Costa Rica Visitors’ Guide

Transportation and Directions
Welcome to Costa Rica

Costa Rica, nation of peace, located at the heart of the Americas, a verdant green country with beautiful mountains, forests, volcanos and beaches, where tourists can participate in both extreme sports and ecotourism. Your first and last contact with Costa Rica is the modern Juan Santamaria International Airport (SJO), situated in the center of the country and offering a wide array of commercial services to satisfy the tastes of businesspeople and meet the needs and preferences of tourists of all ages. Come on – Costa Rica and its friendly people await you! Enjoy the pleasures of a visit to this American paradise.

Juan Santamaria International Airport
Alajuela, Costa Rica

Airlines operating flights to San José (SJO) from:

**CANADA EUROPE**
- Air Transat
- Air Canada
- Condor
- IBERIA
- American Airlines
- United Airlines
- Delta Airlines

**USA LATAM**
- Spirit Airlines
- US Airways
- Jet Blue
- Copa Airlines
- Interjet
- Aeromexico

Airlines currently operating flights to Liberia Airport (LIR):

**CANADA EUROPE**
- Air Canada
- Air Berlin

**USA LATAM**
- American Airlines
- Delta Airlines
- Frontier Airlines

Rent a Car Services

At Juan Santamaria International Airport, you may rent a car from any of the five largest rental car companies in Costa Rica. These car rental offices are located inside the airport’s main terminal, past the Customs area. These companies welcome you, verify your reservations (if you have one), and inform you of current rates and promotions, so you can chose the one that suits you best. You and your party are then escorted to the rental car court, located near the airport, where they’ll deliver the car you have rented.

- **Alamo Rent a Car**
  - +11 (506) 2242.7733
  - AlamoCostaRica.com
  - Open: 05:00 to 22:00

- **Budget Rent a Car**
  - +11 (506) 2440.4412
  - Budget.co.cr

- **Dollar Rent a Car**
  - +11 (506) 2443.2078
  - DollarCostaRica.com
  - Open: 5:00 to 22:00

- **Economy Rent a Car**
  - +11 (506) 2299.2000
  - EconomyRentACar.com
  - Open: 24/7

- **Hertz Rent a Car**
  - +11 (506) 2221.1818
  - HertzCostaRica.com
  - Open: 05:00 to 23:00

Car Service

In the past we have hired a Shuttle Service: Ricky’s Tour. Mr. Fabio Alfaro is the Driver who has helped us with our executives. He usually meet you at the Juan Santamaria Airport in the main exit. Fabio will be holding a sign with your name and the Heraeus logo. Fabio’s Cell Phone is: +11 (506) 8302-4936.
From Juan Santamaria Airport to Costa Rica Campus

Directions from Juan Santamaria to Costa Rica Campus
About 42.6 Kilometers and 1 hour without traffic

Juan Santamaria International Airport
Alajuela, Costa Rica

1. Get on Autopista General Cañas/Route 1, 800 m
2. Follow Autopista General Cañas/Route 1 and Circunvalación/Paseo de la Segunda República to Av 32 in San José, 22.5 km
3. Take Route 215 to Route 2 in Curridabat, 3.3 km
4. Follow Route 2 to Av 13 in Cartago, 14.3 km
5. Take Calle 58 to your destination, 1.7 km

Heraeus Medical Components
Building 29, Calle 58, Zona Franca La Lima, Provincia de Cartago, Guadalupe, 30106, Costa Rica

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1. Get on Route 10 from Av. Central, 1.5 km
2. Follow Route 2 to Autopista Florencio del Castillo in Curridabat, 14 km
3. Continue on Autopista Florencio del Castillo. Take Route 215 to Circunvalación/Paseo de la Segunda República in San José, 4.4 km
4. Follow Circunvalación/Paseo de la Segunda República and Autopista General Cañas/ Carr Interamericana/Route 1 to Río Segundo. Exit from Autopista General Cañas/Carr Interamericana/Route 1, 24.1 km
5. Drive to Llegadas, 210 m

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Hotel Options in Costa Rica

**Hyatt Place San Jose/Pinares**
Plaza Momentum Pinares, San Jose, Costa Rica
+1 (506) 2518.7700
SanJosePinares.place.hyatt.com/en/hotel/home.html

**Boutique Hotel Jade**
250 mts Norte de Grupo Q, Barrio Dent, Los Yoses, San Pedro. San Jose Costa Rica
+1 (506) 2224.2455
HotelBoutiqueJade.com

**Hotel El Guarco**
Cartago Province, El Tejar de El Guarco, Costa Rica
+1 (506) 2573.0000
HotelelGuarco.com/hospedajeencartago

**Cedar Cats Apartments**
500 meters east of Universidad Fidélitas, 10105 San José, Costa Rica
Booking.com/hotel/cr/cedar-cats-apartments.html