

Cercedilla





What to see:

When I think of *Cercedilla*, the first thing that pops into my head is nature. An hour from Madrid, this mountainous town is an incredible place for hiking, adventure activities and typical, no-frills kind of food.

In the summer, there's also an amazing natural swimming pool, meaning a manmade pool filled with natural running water from the mountain's streams and rivers, so you can take a refreshing dip while enjoying the beautiful surroundings.

If you'd like to go to Cercedilla but the idea of hiking scares you, there's a train that travels around the Guadarrama mountains. The train is called "*Tren de la naturaleza*" and runs every Thursday and Friday from the beginning of July to the end of September.

How to get there:

▪ By Train (Cercanías)

Depart from: Chamartín train station

Schedule:

Departure ([Madrid – Cercedilla \(Cercanías\)](#))

Return ([Cercedilla – Madrid \(Cercanías\)](#))

Duration: approx. 1 hour

Price: 4€ (round trip approx. 8€).

▪ By bus

Depart from: Moncloa. 684 bus

Schedule:

Departure ([Madrid – Cercedilla \(Bus\)](#))

Return ([Cercedilla – Madrid \(Bus\)](#))

Duration: approx. 1 hour 10 min

Price: 5,10€ (round trip 10,20€)

Where to find it on a map:

