



# MARGARAÇA FOREST HIKE Açor Mountain Range

From  
**14€**

## DESCRIPTION

A **circular walking route** of approximately **8 km**, integrated into the **Protected Landscape of Açor**, with **guided interpretation** of the botanical values and human occupation of this natural sanctuary. The route **includes** a visit to the **Reserve's Interpretation Centre**, the **Casa da Eira** (museum of traditional economic activities), the waste kiln linked to traditional basketry, and the Quinta Mill. In the village of **Pardieiros**, it is possible to witness the **artisanal production of wooden spoons**, and the route also includes a **visit to Fraga da Pena**, the **largest waterfall** in the region. The **Margaraça Forest** is considered the **last great stronghold of the native forest** of Beira Serra, dominated by **oaks** and **chestnut trees**, with vestiges of the **ancient pre-glacial Laurissilva**.

The terrain is **uneven** in some sections and the **slopes are moderate**, so **some physical stamina is recommended**.

**Recommended season:** spring, summer and autumn.

**Difficulty:** easy/medium

## PRICE

Price per person (per booking):

- 10 participant: **14€**
- 20 participant: **16,5€**

Minimum required for operation: 150€.

## LOGISTICS

**Duração:** ~5/6h.

**Ponto de encontro:** 9h30 na aldeia de Pardieiros.

**GMaps:** <https://maps.app.goo.gl/QclUULnRsXVenzvJ8>

## What to bring?

You should bring water and a light lunch (sandwiches and fruit). Clothing and footwear appropriate to the weather conditions of each season are recommended, prioritizing lightweight, thermal and breathable clothing, waterproof or windproof clothing, comfortable hiking boots, a hat for sun protection, and trousers that allow good mobility. In colder weather, there may be snow at the highest points of the route.

## Food/Lunch

Contact us directly to receive lunch options from restaurants, catering, or pre-made snacks to complement your activity!

## BOOKING

You can make your reservation directly on our **website** [www.transserrano.com](http://www.transserrano.com) by **Email** [geral@transserrano.com](mailto:geral@transserrano.com) or **WhatsApp** [+351 961 787 772](https://wa.me/351961787772).

We always require the full name, contact number and email address of the person responsible for the booking.

For institutions or companies, a 50% deposit is required up to 5 days before the activity, payable to **IBAN PT50 0045 3453 4027 7641 08953**, with proof of payment sent by email.

## LOGISTICS

- ✓ Route and guide
- ✓ Guided tours of schist villages, viewpoints and more
- ✓ Personal accident insurance
- ✓ Entrance to the Piódão Museum
- ✓ Photographic record (free)

## Conditions

▶ Prices include insurance, as described on our website: [www.transserrano.com/seguro](http://www.transserrano.com/seguro)

▶ **VAT at the current legal rate (23%) will be added to the prices shown.**

▶ Trans Serrano reserves the right to cancel or modify the activity whenever weather conditions, physical conditions or other factors may compromise participants' safety.

▶ In case of no-show or cancellation within 24 hours prior to the activity, without prior notice, Trans Serrano reserves the right to retain or charge 50% of the activity fee.

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