



Sierra y Cañones de Guara Natural Park



NATURAL PARK RULES

- Lighting fires is prohibited. If you see smoke or any other anomaly, call 112. The call is free of charge and any emergency will be answered.
- Wild camping is prohibited throughout the Natural Park.
- After your visit, remember to collect any rubbish and take it to a suitable place, putting it in a container.
- Unauthorised driving of motor vehicles is prohibited on the restricted access tracks.
- Do not leave the marked trails, so as to avoid disturbing the fauna, getting lost and to enjoy the splendor of the landscapes.
- Riding off the trails by bike or on horseback is prohibited.
- Walking quietly will allow you to observe the wildlife. Pay attention to the flora without damaging or pulling it out, so that we can all continue to enjoy it in the same way.
- Within the Natural Park, all pets must be on a leash to avoid unforeseeable interactions with the fauna and flora of the natural protected area.
- Do not litter or use soap or detergents in fountains, rivers or waterways.

In case of any incident or infraction, notify the Government of Aragón's Nature Protection Agents and follow their instructions by calling the telephone numbers: 974 29 32 01/06

The general regulations for uses and activities within the "Sierra y Cañones de Guara" Natural Park can be consulted at <https://www.aragon.es/-/parque-natural-de-la-sierra-y-cañones-de-guara>

ENJOY THE "SIERRA Y CAÑONES DE GUARA" NATURAL PARK, RESPECT IT AND CONTRIBUTE TO ITS CONSERVATION

CLIMBING IN THE SIERRA Y CAÑONES DE GUARA NATURAL PARK

Before climbing, check the specific regulations about climbing zones, modalities and climbing periods.

(ORDEN de 28 de diciembre de 2015, del Consejero de Desarrollo Rural y Sostenibilidad, por la que se regula la práctica de la escalada en el Parque Natural de la Sierra y los Cañones de Guara y su Zona Periférica de Protección).

ZONING	Dates allowed	Climbing type
PERMITTED SECTORS (ANNEX II)		
Carruaca, Puerta del Cierzo, Vadiello (La Almunia, Primer Túnel, La Caverna-La Cavernita, Peña Olvidada, Pared del Muerto, El Escondite, La Cascada, El Río, Tres Túneles, Placa Refugio, Pared de Entrenamiento -cota inferior al final de las clavijas del Palomo-, Pared de la Presa, Fin de la Carretera, La Momia y El Elefante), La Predicadera, Rodellar, Andrebot, Peña San Martín, Alcanadre (subsectores autorizados), Trensús (águja exclusivamente), Alquézar y Quizáns (San Pelegrín),	All year	Sport
Vadiello (Cacumen, El Puro, La Mitra, Crestas del Borón y Águja Mummery)	All year	Trad
Cienfuens, San Miguel y el Fraile, Peña Aman, Vadiello (Paredes Rojas, Mallo Loco, cotas superiores al final de las clavijas de la canal del Palomo, Mallos de Ligüerri y Macizo del Borón), Huevo de San Cosme, Confluencia del Yara y Formiga, Peña Grau, Balcez Superior, Tozal de las Mazetas y Peña Bovin (Tozal del Vero).	1/8 - 30/11	Trad
REST		
Rest UL 3	1/8 - 30/11	Trad
Rest UL 2	All year	Trad
Rest of the Park	All year	Trad
QUIET AREAS (ANNEX I)		
Pico del Mediodía, Palomeras del Flumen, Umbrías de Vadiello, Mallos de Lazas, cara Oeste del Borón, Peña San Cosme, Punta Negra, Mondiera, Mesón de Sescún, Cara Oeste de Fragnetó, Pondaliaga, El Matal, Arraro, Ulpiao, Cabeceras de los barrancos de Charroteras y Peñacanal, Peña Piatra, Gorgas Negras, La catedral y San Martín, Trensús, Balcez superior en el TM de Aínsa-Sobrarbe, Oscuros de Balcez, Estrechos de Balcez, Modovil, la Choca, Cañón del Vero (águas arriba de Peña Bovin y Tozal de las Macetas), Cortados sur y este de Peña Baivals, Peña Los Santos y Roca Paniacha y Peña Pablo.	Prohibited all year	None
IT IS PROHIBITED TO EQUIP OR RE-EQUIP CLIMBING ROUTES WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION		

NATURAL PARK CANYONING REGULATIONS

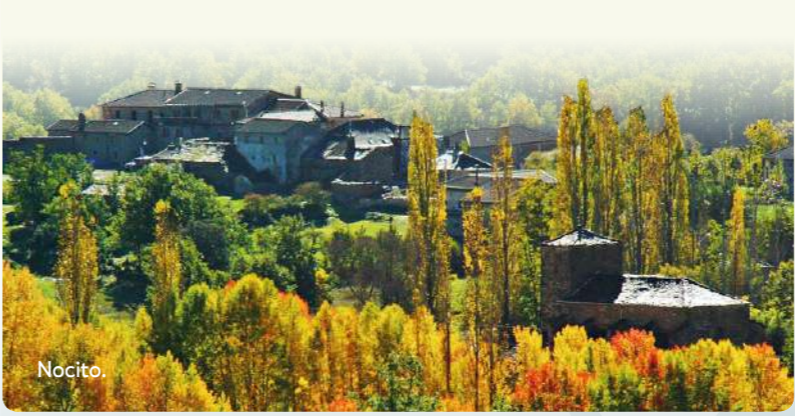
Before canyoning and caving, check the specific legislation that regulates and suggests: **1)** Mandatory material and recommended equipment. **2)** Minimum frequencies for entering the canyons between groups. **3)** Maximum group size. (DECRETO 204 /2014, de 2 de diciembre, del Gobierno de Aragón, por el que aprueba el Plan Rector de Uso y Gestión del Parque Natural de la Sierra y los Cañones de Guara).

CANYONING	PROHIBITED		AUTHORIZATIONS REQUIRED DURING THE PERIODS				POOLS ARE OFF LIMITS	ALLOWED WITHOUT PERMISSION
	All year	1/12 - 30/6	1/12 - 30/6	1/12 - 30/6	1/3 - 30/6	All year		
Barranco de La Choca						X		
Barranco de Ofián					X			
Barranco de san Martín, en el tramo comprendido en los 100 metros aguas debajo de la ermita de San Martín de la Val de Onsera	X							
Ascenso a la canal del Palomo						X		
Palomeras del Flumen								
Barranco del Diablo				X				
La Canaleta y Las Cuevas de La Reina en la Peña de San Cosme	X							
Barranco de Lazas, Escomatú, San Chinés, Piedra Foratata		X						
Barrancos de Yara y Formiga hasta su mutua confluencia		X						
Resto del Parque Natural								X

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The "Sierra y Cañones de Guara" Natural Park is the largest Protected Natural Area in the Aragonese Natural Network, with **47,637.66 hectares** of Natural Park and **34,064.63 hectares** of Peripheral Protection Zone. It was declared as such by Law 14/1990 of December 27, by the Aragonese Courts and re-qualified to the category of Natural Park by Law 6/1998 of the Natural Protected Areas in Aragón.

It extends across 15 municipalities on both sides of the mountain range, with very picturesque villages. **Abiego, Adahuesca, Aínsa-Sobrarbe, Alquézar, Arguis, Bércabo, Bierge, Boltaña, Caldearenas, Casbas de Huesca, Colungo, Huesca, Loporzano, Nueno and Sabiñánigo** are the municipalities which have land within the limits of the Park. They are integrated within a total of four districts: **Alto Gállego, Hoya de Huesca, Sobrarbe and Somontano de Barbastro.**



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Its strategic location between the steppes of the Ebro and the Pyrenees and a climate which varies between Atlantic and Mediterranean highlight a great difference between the vegetation of the northern and southern slopes of this protected area, which has generated a great variety of environments with numerous plant species. Furthermore, as it is isolated from other mountains, it has also given rise to plants exclusive to these ranges.

The spectacular nature of the Park lies in its landscape where the water has shaped its limestone rocks, sculpting the famous canyons, with narrow stretches of vertical walls, alternating waterfalls, rock chaos and siphons, as well as surprising karst formations, such as caves, dolines, lapies and springs. On its southern limit, the famous "mallos", vertical cliffs that watch over the plain, emerge from the conglomerates. The brown trout frequents sections of the river and the Pyrenean newt lives in the springs and clear water pools, the shepherds call it the fountain keeper, because they say that when it disappears, the fountains dry up.

Large birds such as the griffon vulture, golden eagle or the bearded vulture often choose to make their nests in the steep, rocky walls. Among the mammals, the wild boar, fox, wild cat, dormouse and stone marten stand out.

The people in the sierra have not contributed to environmental degradation but rather to the maintenance of resources. These resources have been so well maintained as to merit the park its declaration as the "Sierra y Cañones de Guara" Natural Park.



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- S-1** Fuente de la Tamara
- S-2** Pacos de Morrano y Peña Falconera
- S-3** Rodellar - Losa Mora - Otin
- S-4** Lecina - Almazorre - Betorz - Lecina
- S-5a** Tozal de Guara por Santa Cilia de Panzano
- S-5b** Tozal de Guara por La Tejería de San Cosme
- S-6** San Martín de la Val d'Onsera
- S-7** Vadiello - Huevo de San Cosme
- S-8** Barranco de La Pillera
- S-9** Salto de Roldán - Peña San Miguel
- S-10** Sierra de Bonés
- S-11** Circular Castillo de los Santos
- S-12** Bara - Bibán - Binueste - Bara
- S-13** Used - Azpe - Abellada - Bentué de Nocito - Used
- S-14** Matidero - Bibán - Miz - Alastrué - Matidero
- S-15** Circular Las Bellostas - Bagüeste
- S-16** Quejigos centenarios
- S-17** Pueyo de Morcat - Casas de Montalbán - Torruellola de la Plana - Torruellola del Obico - Pueyo de Morcat

LEGEND

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| Interpretation Center | Parking | Natural Park Trail |
| Panel - point of information | Parking only accessible spaces | National Road |
| Viewpoint | Parking with accessible spaces | Regional Road |
| Accessible Viewpoint | Track | Track (No motor vehicles) |
| Bird Observatory | Natural Park | Shelter |
| Monument | Peripheral Protection Zone | Hermitage |
| | | Village |
| | | Uninhabited village |

