

## Parador de Benavente



### The Parador:

Benavente's Parador is named after Ferdinand II, the 12th-century king of León who built the original castle. Much of the old castle was destroyed by Napoleon in 1808, but the 16th-century Caracol Tower, an imposing castle-palace that dominates the town, survived, and forms part of the Parador. The building is noted for its coffered ceilings and Castilian brickwork, and the historic atmosphere has been enhanced by old paintings, rugs, wooden floors and iron lamp fittings.

### Primary Facilities:

- Lift
- Parking (chargeable)
- Wi-Fi
- Gardens
- Swimming Pool

### Key Activities:

- Hunting
- Trekking
- Villafafaila Lakes

### Keytel Tips:

- Walk around the Romanesque churches, enjoying Benavente's almost undiscovered allure.
- Nature lovers should head to Villafafaila Lakes, with dovecots scattered over the beautiful landscape.

**Check in:** after 2.00pm

**Check out:** before 12.00pm

**Restaurant's opening hours:** 07:30 - 10:30  
13:30 - 16:00  
20:30 - 23:00

### Address

Paseo Ramón Y Cajal, S/N  
49600 Benavente  
Zamora

### GPS Coordinates

Latitude: 41.9980818  
Longitude: -5.6808554

**Telephone number:** (0034) 980 630 300

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### Directions

#### Arriving by car:

The Parador is at the end of Paseo Ramón y Cajal, in the spot known as Jardines de la Mota. Located in the centre of the town, the most common access route is the A-6 motorway Madrid-A Coruña, or else from Ourense, Vigo and Pontevedra along the N-630 main road.

**Nearest airport:** León (75km)



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