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La Palma's Year-Round Flight Capacity to Rise

Jet2.com and TUI Direct Flights to Boost La Isla Bonita

London, 11 February 2026 – This year is shaping up to be a breakout time for La Palma, as UK travellers seek destinations that combine year-round mild weather, air frequency and fewer crowds. With brand-new Jet2.com twice weekly direct flights launching in April from Manchester and in October, besides, from London Stansted and Gatwick Airports, paired with year-round TUI routes from London Gatwick and Manchester, La Palma ticks all coveted categories in the year ahead.



El Tablado, Credit: Alex Bromwell and Lex Thoonen



According to Expedia, desire for off-peak, quieter destinations and active holidays is what connects UK travellers with dream destinations outside peak summer months. With these shifts, La Palma, with its UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve, dramatic volcanic landscapes and peaceful coastal towns, perfectly matches what British holidaymakers are looking for ahead of the spring months. La Palma's spring calendar is a compelling introduction to experiences across the entire year, making a break more accessible and more rewarding than ever.

Transvulcania 2026 — 7–9 May 2026

One of the world's most iconic trail-running events returns in May, combining epic runs through volcanic terrain, laurel forests and coastal paths. La Palma's rugged beauty is showcased on routes that attract top athletes and running enthusiasts from across Europe.



Transvulcania, Credit: Pedro Miguel Pérez Rodríguez

Stargazing & Natural Wonders — year-round but ideal in spring, La Palma boasts some of Europe's clearest skies, making it a hotspot for astronomy and night-sky experiences. La Isla Bonita also tops broader trends in experience-first travel, including Astro tourism and nature-based activities.



Whale & Dolphin Watching – All year-round

Every season is the right time for marine life tours off the west coast — perfect for families and nature lovers seeking a memorable boat excursion in the Atlantic.

Tajogaite Volcano Guided Walks

Explore the island's volcanic heart with guided hikes across hardened lava fields, a dramatic and educational experience to connect with La Palma's geology and resilience.

These curated offerings reinforce La Palma's appeal as destination accessible from the main UK hubs blending outdoor adventure, cultural richness and scenic relaxation that go beyond the ordinary.

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About La Palma

La Palma, known as "La Isla Bonita" (The Beautiful Island), is the northwestern-most island of the Canary Islands archipelago. Recognized as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve and a Starlight Reserve, La Palma offers visitors pristine natural landscapes, rich cultural heritage, and authentic Canarian experiences away from mass tourism. The island is particularly renowned for its volcanic landscapes, ancient laurel forests, world-class stargazing, and artisan wine production. For further information please visit: <https://visitlapalma.es/en/>

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