



# **Museum of Palencia**



The origins of the current Palencia Museum lie in the union of two archaeological collections that were brought together in Palencia during the second half of the 19th century, allowing for the construction of the first institutional museum.

This museum houses a large number of exhibits that give visitors a clear idea of the province's archaeological evolution from the Palaeolithic Era to the Modern Age. Highlights include the collections dating back to the days of the Vaccaei and the Romans, although the items on display also include objects from the Visigoth period. In addition, there is a room dedicated to religious art. This is unquestionably a museum that is rich in history and is well worth exploring.

## Buildings

**House of the Cordon:** It was commissioned by the Sarmientos family at the beginning of the 16th century. The architectural project was carried out by Don Luis Arranz Algueró. Owes its name to the franciscan cordon which decorates the stone gate and surrounds the two coats-of- arms. Now, it houses Museo de Palencia.

### Address

Plaza del Cordón, 1. Palencia. 34001 Palencia. **Telephone:** 979 752 328 **Fax:** 979 700 599 **Email:** museo.palencia@jcyl.es **Website:** http://www.museoscastillayleon.jcyl.es/museodepalencia

## More information

#### Ayuntamiento of Palencia Address:

Municipality of Palencia. Palencia. Teléfono: 979 718 100

Email: informacion@aytopalencia.es Página Web: www.aytopalencia.es

### Oficina de Turismo Regional of Palencia Address:

C/ Mayor, 31. Palencia. 34001 Palencia. Teléfono: 979 706 523 Fax: 979 706 525 Email: oficinadeturismodepalencia@jcyl.es

## Kind of museum

State

## **Timetables and Prices**

Opening hours

- Winter October, 1 June, 30):
- Tuesday to saturday: 10:00 14:00 and 16:00 19:00







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- Sundays and holidays: 10:00 14:00
- Closed: monday
- Summer July, 1 September, 30):
- Tuesday to saturday: 10:00 14:00 and 17:00 20:00
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- Closed: monday

Tickets 1  $\in$  (Free, Saturdays, Sundays and May 18)

**Remarks:** Exhibition permanent: Roman Treasure of Valsadornín \* Children's workshops: Consult directly http:// www.museoscastillayleon.jcyl.es/museodepalencia Piece of the month and unpublished funds. \* Christmas: Closed on: Dec 24, 25, 31. and Jan 1 and 6

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