



Camino Budget Planner

How to Use This Budget Planner

Having a budget for your Camino will help you manage your spending and alleviate money worries, so you can focus on your journey.

You can use this printable PDF worksheet to help estimate your Camino costs. Simply follow the instructions below and check out real examples from my own Camino adventures [here](#).

- **Decide how many days you need for your trip** - you can work this out using the [Camino Basics Stage Planner](#), or refer to your guidebook or app.
- **Work out your Basic Expenses** by multiplying the number of days for your trip by your estimated daily costs for accommodation and then food - enter these totals on the planner. Then add the costs for your flights, insurance, and any kit you need to purchase.

Example Budget		
Route: <i>Camino Francés</i>	Trip Length: <i>37 days (36 nights)</i>	
Start: <i>Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port</i>	Finish: <i>Santiago de Compostela</i>	
Basics	€/\$/£	Notes
Accommodation	786	33 x nights in albergues @ €17 p.n. + 3 x nights in Pensión/Hotels @ €75 p.n.
Food	925	37 x €25 (Breakfast €4, Lunch €6, Dinner €15)

- **Add on your Additional Expenses**, like entry tickets to museums, a stay in a luxury hotel, or perhaps a trip to visit the lighthouse at Finisterre. Make sure to include an allowance for topping up toiletries and first aid items.

Include an Emergency Fund

It's advisable to set aside a small emergency fund for unexpected expenses. You may find you need to take a taxi because of blisters, or replace an item of damaged kit. These costs can easily add up, but having some money set aside will help you stay within your budget.

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Route:

Trip Length:

Start:

Finish:

Basics	€/\$/£	Notes
Accommodation		
Food		
Flights		
Baggage		
Airport transfers		
Travel insurance		
Visa / Passport fees		
Kit / Walking gear		

Additional	€/\$/£	Notes
Baggage transfer		
Laundry		
Toiletries / First aid		
Entry / Admission fees		
Excursions / Other		

Totals	€/\$/£	Notes
Basics		
Additional expenses		
Emergency fund		
Grand total		

Notes: