MADRID BARCELONA ANDALUSIA

15 days



Madrid





Barcelona



Cordoba



DAY 1 CITY OF ORIGIN - MADRID

Arrival at the Airport Adolfo Suarez Madrid Barajas.

Transfer to the Hotel.

Departure from the Hotel for a sightseeing of Madrid highlights, including the most famous places such as the Fuente de Cibeles, Puerta de Alcala, Paseo de la Castellana, Recoletos, Atocha Station, Prado Museum, the Gran Via, Plaza de España, Temple of Debod, the modern Madrid with the 4 Towers, Puerta de Europa, Torres Kio, the business area of Azca, Santiago Bernabeu Stadium, Nuevos Ministerios, etc.

After there will be a walking tour of the Paseo del Arte for discovering all details, the hidden histories of the most beautiful places of Madrid, where Art, Monuments, Nature and Architecture meet.

You will make a tour of Plaza de Oriente, Calle Bailen, , Calle Mayor, Plaza y Casa de la Villa, Casa de Cisneros, Torre de los Luajanes, Convento de Carboneras, Mercado de San Miguel and Plaza Mayor.



Plaza mayor - Madrid

Hotel accommodation.

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DAY 2 MADRID

Breakfast at the Hotel.

Departure to the Palacio Real for visiting it.

The Royal Palace was built in the XVIII Century and it is considered one of the most important Royal Palaces of the world especially for its interior decoration rich in Carpets, Lamps, Clocks and Furniture.



Royal palace - Madrid

You will visit the Official Saloons, highlighting the Throne Room (Salón de el Trono), the Hall of Columns (Salon de Columnas), the Dining Room (Comedor de Gala) and the Porcelain Cabinet.

It is currently used for official acts of the Kings and Gala dinners for foreign leaders.

During the evening visit the Prado Museum, one of the most important art galleries of the world. It hosts halls dedicated to the great masters of the Spanish School such as Goya, Velazquez, El Greco, Zurbaran, etc.

Hotel accommodation.

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DAY 3 TOLEDO

Breakfast at the hotel

Departure from Madrid directed to the city of Toledo, located at 70 Km far from Madrid.



Toledo

We will start the visit with a panoramic view of the Muralla and the Mirador then we make a walking city tour including the Plaza de Zocodover, Plaza del Ayuntamiento, Palacio del Arzobispal (Palace of Archiepiscopal), the Cathedral with the Treasure Room (Sala del tesoro), Sacristy, Sala capitular and Chorus, we also visit Santo Tome to see The Burial of the Count of Orgaz (El Entierro del Conde Orgaz), one of the masterpieces of El Greco.

Return to Madrid in the evening.

Hotel accommodation



DAY 4 MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel.

Transfer to Las Rozas Village Outlets 20 km from Madrid where you can find shops of major brands and designers with discounts up 60%

All morning free to make purchases.

Free lunch at Heron City with a variety of different restaurants next to Las Rozas Village.

In the afternoon return to Madrid to continue touring the areas of Madrid with great boutiques.

Overnight at the Hotel



DAY 5 MADRID - BARCELONA

Departure at early morning in high speed train (AVE) from Madrid Atocha. Estimated train journey is 3 hours approximately.

Arrival to Barcelona and transfer to hotel.

Barcelona sightseeing tour.



Barcelona is the second most important city in Spain, it is located between the sea and the mountains, it offers a wide variety of both historical and modern monuments. Barcelona sightseeing tour includes:

- ❖ The "Gothic quarter": walking by its streets and medieval squares we will see Roman ruins, gothic courtyards, City hall, Generalitat Palace and Barcelona Cathedral (awesome gotic construction).
- "Montjuic hill" We will view Barcelona from top of the hill balcony, also we will visit 1992 Olympic Games facilities, the Olympic Stadium and also the Universal Fair of 1929 and the Square of Spain.
- ❖ The "Ensanche Distric": Here we will be able to see the most important shopping street called "Paseo de Gracia", at the end of XIX and beginning of XX century the modernism flourished in such distric, so we will admire the famous frontages of "Las Casas de Batllo" and "La Pedrera de Gaudí"



Gothic quarter - Barcelona



❖ The "Sagrada Familia Basilic", Gaudí masterpiece, where he worked during the last 43 years of his life until his death in 1926.



Sagrada Familia Basilic - Barcelona

❖ We also will visit the Ciudadela and Guell parks, the Olimpic Ville zone, the beach area, the Barceloneta suburb, Puerto Viejo and the Colom statue.

Hotel accommodation.

DAY 6 BARCELONA

Breakfast at hotel.

In the morning you will continue with the visit of Barcelona.

In the afternoon free time to continue touring Barcelona and shopping.

Hotel accommodation.

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DAY 7 BARCELONA

Breakfast at hotel

In the morning you will visit the Basilica of Montserrat nestled in the mountains called with the same name and considered a Natural Park due to the diversity of flora and fauna of the area.

After that, you will visit one of the wineries of the Penedes cava where you can see the development of the famous cava.



Cava - Barcelona

Return to Barcelona and free afternoon



DAY 8 BARCELONA - MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel.

Early in the evening transfer to Sants Station to catch up the high speed train (AVE) to Madrid.

Free day in Madrid for shopping and have a walk in the historical city, its monuments as well as its gardens.

DAY 9 MADRID - CORDOBA

Departure at early morning in high speed train (AVE) from Madrid Station of Atocha. Estimated train journey one hour and a half.

Arrival to Cordoba and transfer to the Hotel.

Visit the city of Cordoba.

Cordoba is a city with an enormous cultural and monumental heritage. Its strategic location, near the Guadalquivir River, navigable once, and the heritage of different people settled in this rich land, have made of it a privileged place. Therefore, Cordoba has 3 inscriptions on the World Heritage List granted by Unesco: La Mezquita Cathedral, the historic center and the surrounding Fiesta de Los Patios (famous Yards).

We will visit the Mezquita/Cathedral, the Alcazar of the Catholic Kings, the Jewish Quarter with its synagogue as well as we can admire the famous Yards.

Accommodation.





Cordoba

DAY 10 CORDOBA - SEVILLA

Breakfast at hotel

Departure at early morning in high speed train (AVE) to Sevilla. Journey time is one hour.

Arrival in Sevilla and transfer to the Hotel.

Built on the banks of the Guadalquivir River, Sevilla is heir to a rich Arab heritage and its position made of it a prosperous trading port with the Americas.

The Andalusian capital issues joy and bustle in each of its streets and squares that make up its historic center, which houses an interesting collection of UNESCO World Heritage and districts with great popular flavor, such as Triana and La Macarena.

During the stay in Seville visit its famous cathedral with its tower La Giralda, the Plaza of Spain and the famous Maria Luisa Park, El Alcazar, and the famous neighborhoods of La Macarena, Triana and Santa Cruz.





Triana bridge - Seville



Seville





Cathedral of Seville

Accommodation.

DAY 11 SEVILLA

Breakfast at the Hotel.

Continuing the tour of Sevilla with its famous bridges, La Torre del Oro and their different churches with its varied imagery of the Easter Celebrations (the popular so called Imagineria de las Fiestas de Semana Santa.)





Giralda - Seville

Accommodation.



DAY 12 SEVILLA - GRANADA

Breakfast at the hotel

In the morning you will go by train to Granada. Journey time around 3 hours..



Alhambra -Granada

Enjoy one of our most comprehensive tours of the city visiting all the important and fascinating landmarks, and a stroll through the most emblematic areas of Granada. Make your visit to Granada a unique and knowledge filled experience. Led by one of our friendly tour guides, expert interpreters of the Grenadian heritage, immerse yourself in Granada's rich history. Visit the Cathedral, a key building of Spanish architecture, seated on the Nasrid Great Mosque, and the Royal Chapel, where the mausoleum of the Catholic Monarchs and his son, Ferdinand I "the Beautiful" with his wife Juana "la Loca".

You will also have the opportunity to walk through two neighborhoods with more color, charm and history of the city of Granada, Albayzin (declared a World Heritage by UNESCO) and Sacromonte quarters. Led by our local guide you will go through a maze of narrow streets scented with jasmine, to reach the Mirador de San Nicolas, there one can admire the breathtaking views of the Alhambra, Granada and Sierra Nevada. Have a drink in a cave in the Sacromonte before returning to your hotel at the end of an unforgettable day.

Hotel accommodation

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DAY 13 GRANADA - MADRID

Breakfast at the Hotel

In the morning a walk around the Alhambra, declared a World Heritage by UNESCO, is a required activity for every visitor of the city of Granada. Furthermore, it's a work of art that calls out us, maybe by his attractive and elaborate rooms, by its monumental and historic position or by the special charm of its exquisitely detailed Islamic art and architecture.

What we propose to you is to transform this visit in to an extraordinary experience rich of knowledge. With our guied tour of Alhambra, you'll have at your disposal one of our official tourist guides, expert interpreters of Granada's heritage, who will guide you through every part that forms the "red fortress", who will also answer any queries that you may have about this spectacular monument.

Tour's itinerary:

The Alcazaba fortress: the most antique area of the Alhambra's complex. In the past it was a military precinct

Alhambra gardens - Granada

❖ The Nasrid Palaces: including many rooms, enhancing the Palace of Mexuar, Palace of Comares and Palacio de Leones, this one is considerate like the maximum exponent of Nasrid art.



❖ The Generalife: sultan's summer palace, situated at East of the Alhambra and surrounded by wide gardens filled with a great variety of vegetation, framed by a beautiful Islamic landscape.

The visit order of the different areas will be determined by the hour of entrance for the Nasrid Palaces. On occasion the Alhambra Responsible might alter the order of the visit and restrict access to certain areas.

Train to Madrid 18:05 hours, arrival 22:45 hours

DAY 14 MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel.

Free day in Madrid for shopping and have a walk in the historical city, its monuments as well as its gardens.

DAY 15 MADRID – CITY OF DESTINATION

Free morning in Madrid till the time of the transfer to the Airport for the departure flight.



PLEASE REQUEST PRICE

THE PRICE INCLUDES:

- ❖ Accommodation in 4 stars Hotel Madrid , Barcelona and Granada
- Train Ave Madrid- Barcelona Madrid Tourist Class.
- Train Madrid Granada Madrid Tourist Class
- ❖ Transfer Airport Hotel Airport.
- Transfer Hotel- Station Hotel in Madrid ,Barcelona and Granada
- English-speaking Guide.
- Bus for all the visits
- **❖** VAT

THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- All sort of Extra expenses during the trip
- Entrances to the places of the visits
- ❖ Any service not specified in the previous section

