

## Itinerary

**Tour code: MTT-17**

**Visited places: Istanbul, Cappadocia and Ephesus**

**Duration: 10 Days and 9 Nights**

**Departures: Everyday all year-round**

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### **DAY - 1 ARRIVAL IN ISTANBUL**

Arrival and transfer from the airport to hotel, free afternoon and overnight in Istanbul.

### **DAY - 2 ISTANBUL TOUR 1 (B-L)**

After breakfast in your hotel, around 08:30 am our guide will pick you up from the reception. Today's tour is Bosphorus and 2 Continents. You will visit the following places, Spice Bazaar (Egyptian Bazaar), Bosphorus Cruise, Rumeli Fortres, Dolmabahce Palace, Bosphorus Bridge, Camlica Hill. 5:30 back to the hotel and overnight in Istanbul.

### **DAY - 3 ISTANBUL TOUR 2 (B-L)**

After breakfast in your hotel, around 08:30 am reception. Today's tour is Byzantine and Ottoman Relics. You will visit the following places, Haghia-Sophia, Blue Mosque, Hippodrome, Grand Bazaar, Topkapi Palace, Suleymaniye Mosque. 5:30pm back to the hotel and overnight in Istanbul.

### **DAY - 4 FLIGHT TO CAPPADOCIA / CAPPADOCIA TOUR (B-L)**

Today around 06:30 am we will transfer you to Istanbul airport for flight to Kayseri airport (Cappadocia). 08:35am flight from Istanbul to Kayseri. 10:00am arrive in Kayseri and transfer to Special Class Cave Hotel. As soon as you arrive, we will depart for Full guided Cappadocia Tour 1. Starting the tour to visit Devrent Valley, Zelve Open-Air Museum, Monk's valley (Pasabagi) where you will find the world known fairy chimneys. Break for lunch in Avanos and then continue on to the Goreme Open-Air Museum where you will visit the numerous rock carved churches and monasteries. Depart for a panoramic view of Esentepe and then on to Uchisar, a natural rock castle at the end of the tour back to the hotel. Back to hotel around 5:30pm and overnight stay in Cappadocia.

### **DAY - 5 CAPPADOCIA TOUR 2 / BUS RIDE TO KUSADASI (B-L)**

After breakfast, departing for Full guided Cappadocia Tour 2. This time to visit the famous Derinkuyu Underground City. Afterwards a short hike through the green Ihlara Valley along the stream visiting some of the churches along the way. Stop in Belisirma for lunch and then on to Selime for a panoramic view. After the tour, back to hotel or to the agency around 5:30pm. Tonight you will have an overnight bus journey all the way to Kusadasi.

### **DAY - 6 ARRIVAL IN KUSADASI / EPHEBUS TOUR (B-L)**

After arriving at Kusadasi bus station we will pick you up and take you to your hotel or directly to Ephesus area if there is not enough time. (you will check-in after the tour). Full guided Ephesus Tour. Visiting Temple of Artemis, Ephesus Ruins (Theatre, Celsius Library, Agora, Odeon, Domitianus Temple, Trajan Fountain, Roman Latrine). Lunch and visit St. John, Museum and House of Virgin Mary. Transfer to Hotel and Overnight in Kusadasi.

### **DAY - 7 FLIGHT TO ISTANBUL / TURKISH NIGHT SHOW (B-D)**

Today after breakfast (07:30am) we will transfer you to Izmir airport. 10:30 am flight back to Istanbul. 11:30 am arrive in Istanbul and transfer to hotel. Free day until 8:00pm, pick up from your hotel. 1001 Night Show in Istanbul (With Dinner)! You will be watching a spectacular floor show of famous, belly-dancers with full night, traditional live 1001 NIGHTS Anatolian Folklore Groups featuring popular musical instruments and Turkish singers with surprises. Around midnight we will transfer you to hotel. Overnight in Istanbul.

**DAY - 8 PRINCESS ISLAND TOUR (B-L)**

After breakfast in your hotel, pick up at 08:30am and departing for Princess Island Tour. Cruise in Marmara Sea to Princess Islands: Stop at Büyükada, the popular summer resort with sandy beaches and pinewood scenery, once the pleasure island of Byzantine Princes. Tour of the island with horse-drawn carriages before lunch at a fish restaurant. 19.00 return to Istanbul and transfer to hotel. Also visioned during the tour: Topkapi Palace, Leander's Tower, Uskudar from the sea. Overnight in Istanbul.

**DAY 9- FREE DAY (B)**

After breakfast in your hotel, you have free day to discover more about Istanbul on your own! Overnight in Istanbul.

**DAY 10- FLIGHT BACK HOME (B)**

After breakfast, transfer to Istanbul international airport. Goodbye!

**Legend:** B: Breakfast, L: Lunch, D: Dinner.

**You can customize this trip with additional days.**

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**PACKAGE TOUR IS INCLUDED:**

- 9 night accommodation.
- All transfers & transportation mentioned in the itinerary.
- All domestic flights mentioned in the itinerary.
- Fully guided tours mentioned in the itinerary.
- All museum tickets, entrance fees where necessary.
- All meals mentioned in the itinerary.
- All taxes and handling.
- The price is net. No hidden or extra costs.

**PACKAGE TOUR IS NOT INCLUDED:**

- Personal expenses.
- Entrance fees for Harrem and Treasury Room in Topkapi Palace.
- International airfare.

**HOTELS:**

- **Istanbul City:** Megara Palace Boutique Hotel
- **Kusadasi City:** Polat Beach Hotel – 4\*
- **Cappadocia:** Hisar Evi Cave Hotel
- **Hotels can be upgraded upon request.**