

BUDGET NUMBER 12218303 | PRICES STARTING FROM: \$5,198

This budget is valid until 15/10/2024 and is subject to flights, seat availability and air ticket prices at the time of booking.

## Turkey in 12 Days • 11 Nights in Destination

### Treasures of Anatolia

Delight in the fascinating sights of Turkey, from the bazaars of Istanbul to the fairy chimneys of Cappadocia. Cruise on the Bosphorus, discover the caves of the Goreme Valley and visit the Cotton Castle of Pamukkale. Discover the ancient ruins of Ephesus before discovering the heritage of Izmir and Canakkale at the archaeological sites of Pergamon and Troy!

#### THE PRICE INCLUDES



### premiumcare

Peace of mind with our included coverage



International flights: Canada - Istanbul -Canada\*.



10 breakfasts and 6 dinners.



Visits and entrance fees with an Englishspeaking guide as indicated in the itinerary\*\*\*.



Active tour with a comprehensive schedule of activities\*\*\*\*



Departures from main Canadian airports.



10 nights hotel accommodation in Superior category hotels\*\*.



Some transfers included.\*\*



All air taxes and fuel surcharge.



Cruise along the Bosphorus.



\*The cancellation policy applicable is according to the <u>Terms and Conditions</u> available and agreed at the time of your purchase

#### **ITINERARY: 12 DAYS**



### 01/12: Canada - Night on board

Ready to discover the cultural treasures and incredible landscapes of **Turkey**? Arrive at your Canada departure airport ready to catch a flight to Istanbul\*. Night on board.

\*If either your outbound or inbound flights depart in the early hours (before 4:00 a.m.) you must arrive at the airport the night before the indicated departure day.



## 02/12: Istanbul

Arrive in bustling **Istanbul**, once the capital of Turkey, a city brimming with history, culture and delicious cuisine. Transfer to your hotel, get settled, and if time allows, enjoy the remainder of the day exploring at your leisure. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

Important note: Take advantage of our optional excursions package and save by adding several of the optional activities to your itinerary in one go. Click on each package to see what's included!



Pack of 3 Excursions - Istanbul Package

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Pack of 3 Excursions - Cappadocia Package

(Available)



## 03/12: Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. Begin the day at the aromatic Spice Bazaar, established by the Ottomans. Next, take a **boat ride along the Bosphorus**, enjoy views of old palaces and traditional houses as you sail through the heart of the city; the border between Europe and Asia.

After disembarking, enjoy time exploring the city at your own pace (no included transfer back to the hotel). We recommend an optional excursion to the key attractions of the Anatolian side of the city to discover more of Istanbul\* and/or an optional dinner show on the Bosphorus!\*\* Overnight stay in Istanbul.

\*Optional half-day Anatolian Istanbul excursion with lunch: explore the Anatolian side, home to some of the country's most beautiful architecture, from the iconic Beylerbeyi Palace to the murals adorning the winding streets. Drive to Camlica Hill, in the underrated Üsküdar district. Take in the panoramic views from the highest point and soak up the bustling atmosphere from the city below. Enjoy lunch included.

\*\*Optional dinner show on the Bosphorus: the best way to enjoy a traditional Turkish dinner on an evening cruise down the Bosphorus! See the suspension bridges of Istanbul as they twinkle in the evening light. Enjoy exciting dance shows (belly dance and dervish), Turkish music, a delicious dinner and two drinks per person.





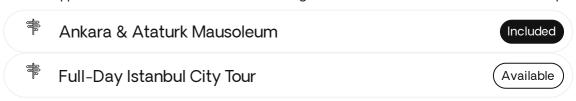
#### 04/12: Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. This morning, head to the grandiose **Suleymaniye Mosque**. Located on the third hill of Istanbul, it boasts one of the most incredible panoramic views of the city.

After the visit, choose to take the transfer back to your hotel, or, spend the rest of the day at leisure exploring Istanbul at your own pace (no included transfer back to the hotel). Discover its labyrinthine bazaars, vibrant city life and eclectic architecture.

To fully immerse yourself in the local culture, we recommend an optional full-day city tour of Istanbul\*. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

\*Optional full-day Istanbul city tour: see Istanbul's most emblematic sights, from the incredible Topkapi Palace to Hagia Sophia. Enjoy included lunch, see the exterior of the iconic Blue Mosque and historic Hippodrome. End the afternoon at the bustling Grand Bazaar, home to more than 4000 shops.





### 05/12: Istanbul - Ankara

Breakfast at the hotel. Begin your journey to Ankara, crossing the spectacular mountains of Bolu along the way. Arrive and enjoy a **panoramic tour of Ankara**, the Turkish capital and a modern and cosmopolitan city steeped in history and ancient culture.

Later, pay a visit to Anitkabir, the **Mausoleum of Ataturk**. Inaugurated in 1953, it's dedicated to the founder of Modern Turkey. Transfer to the hotel. **Dinner** and overnight stay in Ankara.

Estimated distance and travel time: 280 miles, 6 hrs approx.

The timing indication shows the effective time of driving, it doesn't consider the obligatory stops every 2 hours lasting an average of 15 minutes each.

	Full-Day Highlights of Cappadocia Excursion	Included
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niin Vii	Turkish Night in Cappadocia	Available
	Visit to Kaymakli, the Underground City	Available



## 06/12: Ankara - Cappadocia

Breakfast at the hotel. Today, begin your journey to incredible **Cappadocia**, famed for its unique geological formations. Pass by the spectacular **Salt Lake** along the way.

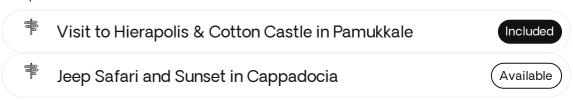
Arrive in Cappadocia and transfer to the hotel. Head to a wonderful **ceramic workshop** where you'll witness the traditional way of creating ceramic objects, from everyday artifacts to true works of art. Enjoy a visit to a precious stone shop and gain insight into the process of turning the raw material into stunning jewelry. Based on operative reasons this activities might be done the next day.

The remainder of the day is yours to begin discovering the landscapes of this magical region, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. To contemplate an unforgettable scene, we recommend our optional safari and sunset tour\* for an adrenaline rush through the valleys of the city. **Dinner** and overnight stay in Cappadocia.

Estimated distance and travel time: 190 miles, 5 hrs approx.

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\*Optional Jeep safari and sunset in Cappadocia: Immerse yourself in the magical Cappadocia valley landscape, enjoying the sunset as you do impressive, adrenaline-pumping dips, donuts, and tricks, in a Jeep.





### 07/12: Cappadocia

Breakfast at the hotel. Why not start the day with an optional hot air balloon flight over Cappadocia\*, a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Next, you have the chance to enjoy an optional visit to Kaimakli\*\*, the incredible underground city\*.

Mid-morning, discover the fascinating landscapes of Cappadocia, formed by the erosion of layers of lava and ash from ancient volcanic eruptions over 3 million years ago! Visit the Goreme Valley Open Air Museum, a Byzantine monastic complex with beautiful frescoes.

Explore the Valleys of Avcilar, Pasabagi and Güvercinlik, where the captivating 'Fairy Chimneys' are located, followed by a visit to a local carpet workshop. Afterwards you can enjoy an optional Turkish night in Cappadocia\*\*\*. Return to the hotel for dinner. Overnight stay in Cappadocia.

\*Optional Hot Air Balloon flight: float over Cappadocia's fairy chimneys, tuff valleys and rock-cut churches and experience the sunrise from a unique viewpoint on a 1-hour hot air balloon flight. Enjoy panoramic sunrise views, celebrate with a non-alcoholic beverage and a personalized flight certificate. Minimum age limit for children: 6 years old.

Please note: The hot air balloon flight depends on weather conditions at the destination and will be confirmed the day before. If the activity cannot take place, it will be refunded upon return.

\*\*Optional visit to Kaimakli, the underground city: discover the maze of tunnels and rooms carved eight levels deep into the earth 12 miles from the city of Nevsehir. Believed to have been built in the Hittite period, it's the widest of the underground cities in the region.

\*\*\*Optional Turkish night in Cappadocia: A fun evening filled with typical dances from the different regions in Turkey, including the famous belly dance. Enjoy this colorful event and the party atmosphere as you take in the traditions of the area! Unlimited drinks (alcoholic and non alcoholic) during the show.





#### 08/12: Cappadocia - Pamukkale

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart early this morning to **Pamukkale**. Take a tour through the ancient Hellenistic city of **Hierapolis**, famed for its unique geological features. Next, explore the **Cotton Castle**, a natural wonder of white waterfalls, stalactites and natural pools.

Explore the otherworldly landscapes formed over the centuries by the passing of mineral-rich water from nearby hot springs, the perfect spot to practice your photography skills! As the day draws to a close, stop by a textile shop before you transfer to your hotel. **Dinner** and overnight stay in Pamukkale.

Estimated distance and travel time: 385 miles, 8 hrs approx.

The timing indication shows the effective time of driving, it doesn't consider the obligatory stops every 2 hours lasting an average of 15 minutes each.









## 09/12: Pamukkale - Ephesus - Kusadasi - Izmir

Breakfast at the hotel. Delve deeper into the history of this land today. Pay a visit to an important pilgrimage site, the House of the Virgin Mary, believed to be the place where she spent the final years of her life.

Head to the Greco-Roman City of **Ephesus**, once the capital of Asia Minor and one of the best-preserved cities from this period. Discover the Temple of Hadrian, the Temple of Trajan, the Theatre and the Library of Celsus. Finally, check out an artisan leather shop to see how the local craftsmen work with this material.

Afterwards, head north to the city of **Izmir** or **Kusadasi**, depending on the confirmed hotel. Izmir is known for its expansive archaeological sites and is situated on the beautiful Aegean coast. **Dinner** and transfer to your hotel.

Estimated distance and travel time: 140 miles, 4 hrs approx.

The timing indication shows the effective time of driving, it doesn't consider the obligatory stops every 2 hours lasting an average of 15 minutes each.

Please note: During the summer months (May to November), accommodation may be in the city of Izmir instead of Kusadasi, but the order of the itinerary will remain the same.



## City Tour of Bursa.





## 10/12: Izmir - Pergamon - Troy - Canakkale

Breakfast at the hotel. The first stop of the day is the ancient city of **Pergamon**, one of the most important cultural, commercial and medical centers of antiquity. Visit the Asclepion, the ancient world's most prestigious hospital, once home to Galen, the famous Greek physician and philosopher.

Another exciting highlight awaits as you continue to the archaeological site of **Troy**, one of history's most legendary cities! Discover incredible ruins and relive the famous saga of the siege of Troy, immortalized in Homer's Iliad.

Afterwards, continue to **Canakkale**. Spread across both sides of the Dardanelles Strait, this historic city is home to fascinating museums and sights related to its strategic location on the Dardanelles Strait. Transfer to the hotel, dinner and overnight stay in Canakkale.

Estimated distance and travel time: 280 miles, 6 hrs approx.

The timing indication shows the effective time of driving, it doesn't consider the obligatory stops every 2 hours lasting an average of 15 minutes each.



## 11/12: Canakkale - Bursa - Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. Set off for **Bursa** this morning, the first capital of the Ottoman Empire. The city is also known as 'Green Bursa' as it's surrounded by lush forests and mountains.

Pay a visit to the spectacular Ulu Camii Mosque, Koza Han Silk Bazaar and the Green Tomb. After exploring Bursa, continue north to **Topçular** to cross the Gulf of Izmit either by ferry or by crossing the Osmangazi Bridge (decision based on operational reasons).

After crossing the Gulf, continue by road to Istanbul. Arrive, get settled at the hotel. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

Estimated distance and travel time: 270 miles, 8 hrs approx.

The timing indication shows the effective time of driving, it doesn't consider the obligatory stops every 2 hours lasting an average of 15 minutes each.



## 12/12: Istanbul - Canada

Breakfast\* at the hotel. It's time to bring your adventure through Turkey to an end. At the indicated time, transfer to the airport for a flight back to Canada. Arrive in Canada and end your trip\*\*.

\*Depending on the return flight schedule and the hotel breakfast service, you may not be able to enjoy the included breakfast on the last day.

\*\*Depending on the choice of flight, you may arrive back in Canada the following day.

•ooo Light Even though you will be seated most of the time, you may be required to walk short distances or climb some steps.

You will be required to walk short distances and climb some steps. Time will be spent both standing and sitting down.

●●●○ Active You will be required to walk for a few hours on comfortable terrain.

A good level of fitness is required. You will be required to walk on difficult terrain and/or for long periods of time.

#### ACCOMMODATION | CATEGORY: SUPERIOR



From 02 to 05 December

La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul Gunesli or similar

LOCATION 15 Temmuz Dist. Bahar Ave. No 61, Istanbul 34212 Turkiye

CATEGORY \*\*\*\* **NIGHTS** 

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\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 02 to 05 December: La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul Gunesli, Centro Westside By Rotana, Elite World Grand İstanbul Basın Ekspres, Tryp by Wyndham Istanbul Topkapi 4\*.



From 05 to 06 December

Radisson Blu Hotel, Ankara or similar

**LOCATION** Istiklal Cad. No: 20, Ankara

06030 Turkiye

CATEGORY \*\*\* **NIGHTS** 

\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 05 to 06 December: Radisson Blu Hotel, Ankara, Crowne Plaza Ankara, Downtown Ankara Hotel, Holiday Inn Ankara Kavaklidere, Holiday Inn Express Ankara - Airport an IHG Hotel, Occidental Ankara, The Green Park Hotel Ankara.



From 06 to 08 December

Ramada By Wyndham Cappadocia or similar

**LOCATION** Nevsehir Cd. No:1 Karatas Mevkii, Ortahisar 50560 Turkiye

**CATEGORY** 

**NIGHTS** 

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\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 06 to 08 December: Ramada By Wyndham Cappadocia, Avrasya Hotel, Charming Cave Hotel, Crowne Plaza Cappadocia, DoubleTree by Hilton Avanos, Emin Koçak Kapadokya Termal Hotel, Monark Hotel Cappadocia, Mustafa Cappadocia, Signature Garden Avanos Hotel & Spa, Suhan Cappadocia Hotel & Spa, Suhan Cappadocia Hotel & Spa, The Loop Cappadocia.



From 08 to 09 December

Richmond Pamukkale Thermal or similar

LOCATION 163 2 Street, Karahayit 20290 Turkiye

**CATEGORY** 

**NIGHTS** 

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<sup>\*</sup>You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 08 to 09 December: Richmond Pamukkale Thermal, Adempira Termal & Spa Hotel, Hierapark Thermal & Spa Hotel, Lycus River Hotel, Spa Colossae Thermal.





From 09 to 10 December

## Ramada Plaza By Wyndham İzmir or similar

LOCATION Murselsapa Bulv No. 12/104 Etiler Mah, Izmir 35240 Turkiye



**NIGHTS** 

\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 09 to 10 December: Ramada Plaza By Wyndham İzmir, Blanca Hotel, By Aksu Termal Hotel & SPA, Faustina Hotel & Spa, Grand Belish Hotel, Hampton by Hilton Izmir Aliaga, Infinity By Yelken Kusadasi, Kaya Prestige, Le Bleu Hotel & Resort, Marina Kusadasi, Mia City Hotel, Radisson Izmir Aliaga, Ramada Encore by Wyndham Izmir, Ramada Hotel & Suites by Wyndham Kusadasi, Ramada Kemalpasa Izmir.



From 10 to 11 December

Yurdakul Hotel or similar

**LOCATION** Barbaros Mahallesi Troya Caddesi No:135, Canakkale 17100 Turkiye

**CATEGORY** \*\*\* **NIGHTS** 

\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 10 to 11 December: Yurdakul Hotel, Armida City Hotel Canakkale, Ida Kale Resort Hotel, MD Barbaros, Oytun Hotel Canakkale, Parion Hotel, Remida Hotel.



From 11 to 12 December

La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul Gunesli or similar

**LOCATION** 15 Temmuz Dist. Bahar Ave. No 61, Istanbul 34212 Turkiye

**CATEGORY** 

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**NIGHTS** 

\*You will be accommodated in any of the following hotels of our Superior Category from 11 to 12 December: La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul Gunesli, Centro Westside By Rotana, Elite World Grand İstanbul Basın Ekspres, Tryp by Wyndham Istanbul Topkapi 4\*.

#### **FLIGHTS**

Remember that before checking in you should review each airline's Ts & C's, as baggage policies vary by airline.

Departure

01/12/2024

Toronto (YYZ) - Istanbul (IST)

Departure: 12:45pm

Arrival:  $01:00pm^{+1}$ 

Stops: 1 stop

Cabin class Economy

Baggage

Cabin baggage (10kg): 1 per passenger

Checked luggage: 2 per passenger

Return

12/12/2024

র্ব্ধ Istanbul (IST) - Toronto (YYZ)

Departure: 06:50pm

Arrival: 07:00am<sup>+1</sup>

Stops: 1 stop

Cabin class Economy

Baggage

Cabin baggage (10kg): 1 per passenger

Checked luggage: 2 per passenger



#### **PERSONALISE**

What is included in your trip

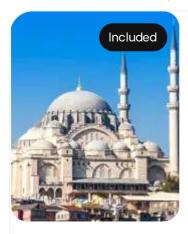
Rooms



1 Double bed

Included in the final price

Activities included and purchased for your trip



## Visit to the Mosque of Suleiman the Magnificent.

Included activity for day 2 in Istanbul

Visit the Suleiman the Magnificent Mosque located on the third hill of Istanbul built by the famous imperial architect Mimar Sinan, one of his greatest masterpieces.

What's included: One way Transfer to the mosque and guide.

Not included: Transfer back from the Mosque.

Duration 01:00h . Pick up time: 08:30 Physical rating: ••• Active



## Bosphorus Cruise & Spice Bazaar Visit

Included activity for day 3 in Istanbul

Enjoy a boat trip on the Bosphorus Channel, which runs through the heart of the city, marking the border between Europe and Asia. Appreciate the views of Istanbul's old palaces and traditional riverside houses before heading to the famous Spice Bazaar.

What's included: One way transfer to go, guide and boat ticket.

Not included: Transfer back from the visit.

Duration 04:00h.

Pick up time: 07:00

Physical rating:

•••• Moderate



## Ankara & Ataturk Mausoleum

Included activity for day 4 in Ankara

Pay a visit to Ataturk Mausoleum in Ankara, dedicated to the founder of Modern Turkey.

Duration 01:30h . Pick up time: 13:00 Physical rating: •••• Light



What's included: Transfers and entrance ticket.

Not included: Guide.



### Salt Lake Visit

Included activity for day 5 in Cappadocia

On the journey towards Cappadocia, pay a visit

to the spectacular Salt Lake.

What's included: Transfers.

Not included: Guide.

Duration 00:45h . Pick up time: 15:00 Physical rating:

••oo Moderate



## Full-Day Highlights of Cappadocia Excursion

Included activity for day 6 in Cappadocia

Visit the Goreme Valley Open Air Museum, home to rock-cut churches with beautiful frescoes. Next, explore the Valleys of Avcilar, Pasabagi and Güvercinlik, where the 'Fairy Chimneys' are located. End the day with a visit to a local artisan workshop.

What's included: Transfers, guide and entrance tickets.

Duration 06:00h. Pick up time: 09:00 Physical rating:

••oo Moderate



## Visit to Hierapolis & Cotton Castle in Pamukkale

Included activity for day 7 in Pamukkale

Tour the ancient Hellenistic city of Hierapolis before exploring the Cotton Castle, a natural wonder of white waterfalls, stalactites and mineral-rich pools. Explore the natural pools and otherworldly landscapes and take in the spectacular views.

What's included: Transfers, guide and entrance tickets to the sites mentioned.

Duration 01:30h . Pick up time: 07:00 Physical rating:

•••o Active

Pick up time at the hotel is at 7AM but the activity starts in the afternoon once you arrive at Pamukkale.



## Ephesus visit and Pilgrimage to the House of the Virgin Mary.

Included activity for day 8 in Ephesus

Duration 02:00h. Pick up time: 08:00 Physical rating:

•••o Active



Discover the temples of Hadrian and Trajan, the Theater and the Library of Celsus before visiting the House of the Virgin Mary, an important pilgrimage site in historic Ephesus.

What's included: Entrance tickets to the sites mentioned, transfers and guides.



## Highlights of Pergamon & Troy

Included activity for day 9 in Troy

Explore Pergamon and visit the Asclepion, the most prestigious hospital in the ancient world and once home to the famous Greek physician and philosopher, Galen! Next, head to the ruins of Troy, one of the most legendary cities in all of history!

What's included: Transfers, guide and entrance tickets to the sites mentioned.

Duration 02:00h.
Pick up time: 08:00
Physical rating:

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## City Tour of Bursa.

Included activity for day 10

Explore Bursa, the first capital of the Ottoman Empire. Here, pay a visit to the spectacular Ulucamii Mosque, explore the Kozahan Silk Bazaar and the Green Tomb the mausoleum of the fifth Ottoman Sultan, Mehmed I.

What's included: Transfers and entrance tickets to the sites mentioned.

Duration 02:00h.
Pick up time: 08:00
Physical rating:
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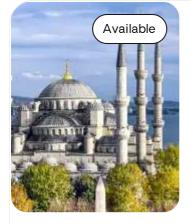


## Early Check-in Istanbul - Superior

Suggested activity for day 1

Early check-in allows you to enter your room before the hotel's regular check-in time for an additional cost. \$112 / person

Physical rating: •••• Light



## Pack of 3 Excursions - Istanbul Package

Suggested activity for day 1 in Istanbul

Add 3 activities at once and save! This package includes: a full-day tour of Istanbul, a half-day tour of Anatolia, plus dinner and show on a Bosphorus cruise.

## \$349 / person

Pick up time: info at destination

Physical rating:

●●● Challenging

You can find a description of each activity in the itinerary. If you prefer, you also have the option to book each one separately.



## Pack of 3 Excursions - Cappadocia Package

Suggested activity for day 1 in Cappadocia
Add 3 activities at once and save! This package includes a hot air balloon ride over Cappadocia, a Turkish Night plus a sunset 4x4 tour.

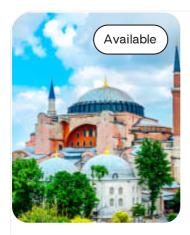
## \$482 / person

Pick up time: info at destination

Physical rating:

●●● Challenging

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## Full-Day Istanbul City Tour

Suggested activity for day 2 in Istanbul

Begin by visiting Topkapi Palace, once residence to the Ottoman Sultans. Make a photo-stop at the Hagia Sophia, which you can enter on your own later. Stop for lunch at a local restaurant before a tour of the outside of the iconic Blue Mosque.

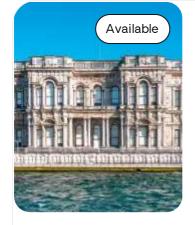
What's included: Guide, entrance tickets to the sites mentioned, round-trip transfers, lunch.

**Not included:** Interior tour of the Hagia Sophia not included. You will have time to enter and tour on your own if desired.

## \$178 / person

Duration 08:00h Approx. Pick up time: info at destination Physical rating:

●●● Challenging



## Half-Day Anatolian Istanbul Excursion with Lunch

Suggested activity for day 3 in Istanbul

Explore the Anatolian side of Istanbul including its Beylerbeyi Palace overlooking the Bosphorus Bridge, Camlica Hill and the district of Üsküdar. Lunch included.

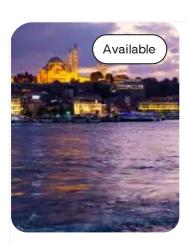
What's included: Guide, lunch, entrance tickets to the sites mentioned, round-trip transfers

## \$112 / person

Duration 06:00h Approx. Pick up time: 11:00 Approx Physical rating:

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## Dinner Show on the Bosphorus

Suggested activity for day 3

Boat trip on the Bosphorus (1.5 h approx.), with dinner on board. See the illuminated suspension bridges of Istanbul at night. Includes dance shows (belly dance and dervish), Turkish music show and two drinks per person.

What's included: Transfer to/from hotel, dinner on board, dance performances, Turkish music show and two drinks per person.

## \$104 / person

Duration 02:00h Approx. Pick up time: 19:00 Approx

Physical rating:

●●OO Moderate



## Jeep Safari and Sunset in Cappadocia

Suggested activity for day 5 in Cappadocia

Tour through the deep valleys of Cappadocia in a 4X4 jeep, taking an exciting off-road ride that will get your blood pumping.

What's included: Transfers.

Not included: Guide.

## \$97 / person

Duration 02:00h Approx. Pick up time: info at destination

Physical rating:

●●● Challenging



## Ballooning in Cappadocia

Suggested activity for day 6 in Cappadocia

Enjoy an exciting 40-minute hot air balloon flight and float over the Cappadocia 'Fairy Chimneys', including a toast and flight certificate after landing.

What's included: Transfer to take the hot air balloon included, 40 minutes hot air balloon flight over Cappadocia, a toast and a flight certificate after landing.

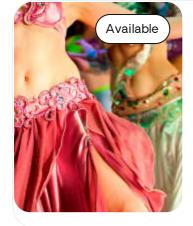
## \$349 / person

Duration 01:15h Approx. Pick up time: 05:00 Approx

Physical rating:

••oo Moderate

Minimum age limit for children: 6 years old.



## Turkish Night in Cappadocia

Suggested activity for day 6 in Cappadocia

A fun event filled with typical dances from the different regions in Turkey, including the famous belly dance.

What's included: Transfer, Show and Unlimited

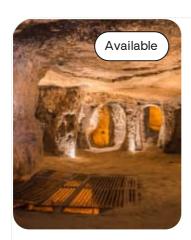
drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic)

Not included: Meals.

## \$104 / person

Duration 02:00h
Approx. Pick up time:
19:30 Approx
Physical rating:

••••• Light



## Visit to Kaymakli, the Underground City

Suggested activity for day 6 in Kaymakli Underground City

Visit the underground city of Kaymakli, 20 km from the city of Nevsehir. Believed to have been built in the Hittite period. Widest of the underground cities in the region of Nevsehir. Duration: between 40min and 1 hour.

What's included: Transfers, guide and entrance tickets.

## \$45 / person

Pick up time: 08:00

Approx

Physical rating:

●●●O Active

This activity is not suitable for people with reduced mobility, pregnant women or claustrophobic people due to the nature of the activity and narrow spaces during the underground visit.



### **QUOTE BREAKDOWN**

Turkey • 12 Days	
Turkey - Treasures of Anatolia (2 adults)	\$5,198
1 Double room - ( double )	\$0
PremiumCare	\$0
Total per person	

# TO BOOK THIS TRIP, PLEASE CONTACT SILVER SAND TOURS 437.660.7202 • sstours@centreholidays.com



#### **QUOTE BREAKDOWN**

#### **OFFER CONDITIONS**

Remember to download your e-ticket to confirm the times of your flights and to complete online check-in using the airline's website, or directly at the check-in desk at the airport.

Accommodation at the hotels is as indicated. In the event of any changes to accommodation, they will always be of the same, or a higher category. The category of hotels is not standardized across all countries in the world. For this reason, the criteria may differ depending on the destination country's own standards.

The extra bed in hotels are fold-out style and smaller in size than a standard single bed. Triple rooms are not bigger or more spacious only because they are occupied by 3 people.

This is a fast-paced itinerary that includes a comprehensive number of sights and activities in order to give you the most complete experience of Turkey! You can expect several early morning departures and a full daily schedule of activities. Total distance traveled by bus is around 2400 km.

In the case of adverse weather conditions, for safety reasons or for any other reasons deemed appropriate, the order and duration of the excursions included in the itinerary may be changed or cancelled without prior notice.

In Istanbul the transfer by bus to the activities is organised by hotel location, not language. Once you arrive at the destination the group is consolidated based on your language. You will always have a guide speaking your language available.

Very rarely during low season some group tour departures may be bilingual (spanish and english) although each group will have one guide for English and one guide for Spanish.

Payments at the destination with credit or debit cards may be subject to commission and fluctuations in currency exchange. We recommend making all payments in cash.

If you have reduced mobility, require the use of a wheelchair, or you would prefer this tour to be a private experience for you and your group, you must contact our Experts at +1778 807 9750 before booking to ensure that your needs can be met.

While on the road, it is highly unlikely that the vehicle will be equipped with wifi or bathroom facilities, though rest stops will be made for long trips. We recommend purchasing a new SIM card at the airport or placing an e-SIM before travel to guarantee internet connection.

Room allocation: We will do our best to accommodate your family in the same room. If availability doesn't permit this, we guarantee your family will be accommodated as close together as possible. Children will always be accommodated in a room with at least 1 adult.

Booster seats: Not available in all destinations. Feel free to take your own if you need one.

#### **NOT INCLUDES**

Drinks, entrance fees, tips and any other services not mentioned in "What's included".

Mandatory tips of 40 USD per person (for Guides, drivers, porters and waiters) are not included in the price and must be paid at the destination. These are the ONLY mandatory tips you will be required to pay for during this tour. Tipping for the rest of the trip is optional, but keep in mind that tipping is an important part of Turkish culture and that it is commonplace for service providers to ask for tips. In these cases, it is up to your personal discretion whether to tip or not.

Please note that passengers arriving to Turkey from January 15th 2023 onwards must make a tourism tax payment of \$10 per person. This payment is imposed by the Turkish Ministry of Tourism and is mandatory for all passengers entering their country. This tourist tax is not included in the total booking amount and it will be collected by the tour guide in order to be paid to the authorities.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT VISAS, PASSPORTS AND VACCINATIONS

For domestic and international travel, please check entry requirements (e.g. USA and ESTA, Canada and eTA or other authorities, Schengen Area and ETIAS), passport validity (canadian travellers are required to have a passport valid for 6 month) and vaccination requirements (vaccination guidelines and COVID-19 testing requirements), set by the authorities of each of the destination and/or transit countries. Check the official websites of the migration and health agencies in your home country, destination and transit countries, as well as airline requirements. In the event of refusal by the authorities of exit or entry into the country of destination or transit due to the failure to meet required conditions or failure to carry the correct documentation, Exoticca assumes no responsibility and our no-show policy will apply, with any costs being incurred directly by the traveler. If a traveler is found to have visited a country designated as State Sponsor of Terrorism (09.11.2022, Countries: Cuba, North Korea, Iran, Syria), the traveler is no longer eligible to participate in the Visa Wavier Program and must apply for a visa to enter the United States.

#### Important Information.

If your destination is in the Schengen Area, or if your selected flights to a different destination have connections in the Schengen Area countries, during 2023 it will be mandatory to have an ETIAS before traveling. Please consult: https://www.etiasvisa.com/



#### **IMPORTANT NOTES**

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24/7 dedicated care from our Exoticca Travel Experts to assist you during your trip from anywhere in the world.

### Trip Refund Guarantee

In the unlikely event that we need to cancel your trip, you'll be guaranteed a refund within 14 days. Exoticca is a member of ASTA and adheres to ASTA's code of ethics, commitment to quality service and ethical business practices.

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