

# Casa Mejillones

Region: Galicia Sleeps: 6 - 10

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## Overview

This traditional stone cottage seamlessly blends heritage design with modern interiors - the result is a calm haven to come home to after a busy day exploring Galicia. There is a large curved aquamarine private pool that is bound to be popular with the whole family, surrounded by a spacious, lush garden. Perfect for a refreshing dip in the sunshine.

Plants and trees are dotted around the villa, which is nestled in a quiet village. Outside, there is table tennis and a basketball court, as well as an expansive lawn that surrounds the house where the whole family can play and relax together.

Indoors, there is an open-plan living space decorated in a chic, contemporary style, with black leather sofas and tiled floors. Glass sliding doors allow everyone to move in and out with ease and brightens up the space with natural light. In the living room, the walls are mauve with a patterned feature wall where the television is mounted. Floral canvas art decorates the walls, while cushions add a splash of colour to the room. Other areas in the open-plan living space are painted rust red and buttermilk, which adds a stylish colour-blocking twist.

One of the most striking areas of the cottage is the kitchen, which is decked out in high-shine red, with a huge breakfast bar that doubles as preparation space. The kitchen is fully equipped and even has a dishwasher, so this villa has got you covered in terms of self-catering. Guests can dine indoors around the wooden table with matching sleek black leather chairs, or out on the terrace at the informal wooden bench, overlooking the garden. There is also a barbecue, for alfresco cooking enthusiasts.

The four simple yet sophisticated bedrooms have either double or twin beds, with crisp linen and patterned blankets. Vintage-style wooden furniture pops against the muted mauve walls. Collage-style canvas art and wooden sculptures jazz up the space. There are televisions in the bedrooms, perfect for downtime.

Two extra beds are available and a sofa can also be turned into a bed. Bathrooms at this property either have a bathtub or a modern shower, decorated in peach tones and tiles.



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## **Facilities**

Modern • Great Value • Private Pool • Beach Nearby • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Wi-Fi/Internet • <1hr to Airport • BBQ • Ground Floor Bed & Bath • Satellite TV • Outdoor Games • Table Tennis • DVD • Heating • Cot(s) • Watersports • Rural Location • Walking/Hiking Paths • Wine Tasting • Golf Nearby • Tennis Nearby • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Boat Trips

# Interior & Grounds

## The Villa

Casa Mejillones is a cute 3-bedroom styled cottage near A Coruna. With ample space outside, this is a very suitable choice for those who want to lounge in the Galician sun.

### Ground Floor

- Double bedroom, with en-suite bathroom
- Double bedroom
- Twin bedroom
- Communal bathroom
- Dining & living area, with sofa bed
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Utility room

### Exterior

- Private swimming pool, with Roman steps access (10mx5m)
- Barbecue
- Lawn area
- Outdoor dining & furniture
- Parasols
- Private Parking
- Sun loungers

### Additional Facilities

- Books
- Coffee Maker
- Hairdryer
- Iron/Board
- Television
- Wi-Fi internet



## Location & Local Information

This cottage is beautifully located in a village called Eirapedriña, tucked away within the countryside yet just 4km from the charming town of Santiago de Compostela and 30 minutes from Rias Baixas on the coast. Around the villa there is a shop 500m away and a restaurant 2km away.

Santiago de Compostela is famous for being the end destination of the Camino de Santiago pilgrimage. You could join the final leg of the journey to reach the site, which is one of the most important places for Catholics. The pilgrim's reward is the Cathedral, which was built in the 1300s in a Romanesque style.

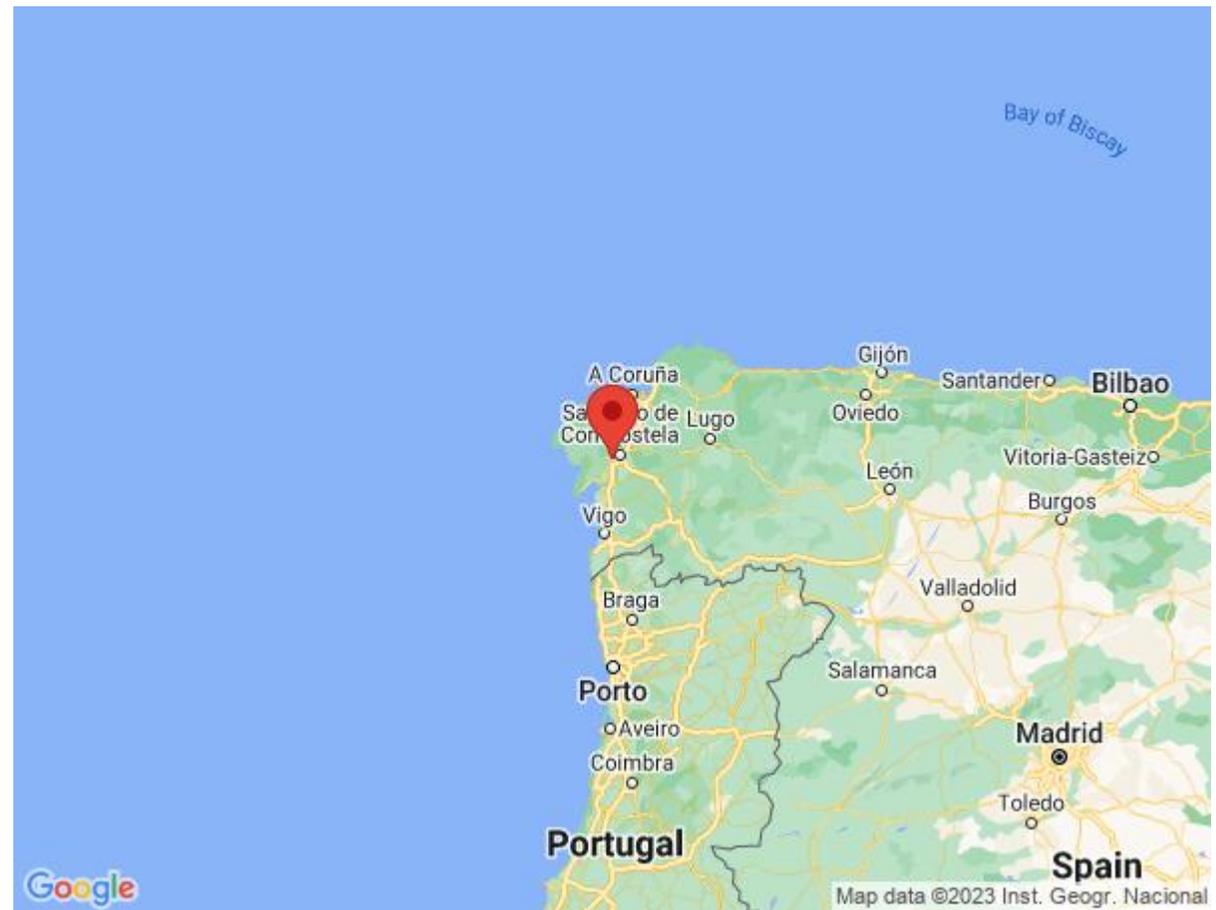
For a small fee you can climb to the top for an unrivalled view over the city. This stunning place of worship is understood to be the final resting place of St. James. A trip to Santiago de Compostela would not be complete without a visit here - make sure you check out the High Altar and the magnificent Portico de la Gloria, the entrance gate. It is inlaid with breathtaking sculptures. In front of the cathedral, there is a square called Plaza do Obraduro that is also beautiful and marks the start of the UNESCO-listed Casco Antigo.

Also known as the Old Town, these charming cobblestoned streets are lined with cafes, boutiques and restaurants. Great for a stroll and some people watching, the Casco Antigo is mostly pedestrianised. In town, try some of the region's famous fresh seafood, such as the octopus stew and head to a bakery to sample a Torta de Santiago, a cake made with ground almonds and dusted with icing sugar.

For an oasis of calm within all the chaos, head to Alameda Park, an open green space where you can enjoy a picnic and admire the view of the Cathedral.

Anyone interested in art should visit the Galician Contemporary Art Centre. It has a range of permanent and temporary exhibitions of work by Galician artists from the 20th century to the present day. The exhibition hall is also a beautiful modern building designed to flood with light - there's also a terrace on the roof with great views.

Beaches are further afield in other parts of Galicia - so make a day trip to the most picturesque beaches in the area - the Cies islands. The city of Vigo is one hour away by car, from there you can take a ferry to the islands. Part of Galicia National Park, the Cies islands of Monteagudo, Faro and San Marino are only accessible by boat. Only a limited number of people can visit the islands each day for conservation reasons, so booking ahead is recommended. The most famous beach is Rodas, but there are several other



dazzling shorelines to explore. You can also go hiking and camp overnight on the islands.

### Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	<b>Vigo Airport/Santiago de Compostela Airport (79.8km/25.8km)</b>
Nearest Town/City	<b>Santiago de Compostela (10.4km)</b>
Nearest Restaurant	<b>Mollos e Moios (2.4km)</b>
Nearest Bar/Pub	<b>Cervecería Galway (6.2km)</b>
Nearest Beach	<b>Praia de Boa Grande (33.8km)</b>
Nearest Golf	<b>Campo de Disc Golf (16.5km)</b>
Nearest Tennis	<b>Squash Santiago Club de Tenis (6.8km)</b>

## What we love

- The pool is very spacious and shimmers in the sun - there's room for everyone to have fun swimming here
- The village setting of this cottage is so peaceful, yet it's just 4km to the city of Santiago de Compostela.
- The kitchen has a futuristic edge - decorated in glossy red and perfectly equipped with everything you need to create delicious meals

## What you should know...

- Children should take care on the steps of the pool, as they can get slippery when wet
- Pets are not allowed at this villa
- Please notice that a 48% deposit is required at the time of the booking for this property

# Terms & Conditions

- Security deposit: €150 paid in cash to the owner upon arrival and refunded upon departure, subject to full inspection.
- Arrival time: 4.00 p.m.
- Departure time: 11.00 a.m.
- Energy costs included?: Included in the rental price
- Linen & towels included?: Included in the rental price
- End of stay cleaning included?: Included in the rental price
- Tax: Included in the rental price
- Changeover day: Flexible
- Minimum stay: 7 nights
- Internet access?: Wi-Fi connection included
- Pets welcome?: Pets are not allowed
- Smoking Allowed?: Smoking & Vaping is not permitted inside the villa
- Insurance: It is recommended that all guests take out insurance to cover against potential cancellation and any accidental damage caused during your stay at the property.
- Other Ts and Cs: Extra beds available upon request
- Other Ts and Cs: Crib available upon request
- Other Ts and Cs: A non-refundable 52% deposit is required to confirm a booking at this property (or full payment if booking within 12 weeks of departure).