

DESTINATION SERVICES

PUERTO DEL ROSARIO, **FUERTEVENTURA**



Ship's Location

- . Tourist Information
- Beach Playa de los Pozoso
- 3. Shopping Centre
- 1. Casa Museum
- 5. Town Centre

Distance to the town: Approx. 10-15 minute walk

For more information please see the team at Destination Services

Source- google.co.uk/maps

EXPLORE ASHORE FUERTEVENTURA



LOCAL CURRENCY: EURO



LANGUAGE SPOKEN: SPANISH



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AT A GLANCE

Fuerteventura is the second largest island of the Canary Islands—666 square km—and is located nearest to the coast of Africa with Morocco just 65 miles away. The capital of Fuerteventura, Puerto del Rosario, sits close to the airport and has a population of around 18,000. Once called Puerto de Cabras (goat harbour) the town developed into an important port during the 19th century after taking the capital city statues of the island from La Oliva.

The distance to the town centre is 1km and approximately a 10 to 15 minute walk.

Taxis are available from outside the port gates. Most fares are set, however if a ride is not metered we suggest that you agree a price with the driver before entering the taxi. A 10 minute journey costs approximately €15.

DON'T MISS OUT ON

Open-Air Museum: Make your way down the promenade which has been converted into an open-air gallery thanks to the sculptures of snails by the Canary Islands sculptor, Juan Bordes.

Historic Quarter: Strolling through the historic quarter you'll find a bright collection of whitewashed streets which house outstanding examples of architecture. These include the Our Lady of The Rosary Church or the House Museum of Miguel de Unamuno, located in a 19th century house.

Murals: Keep your eyes peeled for over 400 murals, which are dotted around the city. As you're walking and admiring the sculptures along the promenade, you'll also be able to spot these colourful murals.

Beach: Playa Chica is a nice small town beach. This clear sandy cove is perfect for a little rest. There are limited facilities, a small kiosk which serves ice lotions and water.

Shopping: Las Rotondas Shopping Centre is the best place on the island, if you wish to do some shopping. This place is home to typical high-street brands, along with local brands too. **As we dock on a Sunday, most shops are likely to be closed. Some smaller souvenir shops may be open reduced hours.**

EXCURSION OF THE DAY

The Aloe Vera Lab: The Aloe Vera plant is renowned for its healing properties – anaesthetic, antiseptic and anti-inflammatory. Just 3 of the 300 Aloe Vera species have healing properties and one of the best, 'Barbadenzus Miller', is grown in Fuerteventura. Your guide will take you to the Aloe Vera fields to see how they grow in this volcanic landscape and how they get their nutrients from the land. You'll then head into the workshop for a fun lesson in making your own totally natural face mask, incorporating fresh Aloe Vera, citrus and avocado – you'll be able to take the mask away with you and try it at your leisure. Plus, not only is the Aloe Vera good for your skin, but promotes healthy digestion so you'll have the opportunity to try a thirst quenching Aloe Vera cocktail before your return to the pier.

PORT MAPS

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JUST SO YOU KNOW

As with all tourist destinations, pick-pockets can operate in crowded areas so please be mindful of your possessions.

As a result of current restrictions, you may need to pre-book when visiting an attraction. We recommend checking the relevant website for more information.

It's illegal to smoke on beaches in the Canary Islands.