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# LIFE IS ABOUT THE CHOICES WE MAKE





**CHOOSE WHAT YOU WANT  
FROM YOUR PERFECT HOLIDAY  
AND WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THE REST.**

**IT'S THE ULTIMATE UNPACKAGED TOUR  
THAT LETS YOU MAKE IT YOUR OWN.**



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# 1.

## YOU CHOOSE YOUR PERFECT TRIP

### BE SPOILED BY CHOICE.

Expertly prepared for you, choose from more than 70 unbeatable value holidays to over 50 countries that span 6 continents.

Whether you're looking to cross borders and traverse vast regions or uncover the depth of a single destination, you can choose from trips 4 to 30 days. When in Asia you can also add a mini-break in Singapore or Hong Kong or even make it a stopover.

When you're ready to book, know your booking and travel options reflect what today's travellers expect. This includes options to choose new dates and/or destinations if your plans should change, and deposit options depending on your trip and departure dates.

More on pages 6-7.

# 2.

## WE TAKE CARE OF ALL THE ESSENTIALS

### WE PLAN. YOU PACK.

Get going with ease knowing that all your holiday essentials have been vetted, planned and booked by our travel experts.

More than a century of travel expertise ensures that you have the must-sees to get the best out of every place you choose to go.

Plus, travelling in this new world comes with new realities. Have peace of mind knowing you are in good hands. We're proud to wear the Safe Travels Stamp issued by the World Tourism and Travel Council, recognising our 3-step wellbeing protocols.

More on pages 8-9.



**“Our trip to Italy was absolutely perfect because of Costsaver. We were able to see and do everything I wanted to do and Costsaver made it happen.”**

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- SUZANNE B.  
Italian Scene

# 3.

## YOU TAILOR YOUR EXPERIENCE

### YOU CHOOSE. WE MAKE IT HAPPEN.

Choose to enhance your trip with a curated selection of 600+ tried and tested Choice Optional Experiences.

Take a look at what's on offer before you leave home, and have the flexibility to simply choose, book and pay on your holiday. Your Travel Director will organise them for you, or if there is something else you fancy, their extensive local knowledge can help guide you to what you're dreaming of.

If you're looking to arrive early or extend your stay, we've also got you covered with our network of trusted hotel partners. Simply ask us when you book.

More on pages 10-11.

# 4.

## TOGETHER WE DO GOOD IN THE WORLD

### TRAVEL AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

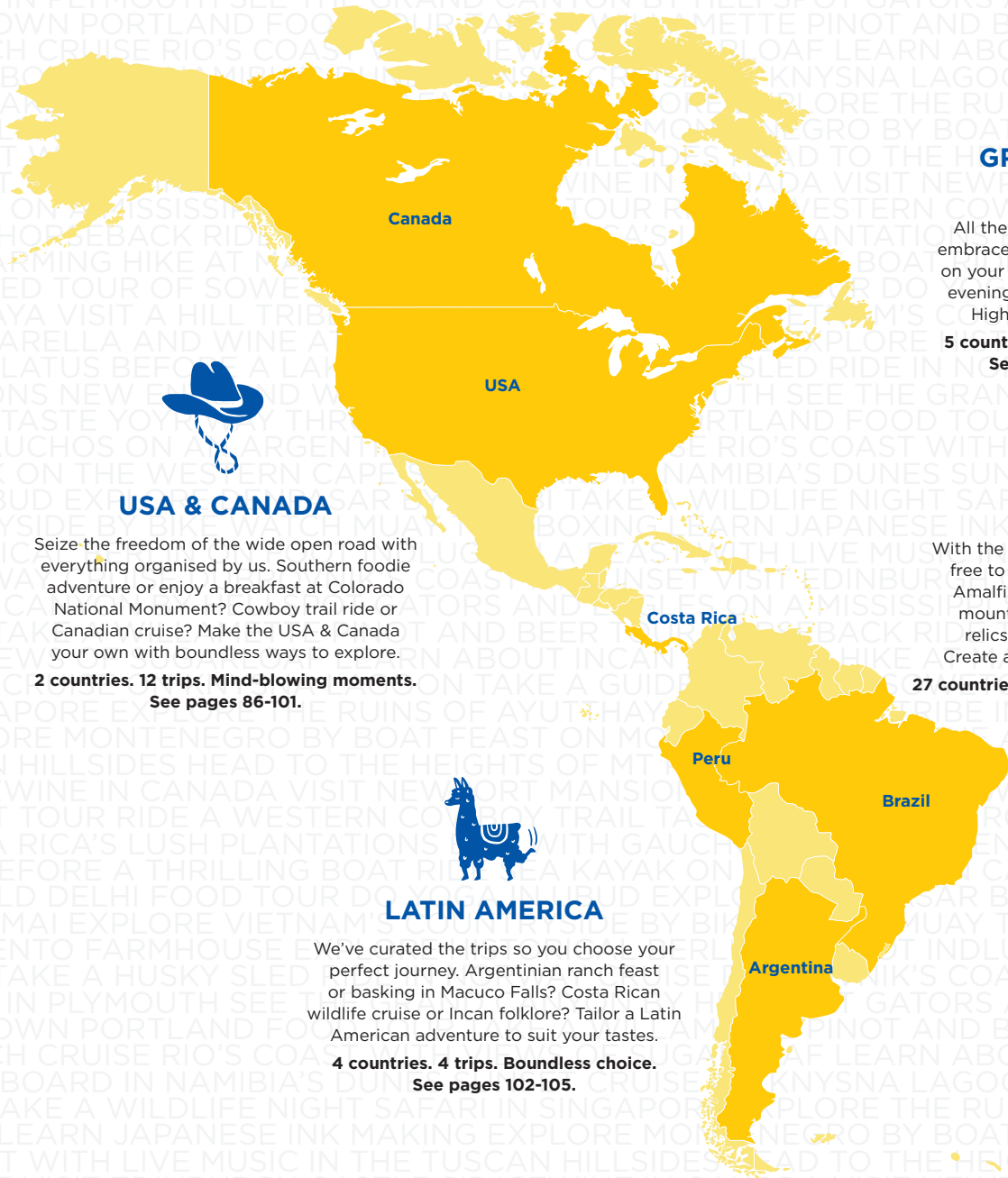
When you choose Costsaver, you are choosing to make a positive impact on people, wildlife and the planet.

Our 5-year How We Tread Right Strategy is our commitment to responsible travel which supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. Be sure to look out for our MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Choice Optional Experiences that make a positive social or environmental impact on your trip.

More on pages 12-13.



# CHOOSE YO YOUR



## USA & CANADA

Seize the freedom of the wide open road with everything organised by us. Southern foodie adventure or enjoy a breakfast at Colorado National Monument? Cowboy trail ride or Canadian cruise? Make the USA & Canada your own with boundless ways to explore.

**2 countries. 12 trips. Mind-blowing moments.**  
See pages 86-101.

## LATIN AMERICA

We've curated the trips so you choose your perfect journey. Argentinian ranch feast or basking in Macuco Falls? Costa Rican wildlife cruise or Incan folklore? Tailor a Latin American adventure to suit your tastes.

**4 countries. 4 trips. Boundless choice.**  
See pages 102-105.

## GREAT BRITAIN & IRELAND

All the planning is done so you can embrace the spirit of Britain or Ireland, on your terms. Exploring castles or an evening of Irish craic? Lake cruise or Highland farm? Do it your way.

**5 countries. 6 trips. Endless options.**  
See pages 26-31 & 55-56.

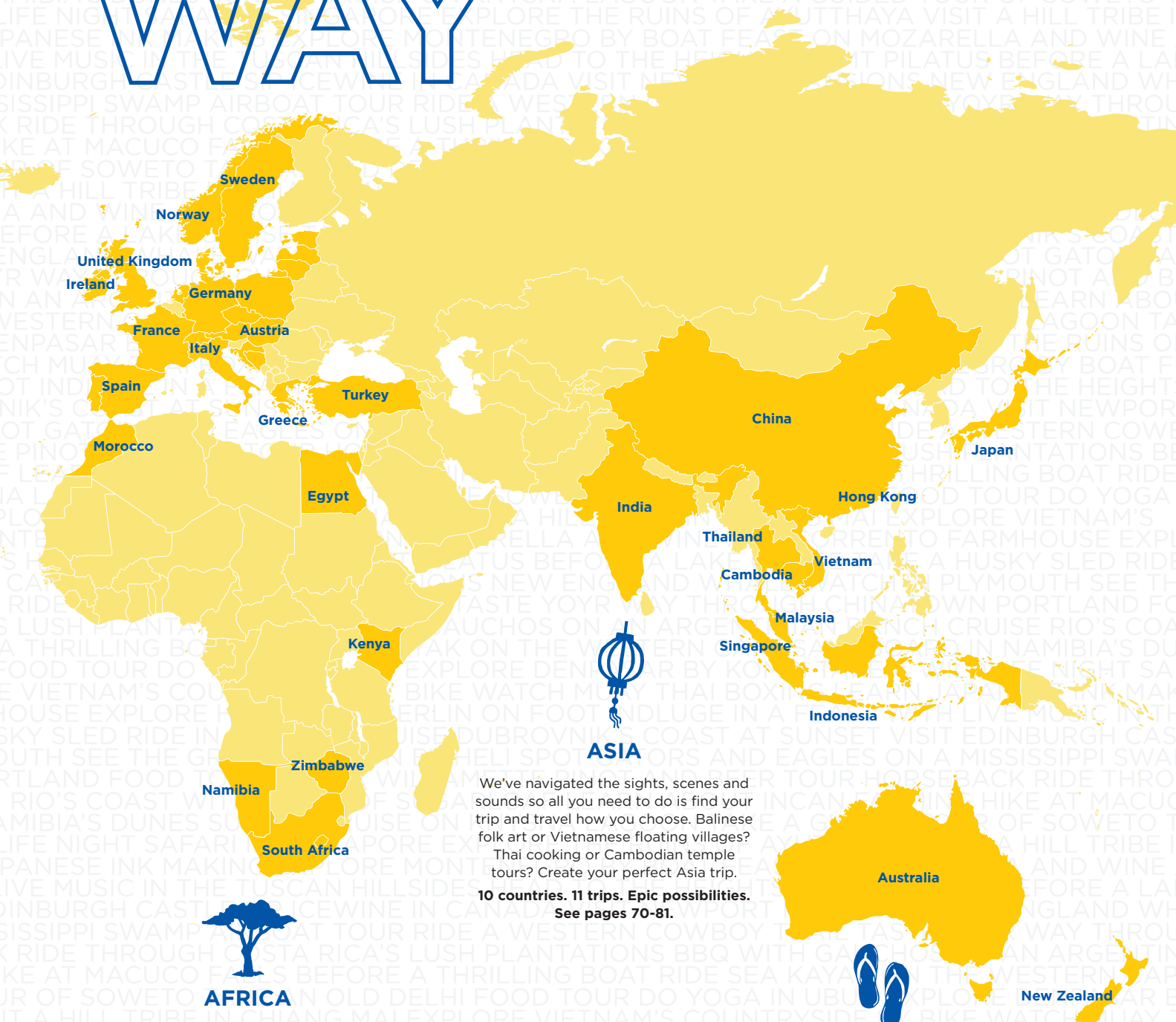
## EUROPE

With the essentials taken care of, you're free to embrace the soul of Europe. Amalfi mozzarella making or Swiss mountain heights? Ancient Greek relics or Nordic husky sledding? Create a postcard-perfect adventure.

**27 countries. 39 trips. Limitless adventures.**  
See pages 14-59.

**WE MAKE IT EASY. YOU MAKE THE MOST OF IT. VISIT [COSTSAVERTOUR.COM](http://COSTSAVERTOUR.COM)**

# OUR WORLD. THE BEST WAY



## AFRICA

Included safaris and deep connections unlock the best way to explore magical Africa. Cape Town beach bikes and braai or Soweto? Swakopmund Scenic Flight or Sand-dune adventure? This is Africa, tailored to you.

**4 countries. 4 trips. Incredible experiences.**  
See pages 60-69.



## ASIA

We've navigated the sights, scenes and sounds so all you need to do is find your trip and travel how you choose. Balinese folk art or Vietnamese floating villages? Thai cooking or Cambodian temple tours? Create your perfect Asia trip.

**10 countries. 11 trips. Epic possibilities.**  
See pages 70-81.



## AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

Wild landscapes and heart-pumping thrills, the sun, sand and sights Down Under are calling. Walking across glaciers & bungee jumping, wine tasting at award-winning vineyards or climbing the iconic Sydney Harbour Bridge? Create your ultimate trip.

**2 countries. 3 trips. Endless fun.**  
See pages 82-85.

# ESSENTIALS

## WE PLAN.

**Our essentials create the ideal springboard for adventure.**



### THE PERFECT ITINERARY

Take the hassle out of research and planning. Each itinerary has been carefully created so that you get the best out of the places you choose to go.



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### DESTINATION EXPERTS

Never miss a hidden secret. Your Travel Director and on-road team make each day unforgettable with their extensive regional expertise, insider tips and local know how.



### MUST-SEE SIGHTS COVERED

Don't risk missing out. With us, you'll never miss an iconic milestone with the must-sees ticked off in each destination.



### A FOODIE'S DELIGHT

Let your taste buds do the travelling. We've carefully crafted the perfect mix of having many meals included, with the flexibility in key places to roam, graze and indulge as you choose.



### WE DRIVE, YOU ENJOY

Travel from A to B completely hassle-free. Fold away your map and relax in air-conditioned comfort with an expert Driver who knows the way.



# BY US YOU PACK.

Here's everything that  
is included on each  
and every trip.



## QUALITY 4 & 3 STAR HOTELS

Save time searching and comparing. We've vetted the right hotels in the right locations. Enjoy comfortable accommodation every night.



## UNBEATABLE VALUE

Travel memories don't have to cost you the earth. With us, you'll pay for what you need and choose what you want. Our global network and connections means that we deliver everyday unbeatable value trips that stretch your travel budget as far as you can dream.



## 102 YEARS OF SERVICE

Don't risk anything but the best. Four generations on and still 100% owned and operated by the Tollman Family, the mantra of our parent company The Travel Corporation (TTC) is 'Driven by Service' which remains at the core of TTC's 40 award-winning brands.



## 24/7 SUPPORT

Your Travel Director is with you every step of the way, along with our global guest support teams who work behind the scenes before and through your holiday, so you can relax knowing we've always got your back.

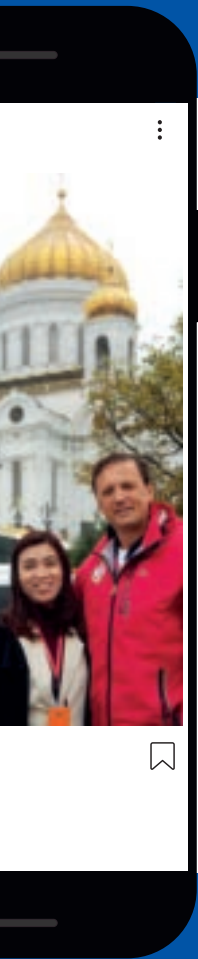


## YOU'RE IN GOOD HANDS

Travel knowing your wellbeing is our priority. We proudly wear the World Tourism and Travel Council Safe Travels Stamp, thanks to our rigorous 3-step health and hygiene protocols. For our latest policies and need-to-knows visit [costsavertour.com/wellbeing](https://costsavertour.com/wellbeing).

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## CHOOSE FOOD

Taste-bud traveller? Cure your curiosity with flavourful favourites. Foodie walking tours, cooking classes, wine tasting and delicious regional feasting are all up for grabs.



## CHOOSE CULTURE

Satisfy your cultural side as you travel and embrace concerts, theatre, insider walking tours and ways to get creative. Painting and pinot anyone?



## CHOOSE ADVENTURE

If life in the fast-lane doesn't slow down as you travel, you'll still get your adrenalin fix. Bungee jumping, rafting and hiking fuel adventure-filled days.

# BY YOU

When it comes to travel, there's no one size fits all. Some want a bit of this, others like a bit of that, while some want this and that, with a side of those. So, with Cost saver that's exactly what you get. A curated range of Choice Optional Experiences that lets you travel how you choose.

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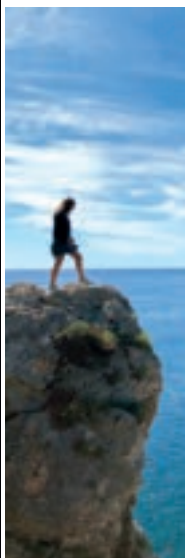
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## CHOOSE RELAXATION

Juxtaposing the must-sees with experiences that get you to go slow, you'll be spoiled for choice with walking tours, yoga, picturesque cruises and more.



## CHOOSE NATURE

If the call of the great outdoors is strong, you'll be tempted by wildlife encounters, walks and cruises. Scenic adventures will embrace mother nature at her best.



## CHOOSE HISTORY

Keen for ancient civilizations and crumbling relics? Our curated history experiences leave no stone unturned as you explore museums, towns and cities for an inside look.

Look out for these symbols to see the Choice Optional Experiences on offer. Get inspired at [costsaver\\_tour.com](https://costsaver_tour.com)



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# MAKE TRAVEL MATTER

## TRAVEL AND MAKE

### MAKE TRAVEL MATTER

When you choose Cost saver you can feel good that you are doing good. At Cost saver our goal is to **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®** through ensuring:

1. We sustain and care for the planet we call home
2. We provide a true economic impact to the people and communities we visit
3. We protect and conserve the rich wildlife we encounter

Our work ensures that the impact of our business is positive in two ways: through our TreadRight Foundation, and our 5-year sustainability strategy, How We Tread Right.

For some of our most enriching experiences, look out for **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®** Choice Optional Experiences that make a positive social or environmental impact on your trip just by choosing to travel with us.



**TREADRIGHT**  
FOUNDATION  
TreadRight.org

### MORE ON OUR TREADRIGHT FOUNDATION

TreadRight is a not-for-profit organisation, founded by Cost saver and our sister brands under The Travel Corporation (TTC), to support sustainable tourism projects around the world. Through TreadRight, Cost saver has helped fund more than 60 projects worldwide. Learn about our project partners at [treadright.org](https://treadright.org).

# EL MATTER®

## A DIFFERENCE

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®  
EXPERIENCE



WE SUPPORT THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

### OUR SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY: HOW WE TREAD RIGHT

Our 5-year strategy sets the direction for sustainability at Cost saver and at our sister brands. It is based on 11 measurable goals, anchored to the United Nations Global Goals, which were developed to address our impact on our three pillars of Planet, its People and Wildlife.

One of the key initiatives of the strategy is our focus on MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences. These are conscious travel experiences chosen with great care based on the positive social or environmental impact they have on the people and communities we visit on trip. Here is just a small sample of what you can expect on your holiday.



#### ARENAL HANGING BRIDGES, COSTA RICA

Eye level views of the rainforest, Arenal's hanging bridges will make you feel at one with mother nature and Costa Rica's phenomenal natural ecosystems.



#### UROS ISLAND WEAVERS, PERU

Deep blue waters. Lunch with locals. Weaving demonstration. Need we say more? This trip to the floating villages of Lake Titicaca will capture your heart in every way.



#### MONUMENT VALLEY NAVAJO TRIBAL PARK, USA

Hop into a 4x4 and get lost for words, as a Navajo local guides you around the spectacular scenery of Monument Valley. See the sights. Learn the history. Snap some shots.



#### GLASSBLOWING IN VENICE

Experience Venetian glassblowers at work, as they demonstrate techniques that have been passed down through generations. You can even buy a masterpiece yourself and support this precious craft.



#### ADOPT A CORAL IN BALI

Help to make a positive impact on our oceans by adopting a live coral in Bali. Watch your coral grow as you learn more about the delicate marine ecosystem and ocean conservation efforts.



# CHOOSE EUROPE & BRITAIN

**32 COUNTRIES.  
39 TRIPS.  
LIMITLESS ADVENTURES.**

## HOW IT WORKS

- Choose your perfect trip from our 39 crafted trips in Europe & Britain
- Enjoy Essentials included like 4 & 3 star hotel accommodation, private air-conditioned transportation, an expert on-road team, breakfast daily & other local meals and must-see sights. See pages 8-9 for more
- Tailor your trip with Choice Optional Experiences on each itinerary, unique to the destination you visit

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on every trip at  
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# TAILORED BY YOU



With more than 250 Choice Optional Experiences in Europe & Britain, look at what's on offer before you leave home, and have the flexibility to simply choose, book and pay on your holiday.



Exploring castles or ancient civilizations? Cooking Spanish style or reaching mountain heights? Here are a few ideas of what's waiting for you. Look out for the symbols above and opposite on [costsavertour.com](https://costsavertour.com). Do it your way.



## CHOOSE FOOD

Cure your curiosity with flavourful favourites.

Spain • Cook up a storm at a Seville cooking school.

Portugal • Taste Portuguese flavours with a Fado feast.

Greece • Strut your stuff at a gourmet evening with dancing.



## CHOOSE ADVENTURE

Get your adrenalin fix with adventure-filled days.

Ireland • Take a jaunting car ride with a local Jarvey in Killarney.

Norway • Cruise below the lowering mountains of the Nærøfjord.

Switzerland • Admire the view at Mount Pilatus and Lucerne.



## CHOOSE HISTORY

Curated history experiences leave no stone unturned.

Scotland • Explore the historic Edinburgh Castle, which has dominated the city's skyline for centuries.

Italy • Discover the ancient relics of Pompeii.

Italy • Visit the world's smallest country - Vatican City.



## CHOOSE RELAXATION

Treat yourself with choices that get you to go slow.

Croatia • Relax and unwind on a sunset cruise along the Dalmatian coast.

England • Cruise across the stunning Lake Windemere.

France • See the delights of Paris on a Seine River cruise.



## CHOOSE NATURE

Scenic adventures embrace Mother Nature at her best.

Scotland • Meet the locals at a Highland sheep farm.

Switzerland • Embrace tradition with a countryside carriage ride.

Italy • Experience the colourful lemon-scented Amalfi Coast.



## CHOOSE CULTURE

Satisfy your cultural side as you travel.

Italy • Float your way through Venice on a gondola.

Ireland • Feel the 'craic' at an evening of Irish music and dancing.

Poland • Sip, savour and devour one of the world's most popular tipples at the Polish Vodka Museum.

# CHOOSE GLIMPSE OF EUROPE

7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 4 COUNTRIES • 8 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

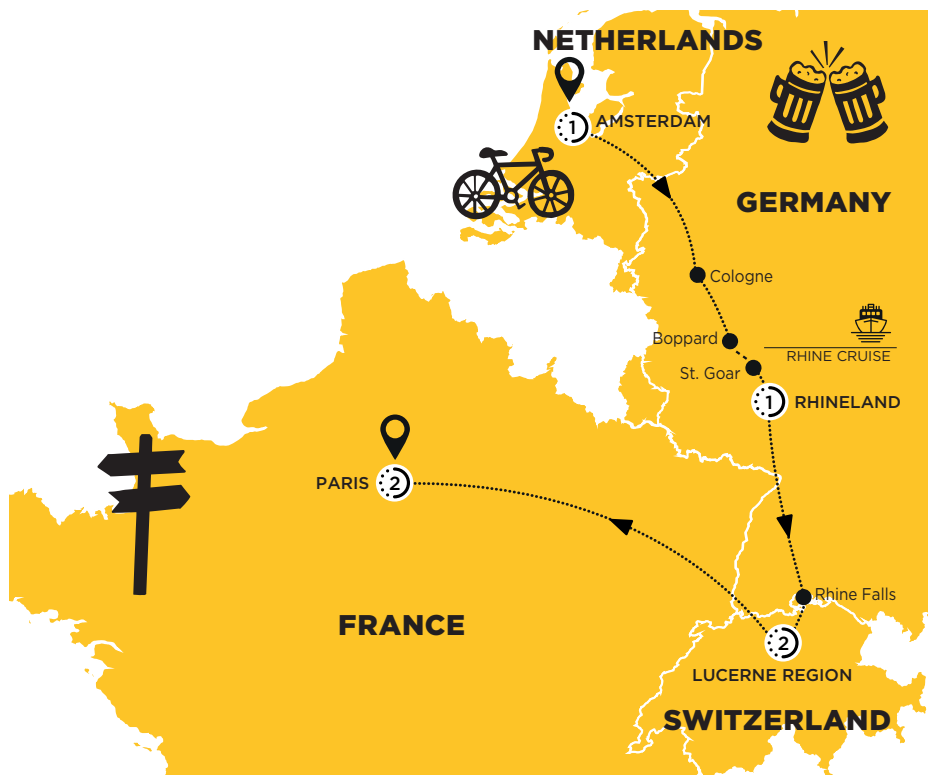
Enjoy the mesmerising landscapes and rich heritage and flavours of Europe. Travel through the lush green Dutch countryside to the beautiful Rhine Valley, the shores of Lake Lucerne, and Paris, the 'City of Lights'. This brief encounter with the highlights of Europe will give you just a taste of the diversity that makes this continent a favourite holiday destination.



- Amsterdam** Orientation includes the historic city centre
- Cologne** View the Gothic Cathedral
- Rhine Valley** Cruise the romantic Rhine
- Black Forest** See this picturesque region
- Schaffhausen** View the mighty Rhine Falls
- Lucerne** Orientation including views of the Lion Monument and Chapel Bridge
- Paris** View the Champs-Élysées, Arc de Triomphe and Eiffel Tower on your sightseeing tour

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B Breakfast   L Lunch   D Dinner



## Choose easy

We offer great value pre & post-trip accommodation with our trusted hotel partners. Book at the same time as your trip.

### Day 1, Arrive Amsterdam

Start your unforgettable European adventure in Amsterdam. If you can tear your eyes from its scenic canals, you'll be staring at the city's teetering gabled homes that proclaim their birthyear with pride on their colourful façades. There's no better way to immerse yourself fully in Amsterdam's *gezelligheid* than taking an optional canal cruise in a glass-topped boat this evening. **Hotel: Holiday Inn Express - North Riverside**

### Day 2, Amsterdam - Cologne - Rhine Cruise - Rhineland

From Amsterdam's leafy canals to the towering spires of Cologne, your morning will be jam-packed with sights you'll want to capture on camera as you head east into the lush landscapes of Germany. View the imposing Gothic Cologne Cathedral then head to Boppard where you'll board your river cruise down the Rhine. Arrive later at your hotel in the Rhineland where you'll join your travel companions for dinner. **B, D Hotel: Taste Hockenheim**

### Day 3, Rhineland - Black Forest - Rhine Falls - Lucerne Region

Straight out of a Brothers Grimm fairy tale, Germany's Black Forest is the perfect backdrop for this morning's scenic drive. You'll see why its





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enchancing landscapes have inspired myths and fables throughout the centuries before crossing into Switzerland. A quick stop in Schaffhausen means there's time to capture the cascading waters of the Rhine Falls, Europe's biggest waterfall, before you arrive in the scenic region of Lake Lucerne. This evening, consider an **Optional Experience** to a Swiss folklore show which will highlight many Swiss traditions including yodelling and alpine horn playing. **B Hotel: SwissEver Zug**

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### TRADITIONAL FOLKLORE SHOW WITH DINNER

Enjoy a traditional Swiss dinner to the accompaniment of yodelling and Alpine horn-blowing during a lively folklore show.

### MOUNT PILATUS ASCENT

Ascend Mount Pilatus by cable car for spectacular views of Lake Lucerne.

### SEINE CRUISE AND PARIS ILLUMINATIONS

Enjoy the City of Lights on a leisurely cruise along the River Seine, followed by a drive through Paris to enjoy some of her best sights.

### DO PARIS YOUR WAY

You can choose to discover the Bohemian spirit of quaint Montmartre or enjoy the best views of Paris from the Montparnasse Tower and explore the Latin Quarter.



### Day 4, Lucerne orientation and free time

Join your Travel Director for an orientation through the Old Town and to the ancient Chapel Bridge and Lion Monument. You'll then have the full day to discover why Lucerne earned its place on the 'Grand Tour' of Europe. You could choose to ascend to the alpine heavens, joining an optional scenic cruise and Mount Pilatus visit. **B, D**

### Day 5, Lucerne Region - Paris

Enjoy a brief second encounter with the Rhine River when you head north, passing Basel en route to France. Admire the scenic views of the Burgundy wine region that follow your journey north to the French capital. Get a head start on your sightseeing and delve into Paris's grand past, dynamic present and exciting future on your own this evening. Why not join an **Optional Experience**, including a scenic river cruise and an illuminations drive, stopping at all the best photo spots? **B Hotel: Novotel Pont de Sèvres**

### Day 6, Paris sightseeing and free time

Your Travel Director will deliver an introduction during your sightseeing tour which includes views of the Arc de Triomphe, Eiffel Tower and Champs-Élysées. There's time to see the sights on your own this afternoon. You could choose to hit the shops or tread in the footsteps of Picasso and Dalí in Montmartre, exploring its maze of streets and Artists' Square. Tonight, the frills and flounces of the Can-Can girls at a cabaret promise an entertaining evening should you wish to join this **Optional Experience. B**

### Day 7, Depart Paris

After breakfast, say farewell to your fellow travellers at the end of your holiday. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/transfers](https://costsavertour.com/transfers). **B**

## CHOOSE YOUR DEPARTURE

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CHOOSE

# LONDON TO ROME HIGHLIGHTS

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 5 COUNTRIES • 9 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Short on time, but big on appetite to see all the highlights from London to Rome? This 8-day journey including Italy's iconic Venice, Florence and Rome is the perfect fit for you. You'll see the Eiffel Tower in Paris, admire the tranquility of Lake Lucerne, the snow-capped Swiss Alps, Burgundy vineyards and soul-stirring Tuscany until the 'Eternal City' caps your epic encounter with Europe.



- Dover** See the White Cliffs
- Paris** View the Champs-Élysées, Arc de Triomphe and Eiffel Tower on your sightseeing tour
- Lucerne** Orientation includes views of the Chapel Bridge and a visit to the Lion Monument
- Venice** Cruise by private boat to St. Mark's Square and visit a traditional glassblowing workshop
- Florence** See Piazza Santa Croce
- Rome** Visit St. Peter's Basilica, view the Colosseum and see the ancient sites with your Local Specialist

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### Day 1, London - Paris

Your journey to the continent begins today. Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers, travelling south through the pretty Kent countryside to Dover. Board your ferry to Calais and leave the chalky White Cliffs behind. Arriving in Paris, you'll have time to explore the 'City of Lights' on your own. The French capital glows bright both day and night, but consider an **Optional Experience** on the Seine this evening to make your introduction even more special.  
**Hotel: Novotel Porte d'Orléans**

### Day 2, Paris sightseeing and free time

Your sightseeing tour conducted by your Travel Director will take you past the Champs-Élysées, the Arc de Triomphe and the 'Iron Lady' herself, the Eiffel Tower. Relish the afternoon to do as you please. That could mean channelling your inner Parisian and sitting in a leafy park with a baguette and some cheese and wine, or consider a visit to the Louvre where you can view the wry smile of the Mona Lisa. Tonight, colourful Can-Can girls will entice you with their remarkable outfits should you choose to join an **Optional Experience** cabaret show. **B**

### Day 3, Paris - Lucerne Region

Head through vineyards and valleys as you journey to Lucerne where a brief orientation will see you view the 14<sup>th</sup>-century Chapel Bridge spanning the Reuss River. Visit the poignant Lion Monument, hewn



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from rock to honour the brave Swiss Guards who died defending King Louis XVI during the French Revolution. There's plenty of time later to shop for all your Swiss souvenirs. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Kriens**

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Enjoy the City of Lights on a leisurely cruise along the River Seine, followed by a drive through Paris to enjoy some of her best sights.

**KICK UP YOUR FEET AT THE CABARET**  
Have some fun amidst the feathers and frills of a Parisian Cabaret - an unforgettable dinner and Can-Can performance at a celebrated cabaret venue.

### MOUNT STANSERHORN

Climb to the top of Mt. Stanserhorn boarding an old-fimer railway and the world's only CabriO cable car to enjoy glorious views of the central Alpine chain.

**GONDOLAS AND THE GRAND CANAL**  
Cruise the Grand Canal by private water taxi before arriving at St. Mark's Square to embark on a gondola ride through Venice's canals.

**INSIDE THE VATICAN AND COLOSSEUM**  
Skip the queues at the Vatican Museums to view Michelangelo's ceiling frescoes in the Sistine Chapel. Later, hear fascinating tales of gladiatorial combat in the Colosseum.



### Day 4, Lucerne Region - Venice (Oriago)

With your head in the clouds, you'll journey via the scenic St. Gotthard Pass into Italy. On your journey south, the soul-stirring landscapes of the Italian lakes stretch ahead as you venture to Venice, the 'Queen of the Adriatic'. The Winged Lion of St. Mark stands guard over the city. There's no better way to see the sights than gliding gracefully through its canals on a gondola - an **Optional Experience** that captures the essence of Venice like none other. **B Hotel: Il Burchiello**

### Day 5, Venice orientation - Florence

Cruise by private launch to St. Mark's Square and view the city's iconic sights, including St. Mark's Basilica, the Doge's Palace and Piazza San Marco. Stand in the centre of the square and capture the historic panorama which Napoleon once called 'the drawing room of Europe'. You'll see master craftsmen engaged in the centuries-old glassblowing craft at a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®** Experience. Consider an opportunity to visit the colourful fisherman's island of Burano for an optional meal with drinks before heading to Florence. **B, D Hotel: Starhotels Vespucci**

### Day 6, Florence - Rome

No expense was spared to exalt the glory of Florence through art and architecture and you'll see first-hand how this city paved its way to a modern age. Explore the treasures left behind by the Medici dynasty and famous artists like da Vinci and Michelangelo during an orientation tour which includes a visit to Santa Croce Square, where some of the most famous sons of the Renaissance are buried. Enjoy time to shop for souvenirs or the city's famous gold and leathercraft before departing for Rome, the 'Eternal City'. **B Hotel: Ergife Palace**

### Day 7, Rome sightseeing and free time

Make the most of your time in Rome as your Local Specialist takes you on a guided visit of St. Peter's Basilica and the ancient sites of Rome. Consider joining an **Optional Experience** inside the Vatican Museums and Colosseum. **B**

### Day 8, Depart Rome

Get your final fix of Rome before you prepare for your return journey. Say *arrivederci* to your newfound friends and take a transfer to Fiumicino Airport as the curtain closes on an epic journey from London to Rome. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/transfers](https://costsavertour.com/transfers). **B**

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# EUROPEAN EXPERIENCE



12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 7 COUNTRIES • 15 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

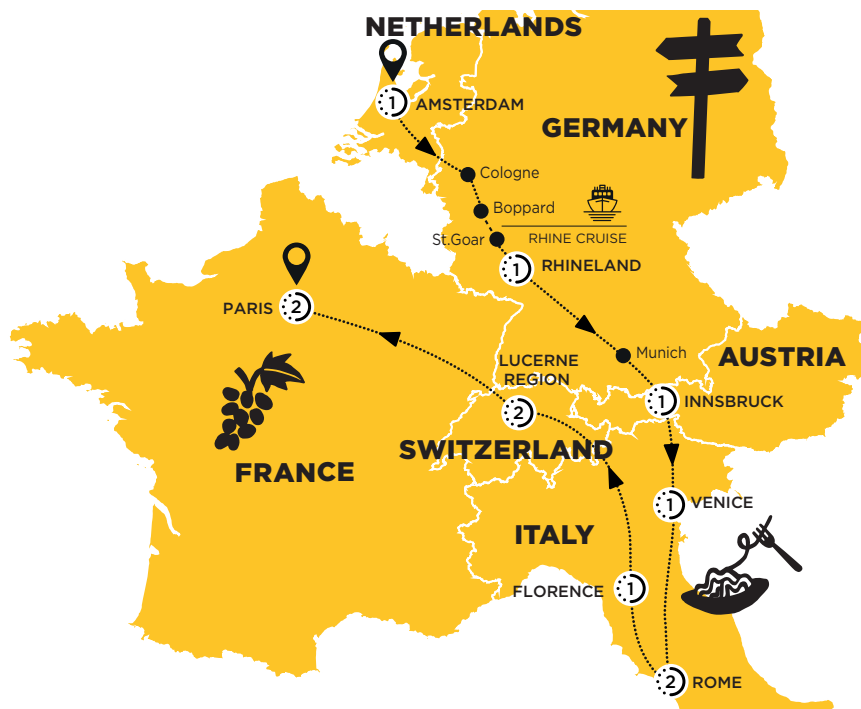
Get out of that armchair and experience the beauty of Europe with her centuries-old history, vibrant cities and splendid landscapes. You'll tick so many bucket-list boxes on this 12-day trip which takes you from Amsterdam to Innsbruck and the canals of Venice and St. Mark's Square, Rome, the Swiss Alps, and Paris.



- Amsterdam** See the historic city centre
- Cologne** View the Gothic cathedral
- Rhine Valley** Cruise the romantic Rhine
- Munich** See the Glockenspiel in the Marienplatz and the Hofbräuhaus
- Innsbruck** View the Golden Roof and the Hofburg Palace
- Venice** Cruise by private boat to St. Mark's Square and visit a traditional glassblowing workshop
- Rome** Visit St. Peter's Basilica, view the Colosseum and see the ancient sites with your Local Specialist
- Florence** See Piazza Santa Croce and enjoy panoramic city views from Piazzale Michelangelo
- Swiss Alps** Picture-book scenery
- Lucerne** Visit the Lion Monument and view the Chapel Bridge
- Paris** View the Champs-Élysées, Arc de Triomphe and Eiffel Tower on your sightseeing tour

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### Day 1, Arrive Amsterdam

Your Europe experience of a lifetime begins in the freethinking capital of the Netherlands. Immerse yourself in Amsterdam's *gezelligheid* and consider an **Optional Experience** in a glass-topped boat winding through the city's historic canal ring. **Hotel: Ibis Schiphol**

### Day 2, Amsterdam - Cologne - Rhineland

Your first stop today is Cologne where you'll view the Cologne Cathedral. It is the largest Gothic church in Northern Europe and one of the country's most-visited landmarks. Later, board a leisurely river cruise down the Rhine past terraced vineyards and fairy-tale castles. **B, D Hotel: Taste Hockenheim**

### Day 3, Rhineland - Munich - Innsbruck

Your first stop today is Munich where you can admire the Glockenspiel in the Marienplatz and the Hofbräuhaus. You'll visit the capital of Austria's Tyrol region, Innsbruck, where you can 'ooh and aah' at the impressive ski jump and view the famed Golden Roof. Admire the fascinating crystal installations and browse for precious gifts and souvenirs at the Swarovski Crystal Worlds Store. This evening, consider an **Optional Experience** at a traditional Tyrolean evening. **B, D Hotel: Bon Alpina**

### Day 4, Innsbruck - Venice (Marghera)

Journey through alpine landscapes, crossing the Brenner Pass into Italy. Highlights include a cruise on a private launch to St. Mark's Square and views of the magnificent St. Mark's Basilica and Doge's Palace. See the talents of glassblowers, a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER** Experience, and consider taking an optional Grand Canal cruise. **B Hotel: Palladio**



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#### Day 5, Venice - Rome

In Rome you'll find reminders of an ancient world, a holy empire and the Renaissance. Explore on your own or choose an optional guided tour of the city's piazzas and fountains. Linger in your favourite square, or perhaps enjoy a scoop or three of the local *gelato* and soak up the effervescent energy of a city that knows how to enjoy life. **B Hotel: Raganelli**

#### Day 6, Rome sightseeing and free time

Step back in time with your Local Specialist and discover the fascinating history behind Rome's bustling centre. Head to the Vatican City to visit St. Peter's Basilica and see Michelangelo's 'Pietà' before crossing the Tiber to view the Colosseum and the ancient sites of Rome. Don't miss the opportunity for an **Optional Experience** to the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel. This evening, why not enjoy an optional local dinner with a beautiful drive? **B**

#### Day 7, Rome - Florence

Journey through Tuscany to Florence where there's time to admire the skyline from Piazzale Michelangelo and explore Piazza della Signoria. You could choose instead to join an **Optional Experience** revealing the Renaissance heritage of a city which attracted artists, physicists, astronomers and philosophers like Michelangelo, Machiavelli and Galileo. **B, D Hotel: Miro**

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**PIAZZAS AND FOUNTAINS OF ROME**  
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#### Day 8, Florence - Lucerne Region

Drink in the beauty of the St. Gotthard Pass and the Swiss Alps as you travel to Lake Lucerne. You'll want to put the 'heart' of Switzerland in your pocket and take its history, culture and epic landscapes with you. **B Hotel: Ibis Luzern Hotel Kriens/Hotel Krone Sarnen**

#### Day 9, Lucerne orientation and free time

Turn the page to a land of fairy-tale landscapes and medieval history. You have a full day to see the sights and explore Lucerne, starting with a morning orientation including the Chapel Bridge and the Lion Monument, hewn from rock to commemorate the brave Swiss Guards who died defending Louis XVI during the French Revolution. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Kriens|SwissEver Zug**

#### Day 10, Lucerne Region - Paris

Journey through the idyllic French countryside before arriving in Paris. The 'City of Lights' shines brightly this evening and it will sparkle even more should you choose to join an **Optional Experience** to cruise down the Seine. **B Hotel: Hampton by Hilton Clichy**

#### Day 11, Paris sightseeing and free time

Hit Paris's grand boulevards on a city sightseeing tour with your Travel Director. See the Arc de Triomphe and Champs Élysées. Enjoy some time on your own before considering a real highlight this evening - an optional dinner and cabaret performance. **B**

#### Day 12, Depart Paris

Say farewell to your Travel Director and travelling companions at the end of an amazing holiday. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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# JEWELS OF ITALY

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7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 8 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

You could spend an eternity exploring the enchanting Italian capitals of Venice, Florence and Rome, but this exciting 7-day journey with Costsaver will deliver a multitude of memorable experiences that will linger long after you've returned home. Take a walk down memory lane - one that spans centuries of tradition, heritage and culture, as you encounter such iconic sights as the mighty Colosseum, the Leaning Tower of Pisa and Florence's spectacular Duomo. Your exploration of this veritable open-air museum will leave you enriched and inspired.



- Rome** Visit St. Peter's Basilica, view the Colosseum and see the ancient sites with your Local Specialist
- Pisa** Visit the Square of Miracles to view the Leaning Tower
- Florence** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes views of the Cathedral, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio
- Verona** View the Roman Arena and Juliet's Balcony
- Venice** Cruise by private boat to St. Mark's Square and visit a traditional glassblowing workshop

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### Day 1, Arrive Rome

*Buongiorno!* Rome kicks off your epic Italian trilogy. Spend the day relaxing after your journey or pound the pavements to discover why Rome so deserves its title, the 'Eternal City'. Later, you'll meet your Travel Director and consider an **Optional Experience** dinner in a Roman *trattoria*. **Hotel: Ergife Palace**

### Day 2, Rome sightseeing and free time

With so much to see and do, you could explore Rome for an eternity without getting bored. Why not join an **Optional Experience** to Michelangelo's famous Sistine Chapel and the Vatican Museums? Get to grips with the city's main attractions, joining a Local Specialist at Vatican City, the world's smallest country. Stand in St. Peter's Square, sharing your space with devoted pilgrims. Visit St. Peter's Basilica and view one of Michelangelo's greatest works, the sorrowful Pietà.

Cross the Tiber next, to view the mighty Colosseum and the countless other ancient sites which featured prominently in the days of the powerful Roman Empire. **B**

### Day 3, Rome - Pisa - Florence

Set your sights firmly on Florence, the birthplace of the Renaissance and a city that has inspired poets, authors and artists for centuries. Visit Pisa and its Square of Miracles. Yield to peer pressure and snap a few strategic photos featuring you and the extraordinary Leaning Tower of Pisa. This evening, you could join an **Optional Experience** heading into the Tuscan Hills for dinner. **B Hotel: President**

### Day 4, Florence sightseeing and free time

Now's your chance to experience Florence's artistic legacy in all its glory with your Local Specialist at your side. View the Baptistery, Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Giotto's Bell Tower and Ponte Vecchio before paying a visit to Piazza della Signoria followed by a leatherwork demonstration. Why not visit San Gimignano as part of an **Optional Experience?** **B, D**

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**Day 5, Florence - Verona - Venice (Mestre)**

The romantic leg of your tour begins today with a journey across the Apennine Mountains to Verona, the home of Shakespeare's infamous star-crossed lovers. Here, you'll view the Roman Arena and Juliet's balcony before making your way to the magical city of Venice - your home for the next two nights. Why not celebrate your arrival in one of the world's most romantic cities with an **Optional Experience** gondola ride? **B, D Hotel: Antony**



**Day 6, Venice orientation and free time**

Cruise by private launch to St. Mark's Square and view the Byzantine Basilica of St. Mark which you could visit as part of an **Optional Experience**. Spend your time wandering the *calle* of Venice then watch talented master craftsmen work at a glassblowing demonstration, a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER\*** Experience. Consider an **Optional Experience** cruise across the lagoon to colourful Burano Island. **B**

**Day 7, Depart Venice**

Brief but jam-packed, this memorable encounter with Italy's favourite cities has been brimming with culture, history and culinary delights. For now, it's *arrivederci*, but not farewell forever as you say goodbye to your Travel Director and newfound friends. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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**DELIGHTS OF ROME WITH DINNER**  
Spend an evening getting to know Rome and its sought-after sights when you embark on a coach tour of the city, followed by a delicious dinner and local music.

**DINNER, WINE AND MUSIC IN THE TUSCAN HILLS**

Fall in love with Tuscany during a traditional dinner, paired with local wines and live music at a favourite restaurant in the Tuscan hills.

**DO FLORENCE YOUR WAY**

You can discover medieval Tuscan life in San Gimignano or taste Florentine specialities with a local foodie.

**GONDOLAS AND THE GRAND CANAL**

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# CHOOSE ITALIAN SCENE

10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 12 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Great masters left their magic touch on the capitals of Florence, Venice and Rome and your 10-day exploration of Italy will reveal this at every turn. Embrace the energy of Italy's major cities, unwind on the shores of the Italian Lakes and savour the lingering scents of lemons in Sorrento. You'll have time to lose yourself in an ill-fated love story in Verona, pay tribute to St. Francis of Assisi in his hometown and snap a selfie against the backdrop of the world's most famous Leaning Tower.

**Rome** Visit St. Peter's Basilica, view the Colosseum and see the ancient sites with your Local Specialist

**Sorrento** Visit this popular resort

**Cassino** Views of the monastery high on the hill

**Assisi** Visit this beautiful town dedicated to St. Francis

**Venice** Cruise by private boat to St. Mark's Square and visit a traditional glassblowing workshop

**Verona** View the Roman Arena and Juliet's Balcony

**Italian Lakes** Visit Lake Como

**Pisa** Visit the Square of Miracles to view the Leaning Tower

**Florence** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes views of the Cathedral, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio

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### Day 1, Arrive Rome

The 'Eternal City' has captivated travellers for centuries and you'll not be disappointed as it prepares you for an exhilarating journey across Italy. Check in to your hotel, then get ready for your very own introduction to Rome. Later this evening, you'll meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers followed by an **Optional Experience** dinner in a characteristic *trattoria*. **Hotel: Ergife Palace**

### Day 2, Rome sightseeing and free time

Get to grips with the city's main attractions, joining a Local Specialist at Vatican City. Visit St. Peter's Basilica and view Michelangelo's sorrowful Pietà. Cross the Tiber next, to view the mighty Colosseum

and the countless other ancient sites. Choose an **Optional Experience** to discover the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel with a Local Specialist. **B**

### Day 3, Rome - Sorrento - Bay of Naples

The Bay of Naples beckons and our first stop is in the picture-perfect resort town of Sorrento. Pastel-hued residences cling impossibly to craggy cliffs that plunge into the deep blue waters of the Tyrrhenian Sea. Enjoy your time soaking up the sun-drenched views or consider an **Optional Experience** to the artists' paradise of Positano, followed by a scenic drive along the Amalfi coast. **B Hotel: La Panoramica**

### Day 4, Bay of Naples - Assisi

Enjoy the atmosphere as you explore the beautiful Bay of Naples during your free time this morning. Alternatively, choose to join an **Optional Experience** guided walking tour of Pompeii. Later, you'll journey





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past Cassino and view the monastery which featured as a backdrop for some of the fiercest battles of World War II. Then, head north to Assisi where an orientation reveals a medieval town that has changed very little since the time of St. Francis. **B, D Hotel: Frate Sole**

#### Day 5, Assisi – Venice (Mestre)

Your journey continues across the Apennines and through the Emilia-Romagna region, credited with being the origin of tortellini, mortadella and parmesan cheese. Before you know it, you'll have arrived in Venice. **B, D Hotel: LH Sirio Venice**

#### Day 6, Venice orientation and free time

Embark on a cruise by private launch to bustling St. Mark's Square in the heart of Venice. Admire the most famous of Venice's 417 bridges, the Bridge of Sighs, and enjoy views of the Doge's Palace and the Byzantine Basilica of St. Mark. Later, enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®** Experience, when the

extraordinary talents of glassblowers take centre stage during a visit to their workshop. **B**

#### Day 7, Venice – Verona – Lake Como – Italian Lakes (Saronno)

The plains of Veneto are all that stand between you and Verona, the stage for Shakespeare's star-crossed lovers. View the vast Roman Arena and Juliet's Balcony, from which a fictional Juliet once called for her Romeo. Arriving on the shores of Lake Como, you'll see why the scenic setting has been a summer retreat of the rich and famous for centuries. Enjoy dinner at your hotel. **B, D Hotel: Starhotels Grand Milan Saronno**

#### Day 8, Italian Lakes – Pisa – Florence (Prato)

Pisa's white marble façades gleam in the sunshine, but it is the famous Leaning Tower that gets most of the glory when you visit this 'Field of Miracles'. After a short drive from Pisa, you'll arrive at your hotel near Florence. This evening, consider joining an optional dinner in the Tuscan hills. **B Hotel: Starhotels Vespucci**

#### Day 9, Florence sightseeing – Rome

Your Local Specialist shares a superb commentary of the city's artistic and architectural heritage during a walking tour, which includes views of the Baptistry, the Ponte Vecchio, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore and Giotto's Bell Tower. Visit Piazza della Signoria and squeeze in some time for shopping before returning to Rome. **B Hotel: Ergife Palace**

#### Day 10, Depart Rome

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#### EXPLORE LAKE COMO

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# CHOOSE BRITAIN AND IRELAND DELIGHT



8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 5 COUNTRIES • 9 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The best of Britain and Ireland is served up on this 8-day adventure crisscrossing five different countries. See landscapes that have inspired poetry, medieval monuments to God and stony fortresses that housed royals, soldiers and important artefacts. You'll wind your way through the Yorkshire Dales, wander down Edinburgh's Royal Mile and discover a bit of the craic in Dublin, before Waterford crystal, Celtic tales and a fairy-tale castle or two complete your journey.

**Stratford-upon-Avon** Visit the town of Shakespeare's birth

**York** View York Minster and stroll along the Shambles

**Glasgow** View Glasgow Cathedral and George Square on your orientation tour

**Edinburgh** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes the famous Princes Street, the Royal Mile and views of the new Parliament Building as well as the Castle

**Belfast** See Belfast City Hall and Queen's University

**Dublin** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist to see St. Patrick's Cathedral, the glorious Georgian Squares and Trinity College

**Kilkenny** View Kilkenny Castle and gardens

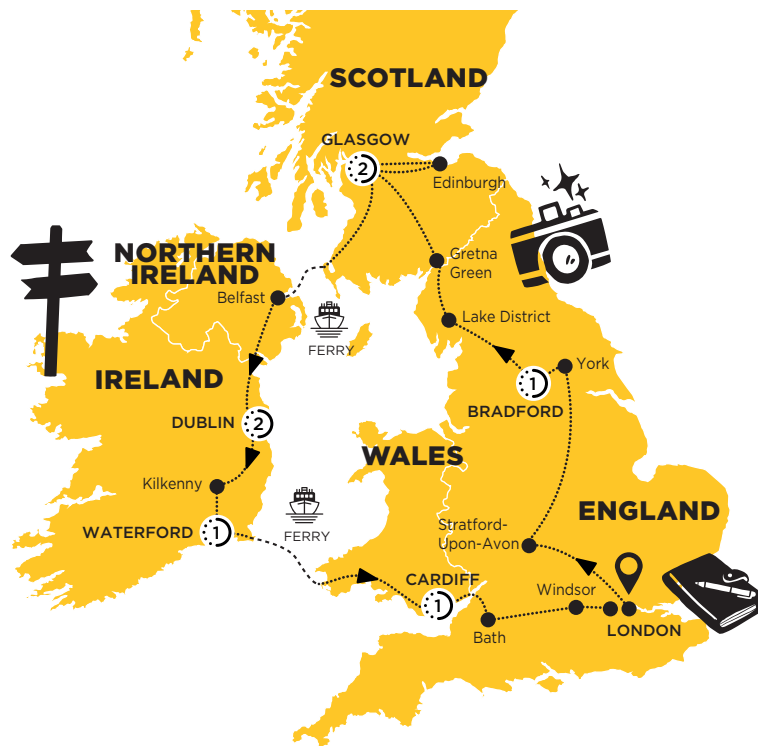
**Waterford** Visit the Waterford Crystal Showroom

**Cardiff** See the Principality Stadium and view Cardiff Castle

**Bath** Visit the Georgian spa town

**Windsor** View the Royal Castle

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### Day 1, London – Stratford-upon-Avon – York – Bradford

Your whirlwind journey through Great Britain and Ireland launches in London. Visit Stratford-upon-Avon where you'll come face to face with the legacy of England's beloved bard before heading to York. Your Travel Director will take you for an orientation walk through its medieval streets to the sacred York Minster. Enjoy dinner at a local restaurant before you continue to your hotel in Bradford. **D Hotel: Jurys Inn/Holiday Inn Garforth**

### Day 2, Bradford – Lake District – Gretna Green – Glasgow

You're in for a serene start to your morning as you wind your way through the Yorkshire Dales to England's Lake District. Board an optional cruise on Lake Windermere, then cross the Scottish border and stop in Gretna Green. Continue to Glasgow later today for an afternoon orientation including views of the cathedral, the River Clyde and George Square. **B Hotel: Ibis City Centre**

### Day 3, Edinburgh excursion

Your Local Specialist will reveal all the highlights of Edinburgh. View the Royal Mile, the Palace of Holyroodhouse in the shadow of Arthur's Seat and Edinburgh Castle. You'll have some time to explore Edinburgh your way or consider joining one of two special **Optional Experiences. B**

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#### Day 4, Glasgow - Belfast - Dublin

Your visit to Scotland culminates in a scenic drive along the Ayrshire coast. Pass Ailsa Craig, the figurative stepping stone from Scotland to Ireland before boarding your short ferry crossing to Northern Ireland. See Belfast's City Hall, Queen's University and the dock where the ill-fated Titanic was built. Then head south to Dublin, where you could enjoy an optional dinner at one of its most popular restaurant-pubs. **B Hotel: Maldron Tallaght/ Clayton Leopardstown**

#### Day 5, Dublin sightseeing and free time

You're in for a 'grand' time in the Irish capital this morning as your Local Specialist shares Trinity College and St. Patrick's Cathedral. See the stately Georgian Squares then spend the rest of the day on your own. This evening, an optional dinner and Irish show will have your toes tapping. **B**

#### Day 6, Dublin - Kilkenny - Waterford

Continue through the splendid countryside of Kildare bound for Kilkenny where you'll see its beautiful 12<sup>th</sup>-century castle. Later you'll arrive in Waterford where a visit to the Waterford Crystal Showroom will reveal a wonderland of delicate crystal. Dinner tonight is at your hotel. **B, D Hotel: Treacy's**

#### Day 7, Waterford - Cardiff

Cross St. George's Channel to Wales and its capital, where you'll view the Millennium Centre, the National Assembly and the historic castle at its heart. This evening could see you venture into the Welsh countryside for dinner at a 14<sup>th</sup>-century inn or enjoy an evening of Welsh music, culture and humour at an **Optional Experience. B Hotel: Cophthorne**

#### Day 8, Cardiff - Bath - Windsor - London

Cross the Severn Estuary into England and venture to Bath with its elegant Georgian architecture. Head to Windsor to view the world's oldest and largest continuously inhabited castle. There's time for a quiet stroll along the banks of the river before arriving in London later where your epic holiday comes to an end. **B**

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Savour the beauty of the Lake District as you board a cruise on Lake Windermere, skirting the northern coastline past deserted islands, beautiful country homes and Wray Castle.

#### EDINBURGH CASTLE VISIT

Visit Edinburgh Castle, perched imposingly atop Castle Rock since the 12<sup>th</sup> century. You'll see the Scottish crown jewels and the National War Museum of Scotland during your visit.



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# CHOOSE ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND HERITAGE



8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 3 COUNTRIES • 9 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Delve deeper into the history and heritage of Britain, from Windsor Castle and Stratford-upon-Avon to the Bonnie Birthplace of kilts and clans. Let centuries-old architecture inspire you, fall in love with the beauty of the Lake District and engage with the best of Britain when you visit Bath, York, Edinburgh and Glasgow, topping it all off with a leisurely stroll in the footsteps of the golfing gods at St. Andrews.

- Windsor** View the Royal Castle
- Bath** Visit the Georgian spa town
- Chester** View the timbered buildings known as the 'Rows'
- Lake District** Visit this picturesque region
- Glasgow** View Glasgow Cathedral and George Square on your orientation tour
- Loch Lomond** See the freshwater lake with the largest surface area in Britain
- St. Andrews** View the 18th green on St. Andrews Old Course
- Edinburgh** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes the famous Princes Street, the Royal Mile and views of the new Parliament Building as well as the Castle
- Hadrian's Wall** View the remains of the Roman wall
- York** View York Minster and stroll along the Shambles
- Stratford-upon-Avon** Visit the town of Shakespeare's birth and see Anne Hathaway's cottage

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### Day 1, London - Windsor - Bath - Cardiff

Begin your journey back in time on the busy streets of London. The British capital won't keep you from your exploration of the island's colourful history. This morning you'll travel west for a memorable encounter with royalty and the Roman Empire. Start with a visit to Windsor to see its famous castle, then continue to UNESCO-listed Bath where you'll view the city's beautiful Georgian façades before continuing to Cardiff. **D Hotel: Copthorne Cardiff-Caerdydd**

### Day 2, Cardiff - Chester - Liverpool

The Romans left their magic touch on the pretty town of Chester. You'll view the city walls and the black and white half-timbered buildings, famously known as 'The Rows'. Take some time to explore Chester your way or join an **Optional Experience** to Llangollen in North Wales. Our home for the night is the haunt of the 'Fab Four', with an evening at leisure to explore Liverpool's legendary nightlife. **B Hotel: Ibis Albert Dock**

### Day 3, Liverpool - Lake District - Gretna Green - Glasgow

There's no better way to embrace Lake District heritage this morning than to join an **Optional Experience** and chug between Haverthwaite and Lakeside in an old-world steam train followed by a cruise on Lake Windermere. Stop at Gretna Green,



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where eloping couples would exchange their vows over the Blacksmith's anvil. Then continue to Glasgow, where you could join an **Optional Experience** for a night on the *toon*. **B Hotel: Ibis City Centre**

**Day 4, Glasgow – Scottish Highlands**

Kick-start your day with an introduction to Glasgow's industrial past and modern revival before channelling your inner Highlander. You could choose an **Optional Experience** cruise on Loch Lomond before continuing to Glencoe, 'Glen of Weeping'. Local shepherd Neil and his enthusiastic border collies are ready to welcome guests on their Highland sheep farm for an **Optional Experience** this afternoon. You can perfect your sheep-shearing skills before settling into your Highland hotel. **B, D Hotel: Laggan**

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**HIGHLAND SHEEP FARM VISIT**

Truly immerse yourself in the Highland way of life and visit a Highland sheep farm. You'll meet Neil and his border collies and fry your hand at sheep-shearing and feeding the lambs.

**DO EDINBURGH YOUR WAY**

You can explore Edinburgh's Castle and all its treasures or discover Rosslyn Chapel with a Local Specialist.



**Day 5, Scottish Highlands – St. Andrews – Edinburgh (Airth)**

Your scenic drive through the mystical landscapes of the Highlands takes you to Pitlochry. There's time to explore this salmon fishing centre on your own or join an **Optional Experience** to Blair Castle. The fairways and greens of St. Andrews, the birthplace of golf, are up next. **B Hotel: Airth Castle**

**Day 6, Edinburgh sightseeing and free time**

Tuck into a hearty Scottish breakfast with *tattie* scones and all the trimmings. Today you'll need some extra sustenance as there's much to see and do in Scotland's hilly capital. The Georgian New Town, Palace of Holyroodhouse, the Royal Mile and Edinburgh Castle all wait to be viewed in the company of your Local Specialist, so grab your camera and prepare for a memorable sightseeing tour revealing all the highlights of *Auld Reekie*. You'll have plenty of time to explore on your own or consider joining an **Optional Experience** to Rosslyn Chapel or an in-depth tour of Edinburgh Castle. **B**

**Day 7, Edinburgh (Airth) – York – Bradford**

It's time to venture south on your return journey through England to London, but not before you come face-to-face with Hadrian's first-century attempt to keep the 'barbarians' out of his Roman Empire. Continue to the walled city of York, where an orientation tour will guide you through its narrow medieval streets to its 13<sup>th</sup>-century Gothic cathedral. **B Hotel: Jurys Inn**

**Day 8, Bradford – Stratford-upon-Avon – London**

Your return journey to London is almost at its end, but not before a visit to Stratford-upon-Avon, the birthplace of the famous bard, William Shakespeare, who became England's most beloved playwright. It's time for one last group picture as you say a fond farewell to your Travel Director and new friends in the capital of the United Kingdom. **B**

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# MAJESTIC SCOTLAND



7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 8 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Kick-start your seven-day adventure through Scotland in feisty Glasgow, with stays in Edinburgh and the Highlands, as your journey takes you past lochs, glens and heather-clad purple peaks. You'll walk in the footsteps of brave clansmen, admire cliff-top castles and trace the legacy of Rob Roy, Bonnie Prince Charlie and an elusive Loch Ness Monster on this epic quest to discover the heart and hearth of Scotland.



- Glasgow** View Glasgow Cathedral and George Square on your orientation tour
- Loch Lomond** See the freshwater lake with the largest surface area in Britain
- Fort William** See the Commando Memorial and Britain's highest mountain Ben Nevis and enjoy a scenic drive through Glencoe, the infamous 'Glen of Weeping'
- St. Andrews** View the 18th green on St. Andrews Old Course
- Edinburgh** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes the famous Princes Street, the Royal Mile and views of the new Parliament Building as well as the Castle

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### Day 1, Arrive Glasgow

*Madainn mhath!* While your Gaelic may be a little rusty, your visit to gritty Glasgow will be anything but. After checking in, maybe hit its edgy streets on your own exploration of the sights. Keep a *broly* at hand so Glasgow's notoriously unpredictable *mochie* doesn't put a damp end to your sightseeing. And even if it does, there's a cosy pub on every corner to warm your heart with a little local whisky. You'll meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers later for a glimpse into what lies ahead, then spend a free evening perhaps with a *wee dram* or two at a favourite local. **Hotel: Ibis City Centre**

### Day 2, Glasgow Sightseeing and free time

Kick-start your day with a lesson in Glasgow's industrial past and modern revival that have given the city its characteristic *gallus* strut. Your orientation tour of the city will include views of Glasgow Cathedral and George Square where many of Scotland's famous sons are immortalised in stone. Enjoy views of the People's Palace, the Winter Gardens and the River Clyde, which for over 200 years was the centre of shipbuilding. **B**

### Day 3, Glasgow - Glencoe - Scottish Highlands

Channel your inner Highlander next, embarking on a journey north to the banks of Loch Lomond, where a cruise past Rob Roy's cave could be on the cards should you choose to join this **Optional Experience**. In Fort William, see the Commando Memorial and the peaks of Ben Nevis, Britain's highest mountain.



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Continue through the volcanic ruins and precipitous mountains that lie just beyond Glencoe to see the 'Glen of Weeping'. Take a moment to remember the MacDonald clansmen who were massacred in 1692 fighting relentlessly for their beliefs. Head to the heart of the Highlands and your home for the next two nights, where dinner is served at your hotel. **B, D**  
**Hotel: Craiglynn**

**Day 4, Culloden - Loch Ness - Isle of Skye**

Your first stop today is the tragic battlefield of Culloden where you'll pay tribute to the brave men who lost their lives in the Jacobite Uprising. Continue your journey past Scotland's infamous Loch Ness keeping a keen eye out for Nessie. Admire the rugged beauty of Eilean Donan Castle at the heart of three

great sea lochs and learn about its role in the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>-century Jacobite risings which led to its destruction. Cross 'over the Sea to Skye' and embark on a scenic drive across the Sleat Peninsula against the backdrop of purple tufts of heather and dramatic peaks. Later, return to the mainland by ferry after a day of irresistible views. Tonight, dinner is at your Highland hotel. **B, D**

**Day 5, Scottish Highlands - Pitlochry - St. Andrews - Edinburgh**

Robert Burns once wrote of his beloved hills of the Highlands. Your scenic drive through its mystical landscapes will leave you similarly inspired as you venture to picturesque Pitlochry, on the banks of the Tummel. There's time to explore this salmon fishing centre on your own or perhaps join an **Optional Experience** to Blair Castle, home of the Duke of Atholl and Europe's last remaining private army. The fairways and greens of St. Andrews, the birthplace of golf, beckon and you'll have an opportunity to snap a selfie against the backdrop of the famous 18<sup>th</sup> green. Continue to Edinburgh - the Scottish capital. Time your visit to coincide with the rousing Edinburgh Tattoo with tickets included on certain departures. **B**  
**Hotel: Hampton by Hilton Airport**

**Day 6, Edinburgh sightseeing and free time**

The Georgian New Town, Palace of Holyroodhouse, the Royal Mile and Edinburgh Castle all wait to be viewed in the company of your Local Specialist, so grab your camera and prepare for a memorable sightseeing tour revealing all the highlights of *Auld Reekie*. You'll have plenty of time to explore on your own or consider joining an **Optional Experience** to the Royal Yacht Britannia or an in-depth tour of Edinburgh Castle. **B**

**Day 7, Depart Edinburgh**

Tuck into a hearty Scottish breakfast with *tattie* scones and all the trimmings. You'll want one final reminder of your epic encounter with Scotland before preparing to return home. Say a fond *bye for now* to new friends, closing the curtain on a memorable journey through Scotland. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/transfers](https://costsavertour.com/transfers). **B**

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**CRUISING LOCH LOMOND**  
 Listen to tales of Rob Roy as you cruise along the 'Bonnie Banks of Loch Lomond' with a local skipper and admire the lakeside landscapes.

**BLAIR CASTLE VISIT**  
 Visit Blair Castle, home of the Duke of Atholl and Europe's last remaining private army.

**DO EDINBURGH YOUR WAY**  
 Enjoy a scenic drive to the ancient village of Torphichen before dinner, or indulge in a delicious meal accompanied with entertainment of singing, dancing and bagpipes playing.



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# IBERIAN EXPLORER

13 DAYS • 12 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 3 COUNTRIES • 16 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Add a dash of emoción to your journey across the Iberian Peninsula, following an enticing trail of tapas, architectural triumphs and centuries-old art on this 13-day adventure through Spain and Portugal. You'll ramble through Barcelona, people-watch in Madrid, and stroll along the golden beaches of Costa del Sol. Other famous highlights along the way include the ancient cave dwellings at Guadix, Lisbon's iconic Belém Tower and the world's greatest Gothic Cathedral in sizzling Seville.

**Barcelona** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes views of Gaudi's La Sagrada Família, La Rambla and views from Montjuïc

**Valencia** See the Art Nouveau Train Station Estación del Norte, Cathedral, Towers of Serrano and Quart and the City of Arts and Sciences

**Guadix** View the cave homes in 'Barrio Troglodyte'

**Gibraltar** Visit the famous Rock of Gibraltar

**Seville** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes views of the Cathedral, Plaza de España and Giralda Tower

**Lisbon** View Belém Tower and the Monument to the Discoveries on your sightseeing tour with your Local Specialist

**Fátima** Visit the celebrated Shrine

**Madrid** See the Royal Palace, Cibeles Fountain and Retiro Park on a sightseeing tour with a Local Specialist

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### Day 1, Arrive Barcelona

*Bienvenido a España!* Check in to your Barcelona hotel, then take some time to recharge *siesta*-style before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a glimpse of what lies ahead. **D Hotel: Campanile Sud - Cornella**

### Day 2, Barcelona sightseeing and free time

Capture the sights and sounds of Plaça de Catalunya and the ornate La Sagrada Família as you tour the city with a Local Specialist, ascending to Montjuïc for sublime views of the skyline. Consider an **Optional Experience** to Montserrat with its hidden monastery. **B**

### Day 3, Barcelona - Peñíscola - Valencia

Our first stop today is in Peñíscola to see the imposing 13<sup>th</sup>-century Templar Castle. We continue to Valencia, for views of the Art Nouveau Train Station Estación del Norte, the Towers of Serrano and Quart, the Cathedral

and the futuristic 'City of Arts and Sciences', recessed in the Turia riverbed. **B Hotel: NH Las Ciencias**

### Day 4, Valencia - Guadix - Granada

Head to the foothills of the Sierra Nevada and view an underground world of the curious cave dwellings of Guadix. Continue across the Mora Pass to Granada, the last stronghold of the Moors in Spain. **B, D Hotel: Macia Condor**

### Day 5, Granada - Costa del Sol

Embrace the laid-back spirit of your Spanish hosts and spend your free morning exploring Granada and its Moorish influences on your own. Consider an **Optional Experience** to the Albaicín Quarter before heading to the Costa del Sol. This evening, maybe join an **Optional Experience** to the hilltop village of Mijas followed by a delicious Mediterranean seafood meal. **B Hotel: Málaga Alameda Centro by Meliá**

### Day 6, Costa del Sol - Gibraltar - Seville

Explore a slice of Britain when you cross the border into Gibraltar. See the Barbary apes and visit the cave of St. Michael at the Rock of Gibraltar on an **Optional**





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**Experience.** Continue to Seville, where you'll have an opportunity to see an optional *flamenco* show. **B, D**  
**Hotel: MA Congressos**

**Day 7, Seville sightseeing and free time**

A Local Specialist is on hand today to reveal Seville's special allure as you see the world's largest Gothic Cathedral and its Giralda Bell Tower. Perhaps, join an **Optional Experience** to the Alcázar, built by a Christian king who loved Mudéjar architecture. Later, spend some time exploring the city's Old Quarter on your own. **B**

**Day 8, Seville – Lisbon**

Journey through the golden and green plains of the Alentejo to Lisbon. You'll be drawn to the city's vibrant nightlife in the *Bairro Alto* and beyond, so head out with new friends for a night on the town or join your Travel Director for a poignant **Optional Experience** including an authentic *fado* performance. **B**  
**Hotel: Ramada by Wyndham**

**Day 9, Lisbon sightseeing and free time**

Head to the banks of the Tagus River this morning, joining a Local Specialist for an included sightseeing tour which will take you past the iconic Hieronymite Monastery and Belém Tower. Later, you could choose to visit the beach playgrounds of Estoril and Cascais, as well as Sintra, on an **Optional Experience** of the iconic Golden Triangle. **B**

**Day 10, Lisbon – Fátima – Salamanca**

Rub shoulders with visiting pilgrims who have made the journey to the Catholic pilgrimage centre of Fátima. There's time to explore the Basilica and Sanctuary before crossing the Spanish border bound for Salamanca where your Travel Director will take you to Spain's most beautiful Plaza Mayor with its golden baroque facades. Spend your evening at leisure. **B, D**  
**Hotel: Bardo Recoletos Coco**

**Day 11, Salamanca – Madrid sightseeing**

Arriving in Madrid, you'll embark on a sightseeing tour with a Local Specialist to view the Cibeles Fountain, Gran Vía and Paseo de la Castellana. Admire views of the Royal Palace and Retiro Park, followed by a free evening to savour Madrid's vibrant nightlife – resist the urge to set an early curfew and perhaps join an **Optional Experience** dinner. **B** **Hotel: Praga**

**Day 12, Madrid free day**

There's every excuse to rise with the *Madridileños* and enjoy a leisurely start to your morning. You'll have a full free day to discover the legacy of 'Madrid's Best Mayor', which installed Madrid as one of the most gracious capitals across Europe. Perhaps take an opportunity to join an **Optional Experience** to the medieval city of Toledo. **B**

**Day 13, Depart Madrid**

Keep that Spanish gusto in your step as you prepare to close the curtain on your epic journey through Spain and Portugal. It's time to say a final *hasta la vista* to new friends and your Travel Director. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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**VISIT MYSTICAL MONTSERRAT**  
 See the famous Black Madonna when you visit enchanting Monserrat and its Benedictine monastery founded in the 11th century.

**SEAFOOD DINNER ON THE TAGUS**  
 A visit to seafaring Lisbon would be incomplete without sampling a typical Portuguese meal of the freshest seafood dishes, whilst overlooking the city's impressive suspension bridge.



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# CHOOSE IMPERIAL HIGHLIGHTS

10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 5 COUNTRIES • 12 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Cathedrals, castles, cobbled lanes, and the mighty Danube – this stately 10-day sojourn through the imperial capitals of Europe will see you visit Bohemian Prague, the eclectic Slovakian capital of Bratislava and Mozart’s Vienna and Salzburg. You’ll encounter a multicultural crossroads in Budapest, the medieval treasures of Regensburg and sounds of ‘Do-Re-Mi’ in the Mirabell Gardens.



**Munich** Orientation includes the Marienplatz

**Regensburg** Orientation includes the old stone bridge

**Prague** Walking tour with a Local Specialist includes views of Prague Castle, St. Vitus Cathedral and the Old Town Square

**Bratislava** Visit the capital of Slovakia

**Budapest** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist and visit the Castle Hill

**Győr** Visit this baroque city

**Vienna** See the Opera House, Hofburg, Parliament and Imperial Boulevards with your Local Specialist

**Salzburg** Visit this charming city, the birthplace of Mozart, with your Local Specialist

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### Day 1, Arrive Munich

Say *Prost* to Germany’s beer capital and hello to a glorious encounter with the imperial capitals of central Europe. This afternoon, meet your Tour Director to embark on an orientation tour of Munich, soaking up its old-world Bavarian charm in the elegant Marienplatz featuring the Old and New Town Halls and the Glockenspiel. You’ll have the evening free to explore Munich your way, perhaps with a stein in hand enjoying the atmosphere in a beerhall or outdoor Biergarten. **Hotel: Leonardo City South**

### Day 2, Munich – Regensburg – Prague

Your first stop today is in the UNESCO-listed town of Regensburg with its beautifully preserved medieval centre. Cross into the Czech Republic to the Capital, Prague, the ‘Golden City of a Hundred Spires’. Stroll the illuminated city this evening, discover the enchanting Charles Bridge and enjoy a drink and music at a favourite local pub on an unforgettable Optional Evening tour. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Praha Mala Strana**

### Day 3, Prague sightseeing and free time

Delve into Prague’s history with a Local Specialist who leads your sightseeing tour featuring Prague Castle, the Cathedral of St. Vitus and the Old Town Square. There’s time later to explore the city on your own, perhaps returning to the Square to watch the



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Astronomical Clock's magical hourly Walk of the Apostles perhaps with a toasty *trdelník* in hand or choose to embark on an optional lunch cruise along the Vltava. **B**

#### Day 4, Prague - Bratislava - Budapest

Your journey through the medieval kingdom of Moravia this morning leads through the southern Czech Republic into Slovakia where you'll stop briefly to visit Bratislava, the gorgeous capital. See the Old Town and its 15<sup>th</sup>-century Old Town Hall before continuing to Budapest, whose two halves straddle the beautiful Danube River. With your evening free, why not begin your exploration of the 'Paris of the East' on the water with an optional private dinner cruise featuring Hungarian specialties and unforgettable views of the illuminated city. **B**

**Hotel: Ibis Castle Hill**



#### Day 5, Budapest sightseeing and free time

A Local Specialist will share all the sights and a visit to the Castle Hill. Consider joining an optional tour to the medieval market town of Szentendre for a traditional goulash, and time to shop for authentic handicrafts. Tonight, revel in colourful Gypsy folklore and cuisine on an optional evening experience. **B**

#### Day 6, Budapest - Győr - Vienna

Perhaps take the opportunity to join our pre-reserved morning visit to the most expensively built Parliament in Europe, and home to the legendary Hungarian Crown. Continue the decadence at the Imperial Gundel Cafe for a taste of their signature pancakes. Cross the hilly Transdanubia region bound for Győr, located midway between Budapest and Vienna. Next stop is the Austrian capital itself where art, architecture and above all music hit all the right notes for an inspiring evening. **B** **Hotel: Ibis Wien Mariahilf**



#### Day 7, Vienna sightseeing and free time

This morning, perhaps join an **Optional Experience** guided tour of Schönbrunn Palace. Vienna has held on to her regal roots as you'll come to discover when you join a Local Specialist for a sightseeing tour featuring all the highlights, including the Hofburg, State Opera House and City Hall. Consider an **Optional Experience** evening of Mozart and Strauss music. **B**

#### Day 8, Vienna - Salzburg

View the magnificent baroque Melk Abbey perched above the Danube and pass the beautiful Lake Mondsee on our way to Salzburg. Our Local Specialist takes us for a stroll through the charming old town past Mozart's birthplace and sights featured in 'The Sound of Music'. Spend time exploring the city, or perhaps discover the surrounding lakes and mountains during the afternoon. **B, D** **Hotel: Berghof Graml**



#### Day 9, Salzburg - Munich

Explore the spectacular alpine region of Bavaria with a morning **Optional Experience** - a scenic tour to Berchtesgaden or a visit to Hitler's retreat known as the Eagle's Nest. After a short drive to Munich, you'll enjoy a final farewell dinner together with your travelling companions. **B, D** **Hotel: Leonardo City South**



#### Day 10, Depart Munich

Say a fond *piat di* to your new friends and prepare for your onward journey home. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com](https://costsaverstour.com)/transfers. **B**

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Admire the city from the water or say *Na zdraví* to an afternoon sampling the nation's favourite brews.

**HUNGARIAN GYPSY FOLKLORE SHOW AND DINNER**

Enjoy a hearty Hungarian dinner while folk musicians reveal the real gypsy traditions.

**SCHÖNBRUNN PALACE AND GARDENS**  
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# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF BOHEMIA

15 DAYS • 14 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 6 COUNTRIES • 19 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The historic cultural hubs and colourful folklore of Bohemia take centre stage on this 15-day epic encounter with Germany, Poland, Hungary, Austria and the Czech Republic. You'll witness the triumph of human spirit, explore the medieval history of enchanting towns and cities and uncover the myths and legends that have shaped this multicultural crossroads at the heart of Europe.

**Frankfurt** Orientation tour includes the Old Town

**Berlin** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes views of the Reichstag, Brandenburg Gate and Tiergarten

**Warsaw** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes the Old Town, St. John's Cathedral and the Royal Palace

**Auschwitz** Visit the poignant former concentration camp

**Kraków** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes the cathedral and Royal Castle on Wawel Hill

**Budapest** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes a visit to Castle Hill

**Vienna** See the Opera House, Hofburg, Parliament and Imperial Boulevards with your Local Specialist

**Prague** Walking tour with a Local Specialist includes views of Prague Castle, St. Vitus Cathedral and the Old Town Square

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### Day 1, Arrive Frankfurt

At its heart, Frankfurt's high-powered business hub communes with a warm medieval centre. This afternoon, your Travel Director will lead an orientation tour around the city's dynamic financial centre and neo-medieval Römerberg. **Hotel: Leonardo City South**

### Day 2, Frankfurt - Berlin

Journey across the northern plains of Germany to the dynamic and energetic capital that is Berlin. Consider joining an **Optional Experience** with good food, wine,

beer and music followed by a twilight tour of some of Berlin's beautiful illuminations. **B Hotel: Vienna House Easy**

### Day 3, Berlin sightseeing and free time

Your Local Specialist will bring Berlin's tumultuous history to life this morning as you view the Reichstag building, German State Opera House, the Tiergarten, Unter den Linden and Brandenburg Gate. **B**

### Day 4, Berlin - Poznań - Warsaw

Leave the German Capital this morning travelling eastwards to greater Poland. Arrive in the Capital, Warsaw this evening for included dinner, and perhaps enjoy a recital of exquisite Chopin music on an optional experience. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Hotel Warsaw Centrum**



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#### Day 5, Warsaw sightseeing and free time

This morning, perhaps enjoy an optional visit to the 17<sup>th</sup>-century Baroque Wilanów Palace, then dive into Warsaw's turbulent past with a Local Specialist. You'll view St. John's Cathedral and the Royal Palace in the Old Town, then see the site of the Warsaw Ghetto. **B**

#### Day 6, Warsaw – Auschwitz – Kraków

Today we travel south towards the former Royal Capital of Krakow. We pay our respects to the survivors and victims of the Holocaust by visiting the memorial site of the former concentration camp at Auschwitz. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Stare Miasto**

#### Day 7, Kraków sightseeing and free time

Your Local Specialist will share the legend of the city's origins and royal history, seeing Wawel Hill, the Cloth Hall, Market Square and Basilica of the Virgin Mary. Take time to explore the former home of Pope John Paul II, and perhaps join an **Optional Experience** visit to the UNESCO Listed 14<sup>th</sup> century salt mines. **B**

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**BERLIN'S SECRET PAST REVEALED**  
Uncover the secrets of Berlin's past with a Local Specialist on a tour of the city, including a visit to the remaining section of the Berlin Wall and the site of Checkpoint Charlie.

**WIELICZKA SALT MINES**  
Visit the UNESCO-listed 800-year-old salt mines of Wieliczka exploring the underground chambers and chapels that have earned it its title as the Underground Salt Cathedral of Poland.



#### Day 8, Kraków – Budapest

Head south through Poland, then slice through the pastoral heart of Slovakia bound for Hungary. Your final destination today is Budapest. Begin your exploration of this 'Pearl of the Danube' on the water with an **Optional Experience** private dinner cruise, tasting local Hungarian cuisine and enjoying the breathtaking illuminations. **B Hotel: Ibis Styles City**

#### Day 9, Budapest sightseeing and free time

Like all great capitals, Budapest's story begins with a legend, which your Local Specialist will share as you see Castle Hill. This afternoon, perhaps join an **Optional Experience** to the medieval town of Szentendre. **B, D**

#### Day 10, Budapest – Győr – Vienna

Maybe marvel at the exquisite interior of the Hungarian Parliament and enjoy an exclusive brunch in the Imperial Gundel Cafe on your morning **Optional Experience**. Stop in Győr on our way to Vienna. **B Hotel: Ibis Wien Mariahilf**

#### Day 11, Vienna sightseeing and free time

Your Local Specialist will reveal all the sights of this imperial city. View the Parliament, the Vienna Opera House, the Hofburg and City Hall. This evening, consider an **Optional Experience** to a Strauss and Mozart concert. **B**

#### Day 12, Vienna – Brno – Prague

Head north to the Czech Republic. You'll stop in the medieval town of Brno, arriving in Prague later today. The 'Golden City of a Hundred Spires' shines even brighter at night, so consider joining an **Optional Experience** evening introduction to this fairy-tale city. **B, D Hotel: International**

#### Day 13, Prague sightseeing and free time

Join your Local Specialist for a sightseeing tour featuring Prague Castle, the Cathedral of St. Vitus and the Old Town Square. Later, consider a lunch cruise on the Vltava. **B**

#### Day 14, Prague – Rothenburg – Frankfurt

Take a step back in time during your stop in Rothenburg ob der Tauber along Bavaria's Romantic Road this morning. Continue to Frankfurt, where tonight you'll enjoy a farewell dinner. **B, D Hotel: Leonardo Frankfurt City South/Leonardo Offenbach Frankfurt**

#### Day 15, Depart Frankfurt

Great empires created the enchanting land which you've explored over the past 15 days. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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# BEST OF THE BALKANS

10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 13 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Journey from medieval ruins to ancient Roman sights on this 10-day exploration of the Best of the Balkans, featuring the historic town centres of Zagreb, Dubrovnik and Split. You'll wander through multicultural cities, hear moving stories of war, discover the stunning architecture, and watch as the vivid colours of the Plitvice lakes and waterfalls morph with the changing light. Centuries of history will be revealed through the eyes of Local Specialists who share their secrets of the Balkans.



**Zagreb** Sightseeing tour with your Local Specialist includes views of the Cathedral, St. Mark's Church, and the Opera House

**Sarajevo** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes the Old Town

**Mostar** See the historic bridge and visit the Bazaar with a Local Specialist

**Dubrovnik** Sightseeing tour with Local Specialist includes a visit of the Old City. See the Rector's Palace, Onofrio's Fountain and the Franciscan and Dominican monasteries

**Split** See Diocletian's Palace with your Local Specialist

**Plitvice National Park** See the waterfalls and lakes with your Local Specialist

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### Day 1, Arrive Zagreb

Tap your inner socialite and join the locals in indulging in the coffee culture and vibrant energy of Zagreb. Over the next day you'll uncover the city's unique appeal, but first meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for an included dinner this evening. **D**

**Hotel: International**

### Day 2, Zagreb sightseeing and free time

Rub shoulders with the stylish Zagrebians when you join your Local Specialist on a sightseeing tour

of this medieval European city. View the Upper and Lower Town, St. Mark's Church, Cathedral on Kaptol, the Croatian National Theatre and Dolac Market, the 'stomach' of Zagreb. You'll have the rest of the day to explore the city your way or embark an optional visit to Kumrovec, the birthplace of Marshall Tito. **B**

### Day 3, Zagreb - Sarajevo sightseeing

Arrive later today in Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia-Herzegovina. Centuries of religious history are reflected in its beautiful synagogues, mosques, and Orthodox and Catholic churches. Join a Local Specialist for a guided walking tour past the largest mosque in the Balkans. The Eternal Flame and the Sarajevo Roses dotted across the city stand as a stark reminder of the turmoil Sarajevo endured decades ago. **B** **Hotel: Ibis Styles**



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#### Day 4, Sarajevo – Mostar

Head to Mostar, joining a Local Specialist for an exploration of a historic multicultural city that is restoring itself with enviable verve after the Bosnian War. There's time to explore the city on your own or perhaps join a Local Specialist for a visit to Blagaj, one of the most mystical cultural and historical villages in the country. **B, D Hotel: Mostar**



#### Day 5, Mostar – Dubrovnik sightseeing and free time

See 'paradise on earth' if George Bernard Shaw is to be believed when you visit Dubrovnik. This famous playwright was a big fan of this medieval fortified city on Croatia's Dalmatian coast. You'll discover why as you join a Local Specialist for a sightseeing walking tour of the main sights. Admire the Rector's Palace, Onofrio's



Fountain and the city walls. Stroll through elegant courtyards and along limestone streets, admiring the remnants of Dubrovnik's Golden Age. Tonight, there's no better way to enjoy this shimmering coastline than embarking on an optional sunset dinner cruise to a secluded bay – the illuminated city of Dubrovnik provides the perfect end to the evening. **B Hotel: Adria**

#### Day 6, Dubrovnik – free day or optional experience to Montenegro

Straight out of a storybook, Dubrovnik's enchanting stone façades reveal a rich trading history from the 7<sup>th</sup> century. You'll have a full free day to explore the city on your own today. But if you're feeling adventurous, you may wish to switch the 'Pearl of the Adriatic' for the Mediterranean mountain nation of Montenegro, joining an **Optional Experience** instead. A Local Specialist will take you on a panoramic boat trip across the Bay of Kotor to the UNESCO-listed fortified town of the same name, tucked deep within enchanting fjord-like surrounds. Fortified walls encircle the city – a rambling labyrinth of steep cobbled lanes reaching high up into the hills, medieval churches and Venetian palaces wait to be discovered. Return to Dubrovnik later for dinner at your hotel. **B, D**

tonight a farewell dinner in your hotel closes the curtain on an exhilarating encounter with the Balkans. **B, D Hotel: International**

#### Day 10, Depart Zagreb

You've explored medieval monuments, witnessed the revival of war-torn cities and relaxed on the sun-kissed shores of the Adriatic. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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#### TUNNEL OF HOPE

Our Local Specialist gives us a personal insight into the Sarajevo Tunnel of Hope.

#### SUNSET CRUISE AND DINNER

Sail along the Dalmatian coast to a secluded bay for a local dinner with drinks - you will capture the beauty of Dubrovnik's skyline.

#### MONTENEGRO ADVENTURE

Join a Local Specialist in Montenegro, sailing across the Bay of Kotor, past fjord-like scenery, to the fortified town of Kotor where you'll embark on a guided walking tour behind its ancient walls.

#### Day 7, Dubrovnik – Split

Sit back, relax and watch the stunning Adriatic coastline go by as you pass old fishing villages and modern resorts bound for Split. A Local Specialist takes you behind the city walls to this harbour town's heart, the 4<sup>th</sup>-century Diocletian Palace, followed by a leisurely walking tour through the historic Old Town. This evening, join an **Optional Experience** in a traditional stone basement *konoba* for a Dalmatian dinner and live music. **B Hotel: Mondo**

#### Day 8, Split free day

Much of Diocletian's home town survives as you'll come to discover on your free day. You could choose an **Optional Experience** to one of the glittering Dalmatian islands. **B**

#### Day 9, Split – Plitvice – Zagreb

Embark on a scenic drive north to the UNESCO-listed National Park of Plitvice, a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience. Prepare for an encounter with a whimsical landscape, one filled with waterfalls set against colourful shades of green, grey and blue. After a day connecting with nature, you'll return to Zagreb where

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# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BALTICS

9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 4 COUNTRIES • 11 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

An adventure through the medieval capitals of the Baltics will keep you on your toes as you wind your way from Warsaw to the Gothic spires of Riga to the fairy-tale façades of Tallinn. Delve into decades of Soviet rule, the youthful spirit of nations and a Hanseatic heritage that put these cities on the trading map for centuries. Your Local Specialists will reveal the legacies left by foreign rulers and the stories that have brought a new lease on life to this region.

**Warsaw** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes a visit to the Old Town, see the monumental Palace of Culture and Science building

**Vilnius** Enjoy views of the Bishop's Palace, Gediminas Tower and the church of St. Peter and St. Paul on your included sightseeing with a Local Specialist

**Šiauliai** Visit the remarkable pilgrimage site of the Hill of Crosses

**Riga** Sightseeing with your Local Specialist includes the Old Town, views of the House of the Blackheads, and the Freedom Monument

**Tallinn** See the 15th-century Lühike Jalg Gate and the old Hanseatic Quarter on your included sightseeing with a Local Specialist

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### Day 1, Arrive Warsaw

Tucked away, but not forgotten, the Baltics stand at the edge of Europe – revived and reinvigorated after years of Nazi and Soviet occupation. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers later this evening for a glimpse into what lies ahead. **D**  
**Hotel: Ibis Warsaw Centrum**

### Day 2, Warsaw sightseeing and free time

Warsaw's façades are a testament to the resilience of the Poles who have lovingly restored their capital city after it was razed to the ground in retaliation for

the 1944 Warsaw Uprising. With your Local Specialist, you'll see the site of the Warsaw Ghetto. An **Optional Experience** could see you explore Wilanów Palace with its collection of royal furniture. **B**

### Day 3, Warsaw – Vilnius

The journey north begins today, through pastoral landscapes and rural villages to Vilnius, Lithuania's elegant capital. There isn't a city in Northern Europe with a medieval Old Town its size and you'll have an opportunity to explore every inch of its Baroque, Gothic and Renaissance splendour on your own. Signs of the city's 50-years of Soviet occupation can still be seen, but it is the city's beautiful architectural heritage, gritty street art and youthful spirit which take centre stage on your visit. Launch into a love affair with Lithuanian food this evening, joining an optional dinner and folklore show. *Skanaus!* **B Hotel: Art City Inn**





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#### Day 4, Vilnius sightseeing and free time

All the iconic sights of Vilnius are revealed this morning as you join a Local Specialist for a sightseeing tour, including the 16<sup>th</sup>-century Bishop's Palace, the Baroque Church of St. Peter and St. Paul and the Gates of Dawn. This afternoon, head back to the former communist era on an **Optional Experience** to the KGB museum. **B, D**

#### Day 5, Vilnius – Šiauliai – Riga

This morning, switch the new capital for the old on an **Optional Experience** to Trakai with its enchanting lakeside castle. Later, leave Vilnius bound for the Hill of Crosses at Šiauliai where millions of crosses

jostle for their spot. Arrive in the ancient city of Riga later – its Gothic skyline has witnessed German, Scandinavian and Russian rule across eight centuries.

**B Hotel: Park Inn by Radisson Riga Valdemara**

#### Day 6, Riga sightseeing and free time

Riga's UNESCO-listed Old Town reveals one of the world's finest collections of Art Nouveau buildings and a rich Hanseatic trade heritage that comes to life in the colourful stories shared by your Local Specialist this morning. Stroll through the winding medieval streets keeping your camera at hand to capture St. Peter's Church, the Three Brothers and Riga Cathedral. The rest of the day is free to explore Riga on your terms. Admire the skyline from the comfort of a canal boat, indulge in the herbal flavours of the city's favourite Black Balsam at a traditional city tavern, or join an **Optional Experience** at the Bergi Open Air Museum, revealing Latvia's cultural heritage. **B**

#### Day 7, Riga – Tallinn

The Estonian capital of Tallinn is your final destination today. You'll encounter a blend of Scandinavian and Russian flavours, but it is the Old Town that will capture your heart as you step back in time to explore it. **B, D Hotel: Ibis Tallinn Center**

#### Day 8, Tallinn sightseeing and free time

Your Local Specialist will take you past the 15<sup>th</sup>-century Lühike Jalg Gate and you'll visit Alexander Nevsky Cathedral, a symbol of Russian power with its magnificent gold-plated dome. An **Optional Experience** could see you visit Tallinn's colourful Kalamaja neighbourhood. **B**

#### Day 9, Depart Tallinn

You've embraced the youthful spirit of a Baltic region free from the shackles of its Soviet past and explored beautifully restored medieval capitals along the way. Close the curtain on your journey across Poland, Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, saying a fond *nāgemist* to new friends. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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#### LITHUANIAN FOLKLORE AND TRADITIONAL DINNER

Enjoy a hearty Lithuanian dinner of local specialties accompanied by a rousing folklore show.

#### TRAKAI CASTLE AND TOWN

Explore the old Lithuanian capital of Trakai, whose lakeside castle has been lovingly restored. See the wooden cottages built by the Karaites.

#### KALAMAJA VISIT

Visit the fishing harbour turned Bohemian Quarter of Kalamaja, a must-see destination for history buffs. Then visit Seaplane Harbour where Charles Lindbergh landed after his first solo flight across the Atlantic.



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# HIGHLIGHTS OF SCANDINAVIA

12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 3 COUNTRIES • 15 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The land of the Vikings, deep fjords and long summer nights – Norway, Denmark and Sweden serve up a stylish sojourn that will deliver the arresting beauty and captivating history you would expect from Scandinavia. Your 12-day adventure across 'the North' reveals centuries of trading heritage amidst the region's colourful harbour façades and all the natural splendour befitting of the 'King' and 'Queen' of the fjords.



**Copenhagen** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes views of the Little Mermaid, Nyhavn, Royal Amalienborg Palace and the Carlsberg Glyptotek

**Oslo** View the medieval fortress Akershus, the City Hall and the Royal Palace and visit the Vigeland Sculpture Park with your Local Specialist

**Bergen** See Haakon's Hall and the bustling fish market

**Sognefjord** View the 'King' of the fjords

**Lillehammer** Visit this charming host city of the 1994 winter Olympics

**Stockholm** Sightseeing with a Local Specialist includes views of the medieval Storkyrkan, the City Hall, Riddarholm Church and the Royal Palace

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### Day 1, Arrive Copenhagen

You're in for a whole lot of *hygge* when you hit the colourful, character-filled streets of Copenhagen. This cool capital manages to mix fairy tale with function as you'll come to discover. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers later for dinner at your hotel. **D Hotel: Comwell Portside**

### Day 2, Copenhagen sightseeing and free time

Your Local Specialist will take you on a sightseeing tour to the heart of the city, revealing many of

Copenhagen's highlights, from the Royal Amalienborg Palace to Carlsberg Glyptotek. Snap a selfie with the demure Little Mermaid then join an **Optional Experience** to the Danish Riviera. **B**

### Day 3, Copenhagen – Oslo

Your scenic drive from Denmark to Norway will see you cross the Øresund by ferry, then skirt the Swedish coastline north past glittering blue bays and lush pine and spruce forests. Continue your journey past Gothenburg bound for Oslo, Norway's waterfront capital. **B Hotel: Scandic Holberg**

### Day 4, Oslo sightseeing – Vrådal

Your Local Specialist will reveal all the highlights this morning, including the medieval Akershus fortress, the City Hall, the Royal Palace and Vigeland Sculpture Park.



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Later, you have a chance to explore Oslo at leisure, before we travel to Norway's Telemark region, renowned for its distinctive skiing technique. **B, D Hotel: Strand**

#### Day 5, Vrådal - Bergen

Witness Mother Nature's magic touch on Norway as you wind your way through spectacular mountains and past Hardangerfjord, the 'Queen of the Fjords', to the coastal city of Bergen, the gateway to Norway's stunning fjordscapes. **B Hotel: Scandic Neptun**

#### Day 6, Bergen sightseeing and free time

Nowhere is Norway's seafaring heritage more apparent than in Bergen. See its fish market and the 13<sup>th</sup>-century Haakon's Hall, followed by some time to explore the harbour and UNESCO-listed Bryggen. Later, join an **Optional Experience** to visit the villa of famous composer Grieg or delve into Norway's World War II history. **B**

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#### NORTH ZEALAND RIVIERA AND CASTLE TOUR

Admire the scenery along the Danish Riviera's conservation heritage route as you travel past the summer residence of the Royal Family and visit Frederiksborg Castle.

#### RESISTANCE AND PEACEFUL TRADITIONS

Explore the lost village of Telavåg, destroyed in WW II then visit the charming fishing village of Glesvær.

#### FJORDS AND MOUNTAINS

Enjoy a relaxing cruise along the Nærøfjord with its towering mountains and fabulous scenery.



#### Day 7, Bergen - Sognefjord (Lærdal)

Norway's fjord country takes centre stage today as you head to the 'King of the Fjords', Sognefjord. You'll have a rare opportunity as part of an **Optional Experience** to journey on the world-famous Flåm Railway. After, for nature lovers, there's an **Optional Experience** to board a cruise on the UNESCO-listed Nærøfjord. Tonight, join your travel companions for dinner at your hotel. **B, D Hotel: Lærdal**

#### Day 8, Sognefjord (Lærdal) - Lillehammer (Oyer)

Enjoy a scenic drive through the mountains to Lillehammer, in the heart of Norway. You'll discover what's great about the great outdoors as you see how this Norwegian ski jumping centre turned Winter Olympics hub has become popular amongst adrenalin junkies. **B Hotel: Scandic Hafjel**

#### Day 9, Lillehammer (Oyer) - Karlstad - Örebro

Travel through Norway's lush forest landscapes, through the cottage countryside of Sweden bound for Lake Vänern, to visit Karlstad, surrounded by forests, fields and lakes. Take a deep breath and embrace the simplicity of your surroundings before continuing to the lively university town of Örebro, where you'll stay tonight. View the 13<sup>th</sup>-century castle on the banks of the Svartån River during your orientation. **B Hotel: Scandic Örebro Vast**

#### Day 10, Örebro - Stockholm

Continue to stylish Stockholm, which locals refer to as 'beauty on water'. The beautiful blue jostles for your attention amidst lush green parks and a modern city where style and substance co-exist effortlessly. Get your bearings and explore Stockholm your way or take a cruise across the harbour and the beautiful Djurgården canal on our optional excursion which continues on to explore the huge public art gallery that is the Stockholm metro. **B Hotel: Scandic Järva Krog/Järva Park**

#### Day 11, Stockholm sightseeing and free time

Let this elegant town capture your heart as you explore it this morning with a Local Specialist. View the medieval Storkyrkan, the City Hall and Royal Palace, then consider one of two **Optional Experiences**. Join your fellow travellers later for a farewell dinner. **B, D**

#### Day 12, Depart Stockholm

Say a fond *farväl* to new friends and close the curtain on a holiday filled with Scandinavian style, the majesty of 'Mother Nature' and a whole lot of *lek* as you prepare to return home. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/](https://costsavertour.com/) transfers. **B**

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# WONDERS OF TURKEY

11 DAYS • 10 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 15 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

East meets West in this 11-day Turkish extravaganza which reveals the Byzantine and Ottoman past of Istanbul, the fairy-tale landscapes of Cappadocia and some of the world's most revered ancient cities. Get lost in the colourful lanes of the Grand Bazaar, watch the dizzying dance of the Whirling Dervishes and descend into an underground fortress.



- Istanbul** Sightseeing includes Hagia Sophia, the Blue Mosque and the Grand Bazaar
- Ankara** Visit the Museum of Anatolian Civilisation and Ataturk's Mausoleum
- Cappadocia** Visit Pasabagi and the Red Valley and marvel at the underground city of Sarlatli
- Konya** Visit the Mevlana Museum, home of the Whirling Dervishes
- Pamukkale** See the Cotton Castle springs and the ruins of the Roman health spa of Hierapolis
- Pergamon** Visit the Asclepion Medical Centre
- Gallipoli** See Anzac Cove, Lone Pine and Chunuk Bair Cemeteries
- Troy** Visit the ruins of the ancient city and see the Wooden Horse

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### Day 1, Arrive Istanbul

It's the city Napoleon said should be the capital of Earth and while it may not quite have reached that stature, Istanbul's history as the capital of two great empires has left an enviable legacy of art, architecture and culture. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and explore the city your way before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers.

**Hotel: Titanic Port Bakirköy**

### Day 2, Istanbul sightseeing and free time

Discover how centuries of Ottoman rule shaped the city's heritage as the meeting point between East and West when you join your Local Specialist this morning for a guided sightseeing tour, including a visit to Hagia Sophia, once the leading church in Christendom, the Hippodrome and Blue Mosque. Later, you'll have some time to explore Istanbul your way or consider an **Optional Experience** to Topkapi Palace Museum, and a cruise on the Bosphorus, separating Europe and Asia. **B**

### Day 3, Istanbul - Ankara

Ramble past the colourful displays of lanterns, pottery and fabric as you wander through one of the world's oldest and largest covered markets, the Grand Bazaar. The scents of Turkish tea will linger long after



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you leave Istanbul, bound for Ankara. Arriving in the Turkish capital, you'll visit the Mausoleum of Atatürk, the founder and father of the Turkish Republic, before an evening to do as you please. **B, D Hotel: Holiday Inn Kavaklıdere**

#### Day 4, Ankara - Cappadocia

The hometown of the Hittites is under the spotlight this morning. Visit the Museum of Anatolian Civilisations, then continue to the whimsical landscapes of Cappadocia and visit the underground city of Saratli. This evening you could join an **Optional Experience** with the Whirling Dervishes, watching them whirl around and around in remembrance of God. **B, D Hotel: Ramada by Wyndham**

#### Day 5, Cappadocia sightseeing and free time

Cappadocia's fairy-tale chimneys take centre stage this morning as you journey to Pasabagi and Red Valley. Visit a regional rug production centre then enjoy an afternoon on your own amidst the fantasy landscapes left by Mother Nature in the ochre rock. An **Optional Experience** in Göreme reveals how Christians once worshipped in the many rock churches that remain to this day. This evening, dinner is served at your hotel. **B, D**

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#### TOPKAPI MUSEUM AND BOSPHORUS CRUISE

Visit Topkapi Palace Museum, exhibits of imperial collections of the Ottoman Empire, then board a cruise along the Bosphorus which reveals the city's beauty from the water.



#### Day 6, Cappadocia - Konya - Pamukkale

First up is the ancient city of Konya, the final resting place of the Sufi philosopher Mevlana whose famous mausoleum you will visit before continuing to the cotton fortress of Pamukkale, home to mineral-rich thermal waters which cascade down snow-white travertine terraces. **B, D Hotel: Richmond Thermal**

#### Day 7, Pamukkale - Hierapolis - Izmir

The ethereal white pools and terraces that cascade down surrounding cliffs are a sight to behold this morning as you see the ruins of the ancient Roman health spa of Hierapolis. Head west to the Aegean coastline, arriving in Izmir later with an opportunity to join an **Optional Experience** seafood dinner this evening. **B Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton Alsancak**

#### Day 8, Izmir Sightseeing and Free Time

Explore Izmir your way or join an **Optional Experience** and head to the ruins of Ephesus, one of the most important cities in the ancient Mediterranean world. Included in this experience is a visit to the enchanting hillside village of Sirince with its traditional market. **B**

#### Day 9, Izmir - Pergamon - Troy - Çanakkale

Visit the Asclepion Medical Centre in Pergamon, which still bears the image of the snake-entwined staff that remains a symbol of modern medicine. Next is a visit to Troy to learn how its famous siege was only broken through the clever construction of a wooden Trojan horse, a replica of which can still be seen today. Later continue to Çanakkale where dinner is served at your hotel. **B, D Hotel: Büyük Truva Oteli**

#### Day 10, Çanakkale - Gallipoli - Istanbul

A poignant start to the day sees you visit Anzac Cove, Lone Pine Cemetery and Chunuk Bair paying tribute to the brave soldiers who lost their lives at Gallipoli. Return to Istanbul where there's always time for one last *Raki!* **B Hotel: Titanic Port Bakirköy**

#### Day 11, Depart Istanbul

You've stood at the crossroads of East and West, trod in the footsteps of the ancients and admired ethereal landscapes that belong in a storybook. For now it's time to end this chapter with a heartfelt farewell to your newfound friends. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/transfers](https://costsavertour.com/transfers). **B**

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# GREEK ISLAND EXPLORER



10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 11 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Say opal! to a Greek adventure which kicks off in Athens and explores two glittering island gems in the Aegean. Discover the treasures of an ancient world before spending a glorious week getting lost in the labyrinthine lanes of Santorini and Mykonos. You'll combine your love for history with laid-back island life, visiting secret coves, seaside cafés and rambling ruins built to honour gods and goddesses. These remain as a testament to the lynchpin role ancient Greece once played in shaping western civilisation as we know it today.



**Athens** Sightseeing tour with a Local Specialist includes a visit to the magnificent Acropolis and views of the Temple of Zeus and Hadrian's Arch

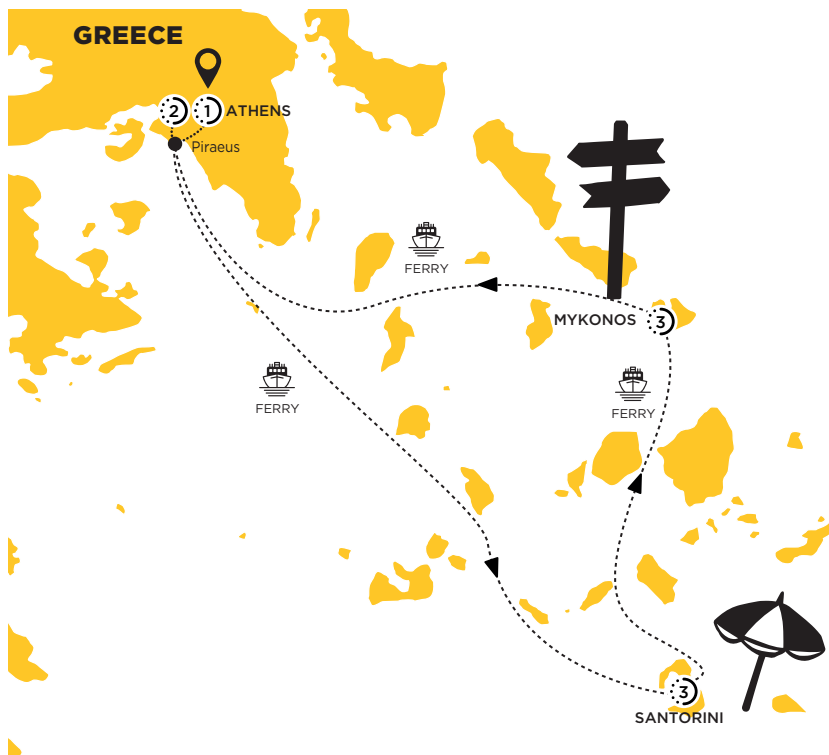
**Santorini** Enjoy an orientation of the town of Fira with the views over the caldera where your Travel Director will provide information on beaches and sightseeing opportunities

**Mykonos** Orientation of the port and Mykonos town includes a walk along the narrow cobbled streets and your Travel Director will provide information on beaches and sightseeing opportunities

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### Day 1, Arrive Athens

Let it sink in - the fact that you're standing in what was once the centre of the western world, where the likes of Socrates, Aristotle and Plato offered their wisdom which has stood the test of time. On arrival, transfer to your hotel then meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a glimpse into what lies ahead. **Hotel: Zafolia**

### Day 2, Athens sightseeing and free time

The Acropolis looms large over Athens and today your Local Specialist will help you get up close and personal with this ancient citadel. View the mighty Parthenon, the Panathinaiko Olympic Stadium, the Temple of Zeus and Hadrian's Arch, stopping in Syntagma Square to admire the curiously clad Evzone guards. The rest of the day is yours to explore Athens on your terms, but you may wish to embark on an **Optional Experience** to see the 5<sup>th</sup>-century BC Temple of Poseidon. This evening, consider joining your fellow travellers for an optional traditional dinner at a city *taverna*. **B**



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### Day 3, Athens - Santorini

Don't resist the urge to slow it all down as you leave the busy cityscape behind and catch a high-speed ferry to Santorini. The spectacular volcanic eruption in 1646 BC had quite the magic touch on its dramatic landscape. After checking in and an orientation tour, you'll have some time on your own, followed by dinner at your hotel. **B, D Hotel: Kamari Beach**

### Day 4, Santorini free time

Embark on an **Optional Experience** revealing the iconic landscapes of the Cyclades you've only seen in photographs. An alternative **Optional Experience** could see you board a *caique* fishing boat to the volcano instead. This evening, there's no better place to bid farewell to another beautiful island day than in Oia. After an optional afternoon wine tasting paired with local *meze*, you'll stroll through its marble streets to our favourite sunset spot to capture the Instagram shot of the trip. **B**

### Day 5, Santorini free time

Indulge in another full day to explore Santorini your way. You could choose one of several **Optional Experiences** to fill the day or stroll through Fira's narrow streets, shopping for last-minute souvenirs, clothing and jewellery. Why not make the most of your final evening in Santorini, sampling the local culinary delights with uninterrupted views of the Aegean Sea? **B**

### Day 6, Santorini - Mykonos

A high-speed ferry brings you to the island playground of Mykonos. After transferring to your hotel and a short orientation tour, Mykonos is yours for the taking. Dinner tonight is included and you'll need no excuse to stay out late, indulging in the island's renowned nightlife. **B, D Hotel: Alkistis**

### Day 7, Mykonos free time

You could choose to spend your day exploring tiny Mykonos your way or join your fellow travellers for an optional Island Tour to some of its most celebrated beaches. Before you dip your toes into the water, you'll visit Ano Mera village whose 16<sup>th</sup>-century monastery is dedicated to the protectress of Mykonos. Then continue to the beautiful Blue Flag beach of Kalafatis. **B**

### Day 8, Mykonos free time

For history lovers, there's no better way to spend your day than joining an optional visit to nearby Delos, the legendary birthplace of Apollo and his twin sister Artemis. **B**

### Day 9, Mykonos - Athens

Leaving island life behind, it's time to return to Athens for a final exhilarating encounter with the vibrant Greek capital. Transfer to your Athens hotel, then spend the evening in the narrow lanes of Plaka following your nose past its 19<sup>th</sup>-century façades to find the best *souvlaki* in town. **B Hotel: Zafolia**

### Day 10, Depart Athens

As you prepare for your return journey and long after you arrive home, you'll remember the generous spirit, postcard-perfect scenery and legacy of the ancients that are among the many gifts that Greece has given you. Say farewell to your new friends at the end of your holiday. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/transfers](https://costsavertour.com/transfers). **B**

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#### ATHENS DINNER WITH ACROPOLIS ILLUMINATIONS

Savour traditional Greek flavours during a meze-style dinner in Athens' lively Psiri area, followed by beautiful views of the Acropolis.

#### VISIT DELOS ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE

Explore one of the most important archaeological sites in the Eastern Mediterranean when you visit Delos and see its Temple of Apollo.



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# HIGHLIGHTS OF GREECE WITH 3-DAY AEGEAN CRUISE



8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 14 MEALS

This is where it all began – the literature, art and laws that have shaped western civilisation as we know it today. You won't need to imagine great philosophers debating their truths in the corridors of the Agora, between the columns of the Parthenon or with the Oracle of Delphi. You'll get to see where this happened first-hand on this 8-day adventure to the heart of ancient empires and the sun-kissed shores of the Greek Isles.



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- Delphi** Visit the home of the Oracle and the Temple of Apollo with a Local Specialist
- Meteora** Visit one of the iconic rock monasteries with a Local Specialist
- Mykonos** Spend the evening exploring this lively island
- Kusadasi** Visit the open air archaeological wonder of ancient Ephesus
- Patmos** Explore this idyllic island
- Crete** Spend time in the port town of Heraklion and visit the Palace of Knossos
- Santorini** Enjoy a relaxing evening in the cliff top town of Fira

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Enjoy traditional Greek cuisine in a lively taverna, with dance, music and drinks.

**MYCONIAN COUNTRYSIDE TOUR AND LITTLE VENICE**  
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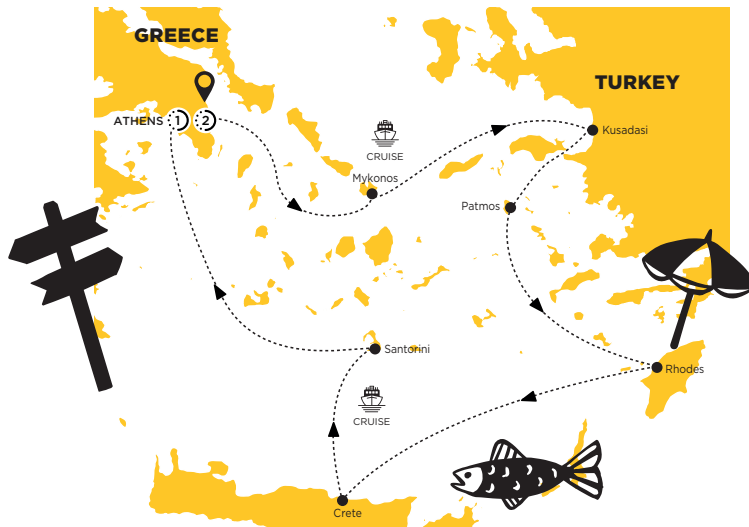
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# ANCIENT LANDS GREEK CRUISING

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Trace the splendour of ancient empires, criss-crossing the Aegean Sea from the land of gods and goddesses to the sun-drenched seaside villages of the Cyclades islands. Lace up your sandals for an exploration of the Acropolis on foot, toast sundowner views over Little Venice in Mykonos, and soak up the laid-back island vibes of Crete and Santorini.



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**Mykonos** Admire the Old Town and white windmills overlooking the water

**Kusadasi** Visit the open air archaeological wonder of ancient Ephesus

**Patmos** Spend evening on this small and charming island

**Rhodes** Discover the Old Town of Rhodes, view the Citadel of the Knights and visit the Acropolis of Lindos

**Crete** Visit the island of myths and legends

**Santorini** Enjoy an evening on this beautiful island

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### PATMOS COUNTRYSIDE TOUR WITH HORA AND GROTTO OF APOCALYPSE

We visit Patmos and enjoy a guided tour of the island, a visit to the Grotto of the Apocalypse. Enjoy a walk in the town of Hora and marvel at spectacular views.



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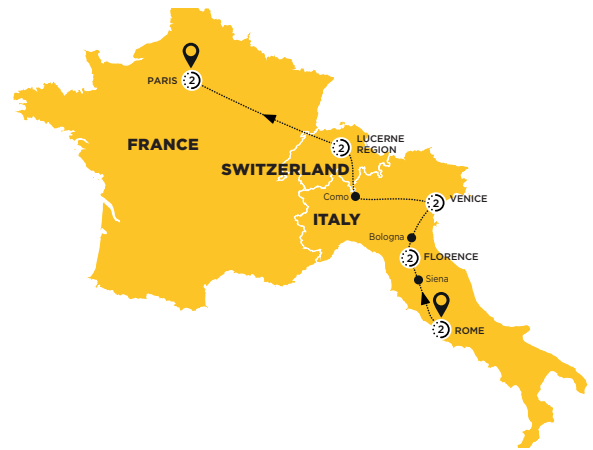
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### PRAGUE BY NIGHT WITH DINNER CRUISE

Prague's medieval architecture is best viewed on an evening river cruise under the stars, guided by thousands of twinkling city lights.

### MAGICAL VENICE

Cruise along the Grand Canal by private water taxi before arriving at St. Mark's Square and embarking on a gondola journey while musicians and singers entertain.

Trip code: EFIS

# CHOOSE EUROPEAN ACCENT

14 DAYS • 13 NIGHTS • 7 COUNTRIES • 17 MEALS

You won't be able to keep your eyes off the epic landscapes of the Rhine, Tuscany and the French Riviera as you journey from Amsterdam to all the main highlights of Europe. Explore Venice and Paris, encounter centuries of papal history in Rome and Avignon, and cruise down Europe's mightiest river. You won't miss a thing on this 14-day jaunt across Europe with new friends.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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### LUCERNE MOUNT STANSERHORN AND LAKE CRUISE

Touch the sky on an alpine adventure that will see you cruise across Lake Lucerne to one of Switzerland's oldest mountain railways, ascending by railway and cable car to admire the epic views.

### GONDOLAS AND THE GRAND CANAL

Cruise the Grand Canal by private water taxi before arriving at St. Mark's Square to embark on a gondola ride through Venice's canals.

### DINNER IN THE TUSCAN HILLS

Fall in love with Tuscany during a traditional dinner, paired with local wines and live music at a favourite restaurant in the Tuscan hills.

Trip code: EACC

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# CHOOSE EUROPEAN IMPRESSIONS

15 DAYS • 14 NIGHTS • 7 COUNTRIES • 18 MEALS

The birthplaces of arts, culture and history take centre stage on this 15-day discovery of Europe's Renaissance masterpieces. Create your own work of art as you delve into the diversity of Europe. From the spires of Cologne and Vienna's Baroque Opera House, to St. Peter's Basilica and the magnificent Doge's Palace in Venice, you'll tick off all the iconic landmarks that have drawn visitors from across the globe for centuries.



feefo guest review **4.6/5** ★★★★★

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# CHOOSE EUROPEAN CAVALCADE

18 DAYS • 17 NIGHTS • 8 COUNTRIES • 23 MEALS

Explore the romantic landscapes, pretty medieval villages and stately capitals of Europe on this 18-day voyage from Amsterdam to Rome to Paris with a stay in the Bay of Naples and visits to Beaune and Monaco along the way. You'll cruise down the Rhine, see the mournful lion of Lucerne and visit Vatican City as you capture all the exhilarating highlights of Europe.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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## TAILORED BY YOU

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### SCHÖNBRUNN PALACE AND GARDENS

Visit the Imperial Summer Palace of Schönbrunn and learn about the Habsburg family's centuries long rule over this region.

### PIAZZAS AND FOUNTAINS OF ROME

Discover Rome's alleyways, piazzas and fountains with a Local Specialist. Marvel at the timeless Pantheon and spend some time in a gorgeous Baroque square with street artists, trattorias and gelaterias.

### A NIGHT AT THE CABARET

Embrace a little French flair and indulge in an exhilarating evening of dinner, champagne and cabaret.

Trip code: EIMP

## TAILORED BY YOU

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### SWISS COUNTRYSIDE AND CARRIAGES

Meet local farmers and soak up the stunning scenery as you trot through rural communities on a countryside tour in horse-drawn carriages.

### LAGOON CRUISE TO BURANO WITH FOOD AND DRINKS

Famous for its multi-coloured homes, the fishermen's island of Burano sets the stage for a delicious Italian meal.

### AMALFI COAST AND POSITANO

Drive along Italy's exquisite Amalfi Coast and enjoy a visit to the artists' paradise of Positano.

Trip code: ECAV

# CHOOSE EUROPEAN DISCOVERER

28 DAYS • 27 NIGHTS • 11 COUNTRIES • 37 MEALS

This A to Z of Europe will reveal a feast of flavours, culture and history, from medieval monuments, myths, legends and ancient history to the glittering capitals of Paris, Athens, Rome and Madrid. You'll come full circle on this 28-day extravaganza across the continent - 11 countries on one bucket-list trip.



feefo <sup>oo</sup> guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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### SEINE CRUISE AND PARIS ILLUMINATIONS

Enjoy the City of Lights on a leisurely cruise along the River Seine, followed by a drive through Paris to enjoy some of her best sights.

### DAY TRIP TO TOLEDO

Sightseeing in Toledo includes views of the cathedral, and a visit to a steel workshop to see the finest examples of inlaid steel for which the 'City of Three Cultures' is famous.

### VISIT MYSTICAL MONTSERRAT

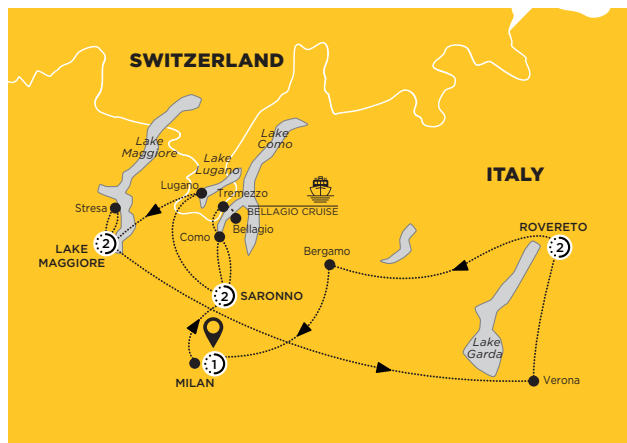
See the famous Black Madonna when you visit enchanting Montserrat and its Benedictine monastery founded in the 11th century.

Trip code: EDIS

# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ITALIAN LAKES

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 10 MEALS

Say yes to a love affair with Italy's elegant lake district. Stunning 19th-century façades and pretty lakeside villages against the backdrop of the lowering snow-capped Alps make this the perfect place to explore life the way only the Italians can - to the fullest. On this 8-day journey, savour your free hours in heavenly surroundings, mixing it up with visits to the fashion capital of Milan, the sophisticated cobblestone streets of Lugano and medieval Bergamo.



feefo <sup>oo</sup> guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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### DINNER IN COMO

Explore Como town before joining us for a delightful dinner with drinks at a local restaurant.

### MOUNT SAN SALVATORE AND LAKE CRUISE

Board a lake cruise to view the tiny villages on the shores of Lake Lugano and head to the summit of Lugano's best-known mountain.

### LAKE GARDA DISCOVERY

Follow Lake Garda's shoreline - its glistening blue waters are surrounded by lush countryside, historic towns and lowering mountains.

Trip code: IHLK



# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF SICILY



9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 11 MEALS

Enjoy an in-depth encounter with spirited Sicily on this ramble 'down south', which includes some quality time in Rome and a visit to the feisty city of Naples. Take a drive to Mount Etna, Europe's largest active volcano and delve into Agrigento's Greek heritage in the Valley of the Temples. Dive into the capital, Palermo and engage with the island's centuries-old seafaring heritage.



feefo guest review **4.4/5** ★★★★★

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# CHOOSE SPLENDOURS OF ITALY



13 DAYS • 12 NIGHTS • 3 COUNTRIES • 16 MEALS

Embrace excess as you travel the length and breadth of 'la bella Italia'. From the former capital of the world to the sun-kissed south, the shimmering Italian Lakes to quiet contemplation in Assisi, the birthplace of the Renaissance to the Bay of Naples - this grand 13-day exploration of Italy will reveal why Verdi proclaimed that he would gladly exchange the entire universe for Italy. One day you may feel the same.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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### PIAZZAS AND FOUNTAINS OF ROME

Discover Rome's alleyways, piazzas and fountains with a Local Specialist. Marvel at the timeless Pantheon and spend some time in a gorgeous Baroque square with street artists, trattorias and gelaterias.

### NAPLES UNVEILED

Visit the Archaeological Museum with a Local Guide, who will reveal the hidden secrets behind one of the world's oldest inhabited cities.

### SICILIAN DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT

Enjoy an evening in the company of new friends over a delicious dinner of southern Italian specialities, including music and entertainment.

Trip code: IHSI

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Discover Rome's alleyways, piazzas and fountains with a Local Specialist. Marvel at the timeless Pantheon and spend some time in a gorgeous Baroque square with street artists, trattorias and gelaterias.

### VISIT POMPEII

Join an expert on a tour of the devastating destruction of Pompeii at the hands of Mount Vesuvius and learn what life was like as a Roman citizen of the time, frozen for almost 2,000 years.

### DO FLORENCE YOUR WAY

You can discover medieval Tuscan life in San Gimignano or discover the treasures of Florentine cuisine with a local foodie.

Trip code: ITSI



# BRITAIN AND IRELAND EXPERIENCE

12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS • 4 COUNTRIES • 15 MEALS

Travel through landscapes that have inspired world-famous writers and poets, from Shakespeare to Robert Burns. On this journey across England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales, you'll see medieval castles and cathedrals, wander past the famous Chester Rows and kiss the Blarney Stone. The idyllic settings of the Lake District, Dingle Peninsula and the Cotswolds give way to vibrant capitals and the little-known train station with the world's longest name.



feefo guest review **4.4/5** ★★★★★

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### VISIT CARDIFF CASTLE

Explore Cardiff's historic heart when you embark on a private tour of Cardiff Castle and admire what remains of the fanciful inspiration of its architect William Burgess before climbing its 1,000-year-old keep for panoramic views.

### WINDERMERE CRUISE

Savour the beauty of the Lake District as you board a cruise on Lake Windermere, skirting the northern coastline past deserted islands, beautiful country homes and Wray Castle.

Trip code: BIE X



# BRITAIN AND IRELAND EXPLORER

16 DAYS • 15 NIGHTS • 5 COUNTRIES • 20 MEALS

Go behind the scenes on an exploration of all the highlights of Great Britain and Ireland, from the haunt of Shakespeare to Edinburgh's medieval allure, the sweeping Cliffs of Moher to England's celebrated Lake District. Come face-to-face with the legacies of the Vikings, Romans and Normans, witness the sites of great tragedies and triumphs, and keep a keen eye out for an elusive monster hidden in a famous loch.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

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### EDINBURGH CASTLE VISIT

Visit Edinburgh Castle, perched imposingly atop Castle Rock since the 12<sup>th</sup> century. You'll see the Scottish crown jewels and the National War Museum of Scotland during your visit.

### HIGHLAND SHEEP FARM VISIT

Truly immerse yourself in the Highland way of life and visit a Highland sheep farm. You'll meet Neil and his border collies and try your hand at sheep-shearing and feeding the lambs.

Trip code: BIX P



# CHOOSE IRISH WONDER

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 10 MEALS

Centuries of Irish culture and heritage are revealed on this adventure across the windswept valleys of Ireland, from Dublin to the breathtaking coastal landscapes of Connemara. Kiss the Blarney Stone, witness Mother Nature's magic touch at the Cliffs of Moher and circle the Ring of Kerry. There's much to celebrate on this grand 8-day journey across the 'Emerald Isle'.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

See what happens on trip #CSIrishWonder



# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF FRANCE

13 DAYS • 12 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 16 MEALS

It won't take long for France to touch your heart, but in 13 days it will capture it outright. Surrender to the allure of the Loire Valley, the sophisticated French Riviera and historic villages, towns and cities from Beaune to Bordeaux. You'll explore a hidden realm of scenic vineyard-clad landscapes, admire the medieval façades of Carcassonne and get your WWII history fix in Normandy, where the humbling tales of the D-Day Landings come to life.



feefo guest review **4.4/5** ★★★★★

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- SHANNON RIVER CRUISE**  
Board a leisurely cruise along the Shannon River, the longest river in the British Isles, winding past the idyllic emerald-green countryside of counties Leitrim and Roscommon.
- IRISH TRADITIONS AND SONG**  
Indulge in an evening of Irish hospitality at a cosy local pub where you'll learn about folk traditions and enjoy a drink while the locals entertain you with music and songs.
- MEDIEVAL CASTLE BANQUET**  
Enjoy a banquet and medieval entertainment in the great hall of a castle, complete with a court jester and castle musicians keeping guests entertained throughout the evening.

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- KICK UP YOUR FEET AT THE CABARET**  
Have some fun amidst the feathers and frills of a Parisian Cabaret - an unforgettable dinner and Can-Can performance at a celebrated cabaret venue.
- SAINT-PAUL-DE-VENTE**  
Visit Saint-Paul-de-Vence with a Local Specialist who will reveal why this location is a popular haunt for celebrities seeking the warmth and privacy of a Mediterranean retreat.
- WINE TASTING IN A FRENCH CHATEAU**  
Explore the flavours of the world's most famous wine region when you visit an historic French chateau and vineyard, where you'll explore the underground cellars and learn how the local Bordeaux wine is made.

Trip code: FHIG





# JEWELS OF FRANCE INCLUDING NORMANDY

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 9 MEALS

Buckle up for a lively encounter with the highlights of northern France. On this 8-day love affair with the world's most visited country, you'll get your fill of French heritage and culture across the valleys and vineyards of northern France to its glittering capital, Paris. You'll discover those iconic sights and landmarks you've always longed to see - the Eiffel Tower, Mont-Saint-Michel, and the D-Day Landing beaches on the Normandy coast.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

See what happens on trip #CSJewelsOfFrance



# SPANISH EXPERIENCE

9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 11 MEALS

Life in Spain is a fiesta and you're always invited. Leisurely afternoons of siesta give way to the spirited rhythms of the flamenco, late-night tapas bars and buzzing plazas filled with well-dressed people ready for a night on the town and slow starts to the next day. Your 9-day trip through Spain promises a mesmerising experience from Madrid to Seville, Granada to Valencia. See Gaudí's masterpieces in Barcelona, the medieval treasures of Toledo and the sweeping Andalusian plains - Spain puts its best foot forward and you won't want to miss a thing.



feefo guest review **4.4/5** ★★★★★

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### MONTMARTRE VILLAGE AND ARTISTS' SQUARE

Explore Montmartre's winding streets, unusual galleries and world famous Artist's Square with a Local Specialist.

### DINNER IN THE LOIRE VALLEY

Indulge in fine food and award-winning wines in an Old World setting on this authentic Loire Valley dining experience.

### IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF LEONARDO DA VINCI

Tread in the footsteps of Leonardo da Vinci when you visit the elegant manor house where he spent his final years, including displays of his most extraordinary inventions.

Trip code: FJWL

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### VISIT UNESCO-LISTED SEGOVIA

Segovia's fairy-tale Alcázar, soaring ancient Roman aqueduct and ornate esgrafiado façades make this one Optional Experience you won't want to miss.

### THE BEST FLAMENCO SHOW IN TOWN

Embrace the passion and rhythm of a mesmerising Andalusian flamenco in Seville this evening. We've got tickets to the best show in town.

Trip code: SPAX



# CHOOSE HIGHLIGHTS OF SPAIN, MOROCCO AND PORTUGAL

16 DAYS • 15 NIGHTS • 3 COUNTRIES • 20 MEALS

The scents of spice and the warm embrace of the sun-kissed Mediterranean are never far when you embark on this uplifting voyage through Spain, Portugal and Morocco. Explore the bustling cities of Madrid and Marrakesh, cross the Straits of Gibraltar and feast your eyes on the colourful façades of Seville. From there, Portugal and her hilly capital of Lisbon await. They say great things happen in threes and this certainly rings true with this dynamic trio.



feefo guest review **4.3/5** ★★★★★

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### VISIT UNESCO-LISTED SEGOVIA

Segovia's fairy-tale Alcázar, soaring ancient Roman aqueduct and ornate esgrafiado façades make this one Optional Experience you won't want to miss.

### ARABIAN DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT IN A RIAD

Feast like the locals do when you visit a traditional Riad for a homemade dinner of Moroccan favourites and an enchanting belly dancing performance. rescued from oblivion through massive international efforts during construction of the High Dam.

Trip code: SMHI



# CHOOSE PICTURESQUE PORTUGAL

7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 8 MEALS

Religious landmarks, monuments, and the melancholic trill of the fado follow this 7-day journey from Lisbon, Portugal's seafaring capital, to Porto on the Douro River. Connect with your generous Portuguese hosts, wander through medieval cities and savour a delicious pastéis de nata or two as you wind your way north through villages, towns and cities, delving into the country's colourful history and culture.



feefo guest review **5/5** ★★★★★

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### FADO EVENING WITH DINNER

A poignant evening filled with the melancholic sounds of fado awaits on this optional dinner in Lisbon's hilly Bairro Alto district.

### NAZARÉ AND ÓBIDOS SIGHTSEEING

Visit the fishing village of Nazaré And Óbidos, famous for its Ginja cherry liqueur dispensed in chocolate cups.

### VISIT AVEIRO

Head to the Atlantic coast and seaside town of Aveiro where you'll want to taste the local Ovos Moles sweets for which the town is famous.

Trip code: PTCS



# CHOOSE TREASURES OF TURKEY



14 DAYS • 13 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 19 MEALS

East meets West on this 14-day journey across the fairy-tale landscapes and ancient landmarks of Turkey. From the lavish palaces of Ottoman sultans to Roman ruins along the Turquoise coast, you'll delve into the diversity and colourful multicultural experience that Turkey serves up in spades.



feefo guest review **NEW NOT YET RATED**

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# CHOOSE FOOTSTEPS OF THE PHARAOHS



9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 16 MEALS

Great Pharaohs, gods and goddesses once walked these ancient lands and you will too when you embark on this mesmerising 9-day journey from Cairo to Aswan, to the temples of Luxor and the seaside splendour of Hurghada. Get lost in the legends of ancient civilisations, the stories of great battles and tributes to powerful men and women who once revealed their might through man-made wonders which followed them into the afterlife.



feefo guest review **NEW NOT YET RATED**

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### WHIRLING DERVISH PERFORMANCE AND DINNER

Watch the 'dance' of the Whirling Dervishes whose meditative dance represents man's spiritual journey. After the dizzying performance, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

### TRADITIONAL BOSPHORUS CRUISE

As you relax on board, camera in hand, enjoy unbeatable views of Istanbul with its charming mixture of modern hotels, ancient wooden villas, marble palaces, and small fishing communities.

Trip code: TBURA

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### GIZA SOUND AND LIGHT SHOW

This unmissable event is one of the most famous shows in the world! Experience a light show with stereophonic sound featuring the Sphinx and Great Pyramids.

### DINNER, BELLY DANCING AND NILE CRUISE

Be treated to dinner onboard a luxurious ship along the Nile river and be entertained with a belly dancing show.

### ABU SIMBEL (BY FLIGHT)

Enjoy a bird's eye view of this imposing monument which was rescued from oblivion through massive international efforts during construction of the High Dam.

Trip code: EGCS



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## CHOOSE FOOD

Cure your curiosity with flavourful favourites.

South Africa • Satisfy your cravings with craft beer and beach braai.

South Africa • Get your fill from a picnic lunch at Boschendal Wine Estate.

Kenya • Settle in for a tasty local feast roasted on Maasai swords.



## CHOOSE ADVENTURE

Get your adrenalin fix with adventure-filled days.

South Africa • Appreciate the glistening Walker Bay by kayak.

Zimbabwe • Fly like a bird and experience Victoria Falls by helicopter.

Namibia • Ride the desert waves with a Swakopmund speedy sandboard safari.



## CHOOSE HISTORY

Curated history experiences leave no stone unturned.

Kenya • Be inspired at the Karen Blixen Museum.

South Africa • Journey into Cradle of Humankind's imposing caves.

South Africa • Take a guided tour of Soweto and delve into its history.



## CHOOSE RELAXATION

Treat yourself with choices that get you to go slow.

South Africa • Cruise out into the Knysna lagoon and enjoy a starry show.

South Africa • Sip and savour South Africa by Franschoek wine tram.

Namibia • Combine safari, sunsets and sips on sundowner game drive in Oljiwa.



## CHOOSE NATURE

Scenic adventures embrace Mother Nature at her best.

Namibia • Cruise by Catamaran around the beautiful Walvis Bay.

South Africa • Meet some impressive locals on a Conservation Experience.

Kenya • Autumn in love at Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage.



## CHOOSE CULTURE

Satisfy your cultural side as you travel.

Kenya • Experience a traditional way of life on a Maasai village visit.

Namibia • Channel your inner San Bushman on a guided walk.

South Africa • Wander the beach while hearing stories from the Strandlopers.

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## ICONS OF SOUTHERN AFRICA



9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 15 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Take in the contrasts of Cape Town and Table Mountain before heading out on safari and visiting Victoria Falls. You'll get your fill of adventure as you explore the Golden Triangle, try to spot the Big 5 and feast on traditional meals during this Icons of Southern Africa trip.



**Cape Town** City orientation tour including Bo-Kaap and the Castle of Good Hope. Visit Table Mountain via Aerial Cableway where you can pause to take in the 360-degree views stretching down the City Bowl, Atlantic Seaboard and beyond

**Pilanesberg National Park** Four included safari vehicle game drives, in search of lion, leopard, rhino, elephant, and buffalo that make up the magnificent Big 5

**Victoria Falls** Guided tour of the falls with a Local Specialist. Relax on a sunset cruise on the Zambezi River, with the chance to see hippos, crocodiles and elephants.

## Fun Fact:

With 11 official languages incl. Afrikaans, English and Zulu, your guides will help you learn some phrases to share like good morning, Goeie Môre (Afrikaans) & Sawubona (Zulu) in no time!

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## Day 1, Arrive Cape Town

Nothing can quite prepare you for what awaits in Cape Town. Table Mountain, endless beaches and big city scenes will welcome you today. On arrival, transfer to your hotel before heading out to get a first-hand feel for this cosmopolitan city. Later, meet up with your Travel Director and the group, where excitement will be riding high. **D Hotel: Protea Sea Point**

## Day 2, Cape Town Orientation and Free Time

We'll waste no time exploring what locals call the "Mother City". Your Travel Director will paint a vivid picture of the area on an essential morning orientation tour, from the colourful facades in Bo-Kaap to the 17<sup>th</sup>-century Castle of Good Hope. Then comes today's main event, Table Mountain via the iconic aerial cable way, for 360-degree views stretching down to the City Bowl, Atlantic Seaboard and beyond. Tailor your afternoon with options that are just as iconic as the sights - a relaxed e-bike ride along the beach and a sunset beach braai (barbecue), or a djembe drumming session that wraps with a traditional African feast. **B**

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### Day 3, Cape Town Free Day

Today is about taking in Cape Town and its surrounds your way, and you'll have options galore. Wine lovers could choose to sip their way through the day in the Cape Winelands, via the Franschoek Wine Tram. Car fanatics could feel the thrills at Franschoek Motor Museum, re-fuelling with wine tastings and a picnic lunch. If your perfect day is in the great outdoors, lace your boots up for a guided hike up Table Mountain, or take it up a notch on a thrilling mountain-bike ride. **B**

### Day 4, Cape Town - Johannesburg - Pilanesberg National Park

Farewell Cape Town, it's been a dream. We've got exciting news though, a safari awaits! We'll board our included flight and say a quick hello to Johannesburg, before beelining it to Pilanesberg National Park, home to the main event. Your safari fantasy will become

a reality whilst exploring the bushveld in our 4x4 vehicle, keeping your eyes peeled as the sun sets and animals begin to emerge. **B, L, D Hotel: Ivory Tree Game Lodge**

### Day 5, Pilanesberg National Park Safari Game Drives

You'll be rising early today as we go in search of lion, leopard, rhino, elephant, and buffalo, or in others words the magnificent Big 5. And there's no better way to do it than with our Local Specialist Guide leading the charge. Feel like a true explorer as you navigate the dusty tracks in the hopes of spotting animals, all whilst learning about the area. Whether you spot the Big 5 or not, there's no doubt you'll enjoy this truly magical experience. **B, L, D**

### Day 6, Pilanesberg National Park - Johannesburg

This morning's final game drive with a Local Specialist will focus on seeking out the elusive wild dog, leopard and colourful flash of a Lilac-breasted roller. We'll bid a fond farewell to the bushveld after tucking into a tasty breakfast, and head back to civilisation for our next city stop, Johannesburg. This city is hard to resist, so you'll get your bearings during an orientation with your Travel Director. With an afternoon to explore your way take the opportunity to get a history fix at Soweto, delving into the infamous history of South Africa's oldest township and once home to two Nobel Peace Prize winners. For a slice of adventure, consider donning a helmet to explore the Sterkfontein Caves and wander the Maropeng Visitor Centre, where humanity's origin story comes to life through interactive exhibits. **B, D Hotel: Protea Balalaika**

### Day 7, Johannesburg - Victoria Falls

The 'smoke that thunders', otherwise known as Victoria Falls, awaits today. After an included morning flight, you'll be feeling like a VIP at our accommodation, located on the banks of the mighty Zambezi River. The lifeblood of Victoria Falls is home to hippos, crocodiles and playful elephants, and there's no better way to spot these water-loving creatures than a blissful sunset cruise. **B, D Hotel: A'Zambezi River Lodge**

### Day 8, Victoria Falls Sightseeing and Free Time

One of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World takes centre stage this morning, where a Local Specialist will give a guided tour of Victoria Falls. It will be hard

to pull your jaw from the floor as the world's largest sheet of falling water thunders around you. Later, head out to wander galleries or open-air markets for an evening spent your way. **B**

### Day 9, Victoria Falls - Depart Johannesburg

With fond memories of animals, waterfalls, and friendly locals fresh in your mind, your trip around southern Africa's icons will come to an end today. You'll tuck into breakfast, then transfer to Victoria Falls Airport for your included flight to Johannesburg, where your tour ends upon arrival. Please ensure your international flight home departs after 19:30. **B**

## CHOOSE YOUR DEPARTURE

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**SOWETO TOUR**  
Explore one of South Africa's most historic townships, on a guided tour that highlights its anti-apartheid resistance.

**VICTORIA FALLS FLIGHT OF ANGELS HELICOPTER FLIGHT**  
For the ultimate views of Victoria Falls, climb aboard a helicopter for an exhilarating 12 minute flight.



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10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 15 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

No, you're not dreaming, the incredible beauty of the Western Cape is part of its charm. From the eclectic streets of Cape Town to the wild nature of Cape Agulhas and the Garden Route Game Reserve, you'll be living out your dream as you dive in to the culture, landscapes and lifestyle of this region.



**Cape Town** City orientation tour including Bo-Kaap and the Castle of Good Hope. Visit Table Mountain via Aerial Cableway.

**Hermanus** Visit the whale watching capital of South Africa

**Cape Agulhas** Visit the southernmost tip of Africa where the Indian Ocean and Atlantic Oceans meet

**Knysna** Explore the Knysna Quays area

**Garden Route Game Reserve** Three included safari vehicle game drives, in a reserve home to the 'Big 5'

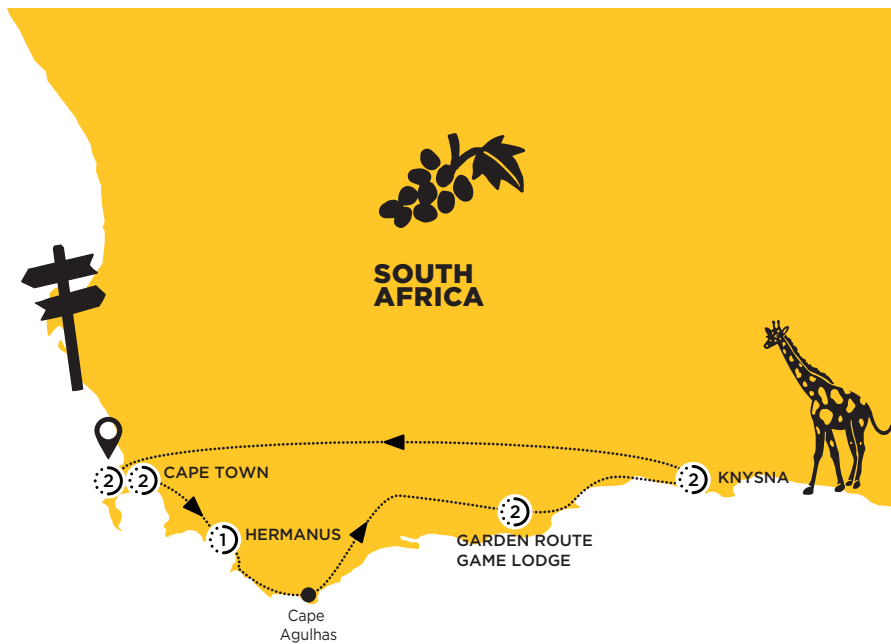
## Did you know...

South Africa's famous Garden Route is so named for its forests, diverse vegetation, secluded lagoons, stunning beaches, towering mountain peaks and striking gorges and is a spectacular part of the world to travel through.

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## Day 1, Arrive Cape Town

Aweh (hey), Cape Town! South African surprises lie in store for the next few days. Transfer to the heart of the city and connect with the energy of the cosmopolitan Cape capital before joining your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a Welcome Dinner and trip briefing. **D Hotel: Protea Fire and Ice**

## Day 2, Cape Town Orientation and Free Time

Ready for an exhilarating day, Cape Town style? Start by exploring the suburb of Bo-Kaap, where rainbow-hued houses turn the streets into works of art. Get your first dose of nature at the Company Gardens, before taking a spin around the 17th-century Castle of Good Hope and catching an aerial cable car ride

up Table Mountain. Later, check out golden beaches on an optional e-bike ride with a sunset beach braai (barbecue). For the musically-inclined, consider jamming your way through a djembe drumming session, followed by a traditional African feast. **B**

## Day 3, Cape Town - Hermanus

Sit back and enjoy one of South Africa's most awe inspiring drives from Cape Town to Hermanus. Enjoy lunch, then hit the water for an **Optional Experience** sea kayaking adventure in Walker Bay. Or, unleash your inner wine connoisseur on a visit to a renowned vineyard. **B, L Hotel: Windsor**

## Day 4, Hermanus - Garden Route Game Reserve

Before heading into the wild, expect to be wowed by the swirling waters of the southern-most tip of Africa, Cape Agulhas. Then comes a safari adventure at Garden Route Game Reserve, so keep your eyes peeled—glimpses of impala, zebra and giraffe are highly likely. **B, D Hotel: Garden Route Game Lodge**





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**Day 5, Garden Route Game Reserve Safari Drives**

The one thought on everyone's minds today: will you spot the Big 5? Rise with the Cape turtle doves and let their songs kickstart another magnificent day in South Africa. You'll want to get out into the bush early to avoid the heat of the day, so after grabbing a cup of coffee, don your safari hat for an all-day adventure through the fynbos-clad landscape in search of buffalo, cheetah, giraffe and wildebeest. **B, D**

**Day 6, Garden Route Game Reserve - Knysna**

You don't need green fingers to enjoy South Africa's lush Garden Route. Take a quick side trip to Victoria Bay and stretch your legs or soak in its refreshing

salty waters. Your next stop is Knysna, pronounced 'Naaisnah' (the 'k' is silent), which sits sheltered on the edge of a lagoon. With the rest of the day to do as you choose, perhaps join a guided walk through flora-dense forests in nearby Wilderness. Or, kick back until an Optional Experience sunset dinner cruise on board a traditional paddle steamer. **B Hotel: Protea Knysna Quays**

**Day 7, Knysna Free Day**

You'll be grateful for an extra day to explore Knysna today. There's plenty to do in this pretty town and its surrounds, but we'd recommend joining our boat ride across the Knysna Lagoon to Featherbed Nature Reserve. Once here, buckle up and enjoy a 4X4 ride along the western headland. If a slower pace is more your style, take a stroll down Sedgefield beach with a Local Guide. **B, D**

**Day 8, Knysna - Cape Town**

End your epic journey in South Africa's Fairest Cape with our return to Cape Town. Stop in Swellendam, the third-oldest town in South Africa, to admire its famed Cape Dutch architecture. Back in Cape Town, spend the evening your way by relaxing in the hotel or heading out for dinner in the city. **B Hotel: Protea Fire and Ice**

**Day 9, Cape Town Free Day**

Get your final fix of Cape Town with a full day to spend your way. If you want to relax, consider kicking back at a craft beer tasting, before tucking in to a beach braai (barbecue) at Blaauwberg Nature Reserve. Keen to fit in one last adventure? Explore the rugged Cape Peninsula coastline, passing Boulders Beach to check out the colony of African Jackass penguins. **B, D**

**Day 10, Depart Cape Town**

The time has come to say totsies (until we see each other again) as you enjoy a final breakfast and prepare to return home after your adventure to South Africa's fairest Cape. Don't be surprised if you start planning your next trip to Africa whilst heading to Cape Town International Airport for your flight. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaverstour.com/transfers](https://costsaverstour.com/transfers). **B**

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**BOUCHARD FINLAYSON GUIDED WALK AND WINE TASTING**

Learn about the estate's history whilst sampling artisanal wines.

**FYNBOS AND FORESTS AT FEATHERBED NATURE RESERVE**

Sail across Knysna Lagoon to the nature reserve and hop in a 4X4 to explore with a Local Specialist.

**CRAFT BEER TASTING WITH BEACH BARBEQUE**

Say cheers to Cape Town's growing craft beer scene as you sample some of the city's finest brews over a traditional beach braai (barbecue). You'll quickly see why locals love to cook alfresco.



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## HIGHLIGHTS OF KENYA

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 18 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

From the bright lights of Nairobi to the vast plains of the Maasai Mara, this trip is a tantalising whirlwind of wildlife, culture and natural beauty. Enjoy 5 game drives, spot rare birdlife and keep a look out for the Big 5 as you take in the unparalleled Highlights of Kenya.



**Amboseli National Park** Full day game drive within the National Park in search of elephants, leopards, cheetahs and lions.

**Lake Elementaita** Visit this bird watchers paradise that's part of the UNESCO World Heritage listed Kenya Lake System

**Maasai Mara** Full day game drive and afternoon game drive within the National Reserve. Visiting June to October, you may even get a chance to witness the Great Migration.

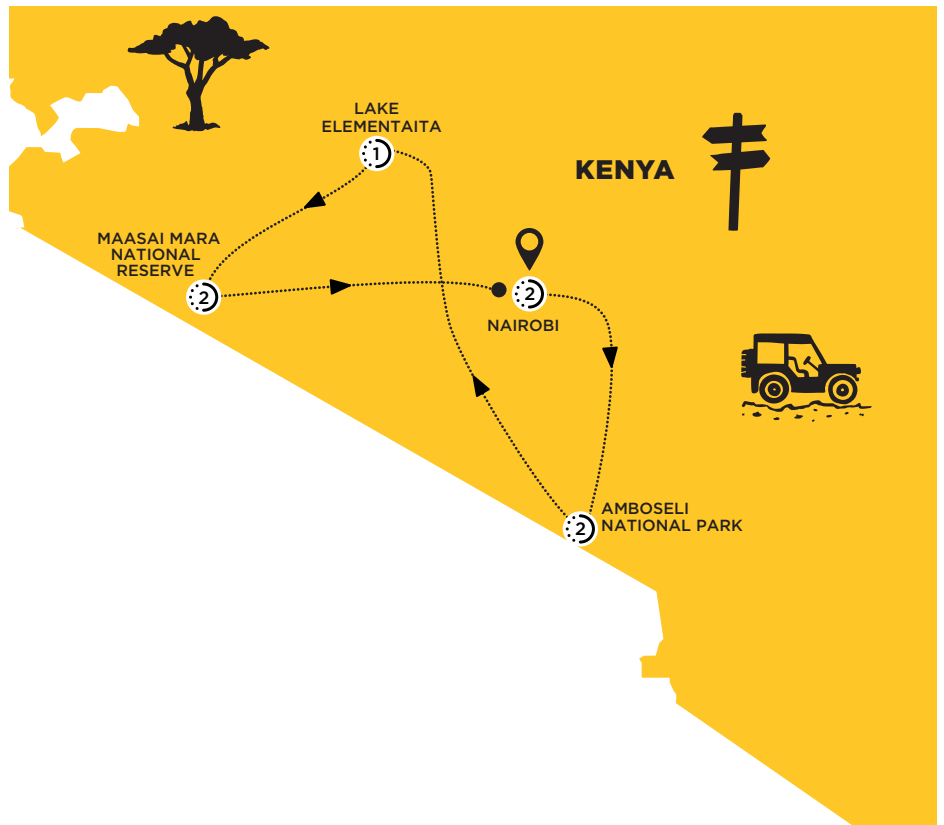
## Did you know...

Nairobi is home to the only National Park in the world located in a capital city. Established in 1946, Nairobi National Park is Kenya's oldest, and is one of around 50 National Parks and Reserves within the country

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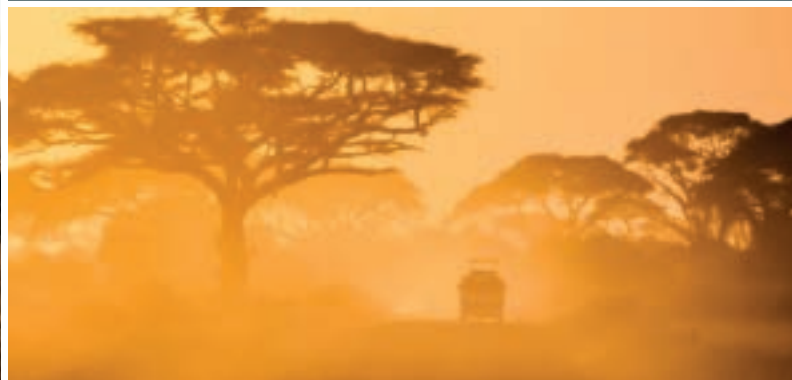
## Day 1, Arrive Nairobi

Receive a warm karibu (welcome) to Kenya, as you touch down at Nairobi's Jomo Kenyatta International Airport. Adventure ready from the beginning, we'll pick you up at the airport in 4x4 vehicles and make sure you're settled at your hotel, then the rest of today is all about going pole-pole (slow). Ease into holiday mode before meeting up with your Cost saver Driver Guide and

fellow travellers for a briefing, followed by a traditional dinner. **D Hotel: Boma Inn**

## Day 2, Nairobi Free Day

Today is all about taking in the delights of Nairobi your way, with three optional experiences to enjoy during the day. Wildlife lovers will want to visit the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust Elephant Orphanage, while culture vultures will enjoy the chance to embark on a Nairobi City Tour. Get the best of both worlds, combining historic sights and close animal encounters on the Karen Blixen Museum & Giraffe Centre. In the evening, you'll also have the chance to sample authentic Kenyan cuisine with a visit to the famous Carnivore Restaurant. **B**



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### Day 3, Nairobi - Amboseli National Park

Swapping concrete jungles for iconic views of mighty Mount Kilimanjaro and the home of the legendary Maasai, today you'll travel to Amboseli National Park. Settle in to your accommodation nestled among Amboseli's vast plains, before heading out on a safari adventure later this afternoon. Surrounded by scenes that feel like a real-life film set, the fantasy of coming to Africa will really set in and it will be all eyes peeled during your first encounters with Kenya's epic wildlife. **B, L, D Hotel: Amboseli Sopa Lodge**



### Day 4, Amboseli National Park Full Day Safari Game Drive

In Africa, the early bird gets the best wildlife sightings. Rise before the sun for a morning safari through Amboseli National Park in search of leopards, cheetahs and lions. As the sun rises, kick back as your Driver Guide points out large herds of African elephants roaming through the park's "salty dust". Enjoy a quick picnic lunch with Mount Kilimanjaro's snow-capped peaks in the background, fuelling up to make the most of your afternoon safari. As the sun sets, ride back to your lodge for a delicious dinner. **B, L, D Hotel: Sentrim Amboseli Camp**

### Day 5, Amboseli National Park - Lake Elementaita

Another day, another blockbuster. The utterly serene UNESCO listed Lake Elementaita is guaranteed to capture your imagination today, not least because of the multitude of bird species that inhabit this area, some of which can only be found here. If you're a self-proclaimed twitcher or bird enthusiast, welcome to utopia. **B, L, D Hotel: Elementaita Sentrim Lodge**



### Day 6, Lake Elementaita - Maasai Mara

Early riser? We've got just the **Optional Experience** for you, with the chance to join a naturalist led bird walk to learn more about the feathered friends of this region. Prefer a leisurely morning? That's OK too. Start the day your way, with a lazy breakfast and steaming cup of coffee whilst admiring the view. Once back together, we'll head towards the vast expanse of the Maasai Mara National Reserve. **B, L, D Hotel: Mara Sopa Lodge**



### Day 7, Maasai Mara Full Day Safari Game Drive

The Maasai Mara - just saying the name sends shivers down our spines, and today it'll be all yours to explore. Accompanied by your Driver Guide, your mission will be to spot the animals of the Big 5. Keeping energy levels high, you'll tuck in to a picnic lunch, before continuing the safari adventure into the afternoon. If you're visiting between June to October, you'll likely witness the Great Migration, where vast herds of wildebeest journey across the plains. Keen to learn more about the people of this ancient land? Our afternoon **Optional Experience** will give you the chance to visit a Maasai Village to learn about local life and traditional customs. **B, L, D**

### Day 8, Maasai Mara - Depart Nairobi

The words of 'Out of Africa' author Karen Blixen will feel especially poignant as you say a final farewell to the Maasai Mara this morning. "If there were one more

thing I could do, it would be to go on safari again". You'll return to Nairobi in a haze of wildlife and happy memories for a quiet afternoon at your hotel ahead of your evening flight. If you already know you'll want another day to explore Nairobi, consider staying overnight and flying out the following evening. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsaver.tour.com/transfers](https://costsaver.tour.com/transfers). **B**

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### AMBOSELI SUNDOWNER

Nothing says safari quite like a sundowner; watching the sun set over the Amboseli landscape with a drink in hand, the perfect end to an extraordinary day.

**LAKE ELEMENTAITA GUIDED BIRD WALK** Join an expert naturalist for a guided walk to learn more about Lake Elementaita's variety of bird life. Spot up to 50 species, including the lake's resident flamingos and pelicans.

### MAASAI VILLAGE VISIT

A memorable encounter with the colourful Maasai awaits when you visit a traditional Maasai village and explore their culture and traditions.



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## HIGHLIGHTS OF NAMIBIA

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11 DAYS • 10 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 17 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Grab your camera and discover Africa's true 'big sky country' on an epic adventure through Namibia. Take in vast desert landscapes and star-filled night skies before you go deep into the bush on a big game safari. Then dust off your boots in the coastal town of Swakopmund. From Etosha National Park and the Skeleton Coast to the surreal landscapes of Sossusvlei, Namibia's stark beauty will excite the most experienced explorer.

**Namib-Naukluft National Park**

Excursion to Sossusvlei and Deadvlei

**Swakopmund** Orientation tour of the town**Sesriem Canyon** View the canyon from the rim viewpoint**Windhoek** Orientation tour of the city**Erongo Region** Enjoy a wine tasting in the town of Omaruru**Etosha National Park** Two included game drives in the touring vehicle with the chance to spot elephant, wildebeest, zebra and springbok.

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**Day 1, Arrive Windhoek**

Welkom to Windhoek! Meet your Costsaver representative before being whisked off to join your fellow travelling companions and Driver Guide for a welcome briefing and dinner. **D Hotel: Safari Court**

**Day 2, Windhoek - Otjiwa**

Take in the iconic sights of Windhoek on an orientation tour and visit the famous Christuskirche and Museum of Namibia, before heading into the

African -veld. Choose an **Optional Experience** afternoon game drive or guided hike. End the day with a traditional braai (barbecue). After dinner join an **Optional Experience** night drive in search of smaller predators and nocturnal animals. **B, D Hotel: Otjiwa Safari Lodge**

**Day 3, Otjiwa - Etosha National Park Area**

The Herero people are one of Namibia's Herero people. Enjoy a unique glimpse into their daily lives, traditional dress, dance, customs and culture - which they safeguard fiercely to this day. Stop for lunch at Outjo's famous bakery, before heading to your accommodation within touching distance of Etosha National Park. **B, D Hotel: Etosha Safari Camp**



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#### Day 4, Etosha National Park Full Day Safari

Etosha, the 'Great White Place', attracts an abundance of animal and bird species and is a breeding ground for the region's famous flamingos. Spend a full day exploring the park in your touring vehicle, or enjoy an **Optional Experience** guided game drive on an open safari vehicle. Either way, the park's shimmering horizons and wildlife will astound, including large herds of elephant, wildebeest, zebra and springbok. **B, D**

#### Day 5, Etosha National Park Area - Erongo Region

Enjoy a relaxed start and leisurely breakfast before departing for Namibia's Erongo region. We'll stop off for a unique wine tasting experience in Omaruru and learn how wine production has been adapted to

the region's desert environment, before heading for our lodge in the shadow of the Erongo Mountains. Admire the sweeping panoramic views as you relax for the afternoon or sign up for one of our **Optional Experiences**. **B, D Hotel: Hohenstein Lodge**

#### Day 6, Erongo Region - Swakopmund

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast or grab the opportunity to visit a local San village on an **Optional Experience**. Once in Swakopmund, join your Driver Guide for an orientation tour, before strolling down the 'Mole' promenade and admiring the town's colonial architecture. Adventurous souls can sign up for an **Optional Experience** scenic flight, giving you a bird's-eye view of Swakop's rolling dunes and spectacular skeleton coast. **B Hotel: Swakopmund Sands**

#### Day 7, Swakopmund Free Day

Adventure beckons as you contemplate a full day in and around Swakopmund. Choose an **Optional Experience** quad biking or sandboarding adventure, Living Desert Tour, or a catamaran cruise from Walvis Bay to Pelican Point, where you'll get closely acquainted with seals and pelicans while searching for the 'Marine Big 5'. **B**

#### Day 8, Swakopmund - Sesriem

There are still a few surprises in store before we reach Sossusvlei's dramatic red landscapes. First up, a visit to the flamingos in Walvis Bay. Next, we take in the staggering views from Dune 7, the highest sand dune in the Namib Desert. Have your cameras ready as we cross the Tropic of Capricorn on our way to our accommodation for the next two days. Join a memorable **Optional Experience** nature drive with a Local Specialist, or get an early night, as Sossusvlei and Deadvlei await. **B, D Hotel: Hammerstein Lodge**

#### Day 9, Sossusvlei - Deadvlei - Sesriem Canyon Excursion

Experience the wonders of Namibia's most iconic and photographed site, the Sossusvlei dunes and eerie landscapes of Deadvlei. We'll arrive at the park gates before dawn, hoping to catch the sunrise, before meeting our 4X4 transfer to Deadvlei and the ancient petrified camelthorn trees dotting the white-clay pan. After capturing your own iconic shots, head to the top of the tallest dune in the area, Big Daddy. Our epic excursion ends with a visit to Sesriem Canyon. **B, D**

#### Day 10, Sesriem - Windhoek

Today we return to Windhoek, where our adventure first began. Our last stop is just south of the capital, in the historical town of Rehoboth. Round off your Namibian holiday in style tonight, with an **Optional Experience** meal at one of Windhoek's most famous beer houses. **B Hotel: Safari Court**

#### Day 11, Depart Windhoek

Look up at Namibia's endless sky, breathe in the African air and bid a fond farewell to this wonderful country - a transfer to the airport and your flight home awaits. Find out more about your available transfers at [costsavertour.com/freetransfers](https://costsavertour.com/freetransfers). **B**

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#### OTJIWA NIGHT DRIVE

Grab a blanket and hop on a safari vehicle to experience a guided night drive under Namibia's starry sky.

#### ERONGO REGION GUIDED HIKE

Lace up your boots for a one- to two-hour guided hike to explore the sandy riverbeds and spectacular granite structures of the Erongo Mountains.

#### WALVIS BAY MARINE CRUISE

Set sail on a catamaran cruise from Walvis Bay to Pelican Point, where you'll get up close to pelicans, Cape fur seals, dolphins and, when in season, whales. Enjoy lunch onboard, including fresh oysters from the bay.



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# JAPAN DISCOVERY

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## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Experience the many contrasts of Japan, from the modern metropolis of Tokyo to the spectacular beauty of Mt. Fuji and magical Kyoto with its stunning temples and colourful Geisha district. From travelling by bullet train and seeing the cherry blossoms bloom in the springtime, on this 10-day trip you'll gain an understanding of what makes Japan such an unmissable travel destination.



**Tokyo** Visit the Tokyo Metropolitan Observatory, Sensoji Buddhist Temple and Nakamise shopping street at Asakusa and the Meiji Jingu Shinto Shrine

**Hakone** View Mt. Fuji and Lake Ashi from the Komagatake Ropeway

**Mt Fuji** Drive up to the 5th Station for panoramic views

**Kyoto** Visit Kinkakuji Temple, Heian-jingu shrine and a traditional Japanese handicraft centre

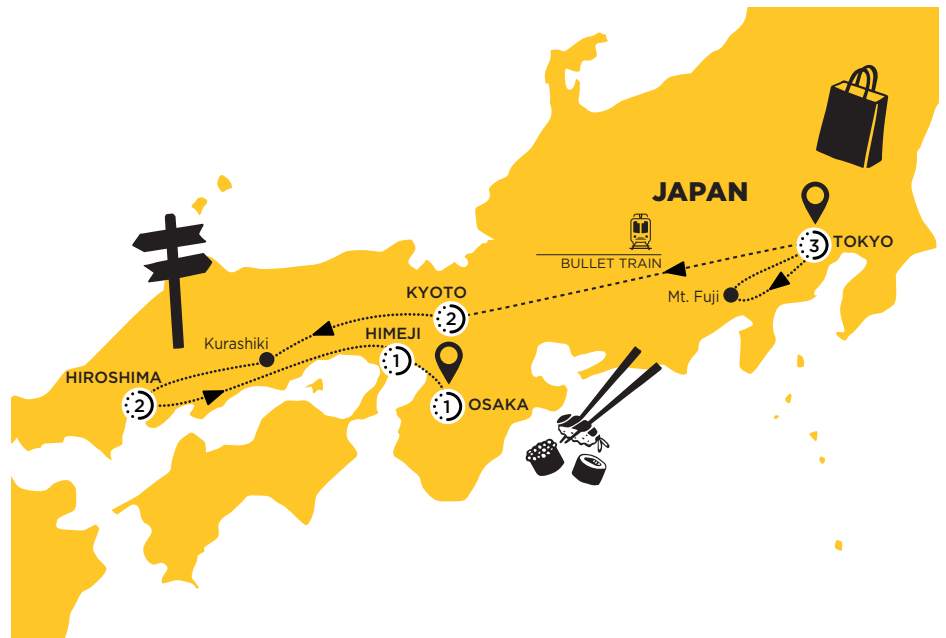
**Kurashiki** Visit the Bikan Historical Quarter

**Hiroshima** Visit Itsukushima Shrine on Miyajima island, and the Peace Memorial Park and Museum

**Himeji** Visit Himeji Castle and a sake brewery en route to Osaka

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Welcome to dazzling, futuristic Tokyo, Japan's incredible capital city. One of the most culturally rich cities on earth, Tokyo is the kind of place where every day is a new adventure, and where no two neighbourhoods are the same. Arriving today board your shuttle bus transfer from Tokyo Narita or Haneda Airport. This evening meet up with your Travel Director and fellow explorers for your first taste of Japanese cuisine. **D Hotel: Sunshine City Prince**

### Day 2, Tokyo Sightseeing

Today's sightseeing tour will kick off 243 metres above ground at the Tokyo Metropolitan Observatory. Step inside a forested inner-city oasis at the Meiji Jingu Shinto Shrine and then visit Asakusa for a glimpse of Old Tokyo. Browse the craft shops along Nakamise Street and visit the Sensoji Buddhist

Temple which has been rebuilt countless times since it was founded in the 7th century. This afternoon and evening it's all about tailoring your trip your way. Perhaps take advantage of our New Hankyu Osaka visit to the Tokyo National Museum and this evening, you could choose to dine local style with dinner at a traditional *izakaya* (Japanese pub). **B**

### Day 3, Mt. Fuji and Hakone Sightseeing

You may have seen glimpses of its snowcapped peaks but today you'll get up close to iconic Mt. Fuji. Driving up to the 5th Station (weather permitting), catch your breath as you take it all in from 2300 metres above sea level, then travel along the Komagatake Ropeway for incredible views of Lake Ashi. Driving back through Hakone, enjoy the incomparable mountain views before heading back to the city for your last night in Tokyo. **B**

### Day 4, Tokyo - Kyoto

You'll board the bullet train this morning and travel towards Kyoto at speeds of up to 320 kilometres per hour. Starting your sightseeing tour at the Golden Pavilion of Kinkaku-ji, you'll then visit the stunning





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Heian-jingu shrine together with its 25 metre high *torii* gate. From here it will be on to a traditional handicraft centre to browse the Japanese crafts, then dinner tonight will be at a local restaurant. **B, D**  
**Hotel: Kyoto Tower**

#### Day 5, Kyoto Free Day

Today is yours to explore your way, and in beautiful Kyoto there is no shortage of choice. Maybe start your day at the lush green Ginkaku-ji shrine, or head over to the Gion district to catch a glimpse of a geisha. This morning opt to join our optional trip to Nara to learn about the art of *bokusho* (ink making), then head on to Todaji Temple and Nara Park, an area taken over by hundreds of free roaming deer. Keen to

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#### TOKYO NATIONAL MUSEUM AND SHOPPING

Browse collections of Japanese art and archaeological objects before browsing the shops in Ameyoko and Ginza.

#### NARA VISIT AND INK MAKING

Known as a place that specialises in the art of *bokusho*(ink making), watch talented artisans create beautiful masterpieces before heading on to Nara Park.

#### SECRETS OF HIROSHIMA

Start off with oysters for lunch and then visit Shukkeien Japanese Garden and Hiroshima Castle.

#### DINNER IN DOTONBORI

Visit Osaka's dining and entertainment hub for a feast of local delights.



see a Kyoto icon? Join our optional trip to the Fushimi Inari Shrine, where thousands of orange vermillion *torii* gates stretch up the thickly wooded mountain. **B**

#### Day 6, Kyoto - Kurashiki - Hiroshima

Your first stop today will be Kurashiki, where you'll meet up with a Local Specialist for a tour around the black and white warehouses of the historic Bikan Quarter before heading on to Hiroshima. Respectfully remembering its catastrophic past whilst looking to the future with optimism, Hiroshima today is a thriving cosmopolitan city with a lot to offer. Tonight, tuck in to *okonomiyaki*, a type of Japanese savoury pancake and a Hiroshima speciality. **B, D**  
**Hotel: Oriental**

#### Day 7, Hiroshima Sightseeing

Today's sightseeing will begin with a ferry ride to the gorgeous island of Miyajima, where you'll visit the 12<sup>th</sup> century Itsukushima Shrine and see the famous orange *torii* which appears to be floating above the sea. Back in Hiroshima, wander through the quiet, leafy space of the Peace Memorial Park, followed by the sobering Memorial Museum. Your tour will end at the UNESCO listed Peace Memorial, then this afternoon perhaps opt to join our 'Secrets of Hiroshima' **Optional Experience. B**

#### Day 8, Hiroshima - Himeji

Heading on from Hiroshima, this morning you'll journey on to Himeji. After some free time for lunch, this afternoon you'll then meet up with a Local Specialist to visit the UNESCO listed 400-year-old Himeji Castle. Known as the White Heron Castle, this site is widely considered Japan's most spectacular castle and looking up at its vast size, beauty and immaculate gardens, it won't be hard to see why. **B, D**  
**Hotel: Nikko Himeji**

#### Day 9, Himeji - Osaka

Start as you mean to go on today with a visit to a sake brewery accompanied by a Local Specialist. Learn about the history and brewing process of Japan's national drink before heading on to Osaka, a spirited and liberal city. With an afternoon free, perhaps take advantage of our optional trip to the Umeda Sky Building and Osaka Castle. This evening and to see out your trip in style, perhaps opt to join our foodie inspired trip to Namba, for a final feast of local delights. **B** **Hotel: New Hankyu Osaka**

#### Day 10, Depart Osaka

Culturally satisfied, today your trip will come to an end. As you head for the airport for your onward flight, we hope you're leaving with big smiles courtesy of Japan's faultless hospitality. Bon voyage! **B**

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VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA  
ADVENTURE

14 DAYS • 13 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 2 COUNTRIES • 21 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Journey through Vietnam and Cambodia on this exciting adventure. Take in the finest natural wonders, gorgeous towns, buzzing cities and ancient temples and ruins these countries have to offer on this incredible trip through South East Asia. These two countries are at the top of any travel bucket list. Covering Vietnam's beaches and cities from top to toe, you'll travel by plane across to Cambodia, where the Angkor Wat and Ta Prohm in Siem Reap await, all in one incredible trip.



**Hanoi** Visit Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, One Pillar Pagoda and Ho Chi Minh's house

**Halong** Sightseeing cruise in Halong Bay including a cooking demonstration on board, a visit to Vung Vieng fishing village and a Tai-chi session

**Hoi An** Spend the day exploring this ancient town with visits to the Japanese Covered Bridge, the Assembly Hall of the Chaozhou Congregation and the colourful market

**Nha Trang** Cruise to Mun island, enjoy snorkeling in crystal clear water

**Ho Chi Minh City** Visit the Cu Chi Tunnels, view Notre Dame Cathedral, the Central Post Office and the former Presidential Palace plus enjoy a free day exploring the city

**Siem Reap** Visit Angkor Wat, Angkor Thom and the markets in the Old Town

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## Day 1, Arrive Hanoi

Lively, welcoming and fun, Hanoi is a city that's constantly on the move, heartily embracing the future whilst still offering architectural glimpses of the past. Arriving today you'll transfer to your hotel then this evening meet up with your Travel Director and fellow guests for your first taste of Vietnam's cuisine at a Welcome Dinner. **D Hotel: Silk Path**

## Day 2, Hanoi Sightseeing

Start this morning's sightseeing tour at Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you'll learn about Vietnam's revolutionary former leader before heading on to visit his traditional stilt house. Next up will be the lotus blossom shaped One Pillar Pagoda, before continuing

on to the French built Hoa Lo Prison. Foodies, this afternoon you could opt to join a locally led walking tour to sample some of Hanoi's best bites. **B**

## Day 3, Hanoi - Halong Bay

Swapping concrete jungles for shimmering seas, today you'll head to the soaring limestone pillars of iconic Halong Bay. Boarding your traditional junk boat you'll set sail for Bai Tu Long Bay. Dropping anchor at Thien Canh Son Cave, admire the stalactites hanging from the cave ceiling before returning to the boat for an on-board cooking demonstration and a fragrant dinner feast. **B, L, D Hotel: Huong Hai Sealife Cruise**

## Day 4, Halong Bay - Hanoi - Danang - Hoi An

Start off today with an on-deck Tai-Chi session, before visiting the floating fishing village of Vung Vieng. Take in the beauty of the boats and the quiet culture of the community who live and work on the water. Heading back to Hanoi to catch your flight to Danang, you'll then transfer to the historic, laid back and beautiful Hoi An. **B, D Hotel: Hoi An Historic**



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#### Day 5, Hoi An Sightseeing

Start off today with a sightseeing tour of Hoi An with visits to the pretty 400-year-old Japanese Covered Bridge, the Assembly Hall of the Chaozhou Chinese Congregation, and the colourful market. With an afternoon to tailor your trip your way, you could choose to cycle around Hoi An's delightful countryside, or perfect your Vietnamese cookery skills by joining an optional cooking class led by a local chef. **B**

#### Day 6, Hoi An - Danang - Nha Trang

From one idyllic setting to the next, this morning you'll be jetting off to the golden sands and turquoise waters of Nha Trang. After settling into your hotel enjoy some free time to relax on the beach or perhaps take a stroll along the promenade. This evening enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. **B, D Hotel: Novotel Nha Trang**

#### Day 7, Nha Trang Sightseeing

Pack your sun cream this morning as you'll be boarding a cruise to Mun Island, diving into the turquoise water to explore Vietnam's first Marine Protected Area. Home to 1500 species of fish, take your time unearthing this beautiful underwater world before cruising to a nearby island for lunch. Once back at Nha Trang, the afternoon is yours to enjoy as you please. **B, L**

#### Day 8, Nha Trang - Ho Chi Minh City

Catch your flight to the bright lights of Ho Chi Minh City. Formerly known as Saigon it is a place that throbs with life and boasts one of the best street food scenes in the world. Settle into your hotel, then this evening head out with your fellow guests for a tasty local dinner. **B, D Hotel: Saigon Prince**

#### Day 9, Ho Chi Minh City Sightseeing

The Cu Chi Tunnels are first up this morning, where you'll visit a small portion of the 250km network of underground tunnels that were built by Vietnamese fighters in 1948. Heading back to the city, you'll view the Neo-Romanesque Notre Dame Cathedral, the striking French built Central Post Office, and the former Presidential Palace, a feat of classic 1960's architecture. Later experience the local street coffee culture while having a basic Vietnamese language lesson. **B**

#### Day 10, Ho Chi Minh City Free Day

There's plenty of possibilities for explorers today. History fans should make a bee line for the War Remnants Museum, whilst a visit to the Jade Emperor Pagoda would reward you with one of the most atmospheric temples in the city. Looking to swap city scenes for lush rice paddies? Perhaps choose to join our **Optional Experience** full day trip to the Mekong Delta. **B**

#### Day 11, Ho Chi Minh City - Siem Reap

It's a happy hello to Cambodia this morning as you catch a flight to Siem Reap, the gateway town to the ancient city of Angkor Wat. After checking in to your hotel, make a bee line for the historic Old Market to browse for textiles, paintings and sculptures before indulging on some delicious Khmer cuisine over a tasty dinner. **B, D Hotel: Somadevi Angkor Resort & Spa**

#### Day 12, Siem Reap Sightseeing

Few travel experiences on earth can match the first time you lay eyes on Angkor Wat. Learn about the great Khmer Empire as you explore the intricately carved hallways, then head on to the walled city of Angkor Thom to explore the Bayon Temple and the Terrace of

the Elephants. Perhaps take advantage of our **Optional Experience** visit to Ta Prohm Temple, best known as the filming location for 'Tomb Raider', or alternatively treat yourself to a lazy afternoon by the hotel pool. **B**

#### Day 13, Siem Reap Free Day

With the day yours to explore your way perhaps head back to the markets for some last-minute shopping, sample the delicious street food or get to know Siem Reap's artistic side on an optional tour of the town's best galleries. Tonight, perhaps celebrate your final night by joining our optional dinner and Apsara dance show. **B**

#### Day 14, Depart Siem Reap

You've explored ancient temples and eaten delicious Vietnamese food, but today your adventure will finally come to an end. Transferring to Siem Reap International Airport, you'll travel on to your next destination. **B**

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**AFTERNOON FOODIE TOUR**  
Slurp Pho Ga and devour Com cake whilst exploring the sights, smells and flavours of the Old Town.

**HOI AN COUNTRYSIDE CYCLING**  
Cycle along inland trails as you experience Hoi An's delightful countryside.

**EXPLORE THE MEKONG DELTA**  
Pass by the stilt houses of the Mekong Delta, then hop on board a rowing sampan as you slowly weave through the network of small canals.



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# CHOOSE MAGICAL BALI

7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 10 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Beachside bliss, delicious food and temples galore await you on this 1 week Bali itinerary, with optional experiences to tailor your trip your way. Take a yoga class in Ubud, cruise the capital city in a vintage VW Kombi, tuck into seafood on beautiful Jimbaran beach, and let the peace and tranquility of Bali work its magic on your mind and soul.



**Mas Village** Visit a woodcarving workshop and watch the skilled craftsmen at work  
**Tegallalang** View the stunning emerald green rice terraces and visit a coffee plantation

**Ubud** Visit Puri Saren Agung, a former royal palace and Ubud market




**Lake Bratan** Visit the Ulun Danu temple on the shores of the lake

**Mengwi** Visit the Taman Ayun temple, a UNESCO World Heritage Site

**Tabanan** Visit Taman Ayun and Bali's most photographed temple, Tanah Lot

**Uluwatu** View Pura Uluwatu Temple perched high above the sea and watch an epic Kecak dance performance

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### Day 1, Arrive Bali - Ubud

'Om suastiastu' and welcome to beautiful Bali. A place that evokes an image of paradise in name alone, Bali is every beach loving, culture seeking traveller's idea of perfection. Touching down today, you'll transfer to your hotel in the cultural hub of Ubud. Surrounded by lush green rice paddies and a haven for yoga enthusiasts, artists and foodies alike, Ubud is something special. Settle into your hotel this afternoon, then meet up with your Travel Director and fellow travellers this evening to get a glimpse of what's to come, before getting to know each other a little better over dinner. **D Hotel: Radha Phala Ubud**

### Day 2, Bali Sightseeing

Today will be packed with adventure, so be sure to fuel up at breakfast. We'll kick things off with a visit to Mas Village and a traditional wood carving workshop, before continuing on to explore the lush green terraces of Tegallalang, one of the most defining

views of Bali. Up next, a visit to a coffee plantation to learn how our favourite morning beverage is made (with samples, of course), before we move on for a lunch with a difference. What's the difference? Well, when was the last time you tucked into a traditional Balinese meal with a view of a sacred volcano mountain in the background? Still not done with the day, we'll make our way back to Ubud for a visit to 'Puri Saren Agung', or Ubud Palace, the former official residence of the royal family of Ubud. Finally, we'll finish the epic first day of your Bali tour with a trip to Ubud Market, where there's time to shop for locally made art and handicrafts. **B, L**

### Day 3, Ubud Free Day

Yesterday was a busy one, so today you have the chance to slow down and explore Ubud your way today. With your free time you could choose to visit the famous monkey forest, where over 700 long-tailed grey macaques roam free amongst the temple ruins. Alternatively, you could take part in an **Optional Experience** to embrace the true spirit of Ubud. In the morning, perhaps join our cooking class to learn the secrets of traditional Balinese food, or in the afternoon get to know your inner yogi with a spiritual yoga experience, where all levels are welcome. **B**



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#### Day 4, Ubud - Sanur

Beach bliss awaits us in Sanur later today, but not before an action-packed day of sightseeing. The serene 17<sup>th</sup> century Ulun Danu temple will be our first stop, where a temple dedicated to the Goddess of the Waters is built on the small islands of Lake Bratan. From here we'll continue on to Mengwi and the temple of Taman Ayun. Built in 1634, the temple is surrounded by a wide moat and has a series of courtyards which feature a number of Meru (multi-tiered shrines). Still not templed out, our final visit of



the day will be to Bali's most photographed temple, Tanah Lot. Perched precariously on a wave whipped rock, this 16<sup>th</sup> century icon is still a major crowd pleaser. Feeling culturally satisfied, we'll then end the day to the gentle sound of the waves, in laidback Sanur. **B, L Hotel: Prime Plaza**

#### Day 5, Sanur

Is there any better feeling than waking up knowing that the ocean is just a stone's throw away? And even better - this morning is entirely free for you to do as much, or as little, as you like. Take a dip in the sea, top up your tan, or maybe choose to join our optional tour of Bali's capital city, Denpasar, travelling in style in a vintage VW Kombi. This afternoon we'll be heading to Uluwatu, a gorgeous stretch of headland that's also home to the Pura Uluwatu temple, perched high above the sea. This evening, we'll be treated to a traditional Balinese *Kecak* dance performance, before a dinner of fresh seafood is served right on Jimbaran beach. Perfection. **B, D**

#### Day 6, Sanur Free Day

Another incredible day in Sanur stretches before you this morning, with plenty of opportunities to tailor it your way. Sea lovers won't be able to resist our **Optional Experience** full day catamaran and snorkelling cruise to the neighbouring island of Nusa Lembongan, while those who want to learn more about local life could choose to join our Balinese Daily Life experience. A market visit, a trek through the lush rice fields and a visit to an ancient fertility temple are all on the agenda here, offering a unique glimpse into Bali's beautiful culture. This afternoon, take advantage of Sanur's gorgeous seaside location and relax on the beach, then this evening why not see out your trip in style with a final optional dinner. **B**

#### Day 7, Depart Bali

And just like that, your magical week in Bali has come to an end. You've explored stunning temples, devoured Nasi Goreng, been the recipient of a thousand warm smiles and made wonderful new friends, and you'll be leaving today feeling satisfied and nostalgic. Transferring to the airport for your onward flight, we'll look forward to seeing you again someday soon. **B**

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**AUTHENTIC BALINESE COOKING CLASS**  
Unlock the secrets of Balinese cooking as you gather your fresh ingredients in Ubud market before learning how to create your very own delicious authentic Balinese dishes.

**DENPASAR CITY TOUR BY VW OPEN ROOF VEHICLE**  
All aboard your vintage VW Open Roof vehicle travelling in style to Bali's capital city with visits to Kumbasari Traditional Market, the Museum of Bali, Jagatnatha Temple and the Werdhi Budaya (Art Centre).

**CATAMARAN CRUISE AND BBQ LUNCH**  
Spend a day on the high seas sailing to the neighbouring island of Nusa Lembongan, where you can snorkel your way through the stunning underwater world of coral reefs and technicolour fish.



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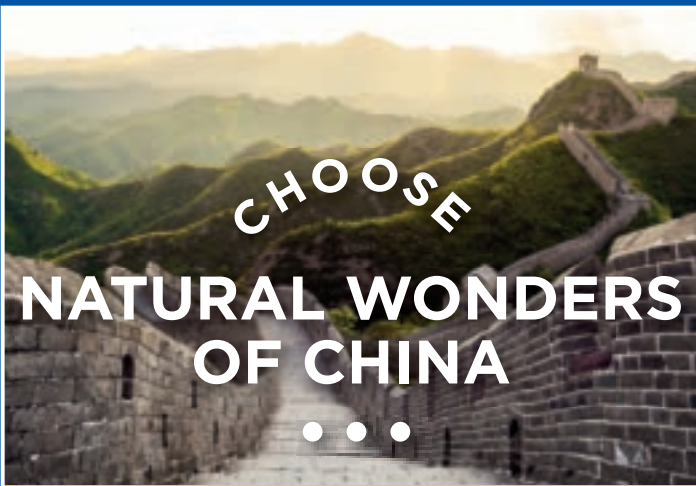
### PEKING DUCK BANQUET

Tuck in to China's most famous dish Peking Duck; roasted duck with crispy skin and tender meat inside, accompanied by pancakes and vegetables.

### ZHUJIAJIAO EXPERIENCE

Visit the ancient water town of Zhujiajiao where historical buildings such as the Qing dynasty post office can still be found.

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Discover Temple of Heaven in Beijing, a large religious complex which was the most important of Beijing's imperial temples.

### ZHU FAMILY GARDEN POTTERY AND TOFU

Step back in time and visit the Zhu Family Garden, a cultural treasure with its intricate courtyards and hallways. At a local workshop learn about tofu making and afterwards observe expert craftsmen making pottery.

### DINNER AND DYNAMIC YUNNAN SHOW

Tuck into a tasty regional meal followed by a performance at the Dynamic Yunnan Show which highlights the colourful customs of Yunnan's 25 ethnic groups.

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### CITY AND HARBOUR NIGHT CRUISE

Take advantage of the free bar as you cruise Victoria Harbour, then drive up to Victoria Peak for dinner with a sweeping night view for the city and harbour. Finally, finish the evening with a visit to Temple Street Market.

### VISIT LANTAU

Spot Hong Kong's famous seated buddha statue as you take to the skies in the Ngong Ping cable car, then enjoy lunch in a monastery followed by a visit to Tai O, home to the Tanka fisher folk and their famous stilted houses.

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# CHOOSE ICONS OF INDIA



12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 18 MEALS

Get out there and discover why India is something special, from the vibrant streets of Delhi to the Pink City of Jaipur and the sunset romance of the Taj Mahal. Wander through fragrant markets and stunning palaces, discover the history of ancient forts and ruins, and get up close with the incredible culture as you witness sacred ceremonies on the Ganges, this is India, done your way.



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### OUTUB MINAR AND HERITAGE WALK

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### THE WORLD OF INDIAN ART

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Spend a memorable evening getting to know the epic love story of Shah Jahan and Mumtaz Mahal in a thrilling Bollywood style show.

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### JIM THOMPSONS HOUSE

Boasting an astounding collection of Asian art, this magnificent building formerly owned by WWII intelligence agent Jim Thompson is also an exquisite example of traditional Thai architecture.

### THAI COOKING CLASS

Learn the art of Thai cooking by preparing your very own feast using fresh, local ingredients.

### HILL TRIBE VILLAGE EXPERIENCE

Visit Baan Tong Luang Village, home to the Long Neck Karen hill tribe of Myanmar. Learn about the costumes, traditions and rituals of this ancient community.

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Your adventure kicks-off in the big city hustle and bustle of Bangkok you'll see ancient temples and neon lights in this blend of the ancient and the modern, visit the beach resort of Hua Hin and its fantastic Night Market, explore the island splendours of Penang, pausing to admire the vivid street art of Georgetown. You'll travel to the gorgeous tea plantations of Malaysia, ending up in the city of Kuala Lumpur, which mixes so many Eastern cultures in one city. If you're after an exciting multi-country travel experience through Thailand and Malaysia, then look no further.



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### PENANG COUNTRYSIDE CYCLING TOUR

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### HISTORICAL MALACCA

Explore Malacca, a town formally ruled by the Portuguese, Dutch and British before enjoying a traditional Peranakan Nyonya lunch.

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At Gardens by the Bay watch as Supertree Grove comes alive with a display of sound and light. Afterwards be amazed at the views from the Marina Bay Sands Skypark and then end the night with a cruise down the Singapore River on a traditional bumboat.

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## CHOOSE FOOD

Cure your curiosity with flavourful favourites.

Australia • Graze your way through Queensland's Tablelands

NZ • Sip and see Central Otago on an e-bike wine tour.

Australia • Get set for a feast on a secret food tour of Sydney.



## CHOOSE ADVENTURE

Get your adrenalin fix with adventure-filled days.

NZ • 3, 2, 1... hold your breath for a Queenstown Bungy jump.

Australia • Climb the iconic Sydney Harbour Bridge.

Australia • Don the flippers and Scuba Dive on the Great Barrier Reef.



## CHOOSE HISTORY

Curated history experiences leave no stone unturned.

Australia • Immerse yourself in bushranger storytelling in Ned Kelly territory.

NZ • Get clued up on farming and food at Walter Peak Station.

Australia • Discover Melbourne's secret laneways on a Hidden Underground tour.



## CHOOSE RELAXATION

Treat yourself with choices that get you to go slow.

NZ • Admire jaw-dropping beauty on a Milford Sound cruise.

Australia • Be your own captain on a Yarra GoBoat.

NZ • Feel the wind in your hair on a Haast River Safari.



## CHOOSE NATURE

Scenic adventures embrace Mother Nature at her best.

NZ • Set sail across a glacial lake to see Tasman Glacier.

Australia • Lace up the shoes and explore the Daintree Rainforest.

NZ • Embark on a guided tour of the Routeburn Track.



## CHOOSE CULTURE

Satisfy your cultural side as you travel.

NZ • Star gaze with an astronomer in Aoraki National Park.

Australia • Hear tales of cricketer legends on a tour of the iconic MCG.

Australia • Educate yourself at Cooya Beach with an Aboriginal guide.

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Explore the World Heritage Listed Wet Tropics Rainforests of Daintree and Cape Tribulation. This region boasts extraordinary wildlife and is rich in history and culture.

#### VILLAGE IN THE RAINFOREST

Soar above the rainforest canopy in your Skyrail Gondola to Kuranda and go back in time on the historic Kuranda Scenic Railway.

Trip code: TCNS

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## COSMOPOLITAN SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE



9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 9 MEALS

Cities, quaint country towns, decadent foodie tours and luxurious wineries; sip and savour your way through them all on this Sydney to Melbourne tour. This 9-day journey boasts sophistication, charm and a whole lot of fun, your way. So, what are you waiting for?



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### VISIT THE THREE SISTERS

Discover the Blue Mountains, home to some of Australia's most dazzling natural attractions including lookouts with sensational views over million-year-old valleys.

### FUNKY CITY WALKING TOUR

Canberra is a little city with hidden gems and secrets tucked within. Join a passionate Canberran to discover some of these around the city centre.

### HIDDEN UNDERGROUND TREASURES

You are led down Melbourne's hidden laneways and arcades to discover some of the most interesting street art and outdoor galleries in the world.

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## ESSENCE OF SOUTHERN NEW ZEALAND



7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 9 MEALS

Rugged alpine wilderness in the Aoraki Mount Cook National Park, other-worldly beauty in Franz Josef and fast-paced fun in Queenstown: this is the South Island you've been dreaming of and then some. Kicking off and finishing up in Christchurch, you'll tick off the very best bucket list experiences a New Zealand tour can offer, tailored by you.



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### EXPERIENCE THE UNFORGETTABLE

Surrounded by snow-capped alps, you will be expertly guided through the ice age as you view the gigantic Tasman Glacier Ice Wall, icebergs and the chance to embrace mother nature's legacy.

### CRUISE ON THE EIGHTH WONDER

From thundering waterfalls to sky-high mountains and lush rainforests, a cruise is the perfect way to experience Milford Sound to the fullest.

### A UNIQUE JETBOATING EXPERIENCE

Escape into the heart of the mighty Haast Valley in a powerful fully enclosed jetboat as you follow the braided river passing ancient untouched forests, snow capped mountains and giant waterfalls.

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## CHOOSE FOOD

Cure your curiosity with flavourful favourites.

USA • Treat the taste buds to a NYC Food cart tour.

Canada • Get a taste of local fare in Ottawa on a Gourmet Food Walking tour.

Argentina • Tuck into an authentic BBQ lunch with local Gauchos.



## CHOOSE ADVENTURE

Get your adrenalin fix with adventure-filled days.

USA • Raft down Snake River inside Grand Teton National Park.

Costa Rica • Gallop through Monteverde's forests and fields on horseback.

USA • Take to the skies on a helicopter flight above the Grand Canyon.



## CHOOSE HISTORY

Curated history experiences leave no stone unturned.

Brazil • Take in the sights on a city tour of Rio.

USA • Live like royalty at Natchez Pilgrimage - Stanton Hall.

Canada • Hop aboard an educational tour of Calgary City and Heritage Park.



## CHOOSE RELAXATION

Treat yourself with choices that get you to go slow.

USA • Glide along the Mississippi by steamship to the sounds of jazz.

Argentina • Wander through the lush countryside of the Tigre Delta.

Canada • Tee off at Fairmont Banff Springs Golf Course.



## CHOOSE NATURE

Scenic adventures embrace Mother Nature at her best.

Canada • Hang with giants on a Victoria whale watching excursion.

Brazil • Feel the spray at Iguassu on a Macuco Safari boat.

USA • Explore the ancient landscape of Badlands National Park.



## CHOOSE CULTURE

Satisfy your cultural side as you travel.

USA • Experience Navajo Nation culture with live music, pow wow dancing, and a traditional frybread dinner.

Peru • Mine your own salt in the ancient village of Maras.

Canada • See the best of the city on a Montreal Neighbourhood and Street Art Bike Tour.

# CHOOSE BEST OF THE WEST

12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 2 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Fast paced fun in Sin City and leisurely strolls through the forests of Yosemite National Park are on offer in the Golden West. Kicking off in the City of Angels experience the Cali lifestyle, the thrill of the Grand Canyon and the American Dream on Route 66. Tempted? This is the Best of the West, tailored by you.



- Los Angeles** See the very best Hollywood and Santa Monica have to offer
- Sedona** Explore this red rock town, famous for its art communities and New Age culture
- Grand Canyon National Park** Visit this UNESCO World Heritage Site and Natural Wonder of the World with a Local Specialist
- Las Vegas** Explore this entertainment-filled city with its grand hotels and shops
- Yosemite National Park** Take in breathtaking views of the valley floor
- San Francisco** Get familiar with Fisherman's Wharf, Union Square and Chinatown
- San Francisco** Iconic Breakfast at renowned Boudin Bakery, a San Francisco institution since 1849

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### Day 1, Arrive Los Angeles

Welcome to the land where it's usually 70F or 21C degrees and sunny, southern California. You'll meet up with your Travel Director before getting to know Anaheim, your home for the next two nights. You'll find plenty of dining and entertainment options with Disneyland nearby.

**Hotel: Clarion Hotel Anaheim Resort**

### Day 2, Los Angeles Sightseeing

This morning's sightseeing tour will show you the glitz of L.A., visiting Beverly Hills, Sunset Boulevard, and the Hollywood Walk of Fame. Your afternoon in Santa Monica is at leisure.

### Day 3, Los Angeles – Phoenix Area

Starting by departing Los Angeles you'll then pass by the San Geronio Pass Wind Farm, one of the windiest places in the United States. It features thousands of wind turbines that power the popular Coachella Valley resort towns. Passing through the desert oasis of Palm Springs, you will then cross the Arizona state line into the 'Valley of the Sun', a region boasting 300 days of sunshine per





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year. Catching your first glimpse of the Colorado River, your final destination for today is Phoenix. **B Hotel: Tru by Hilton Gilbert**

**Day 4, Phoenix Area - Sedona - Flagstaff**

Heading north out of Phoenix, witness the impressive saguaro cacti in their arid habitat. As you make your way to the small town of Sedona you will notice the red rock landscape provides a backdrop for artists and craftsmen alike. From Sedona to Flagstaff, you will pass through the heart of Oak Creek Canyon. **B Hotel: Days by Wyndham Flagstaff**

**Day 5, Flagstaff - Grand Canyon - Flagstaff**

Start today with your sights firmly set on one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World, the magnificent UNESCO World Heritage listed Grand Canyon National Park. After learning in-depth with our Local Specialist you'll discover more about the geological formation of the Canyon, and then it's up to you how you wish to explore it further. Perhaps view the Grand Canyon from above and take an optional helicopter tour. You'll finish up today in laid back Flagstaff. **B**

**Day 6, Flagstaff - Historic Route 66 - Las Vegas**

Get your kicks on Route 66! A symbol of the American dream and still a classic road trip route, you'll stop by the iconic outposts of Seligman and Kingman today for photos and a taste of all things Americana, before moving on to the neon mirage looming on the horizon, the entertainment mecca known as Las Vegas. **Hotel: Golden Nugget & Casino, Las Vegas**

**Day 7, Las Vegas Free Time**

With a full day in Sin City, how will you spend it? Visit the casinos, wander 'The Strip', take in an iconic show biz performance, or choose an **Optional Experience** for a different side of Vegas. A Hoover Dam and Power Plant Excursion or a singalong at 'Vegas! The Show' are all there for the taking.

**Day 8, Las Vegas - Visalia**

Leaving Vegas, you'll head for the Mojave Desert this morning. Despite being the driest desert in the US, the Mojave boasts some glorious flora. Admiring the dramatic Sierra Nevada mountain range and continuing into the San Joaquin Valley, you'll finish today in the old town charm of Visalia. **Hotel: Wyndham Visalia**

**Day 9, Visalia - Yosemite National Park - Modesto**

Awe inspiring nature at its finest, today is all about Yosemite. A UNESCO World Heritage site, America's third oldest national park is all green valleys, cascading waterfalls, giant sequoia trees, and pine-scented forests, framed by iconic Half Dome and the imposing El Capitan. Soak it all in, before finishing up today in the agricultural hub of Modesto. **Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton Modesto**

**Day 10, Modesto - San Francisco**

Head back to the Cali coast and cross The Bay Bridge into San Francisco, the 'City by the Bay'. This afternoon's sightseeing will see you visit Fisherman's Wharf, the Palace of Fine Arts, the lush Presidio area and Italian influenced North Beach. This evening, opt to join in our walking tour of America's oldest Chinatown, followed by a delicious family-style Chinese feast. **Hotel: Parc 55 San Francisco Hilton**

**Day 11, San Francisco Free Time**

We hope you're hungry as you're off to Boudin Bakery, producers of San Fran's best sourdough since 1849 for an Iconic Breakfast. Explore the rest of the day, your way. Our **Optional Experience** to the Golden Gate Bridge, followed by a visit to the pretty seaside community of Sausalito. Alternatively, take a cruise around Alcatraz Island or venture out to Muir Woods to admire the towering, ancient redwood trees that grow here. **IC**

**Day 12, Depart San Francisco**

With fond memories of sunny Los Angeles, fun loving Vegas and peaceful Yosemite still fresh in your mind, today your adventure through the Golden West will come to an end. Not ready to go home just yet? Why not extend your stay in San Francisco a little longer and pay those cute sea lions down at Fisherman's Wharf an overdue visit.

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**GRAND KINGDOM ECOSTAR HELICOPTER FLIGHT**  
Take an exhilarating helicopter flightseeing tour over the Grand Canyon.

**GUIDED CHINATOWN WALKING TOUR, DINNER AND ILLUMINATIONS TOUR**  
Explore the Chinese markets, herb shops, a fortune cookie factory and more (weather permitting), before dining family-style with a Chinese feast. After dinner, board your motorcoach for the City Illuminations Tour.



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CHOOSE

# WONDERS OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES



10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 1 MEAL

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

'Awe inspiring', 'picturesque', 'mind blowing' - all of these words describe the beauty of the Canadian Rockies, and yet none of them do this phenomenal region justice. A range of Optional Experiences from food tours, guided hikes and white water rafting to a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Optional Experience with Warrior Women where you'll be immersed in drumming, song, creation story telling and cultural teachings. The rugged, snowcapped peaks and shining, glacier fed emerald green lakes are in a league all of their own, all of which you'll see on this 10-day nature extravaganza.

- Banff** View stunning hoodoos and waterfalls in this UNESCO listed World Heritage Site
- Lake Louise** Admire soaring mountain peaks, majestic Victoria Glacier and the glistening waters of the lake
- Icefields Parkway** Enjoy a stunning drive down the Icefields Parkway with jaw-dropping vistas at every turn
- Victoria** Embark on an introductory sightseeing tour of the city
- Victoria** Visit beautiful Butchart Gardens on your own, prior to opening hours
- Victoria** Enjoy an Iconic Breakfast at world-famous Butchart Gardens in the Blue Poppy Restaurant where light pours in through skylights and large windows face the gardens
- Vancouver** See Gastown, Chinatown, Stanley Park and Prospect Point

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### Day 1, Arrive Calgary

Welcome to Calgary. After settling in to your hotel you'll meet up with your Travel Director this afternoon, then head out to discover the city your way. **Hotel: Ramada Plaza Calgary Downtown**

### Day 2, Calgary - Banff

After you depart Calgary, a picture perfect stop awaits at beautiful Lake Louise. Banff is famed for its dramatic vistas, which you'll view on a sightseeing tour along Tunnel Mountain Drive, spotting sights such as Cascade Mountain,

Mt. Rundle, Bow Falls, and the surreal rock formations, which have formed their bizarre twisted shapes over years of erosion from water and wind. **Hotel: Banff Caribou Lodge and Spa**

### Day 3, Banff Free Time

We hope you're full of energy, as the vast natural playground outside of your front door isn't going to explore itself. Venture into the stunning wilderness of Banff National Park, or better still you could take advantage of our enticing range of Optionals to truly unlock this region in real Cost saver style.

### Day 4, Banff - Icefields Parkway - Jasper

The magnificent Icefields Parkway awaits you today, a striking 232km stretch of road that cuts straight through the backbone of the Rockies. Make your way up



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to the Columbia Icefield. Here, you'll ride the giant Ice Explorer across the Athabasca Glacier before trekking across the massive marvel of nature. After this unforgettable experience, you will visit Athabasca Falls prior to continuing on to Jasper, which sits at the heart of one of the most beautiful, protected wildernesses in the world for a relaxing evening on your own or an optional three-course dinner followed by a 2-hour twilight wildlife tour and interpretive "Horns and Antlers" talk at Beckers Chalets set along the beautiful Athabasca River. **Hotel: Lobstick Lodge**

**Day 5, Jasper National Park Free Time**

We've got a range of exciting **Optional Experiences** today to help make your Jasper National Park experience tailored to you. Try a gentle float trip down the Athabasca River, or perhaps cruise around beautiful, glacially fed Maligne Lake.

**Day 6, Jasper - Sun Peaks**

Journeying through Jasper National Park, you'll see Mount Robson, the most prominent mountain in the North American Rockies and a UNESCO site. You'll also visit the Mount Robson Visitor Centre. Today's drive will finish up in Sun Peaks. **Hotel: Sun Peaks Lodge**

**Day 7, Sun Peaks - Victoria**

Today you will drive to the coast and board a ferry bound for Vancouver Island. Then, drive to Victoria for an introductory sightseeing tour of the city along the waterfront district and into the downtown area, passing the Parliament Buildings, Government Street and through Beacon Hill Park. **Hotel: Red Lion Inn and Suites Victoria**

**Day 8, Victoria Free Time**

Breakfast this morning is a real treat: you'll head to the world famous Butchart Gardens in the Blue Poppy Restaurant where, surrounded by beautiful blossoms and blooms, you'll eat a fresh, seasonal breakfast with sunlight pouring in from the vast skylights above. You'll have a chance to visit the gardens on your own, before the gates are opened to the regular visitors. Feeling full, the rest of the day is yours to explore Victoria whichever way you please. Hit the water on an optional Victoria Whale

Watching Excursion and look out for wildlife. You can also choose to taste all Victoria has to offer in a guided food and history tour of Chinatown or see sweeping views of the Olympic Mountains, the Strait of Juan de Fuca, James and Sydney Islands, and the Saanich Peninsula in the Victoria Panorama tour. **IC**

**Day 9, Victoria - Vancouver**

The outdoorsy, trendy city of Vancouver awaits today, which you'll reach by ferry. Regarded as one of the world's most naturally beautiful cities, Vancouver is framed by dramatic vistas on all sides. You'll kick off your stay here with a sightseeing tour of historic Gastown, vibrant Chinatown and the green jewel in the city's crown, the much-loved Stanley Park. The rest of the day is free to explore bustling and diverse Vancouver your way. **Hotel: Westin Wall Centre Vancouver Airport**

**Day 10, Depart Vancouver**

Leaving with happy memories of warm Canadian hospitality, you'll make your way to the airport and your respective corners of the world.

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**MT ASSINIBOINE SCENIC HELICOPTER FLIGHT**

Fly over 'the Matterhorn' of the Canadian Rockies, getting so close to the peak of the 1524 metre (5000 foot) glacier you'll almost be able to touch it!

**VIA FERRATA RIDGEWALKER**

Italian for 'iron road', the Via Ferrata is perfect for those who want a blend of rock climbing and hiking but may not have the experience to go it on their own. It's just like climbing a series of ladders, all of which are located on the side of a mountain, leading to a magnificent viewpoint and crossing a suspension bridge.

**MALIGNE LAKE CRUISE (SEASONAL)**

Set sail on the largest glacially fed lake in the Canadian Rockies as you head for Spirit Island, the crown jewel of Jasper National Park.

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**CHOOSE TO EXTEND YOUR TRIP WITH AN 8 DAY ALASKA CRUISE**

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**17 Days • 21 Meals • Trip Code: SWONI/Z/V**

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**Note:** For activities marked with a caret (^) in the day-by-day itinerary, participation is at your own risk and a signed liability waiver will be required.



Trip code: SWON

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CHOOSE

# SPECTACULAR CANYONS AND NATIONAL PARKS

13 DAYS • 12 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 9 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

If it's spectacular sights you're after, this trip delivers and then some. Visiting the mighty Grand Canyon, the scenic backdrops of Monument Valley, the twisted hoodoos of Bryce Canyon and the steaming geysers of Yellowstone, expect incredible icons as you journey from Sin City to the fabled, granite chiselled faces of Mount Rushmore.

**Grand Canyon** Experience this amazing UNESCO World Heritage Site

**Flagstaff** Iconic Breakfast at Charly's Pub and Grill which welcomed many famous people and presidents to the Wild West

**Monument Valley** Explore the treasures of this area sacred to the Navajo people

**Lake Powell** See the second largest man-made lake in the U.S.

**Zion National Park** See gorgeous canyon country

**Bryce Canyon National Park** Marvel at the multi-coloured hoodoos

**Jackson** Walk among the giant elk antler arches

**Grand Teton National Park** Explore this popular destination for hiking, camping and fishing

**Yellowstone National Park** Visit the first National Park in the country

**Little Bighorn Battlefield** See the site of the Battle of the Little Bighorn

**Crazy Horse Memorial** Witness the towering memorial for all Native American tribes

**Mount Rushmore** Gaze at the faces of four U.S. presidents

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### Day 1, Arrive Las Vegas

Surrounded by dry desert, Sin City is a place unlike any other. The entertainment capital of the world, Vegas is famed for its glittering casinos and endless dining options, making it the perfect launch point for exploring the Western USA. After settling into your hotel and meeting up with your Travel Director this afternoon, the bright lights and eclectic atmosphere of Vegas will undoubtedly lure you in. **Hotel: Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino, Las Vegas**

### Day 2, Las Vegas - Grand Canyon National Park - Flagstaff

This morning get your kicks on Route 66 and catch a glimpse of the Grand Canyon. Choose a once in a lifetime **Optional Experience** flying in a helicopter or aircraft over the North and South rims, before finishing this evening in the Arizonan escape town of Flagstaff. **Hotel: Days Hotel by Wyndham Flagstaff**

### Day 3, Flagstaff - Monument Valley - Page

Start your day with breakfast at the iconic Weatherford Hotel before heading off to Monument Valley. Learn about the geology and history of the area from your private Navajo guide. Afterwards, you'll spend the evening in Page, gateway to Lake Powell. **IC Hotel: Super 8 by Wyndham**



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**Day 4, Page - Zion National Park - Bryce Canyon** ①

Your first stop today will be Zion National Park, where the soaring red and white cliffs and vast canyons stand in stark contrast to the soft wildflower meadows and hanging gardens, a result of the park's lower elevation. **B, L Hotel: Bryce View Lodge**

**Day 5, Bryce Canyon National Park - Salt Lake City** ①

This morning visit Bryce Canyon National Park, where you'll stand in front of the multicoloured 'hoodoos' and Bryce Amphitheatre. Afterwards, we'll make our way to Utah's capital of Salt Lake City. On arrival, an orientation tour will give you a glimpse of this friendly city and the historical Temple Square. **B Hotel: Tru by Hilton Salt Lake City Midvale**

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**GRAND KINGDOM ECOSTAR HELICOPTER FLIGHT^**

Take a helicopter or fixed-wing aircraft flightseeing tour over the Grand Canyon.

**SNAKE RIVER SCENIC FLOAT TRIP^**

Cruise along the beautiful Snake River in a dry, comfortable ride. The views of the Teton and Snake River mountains along the way are magnificent, so be sure to bring your camera.

**BADLANDS NATIONAL PARK OPTIONAL SIGHTSEEING**

A hidden gem in the national park system, the unique beauty of the Badlands landscape in South Dakota is like no other.

**Day 6, Salt Lake City - Alpine** ②

Travelling through Wyoming this morning, enjoy the dramatic scenery before arriving to the town of Alpine. Here, three rivers (Greys, Salt, and Snake River) converge against the backdrop of the majestic Tetons. The evening is all yours to enjoy as you please. **B Hotel: The Flying Saddle Resort**

**Day 7, Grand Teton National Park and Jackson Free Time**

Today, enjoy an optional visit to Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park. Stroll around Town Square and admire the famous elk antlers that serve as the gateway to the park. Perhaps indulge in a scenic float trip on the Snake River this afternoon. **B**

**Day 8, Alpine - Yellowstone National Park - West Yellowstone** ①

This morning head towards Yellowstone National Park. Take your time exploring as you visit key sites such as Old Faithful. **B Hotel: Yellowstone West Gate Hotel**

**Day 9, West Yellowstone - Yellowstone National Park - Cody** ①

This morning will take you to Mammoth Hot Springs. Stopping by the multicoloured Grand Canyon of Yellowstone, you'll then head on to the lively frontier town of Cody. **B Hotel: Buffalo Bill Cabin Village**

**Day 10, Cody - Little Bighorn Battlefield - Sheridan** ①

Enjoying the view you'll arrive at the Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, the place of the 1876 battle between the US Army's 7th Cavalry and the Lakota and Cheyenne warriors. Our final stop is Sheridan, nestled within the mighty Big Horn mountains. **Hotel: Best Western Sheridan Center**

**Day 11, Sheridan - Crazy Horse - Keystone** ②

The Black Hills region is first up today. Relax on the drive to Crazy Horse monument. Standing 172 metres (564 feet) tall, the monument recognises the great Sioux leader astride his horse. **B Hotel: Ramada by Wyndham Keystone near Mt Rushmore**

**Day 12, Mount Rushmore and Keystone Free Time**

Our first stop is Mount Rushmore, the largest statue-monument in the world depicting four of America's most revered presidents. You'll also have the chance to take part in our Badlands National Park Sightseeing **Optional Experience**.

**Day 13, Keystone - Depart Rapid City or Denver**

As your trip ends today, you'll no doubt be reflecting on the phenomenal sights and experiences you've witnessed over the past 12 days. Choose to depart independently at Rapid City Airport, or alternatively take advantage of our complimentary transfer to Denver International Airport, where you'll arrive at approximately 4:30 pm.

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# ESSENCE OF EASTERN CANADA



8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 1 MEAL

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Contemporary design, UNESCO World Heritage Listed cities, thundering waterfalls and a city obsessed with hockey await you on your exploration of Eastern Canada. Fall for multicultural Toronto, experience the elegance of Québec City, visit Canada's eclectic capital city of Ottawa, and indulge your cultural curiosities in Montréal.

**Toronto** Get an orientation tour of this truly multi-cultural city, including Chinatown and Downtown Toronto

**Niagara Falls** Witness the majestic American and Canadian sides of the falls aboard a cruise

**Prince Edward County** Visit Campbell's Orchard in Prince Edward County for a farm tour and cider tasting

**Ottawa** Enjoy a sightseeing tour of some of the city's most famous sights

**Québec City** Iconic Breakfast at a traditional Cabane à Sucre (Sugar Shack) where you'll learn how maple syrup is harvested and turned into various other maple products

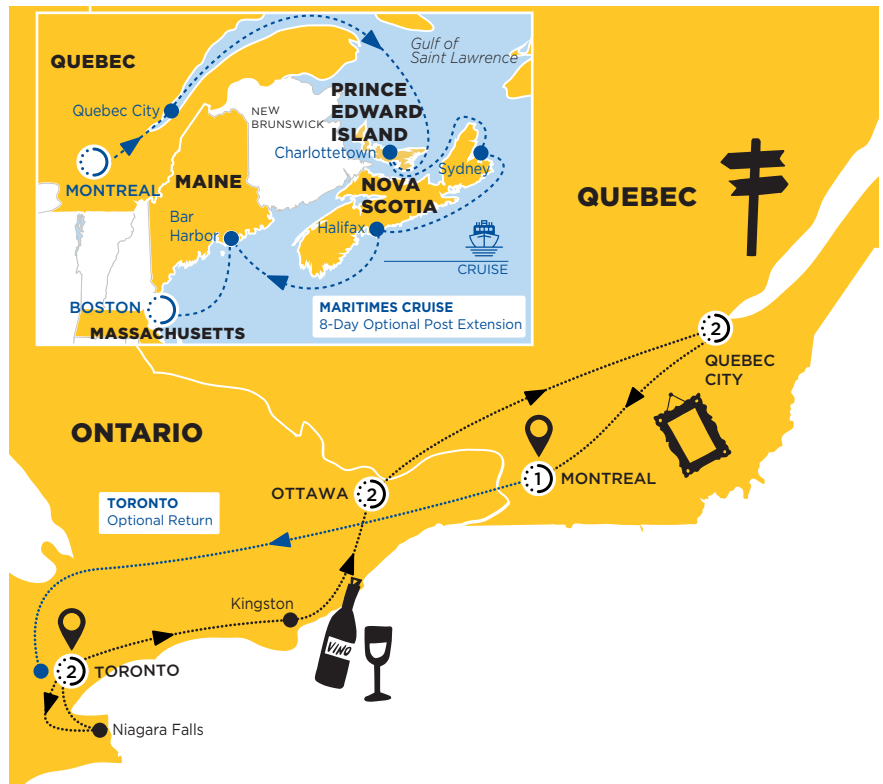
**Québec City** Join a Local Specialist this morning for a tour of the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Old Town, including sites The Citadel, Plains of Abraham, and the famous turrets of the Chateau Frontenac

**Montréal** Your Local Specialist will introduce you to Canada's cultural capital where festivals, art, and good food make up daily life. View the Notre-Dame Basilica, the colorful port of Montreal, and Place Jacques-Cartier, which is at the heart of the old city

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### Day 1, Arrive Toronto

Welcome to the world's most multiculturally diverse city, Toronto. Known to locals as the 'Six', Canada's hipster enclave and largest city is all about unique neighbourhoods, fusion food, fascinating museums, vintage shopping and a healthy obsession with all things hockey. At the centre of it all is the city's icon, the CN Tower, its 553 metre (1814 foot) spire dominating the landscape. After settling in to your hotel, you can wander around the district's open-air

markets. For dinner why not head to Kensington Market, where fusion food is taken to all new heights.  
**Hotel: Chelsea**

### Day 2, Niagara Falls Excursion

Pack your sense of adventure this morning as you're off to visit Niagara Falls! The biggest (and loudest) falls in North America, an incredible 750,000 gallons of water thunder into the gorge below every second, creating a natural phenomenon many have dubbed the 8th Wonder of the World. We'll be getting you up close and personal on a cruise to Horseshoe Falls, allowing you to see both the Canadian and American sides. Remember that raincoat? Now's the time to use it. Back in Toronto later, the rest of the day is yours to do as you please. Maybe head to Queen West to



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explore the neighbourhood's impressive collection of art galleries and design studios, or take advantage of our CN Tower **Optional Experience** to test your head for heights.

#### Day 3, Toronto – Kingston – Ottawa

Leaving Toronto behind this morning, kick back and enjoy the gorgeous drive alongside Lake Ontario as you make your way to Kingston. Get your bearings and then wake up your taste buds at Campbell's Orchard in Prince Edward County for a farm tour and a cider tasting. **Hotel: Quality Inn and Suites Gatineau**

#### Day 4, Ottawa Sightseeing and Free Time

Start your morning in Ottawa with a sightseeing tour of the city's icons: Sussex Drive, Royal Canadian Mint, National Art Gallery, Supreme Court of Canada, National War Memorial, National Art Center; War Museum and National Archives and Library, the stunning Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. After your orientation, enjoy some free time with your choice of **Optional Experiences**. Head to Byward Market's vibrant indoor/outdoor open market for a quick bite or maybe experience culture with an authentic Powwow dance performance with music by First Nations members at the Museum of History. You could also explore Ottawa's neighbourhood food markets, discover local produce and dishes and meet area chefs and food artisans on a food walking tour.

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#### MONTMORENCY FALLS AND GOURMET DINNER

Higher than Niagara Falls and arguably just as impressive, feel the force of Montmorency Falls before tucking into a 3 course dinner in historic Vieux-Quebec.



#### Day 5, Ottawa – Québec City

Timeless, elegant Québec City is up next. Set your eyes on the narrow cobblestone streets. Spend the afternoon taking in the sights of the city or join a tailored **Optional Experience** that visits the towering Montmorency Falls. **Hotel: Universe!**

#### Day 6, Québec City Sightseeing and Free Time

After no doubt grabbing a taste of France with a croissant and coffee, you'll be heading out to join a Local Specialist this morning for a tour of the UNESCO World Heritage listed Old Town. Check out sites including The Citadel, the historically significant Plains of Abraham, and the famous turrets of the Chateau Frontenac, the world's most photographed hotel.

#### Day 7, Québec City – Montréal

We hope you're hungry this morning as for breakfast you'll be heading to the iconic Erabliere le Chemin du Roy, a traditional Cabane à Sucre (sugar shack) to learn how maple syrup is made. You'll then make the short drive to Montreal. On arrival you'll meet up with a Local Specialist for a city tour of the UNESCO designated 'City of Design'. This afternoon choose Montreal your way. North Montreal is full of hip neighborhoods, beautiful parks, hidden alleyways, and vibrant street art. By taking the Montreal Bike Tour **Optional Experience**, you can discover Montreal off the beaten path as you ride through parks and quaint streets while you get a taste of the local lifestyle. Visit the Plateau, Mile-End, Outremont, Little Italy and Mile-Ex districts and see how cultural communities bridge the French/English linguistic divide. This evening with free time to explore, you could head out for dinner with the group or take your pick of one of the cute terraced restaurants along the river. **IC Hotel: Sandman Hotel Montreal-Longueuil**

#### Day 8, Depart Montréal or Toronto

And just like that, you've experienced the very best of Eastern Canada. From Toronto's trendy microbreweries to Québec City's timeless romance, you'll be finishing your trip this morning with happy memories, and no doubt a longing to see what the rest of Canada has in store. Today, you have the choice to fly directly out of Montréal, or return back to Toronto to fly out of Toronto International Airport, where you'll arrive at approximately 4 pm.

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### NOT DONE YET? CHOOSE TO EXTEND YOUR TRIP WITH A 7 DAY HOLLAND AMERICA MARITIMES CRUISE

Now you've explored the very best of Canada by land, you can choose to enhance your trip with this 8 day cruise. Starting at the end of your last day in Montreal and ending in Boston, unlock the picture-perfect landscapes of Canada's Maritime Region. You'll take in the French-infused Quebec, the Victorian houses and lush parks of Prince Edward Island to Sydney and Halifax and much, much more. Don't come this far and miss this exceptional experience.

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# CHOOSE FALL COLOURS OF NEW ENGLAND

10 DAYS • 9 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 6 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

If the idea of New England brings images of picture perfect villages, sleepy fishing towns, vast swathes of golden beaches and presidential summer homes into your mind's eye, this trip will not disappoint. Starting in historic Boston you'll visit lovely Cape Cod, stunning Stowe and sea swept Maine, with each new place transformed under a blanket of vibrant fall foliage.

**Boston** Learn Boston's rich history while touring the city and a part of the Red-Brick Freedom Trail, highlighting the city's historical and cultural landmarks

**Plymouth** Visit the Plimoth Patuxet Museum where a 17th century colony comes to life

**Hyannis** Iconic Breakfast at Pery's Place for a taste of classic American dishes in a homey setting

**Provincetown** Visit the pristine sandy beaches of the Cape Cod National Seashore

**Montpelier** See the capitol building, the Vermont Sate House

**Montpelier** Visit the Morse Farm Maple Sugarworks and enjoy their 100% pure maple syrup

**Portsmouth** Visit the 18th century buildings and historical centre and enjoy a true New England experience

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### Day 1, Arrive Boston

Welcome to the affectionately named 'Beantown', America's oldest city. A key player in America's battle for independence and the abolition movement, Boston's historical significance can only be matched with its enthusiasm for sport. After settling in to your hotel, you could head on down to the Seaport District to discover just how seriously Boston takes its reputation as a seafood capital. To name a few

specialities - 'sacred cod', fresh lobster and creamy chowder, each cooked fresh, steaming and delicious.

**Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton Boston Bayside**

### Day 2, Boston - Plymouth - Hyannis

This morning's city tour will follow a part of the Freedom Trail, visiting historic sites including Old State House and Quincy Market. You'll then travel to 'America's Home Town' of Plymouth, where you'll MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® and visit the fascinating Plimoth Patuxet Museum, a meticulously recreated version of the original 17th century Plymouth Colony. Next up, the pretty fishing villages and wealthy towns of Cape Cod, where you'll arrive in Hyannis.

**Hotel: Riviera Beach Resort**





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### Day 3, Cape Cod and Provincetown Excursion

Start your day with an Iconic Breakfast at Persy's Place. Winding your way along the scenic Old King's Highway you'll arrive at Cape Cod National Seashore. At the very tip of the Cape sits artsy Provincetown, which boasts a plethora of galleries, craft shops and charming cafes. Nature enthusiasts, join our **Optional Experience** for the chance to take a 4WD tour of the Peaked Hill Bars Historic District Sand Dunes. **B**

### Day 4, Hyannis - Providence

Crossing the Cape Cod Canal, travel "off Cape" as we head to Rhode Island. Visit Newport, where you can spend time on the historic waterfront or in the Antiques District. Perhaps visit Newport Casino, the birthplace of tennis in the US. Highlight your visit with our **Optional Experience** of The Breakers, a summer "cottage" of the Vanderbilt's. Continue this afternoon to Providence, home of Brown University. **B**  
**Hotel: Graduate Providence**

### Day 5, Providence - Killington

Start with a drive along the Historic Mohawk Trail on the way to Bridge of Flowers. The Bridge of Flowers is a nonprofit managed pedestrian bridge that keeps many flowers, plants, trees, shrubs, and vines growing beautifully throughout the season. Next on your

journey, you will visit Saxton's Distillery. Be surprised as you learn of the secret local Vermont ingredient used in the distilling process. **Hotel: Killington Mountain Lodge**

### Day 6, Vermont's Green Mountains

This morning we visit the famous resort town of Stowe before you travel past the appropriately named Green Mountains to Vermont's capital city of Montpelier. See the state's impressive state capitol building, the Vermont Sate House, before visiting before visiting Morse Farm Maple Sugarworks for a tasting of the unique "sugar on snow." You'll end today's journey back in Killington. **B**

### Day 7, Killington - North Conway

This morning, cross from the Green Mountains to the White Mountains as we leave Vermont for New Hampshire. Travel along the dramatic Franconia Notch mountain pass before entering the scenic byway known locally as "The Kanc", a historic National Scenic Byway. Emerging from the Kancamagus Highway, North Conway will be your home for the next 2 evenings. **Hotel: Fox Ridge Resort, North Conway**

### Day 8, North Conway Sightseeing and Free Time

Blazing red, orange and yellow fall foliage will stretch out in every direction as you head into the White Mountains. You'll pass by Mount Washington as you journey through Crawford Notch State Park, stopping at Silver Cascade Falls which cascades 4000 feet (1219 metres) down the side of Mount Jackson. Back in North Conway, take a stroll around the restored buildings and treasure trove antique shops of the historic downtown. **IC**

### Day 9, North Conway - Boston

Cross the state border into Maine today, taking in the vast forests, pretty seaside villages and cliff lined shores of this affluent adventure playground. Stopping in chic, preppy Kennebunkport, enjoy a glimpse of a coastal town as you explore the upscale boutiques and flashy art galleries. Next, stop in Portsmouth and take in the beautiful 18th century buildings and historical centre. End your day back in Boston. **B** **Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton Boston Bayside**

### Day 10, Depart Boston

Today, your trip will come to an end at Boston Logan International Airport at your leisure. If Boston still has more you'd like to discover, you've also got the option of extending your stay a few more days. **B**

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Visit the grandest of Newport's summer cottages and a symbol of the Vanderbilt family's social and financial preeminence in turn of the century America.



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# CHOOSE ROAD TRIP USA - COAST TO COAST

25 DAYS • 24 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 10 MEALS

Starting in the City of Angels and ending in the Big Apple, this spectacular adventure will take you from the heights of the Grand Canyon to the swamps of the Mississippi River, experiencing sunny southern hospitality, dramatic landscapes and all the charms of Dollywood along the way.



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## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Los Angeles** Orientation including Hollywood
- Flagstaff** Iconic Breakfast at Charly's
- Grand Canyon National Park** Marvel at one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World
- Monument Valley** Enjoy a tour in an open-air vehicle to admire the landscape
- Mesa Verde National Park** See Native American cliff dwellings
- Santa Fe** Enjoy a tour of Santa Fe
- Southfork Ranch Tour** Location of the hit TV show Dallas
- New Orleans** Join a sightseeing tour
- Memphis** Visit Graceland home of the King of Rock and Roll
- Nashville** Explore Studio B and Country Music Hall of Fame
- Great Smoky Mountains** Experience the natural beauty and unique wildlife
- Natural Bridge Caverns** Enjoy a guided tour
- Washington, D.C.** See many of the iconic buildings, monuments and memorials
- New York City** Explore the city that never sleeps with an orientation tour

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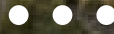
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**LAS VEGAS FOODIE TOUR**  
Bask in this royal treatment at four of the most astonishing restaurants in Las Vegas, savour a variety of acclaimed signature dishes along with grand desserts at the end for a complete feast for the ages. Expert guides provide fascinating stories and facts about the sights all along the way.



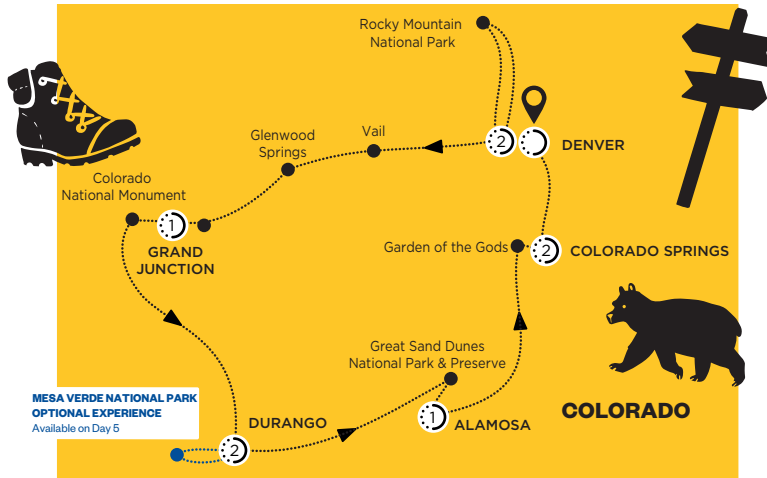
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# THE BEST OF COLORADO



9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 6 MEALS

Indulge your spirit of adventure on this Colorado trip across red-rock, prairie and plains-filled landscapes including the Rocky Mountain National Park and Colorado National Monument, then go back in time in Durango and Ouray. Wild West railroads and Gold Rush towns dot this fun-filled journey through landscapes only found in Colorado.



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## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Rocky Mountain National Park** View alpine lakes, mountains, wooded forests, and a variety of wildlife
- Vail & Glenwood Springs** Visit a popular ski resort town and browse through the European-style Vail Village
- Ouray** Enjoy free time in this Colorado town, known as the "Switzerland of America"
- Palisade** Visit, learn about, and enjoy seasonal local produce from the family owned Clark Family Orchards
- Colorado National Monument** Enjoy an Iconic Breakfast with a view in the Saddlehorn Picnic Area
- Grand Sand Dunes National Park and Preserve** View the largest sand dunes in North America towering over 750 feet (229 m) tall. The park also contains four different ecosystems
- Colorado Springs** Enjoy a guided visit of Garden of the Gods, a natural landmark at the foot of Pikes Peak and a registered National Natural Landmark

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### 11<sup>TH</sup> STREET FOOD TRUCK STATION

From tacos to pizza, sushi to Thai cuisine and gourmet sliders, 11<sup>th</sup> Street Station's independent food truck kitchens can cure any craving. Each food truck vendor is locally owned and operated, in keeping with our Main Street culture. The grounds provide enclosed and exposed dining right in the heart of downtown Durango. It's outside. It's fair fare. It's relaxed. Guests will receive food and drink tickets for items at one or two trucks of their choosing.



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Trip code: SCOL



# CHOOSE PANORAMIC CANADIAN ROCKIES

12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 1 MEAL

Starting and ending in Vancouver, this trip will take you straight to the heart of the Canadian Rockies. You can opt to soar through the skies over Whistler, cruise across ethereal Maligne Lake and ride an Ice Explorer across a glacier on your way to UNESCO World Heritage listed Banff, the ideal adventure for lovers of the great outdoors.



feefo guest review **4.5/5** ★★★★★

See what happens on trip #CSPanoramicCanadianRockies



# CHOOSE THE BIG APPLE, NIAGARA AND WASHINGTON, D.C.

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 1 MEAL

Kicking off in Washington, D.C. and ending in the city that never sleeps, New York, this 8-day trip is the ideal blend of unique cultures, natural phenomena and blockbuster icons. See the White House, Empire State Building and high flying Wall Street, learn about the Amish way of life in Pennsylvania, and feel the full force of mighty Niagara Falls. If variety is what you're looking for, this trip is the one for you.



feefo guest review **4.2/5** ★★★★★

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Choose to tailor your trip with all these and more.

### PLANT MEDICINE WALK

Join Mahikan Trails on a Guided Medicine Walk and explore the world of plant medicine from an Indigenous lens. A knowledgeable guide will share insightful teachings from the land, including fascinating information about the historical medicines of the Boreal forest and how Indigenous ancestors survived off the land for millennia. The tour starts with a tobacco ceremony to greet the ancestors and ask permission to be in the dwelling of the standing people (plants), followed by a walk where you learn around plant medicine, the culture and connect to the land.

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### FOOD CART TOUR

Explore the past and present of New York's street food industry through tastings from some of the best food carts and trucks in New York City on a 2-hour walking tour. Learn about the challenges of running these thriving but demanding small businesses. Each tour includes generous tastings from some of the best food carts and trucks in New York City.

### AMISH BUGGY RIDE

Step back in time as you ride through the Amish countryside on a traditional horse drawn buggy.

Trip code: SAPP



12 DAYS • 11 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 8 MEALS

American history, surreal landscapes, wild western antics and fabulous Sin City fun – this USA trip has it all, and so much more. Starting off in Las Vegas, you'll journey down Route 66 to the mighty Grand Canyon, then revel at the cliffs and mesas of Mesa Verde National Park, gaze at the red-rock stoned arches in Arches National Park, watch the sun set amidst the spectacular hoodoos of Bryce Canyon, and marvel at the grandeur of Zion National Park.



feefo guest review **4.7/5** ★★★★★

See what happens on trip #CSCanyonCountry



11 DAYS • 10 NIGHTS • 1 COUNTRY • 7 MEALS

Shake, rattle and roll your way through the musically influenced southern cities of America. Starting off in the country music Mecca of Nashville, you'll toe tap your way towards Memphis, then head on to the life and soul of the party, New Orleans. Sunny smiles and musical legends will all ensure you leave the south with a very full heart.



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### MOUNTAIN WATERS RAFTING

A popular raft trip on the Animas River through Durango! Splash through Smelter, Sawmill and Santa Rita Rapids. Perfect for beginners and fun for every experience level.

### RED HERITAGE DINNER SHOW

Navajo owned and operated; Red Heritage is a Native American Performing Arts Theater. They showcase local dancers talented in colorful powwow dancing, flute playing, and live drum music; plus culturally inspired food and an unforgettable show!

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### ROCK & SOUL MUSEUM WITH BLUES CAFE

Enjoy a self-guided visit to the The Memphis Rock 'n' Soul Museum's whose exhibition about the birth of rock and soul music tells the story of musical pioneers who, for the love of music, overcame racial and socio-economic barriers to create the music that shook the entire world. Afterwards you'll enjoy some classic Memphis BBQ, famous across the whole country.

### AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY AND CULTURE TOUR

Explore African American history and culture from the past to present with a Local Specialist in Memphis. Learn about the heroes that inspired the future of the city and dive into the tragic stories that shaped the cultural landscape of the region.

Trip code: SRHY

# CHOOSE PERU EXPLORER

7 DAYS • 6 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION • 1 COUNTRY • 11 MEALS

## ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Starting in the gastronomic capital of Lima, sip Pisco Sours and admire colonial casas before heading to the rugged beauty of the Sacred Valley. Walk in the footsteps of the Incas as you admire one of the New Wonders of the World rising above the clouds, then finish your trip in ancient, cultural Cusco. Keen to stay longer? Extend your trip with a visit to the fascinating Lake Titicaca.



**Lima** Explore the "City of the Kings" and see the Cathedral, Government Palace, Archbishop's Palace, City Hall and visit San Francisco Monastery, famous for its catacombs

**Lima** Feast on an authentic meal at Asnapa restaurant

**Machu Picchu** Journey to the marvelous citadel of Machu Picchu, one of the New Seven Wonders of the World

**Cusco** Discover Sacsayhuaman, Coricancha and the famous San Pedro market before enjoying a magical evening featuring an entertaining folklore show

**Sacred Valley** Visit the famous Pisac Market where local Indigenous communities sell their wares and produce. Learn how to prepare the local empanada. Take a train expedition to Machu Picchu. Visit the workshop of local pottery artist Pablo Seminario

**Temple of the Sun** Visit Coricancha, or the 'Temple of the Sun', the most important temple in the Incan Empire

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### Day 1, Arrive Lima

Welcome to the Peruvian capital - 'City of the Kings', Lima. This city has a real sense of faded romantic grandeur, with historical sights aplenty and a revered culinary scene. Settle in to your hotel and meet up with your Travel Director this afternoon, then the rest of the day is free. Head to Parque del Amor to admire the architecture with beautiful views over Lima Bay. Tonight, in celebration of your first night in Peru, join an optional dinner experience at La Dama Juana Restaurant. **Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn Lima**

### Day 2, Lima sightseeing and free time

Today, discover the famous Plaza Mayor and Cathedral. See the Government Palace, Archbishop's Palace and City Hall. Visit the San Francisco Monastery, featuring mysterious catacombs followed by an afternoon at leisure. This evening, dive deep into the essence of Peruvian food and feast on an authentic meal at Asnapa. **B, D**

### Day 3, Lima - Cusco - Sacred Valley

Flying into Cusco, welcome to the Incan capital of the world! Cusco is a wealth of archaeological greatness and the oldest continuously inhabited city on the continent. It's also the gateway to Machu Picchu, bustling with visitors exploring its ancient streets. Learn about the local weaving process, which has been kept alive for thousands of years. Then stop by Pisac Market, where local Indigenous communities from all over come to sell their wares and produce. Sample Chicha de Jora, a drink favoured by the Incas. **B, L, D Hotel: Ava Valle Sagrado Spot**



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#### Day 4, Machu Picchu excursion

Boarding the train from Ollantaytambo to Aguas Calientes, you'll slowly chug your way through the rugged lands of the Sacred Valley. Making the last leg of the journey via shuttle, you'll arrive at the most famous archaeological site in South America and one of the New 7 Wonders of the World, Machu Picchu. Catching a glimpse of this ancient city is an unforgettable moment, so be sure to soak it all in. Explore the vast complex of fascinating ruins, before descending the mountain and making your way back to the Sacred Valley. **B, D**

#### Day 5, Sacred Valley - Cusco

Art fans are in for a treat today as you pay a visit to the workshop of Pablo Seminario, a respected artist who creates beautiful pottery reminiscent of ancient cultures from all across Peru. You'll then pay a visit to a family home in Ollantaytambo. You'll also stop by the fortress of Sacsayhuaman, a 13<sup>th</sup>-century UNESCO

World Heritage site, before arriving back into the Incan capital with the rest of the day at leisure. **B**  
**Hotel: San Agustin Plaza**

#### Day 6, Cusco sightseeing and free time

Start your final day with a sightseeing tour of ancient Cusco. Visit the 'Temple of the Sun' before viewing the bounty of colonial art on display in the Cathedral. Admire the handiwork of Incan stonemasons down Loreto street, then finish up shopping for local handicrafts in San Pedro market. With the rest of the day free, opt for a visit to Moray and Maras to see Incan farming techniques at play, head to 17<sup>th</sup>-century Piquillacta to see the pre Incan citadel built by the Wari people, or treat yourself to a visit to the Choco Museum to learn more about the Peruvian chocolate making process. Tonight, you'll end an incredible trip in style with dinner, folklore tales and dancing. **B, D**

#### Day 7, Depart Cusco

Leaving with priceless memories, you'll make your way to the airport today. **B**

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**LA DAMA JUANA RESTAURANT AND FOLKLORE SHOW**  
 Join your fellow travelers for tasty Peruvian food served buffet style in clay pots, followed by regional folkloric dancing at La Dama Juana Restaurant.

**MORAY AND MARAS**  
 Visit Moray to discover the farming techniques used by the Incas, then head to the village of Maras to view the village's ancient salt mines and wells.



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Having made the excellent choice to extend, discover even more of Peru with this culturally rich 3 day add-on starting in Cusco and ending in Lima, exploring Puno and the reed islands of Lake Titicaca. Catch a flight to Juliaca before arriving in Puno, on the edge of the largest lake in South America. The main event is your day spent on the water at Uros Islands, where locals have lived like their ancestors for hundreds of years, on their island home made entirely of Totora reeds. Next up is Island of Taquile, where you'll discover incredible stonework and the stories of the island's historic weaving cultures. You'll end your trip and arrive in Lima by flight on day three, at approximately 5pm.

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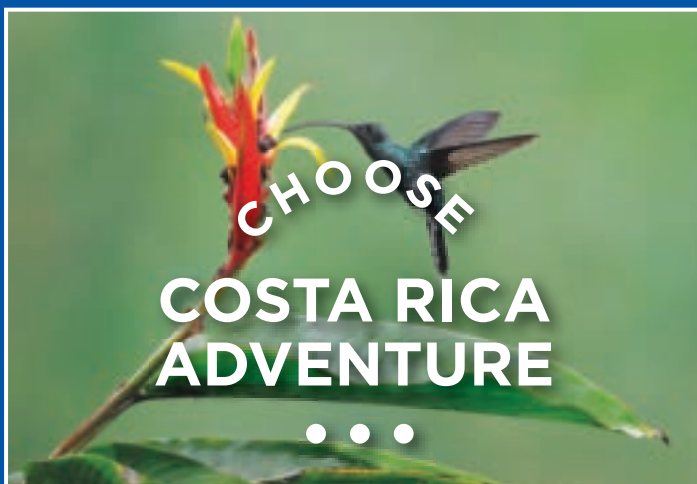
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Bubbling mud pools, rainforests teeming with wildlife, golden beaches and an active volcano are all yours for the taking on this adventure. Starting in the cultural capital city of San Jose, visit turtle nesting grounds and sky walk through the rainforest canopy before choosing to spend extra time on the glistening shores of the Guanacaste province.



feefo<sup>co</sup> guest review **4.7/5** ★★★★★

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### EL TRAPICHE PLANTATION TOUR

Visit sugarcane, banana, orange and coffee plantations on a tour through a local farm, learning more about the coffee making process as well as how liquor is made from sugarcane.

### SKY TRAM AND SKY TREK

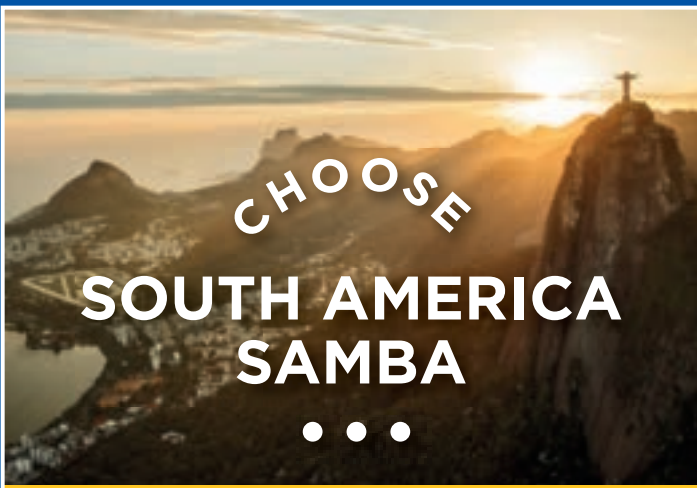
Ride a gondola through the trees as you look for wildlife, then experience the thrill of your life on the Sky Trek, zip lining 650 feet above the rainforest floor.

### HORSEBACK RIDING TOUR

Admire glorious views of the Nicoya Gulf as you ride through coffee and sugarcane plantations, keeping an eye out for monkeys and toucans.

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9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS • 2 COUNTRIES • 11 MEALS

Two of South America's most vibrant countries await you on South America Samba. Starting in the 'Cidade Maravilhosa' of Rio, ride the cog railway to Christ the Redeemer then experience Iguassu Falls, the world's largest series of waterfalls. Country hop to Argentina as you let the charm of Buenos Aires work its way into your heart.



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15 DAYS • 14 NIGHTS • 3 COUNTRIES • 22 MEALS

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Take an open-air tram through the tropical rainforest to Macuco Falls where you'll then board a custom designed inflatable motorboat for a high intensity ride to the base of the falls.

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### FIESTA GAUCHA WITH BBQ LUNCH

Heading into the glorious pampas to visit a 3000 acre working ranch. Learn more about the gaucha culture then tuck in to a juicy BBQ lunch.

Trip code: VBAR

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Trip code: VSAM

# BOOKING CONDITIONS & OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Very Important: The information below is a summary of the booking conditions as at the date of the production of this brochure and are for guidance only. The 'Full Booking Conditions' can be found on our website and form the legal agreement between us and you as our guest. If there is any conflict between the information below and the Full Booking Conditions, the Full Booking Conditions shall prevail. Booking Conditions are regularly updated and may have changed since this brochure was printed.

## PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION TABLE (THE 'TABLE')

	Level 1	Level 2	Additional air ticket	Extra accommodation	Chargeable transfers
Deposit due per person	R3000	R5000	As per airline policy	No additional deposit required	No additional deposit required
Final Payment Due (before departure)	60 days	90 days	As per airline policy	In accordance with guided holiday	In accordance with guided holiday
<b>No. of days (before travel)</b>	<b>Cancellation charges per person if you cancel your holiday</b>				
90 days and over	Deposit	Deposit	R350 plus airline charges	R175	R175
89 - 60 days	Deposit	30%	R350 plus airline charges	R175	R175
59 - 16 days	30%	60%	R350 plus airline charges	Higher of R175 or 25% of accommodation price	Higher of R175 or 25% of transfer price
15 - 8 days	50%	90%	R350 plus airline charges	Higher of R175 or 30% of accommodation price	Higher of R175 or 30% of transfer price
7 - 1 days	90%	100%	R350 plus airline charges	100% of accommodation price	100% of transfer price
Departure day/No show	100%	100%	R350 plus airline charges	100% of accommodation price	100% of transfer price

**Level 1:** Cancellation fees are the minimum cancellation fee charged and is used unless the trip is described as Level 2.

**Level 2:** These are generally trips which include cruise/ferry, train or intra-trip flight elements.

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## YOUR HOLIDAY BOOKING

For the purposes of this document reference to 'you' or 'your' includes all guests in the party. Trafalgar Tours PTY Ltd is the 'Sales Company'. The 'Operator' for the trips will be as described in the table below. Collectively these companies are referred to as 'Trafalgar', 'Costsaver', or the 'Provider'. Costsaver is a trading name of Trafalgar and is used interchangeably.

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Your agreement is with Costsaver and a contract is formed when you make a reservation with us that we accept. Enrollment in and payment for a guided trip shall constitute acceptance by the guest of the terms and conditions in this document. These cannot be varied except in writing by an officer of the Company. All contracts with Costsaver are made subject to the terms of these booking conditions.

**Security** Security is a major concern to all of us and the situation globally is constantly changing. Events around the world, coupled with the "Travel Advisories" put out by various governments, may at times necessitate changes to the accommodations and itinerary or even trip cancellation. You must accept these risks involved in travel to any country that may experience security difficulties and accept responsibility for your own travel decisions.

**Travel Insurance** Travel insurance is highly recommended for all guests covering all applicable dates of travel with the Provider. This insurance should cover: trip interruption, personal injury, medical expenses, evacuation and repatriation cover including during pandemic events. The choice of insurer is yours. The availability of travel insurance and extent of cover is constantly changing, please refer to our website [costsaver.tour.com/faq](http://costsaver.tour.com/faq) for most up to date information or talk to your reservation agent. The Provider may receive a commission for introducing you to a travel insurance provider. The Provider cannot be held responsible for your failure to obtain insurance which is appropriate, and we recommend you purchase your insurance at the time of, or soon after, booking your trip. The Provider will not be held liable for any costs incurred by the guest resulting from their failure to obtain adequate travel insurance.

**COVID-19** COVID 19 means coronavirus disease, an infectious disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus and all variants of the SARS-CoV-2 virus. An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. The Provider may require proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 tests, with the situation changing rapidly please refer to [costsaver.tour.com/faq](http://costsaver.tour.com/faq) for current requirements and further information relating to COVID-19. Please also familiarise yourself with the advice from your national authority for overseas travel before departing. COVID-19 requirements vary from country to country and region to region and circumstances may require us to ask all travellers to be vaccinated and provide evidence of vaccination, irrespective of the destinations' vaccine requirements. Definition of fully vaccinated may include booster doses and/or time elapsed since last dose received. Evidence of negative COVID-19 tests may also be required. Airlines, hotels, excursion providers and other transport providers may also have separate requirements. It is your responsibility to ensure that you comply at all times with these requirements. No refunds will be given if you are unable to undertake some or all of your holiday due to your failure to comply with these requirements, or if you fail any tests, checks or other measures imposed by a supplier or necessary for you to travel. You also acknowledge that certain countries may impose quarantine or self-isolation measures upon travellers, whether in the place of the destination or upon return and that such requirements are subject to change, and may be imposed on short notice. You will be responsible for any resulting additional costs including travel and accommodation. We ask that you please take personal responsibility for your wellbeing. This begins with packing any personal protective equipment and sanitisers you require. Please adopt physical

distancing and hygiene practices throughout your pre-trip travel arrangements and follow all health instructions whether physical signage, or requests from our professional staff once you are travelling with us. To travel with us, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19. Full details of hygiene protocols can be found on our website. If, within 14 days of your departure, you or anyone in your booking party:

- test positive for COVID-19 and have to quarantine for a period of time, or
- are notified or otherwise become aware that you have, or suspect you may have, come into close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 (or where they otherwise suspect they may have COVID-19) and have to self-isolate for a period of time you must notify us immediately.

In the event that you are unable to travel with us our cancellation charges may apply in accordance with our cancellation procedure. If this happens whilst you are on your holiday, please notify us without delay and we will provide such reasonable assistance as we can in the circumstances. However, we will not be responsible for covering the cost of any curtailment of your holiday, missed transport arrangements, additional accommodation required, or other associated costs incurred by you. You must ensure you have travel insurance which covers these costs.

**Force Majeure** Force Majeure Event means any event or circumstance beyond the control of the Provider, which has the effect of preventing, restricting, or changing the nature of the products and services sold to you including but not limited to: (a) an act of god (such as earthquake, flood, fire, explosion, landslide, lightning, action of the elements, force of nature, washout, typhoon, hurricane, cyclone, tsunami, storm or storm warning or natural disaster); (b) industrial disputes, work ban or other labour dispute or difficulty; (c) acts of terrorism, political unrest, war or threat of war, riots or civil strife; (d) failure or delays to scheduled transportation and the closure of airports or ports; (e) pandemic, epidemic or health risk including COVID-19; (f) all governmental and administrative actions, guidance and measures in any territory (including closure of borders and travel warnings and restrictions).

## RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENTS

Your trip will be confirmed after receipt of a non-refundable deposit as detailed in the Table. Air-inclusive bookings may require an additional non-refundable deposit or payment in full at the time of booking, see Flight Reservations, Deposits and Cancellation section below. Final payment for your trip reservation will be due prior to departure no later than as detailed in the Table.

## BOOKING CHANGES

**Name Changes** The Provider does not charge for name corrections, however where third party costs are incurred these will be passed on to the guest.

**Other Booking Changes** The Provider does not charge for minor booking changes however where third party costs are incurred these will be passed on to the guest.

A change of trip date or itinerary after final payment is due (see Table) will be treated as a cancellation.

## CANCELLATION AND REFUNDS

**Cancellation by Traveller** Travel arrangements for any member of the party may be cancelled at any time by written notice by the person who made the booking.

If notice of cancellation is received by the Provider before final payment is due (see Table), the deposit will be retained. If cancellation is made after final payment is due cancellation fees will apply (see Table). Please also refer to Air Changes or Cancellation Section where applicable. All cancellation fees as per the Table are additional to any cancellation fees or other charges that may be levied by your Travel Agent.

Gold Seal Protection premiums are non-refundable.

**Cancellation by the Provider** The Provider reserves the right, to modify or cancel any trip (definite or not), accommodation, in-destination activity or arrangement at any time.

## Cancellation due to Failure to Pay

If final payment is not received by the due date (see Table), the Provider has the right to cancel your reservation and no refund will be made. The Provider will not be responsible for lost reservations.

## Cancellation due to Force Majeure Events

If the Provider cancels a trip as a result of a Force Majeure

Event, a future travel credit (FTC) to the value of funds paid to date less any third-party costs incurred will be provided. All FTCs will be valid for 24 months from date of issue. Where a trip is terminated mid-trip due to a Force Majeure Event, if we provide you with any alternative services or assistance (such as hotels or travel) then you agree to pay for these costs.

**Cancellation due to Events other than Force Majeure Events** If the cancellation by the Provider is not as a result of a Force Majeure Event, the Provider will provide an alternative comparable trip (if available). If an alternative is not available then a refund will be made. The Provider is not liable for any cancellation or change cost or penalties incurred on other travel arrangements, including air travel, that may be affected thereby. The Provider is not responsible for other travel arrangements that you or your party have made outside the Provider and which are affected by our cancellations.

## FLIGHT RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND CANCELLATIONS

**Reservations/ Ticketing** Air-inclusive bookings and some intra-trip flights require an additional non-refundable deposit at time of booking which may be up to 100%. If an air reservation is made by the Provider, full payment may be required for your airfare at the time of booking. On receipt of full air payment your airfare, taxes and fuel surcharges are final. This will be regardless of future price fluctuations up or down. When booking a trip include flights, you will be required, at time of booking to provide us the full name as detailed on the passport, passport number, nationality, date, and place of issue of each guest. The Provider does not hold an allocation of air seats and all flight reservations are made on request and are subject to the terms and conditions of the airline. Changes to flight itineraries and name changes and/or corrections may either not be allowed or may result in penalties charged by the airline. These are the guest's responsibility along with the fees charged as described above. Airlines (and other travel providers including the Provider) change prices and routes from time to time. All air routings are in the sole control of the airline and are subject to change at any time.

**Air Changes or Cancellation** After deposit has been received any changes, including cancellation incur a service fee, plus any airline penalties. Airline imposed penalties may be up to 100% of the air ticket price. Published Fares, Priced Match Fares, Promo Fares and some other airfares booked are non-refundable. Not showing up for your outbound flight as booked and ticketed will be considered a no-show, and all the connecting flights associated with this one, even a return flight will be cancelled, and no refund will apply. We recommend that you review information provided by the South African Department of International Relations and Co-operation prior to making your booking by visiting their website [dirco.gov.za](http://dirco.gov.za) for the latest information. We strongly recommend that you familiarize yourself with the latest Government Consular advice and information regarding the country you intend to visit. It is advised that you register your details prior to departure on the Registration of South Africans Abroad website [ROSA.gov.za](http://ROSA.gov.za)

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**Before your holiday:** GSP allows you to cancel your Costsaver holiday for any reason without penalty prior to 30 days from your South Africa departure date:

If no Force Majeure Event\* has occurred when you cancel, the value of your Costsaver Holiday Pre-payment\*\* will be refunded; or If a Force Majeure Event\* does occur causing you to cancel, the Costsaver Holiday Pre-payment\*\* will be converted to a Future Travel Credit (FTC) of the same value. The FTC may be redeemed against the cost of a new holiday provided by Costsaver or one of our Travel Corporation sister brands, departing at any time within 24 months of your cancellation but is not redeemable for cash. If the new trip or departure is more expensive than the FTC you are responsible for the difference in price; if the new trip or departure is less expensive than the FTC, a new FTC will be issued for the difference.

Airline travel costs and any related cancellation or rebooking costs are not covered by the Gold Seal Protection Plan.

Please note that the Gold Seal Protection plan cost is not refundable for any reason. Travel Agent fees and cancellation costs may apply.

**During your holiday:** Should your holiday be interrupted and you leave at any time during the trip due to personal illness or injury; or be required to return to South Africa because of the serious injury, illness or death of an immediate family member^^:

- you will be refunded R750 per person/ per day for the unused portion of the holiday. Please note that in some cases hotels require a 1-night cancellation fee.
- Costsaver will pay the additional cost of airline travel for earlier or later return to South Africa in the same class of air travel on the first available flight, provided the original return air tickets were booked through Costsaver from South Africa on Costsaver's recommended airline.

A medical certificate is required to qualify for this holiday interruption and return flight security provision.

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