

The president's office of the Consell de Formentera reports that a wintertime makeover has been given to the summer push reminding islanders and tourists of safety measures to stem the spread of Covid-19 and protect each other.

Currently appearing across social media, the updated "Protect Formentera, for you and for everyone!" finds the campaign's protagonists dawning winter attire as they act out central tenets of coronavirus prevention like mandatory masks, social distancing and frequent hand washing.

President Ferrer pointed to the long weekend 3-6 December and Christmas holidays on the horizon as she pleaded with the island's residents and visitors to keep their guards up, insisting "if we forget the rules of Covid-19 safety, today's very reassuring outlook could get bad quickly and put the whole island at risk".

Free PCR testing

With the long weekend set to start tomorrow and celebrations planned in Sant Francesc, Ferrer asked arriving visitors to "make the visit safe" by submitting to a free PCR screening. Interested parties should call the Govern balear's Infocovid service at 900.100.971 to schedule an appointment.

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