

Timetable: 1710, 1757. Cost €56. It takes 4 hours.