

Ottoman Glory to Island Serenity



Summary

Starting From: 0

Duration: 6 Days & 5 Nights.

Dates: 01 Apr, 2025 to 01 Nov, 2025

Highlights: Arrival in Istanbul with Bosphorus Dinner Cruise. Explore Hagia Sophia, Blue Mosque & Grand Bazaar. Visit Bursa & Uludag and the car-free Princes' Islands Includes 4-star accommodation, daily breakfast, 3 lunches, guided tours, and airport transfers.

Categories: Family Tours, Honeymoon Tours, Leisure Tour

Itinerary

Day 1 - Arrival in Istanbul - Bosphorus Dinner Cruise

When you arrive at Istanbul's Airport, our representative will be there to welcome you. They will assist you with your luggage and guide you to your transportation. You will then be transferred to your hotel, where you can check in, settle into your room, and take some time to relax and rest after your journey. In the evening, you will embark on a captivating Bosphorus Dinner Cruise. As you sail along the strait, you'll have the unique experience of cruising between two continents—Europe and Asia—while taking in breathtaking views of Istanbul's skyline, beautifully illuminated at night. During the cruise, you will enjoy a delectable dinner, accompanied by soft drinks. To make the evening even more memorable, there will be a live Folklore Show showcasing traditional Turkish music and dance performances, immersing you in the rich cultural heritage of the country.

Guideline: Keep passports, boarding passes, and valuables handy. Verify luggage allowance for your flight. Prepare for the Bosphorus Cruise by dressing comfortably and bringing a light jacket. Be ready for pick-up at the designated time, enjoy the scenic views, dinner, and entertainment on board, and ensure you have your essentials with you. After the cruise, you'll be transferred back to your hotel.

 Dinner

Day 2 - Full Day Old City Byzantine and Ottoman Relics Tour

After you've had your breakfast, your guide will pick you up from the hotel lobby and kick off your Old City adventure! In the morning, you'll check out some of Istanbul's most famous sights like Hagia Sophia, the Blue Mosque, and the Hippodrome. Then it's time to refuel with lunch at a local spot. After that, you'll explore the stunning Topkapi Palace, and wrap up the day browsing through the colorful lanes of the Grand Bazaar. Finally, you'll head back to your hotel to relax.

Guideline: Dress comfortably and be ready for pick-up at your hotel. Follow the guide at each site, enjoy lunch, and ensure you have all your belongings before returning to the hotel.

 Breakfast  Lunch

Day 3 - Full Day Bursa Cable Car + Shopping Tour

After enjoying breakfast at your hotel, your guide will meet you in the lobby to begin a full-day excursion to Bursa, a city rich in history and culture, located at the base of Mount Uludag. The tour starts with an exciting cable car ride up the mountain, offering breathtaking views of Bursa and its surrounding landscapes. At the summit, you will have time to relax, breathe in the crisp mountain air, and appreciate the natural beauty. Later, the tour continues with a visit to Bursa's renowned shopping areas, where you'll find traditional markets and shops offering authentic handicrafts, textiles, and Turkish delights. This is an ideal opportunity to immerse yourself in the local culture and purchase unique souvenirs. A delicious lunch is included in the tour. The day concludes with a comfortable transfer back to your hotel.

Guideline: Dress comfortably and wear sturdy shoes. After breakfast, follow your guide through Bursa's sites,

enjoy a cable car ride and views at Uludag, have lunch, and ensure you have all your belongings before returning to your hotel.

 Breakfast  Lunch

Day 4 - Princess Islands Day Trip

After the breakfast guide will be picked up from your hotel and both transfers are available drive and ferry due to weather condition. You'll board the ferry and enjoy a scenic ride across the Sea of Marmara to Büyükada, the largest of the islands. Once there, you can explore the island by renting a bicycle or taking a horse-drawn carriage, visiting notable sites such as the Aya Yorgi Church and historic wooden mansions. Enjoy a delicious lunch at a seaside restaurant, sampling fresh seafood and traditional Turkish dishes. Spend the afternoon at your leisure, relaxing on the beach or visiting local markets and cafes. The day concludes with a return ferry ride to Istanbul, where you'll be transferred back to your hotel.

Guideline: Book your tour and ferry tickets in advance, wear comfortable clothing, and bring sun protection, cash, and a camera. Stay hydrated and check the weather forecast for a smooth experience.

 Breakfast  Lunch

Day 5 - Free Day Self leisure and Optional tour

Spend your free day shopping at your own pace, exploring local markets and stores for souvenirs and unique finds. After a day of shopping and exploration, return to your hotel to relax and unwind before the next part of your journey.

Guideline: Explore Istanbul at your own pace .Turkish Bath (Hammam), Spice Bazaar, or shopping at Istiklal Street Our team can assist with reservations if needed

 Breakfast

Day 6 - Transfer to Istanbul airport for home-bound flight.

As your unforgettable Turkish journey concludes, we ensure a seamless departure with a timely transfer from your hotel to Istanbul Airport (IST) for your home-bound flight. Our professional driver will escort you in comfort, allowing you to relax and reflect on the incredible experiences of your tour

Guideline: Ensure a smooth departure by confirming your airport transfer Keep passports, boarding passes, and valuables handy Verify luggage allowance for flight

 Breakfast

Inclusion

- Airport transfers (arrival & departure)
- 5 nights accommodation with breakfast
- Bosphorus Dinner Cruise with soft drinks & folklore show
- Full-day guided tours with lunch:
 - Istanbul Old City
 - Bursa with cable car
 - Princess' Island
- A/C transportation during tours
- English-speaking guide for all tours

Exclusions

- International airfare
- Museum entrance fees (Day 02 - Old City Tour)
- Personal expenses, tips, and beverages (unless specified)
- Travel insurance
- Visa fees (if applicable)
- Optional activities on free day

Rates (Valid From 22 Apr, 2025 to 22 Apr, 2025)

Hotel Category	Double Sharing	Triple Sharing	Single Occupancy
Three Star	Rs 0	Rs 0	-
Four Star	Rs 0	Rs 0	-
Five Star	-	-	-

Three Star Four Star Five Star

Triple Sharing

Double Sharing

Single Occupancy

Child Policy

Child Policy: • Ages 0-2: Free of charge; a baby cot can be requested at the hotel, or the child will share the parents' bed. • Ages 3-6: 50% discount on twin sharing price; shares the existing bed with parents. • Ages 7-11: 25% discount on twin sharing price; an extra mattress will be provided. • Ages 12+: Full price; an extra mattress will be provided. For children aged 0-2 years, a baby cot can be requested at the hotel reception. If unavailable, the child will share the existing bed with parents. Kid's Accommodation: • For children, 3-6 years will share the existing bed with parents. • For children 7-11 years an extra mattress will be prearranged in parent's room. • For children 12 years an extra mattress will be prearranged in the parent's room. • Travelers who are under 18 years old on the departure date must be accompanied by an adult throughout the tour, and are requested to share an adult's accommodation.