

TRAILS ON THE BENACANTIL

MOUNT BENACANTIL is one of the most emblematic green areas in the municipality of Alicante. Here we can find flora and fauna elements which are worth knowing and conserving.

The Santa Bárbara Castle, built during the 8th and 9th centuries, and modified throughout the history of the city, interrelating and influencing its development, stands out in this area.

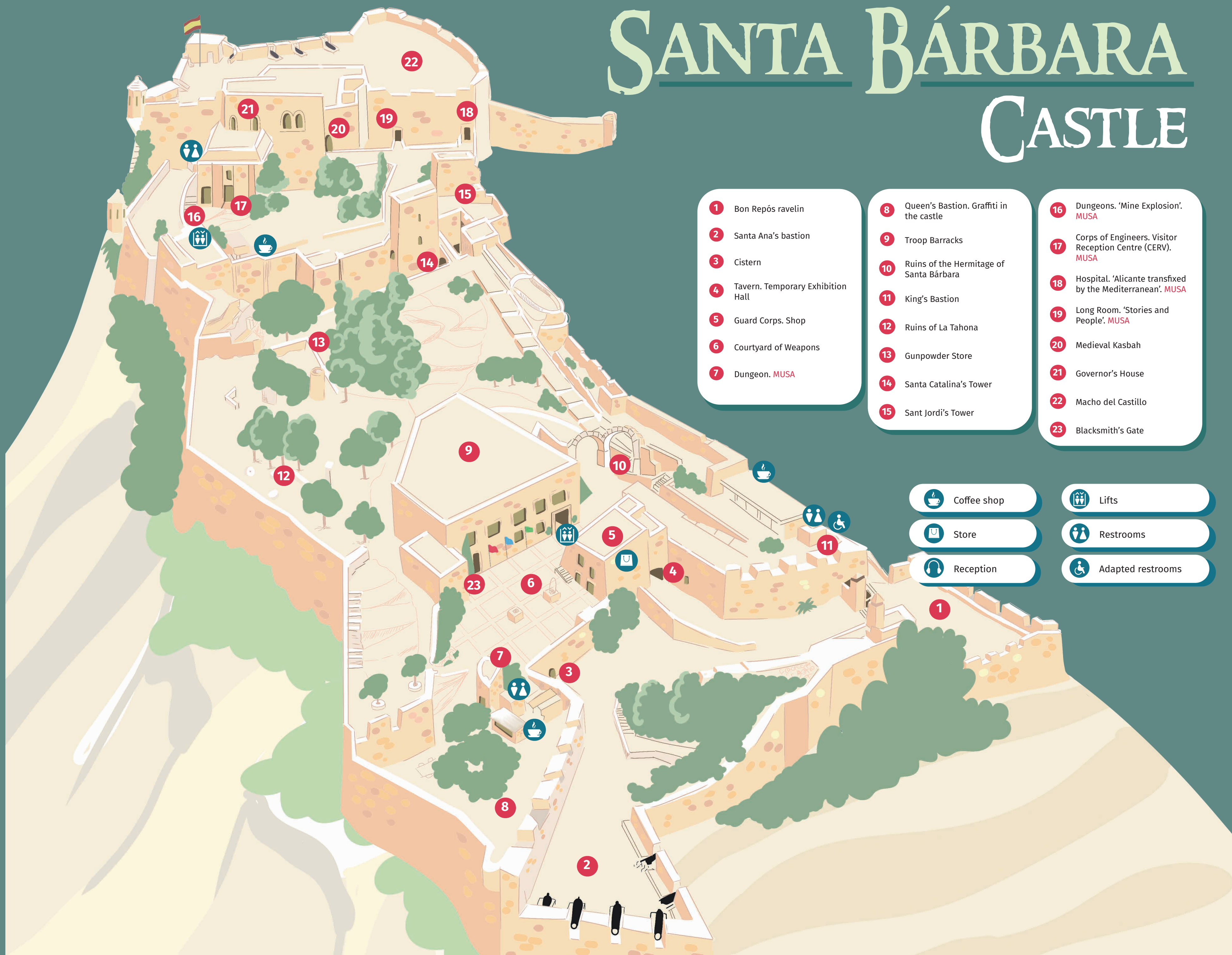
The zone of the hill that has been chosen to develop all the different routes is the north-northeast slope as it is the most accessible and most interesting area from an environmental point of view.

All the routes set off from the same point: the Environmental Education Centre (CEA) on Mount Benacantil, and all of them show the most important features of the area through which they pass, with the most complete being Itinerary 1 or Red.

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SANTA BÁRBARA CASTLE



- 1 Bon Repós ravelin
- 2 Santa Ana's bastion
- 3 Cistern
- 4 Tavern. Temporary Exhibition Hall
- 5 Guard Corps. Shop
- 6 Courtyard of Weapons
- 7 Dungeon. **MUSA**

- 8 Queen's Bastion. Graffiti in the castle
- 9 Troop Barracks
- 10 Ruins of the Hermitage of Santa Bárbara
- 11 King's Bastion
- 12 Ruins of La Tahona
- 13 Gunpowder Store
- 14 Santa Catalina's Tower
- 15 Sant Jordi's Tower


- 16 Dungeons. 'Mine Explosion'. **MUSA**
- 17 Corps of Engineers. Visitor Reception Centre (CERV). **MUSA**
- 18 Hospital. 'Alicante transfixed by the Mediterranean'. **MUSA**
- 19 Long Room. 'Stories and People'. **MUSA**
- 20 Medieval Kasbah
- 21 Governor's House
- 22 Macho del Castillo
- 23 Blacksmith's Gate

 Coffee shop

 Store

 Reception

 Lifts

 Restrooms

 Adapted restrooms