

PROPOSAL FOR TRIP TO TURKEY

06 NIGHTS & 07 DAYS



PRESENTED

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TOUR DETAILS

DESTINATION	HOTELS OPTIONS
ISTANBUL	SURA HAGIA SOPHIA HOTEL OR SIMILAR - SUPERIOR ROOM WITH HAGIA SOPHIA VIEW
CAPPADOCIA	CAPPADOCIA ACER CAVE HOTEL OR SIMILAR - DELUXE SUITE ROOM

PRICE INCLUDES

- Visa Assistance
- Arrival & Departure Transfers on Private Basis
- All tours and sightseeing by private air-conditioned vehicle.
- 06 Nights' Accommodation at the hotels mentioned
- **Private Airport Transfers with new model vehicles**
- Domestic Flight Tickets (23 kg allowance)
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees to museums
- English Speaking Local Tour Guides
- Daily Excursions as per itinerary on Private basis
- Daily bottled Water
- Tips on Restaurants & Hotels
- **All Tours and Transfers on private basis.**
- Travel Insurance

EXCLUSION

- **5% GST**
- **Personal Expenses:** Expenses of a personal nature such as cigarettes, liquor, table drinks, and mineral water.
- **Meals:** Any extra meals – Lunches & Dinner which is not included.
- **Optional Tours:** Any tours or activities not explicitly included in the itinerary provided.

Unspecified Expenses: Anything not mentioned in the Cost Highlights column of the proposal.

- **Incidental Expenses: Any laundry, telephone calls, tips & gratuities, and portorage.**
- **Arising from Unforeseen Events: Any expenses incurred due to natural calamities like road blockages, political disturbances (strikes), etc., are to be borne by the client and paid directly on-site.**
- **Credit Card Transaction Fees: If payment is made by credit card, additional charges or fees associated with credit card transactions will apply.**
- **Tipping for driver and tour guide**

Note: 5% GST will be applicable on the total billing

SUGGESTED ITINERARY

DAY 1: ISTANBUL

Upon your arrival to Istanbul, you will be welcomed and transferred to your hotel in old city. A welcome package with tour vouchers, an Istanbul map, and any other touristic information will be waiting for you upon arrival at your hotel. Free time is given for the rest of the day. Overnight in Istanbul

DAY 2: ISTANBUL OLD CITY (BREAKFAST & LUNCH INCLUDED)

Between 08:30 - 09:00 am Pick up from hotel you will have a full day guided tour of the Hagia Sophia Mosque (see from exterior), pride of the Byzantine architecture, Byzantine Hippodrome, where chariot races were held, Blue Mosque, famous for its blue Iznik tiles, Topkapi Palace, former residence of Ottoman Sultans and Grand Bazaar, Turkey's largest covered market with 4000 shops. Overnight in Istanbul (Topkapi Palace is closed on Tuesdays, replaced by Underground Cistern or Turkish and Islamic Arts Musuem & Grand Bazaar is closed on Sundays, replaced with Spice Bazaar)

DAY 3: ISTANBUL BOSPHORUS, SPICE MARKET & FENER BALAT, PIERRE LOTI HILL TOUR (BREAKFAST & LUNCH INCLUDED)

Between 08:30 - 09:00 am Pick up from hotel, we will visit the Spice Market, where locals still shop for herbs and spices from all over the world. Then, embark on a cruise along the Bosphorus, the unique winding strait separating two continents.

After lunch, visit driving to Pierre Loti Hill where we are going to enjoy the enchanting view and have a coffee at the famous Pierre Loti Cafe. Then, visit Eyüp Mosque and we will be exploring this conservative town called Eyüp. We will be exploring the old city walls next to the Golden Horn and learn about how the Ottomans conquered Constantinople with gun powder and great cannons. City Walls of Constantinople have been surviving over centuries and waiting to be discovered. Here, we're going to explain how massive byzantine structures affected the longevity of the empire. Later visit Balat and Fener districts are parts of the Greek Heritage of Istanbul. They have been very hipster-like areas for the last ten years with the investments of young, smart Turkish businesspeople. You're going to be fascinated with colourful cafes, boutique stores, and street art.

We are finishing the tour here and taking you back to your hotel.



DAY 4: PRINCESS ISLANDS (BREAKFAST & LUNCH INCLUDED)

Between 08:00 - 08:30 am Pick up from hotel and we take the ferry to one of the Princes' Islands, Buyukada (Big Island) which is a quiet sea front town and summer holiday escape from the city. Leaving the Golden Horn by ferry, you will round Sarayburnu, the headland on which the domes and minarets of Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia and Blue Mosque can be seen. We will pass four islands with their charming old Ottoman houses and finally reach Buyukada, the largest of the islands. Upon arrival to the island, you will see the lavish Ottoman mansions and other beautiful Victorian summer villas around the island. We will take a tour of the island by electric vehicle and will pass elegant old wooden mansions and beautiful natural scenery. This a perfect day for relaxing and enjoying one of Istanbul's residents' favourite summer retreats. Return by ferry and drop off to hotel. Overnight in Istanbul

DAY 5: ISTANBUL TO CAPPADOCIA BY INTERNAL FLIGHT (BREAKFAST INCLUDED)

Pick up from your hotel in Istanbul and transfer to the airport by your private vehicle. You will take a direct flight from Istanbul to Cappadocia, which is about 1 hour. Upon arrival, you will meet by our represent with your name on board at the exit of the airport and be transferred to your hotel in Cappadocia. The rest of the day is free time to explore at your leisure. Overnight in Cappadocia

DAY 6: CAPPADOCIA TOUR (BREAKFAST & LUNCH INCLUDED)

You can book an early morning optional hot air balloon tour to enjoy the magnificent view of the valleys and the region. After breakfast at 9:30 – 10:00 am Pick up from your hotel & Tour Start from Devrent Valley (Imagination Valley), spectacular fairy chimneys and beautiful and scapes. After Devrent valley, we will visit Pasa bag(known as monk valley) where double and triple headed rock formation. Lunch at Avanos, famous for pottery and Redriver (Kızılırmak). After lunch, you will visit open air museum which heart of Cappadocia. Open air museum famous for wall painting, dates to 10th century describing the life of Jesus Christand monks. The last stop will be Uchisar castle, naturalan done of the biggest mass fairy chimney of the region. Overnight in Cappadocia

DAY 7: CAPPADOCIA TO ISTANBUL BY INTERNAL FLIGHT (BREAKFAST INCLUDED)

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Istanbul and our tour concludes upon arrival to Istanbul. You can connect to your outbound flight.