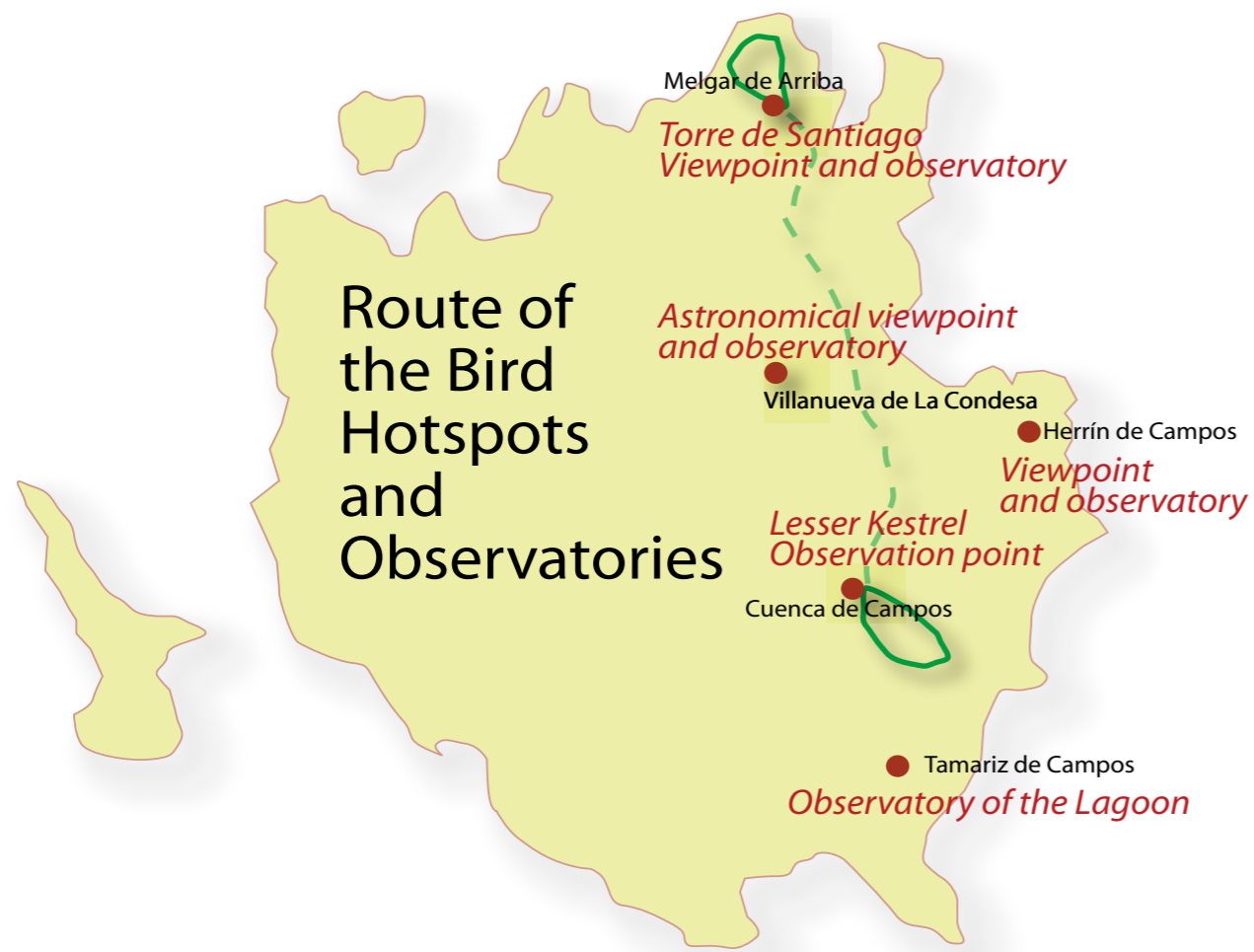


Route of the Bird Hotspots and Observatories



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📍 Lesser kestrel observation point in Cuenca de Campos



The Bird Route in Tieras de Campos follows two paths that are well signposted to guide you along the tracks so that you can appreciate and see the species you will find on route.

The first route runs through the municipal area of Melgar de Arriba where you can see western marsh harrier, mallards, lesser kestrels, bustards and grey herons, to mention a few.

You have to go to Cuenca de Campos to start the second route, where there is a viewpoint where you can watch the local colony of lesser kestrels. This itinerary also runs through the municipal area of Villabruz de Campos.

Castilla and León has 17 interesting bird-watching routes through nature areas where you can also see other fauna, you can fulfill your expectations relatively easily if you pick the right time of year.

You have to hold in mind that the species may vary from winter to spring. The great bustard is queen of the cereal farmland, at 0.9 metres high, a metre long and with a wingspan of two metres, its weight of over 18 kilos makes it the heaviest bird in the world that can fly.

Out of the many birds it is worth mentioning the little bustard. The lesser kestrel becomes a habitual resident in spring, the same as the black kite. You can also see other interesting raptors.