

# COAHUILA

## HANDICRAFTS

- - **Textiles**

Coahuila is distinguished by the quality and designs in the manufacture of leather suits, carpets, dresses, curtains, handkerchiefs, even the Sarapes; Coahuila has positioned itself as the favorite destination for the acquisition of this garment.

- **Basketwork**

The elaboration of baskets is an activity which represents a whole art in each step of its elaboration, from the natural materials that are used, to the type of fabric. The municipalities that are characterized by the manufacture of this craft are Parras de la Fuente and Cuatro Ciénegas.

- **Pottery**

You can acquire articles made of hot clay and ceramics such as plates, glasses, cups and small decorative figures.

- **Wood Carving**

It is elaborated mainly in the region of the mountain range Coahuilense by the tribe Kikapú, you will find diverse pieces of ornamentation.



# NUEVO LEÓN

## HANDICRAFTS

- **-Carved Quarry**

In the town of Santiago there are beautiful ornamental pieces from the Barrio de La Cieneguilla.

- **Carved wood**

You can acquire diverse wooden items such as hand-painted boxes and those made with the "marquetry" technique, which consists of inlaying pieces of one type of wood into another, creating figures in different shades.

- **Saddlery**

Items such as saddles, shoes, whips, belts, bags, key chains, and cases are manufactured.

- **Lechuguilla carving**

The elaboration of handicrafts with this natural material is done in different communities in the north and south of the state of Nuevo León, especially in communities in the municipalities of Mina, Zaragoza, Aramberri, Mier and Noriega. The articles obtained are combs or brushes, bath scourers, bags, backpacks, ropes, reins and other products.



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