

## 12-Day tour to Cairo, Luxor, Aswan and Bahariya Oasis

Cairo, Nile Cruise, Bahariya, Alexandria.

	Duration		Tour type	Group size	Runs
0	12 Days	**	Luxury Tour	10	Everyday

#### Overview

This 12-day tour to Cairo, Luxor, Aswan, Alexandria, and Bahariya Oasis reveals both traditional Egyptian historical sites, along with modern urban areas and the magnificent views across the country. The luxury Egypt tour begins in Cairo, where you will discover landmarks like the Pyramids of Giza and the Grand Egyptian Museum before transitioning to a Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan through historical temples and tomb sites. Travel to Alexandria to witness its Mediterranean appeal and then observe Cairo's historic Citadel and Old Cairo sites. End your Egypt family tour package by traveling to see Bahariya Oasis as well as the unique colors of the Black and White Deserts.

## **Itinerary**



#### **Arrival in Cairo**

Our tour guide will be waiting for you in Egypt with an organized pick-up service tailored to your flight's arrival time. He will be holding a sign with your name for easy identification. You will then be transferred to your private air-conditioned vehicle for a comfortable ride to your hotel.

Overnight in Cairo.

Day 2

Giza Pyramids & Grand Egyptian Museum

Giza attractions:

After breakfast, you will connect with your professional guide at your hotel to begin your Egypt luxury tour and explore the world-famous historical sites of Giza. Your Cairo sightseeing tour begins at the <u>Giza Pyramids</u> with stops to see together the Great Pyramid of Khufu, as well as the Pyramid of Khafre and the Pyramid of Menkaure. You will come across the <u>Great Sphinx</u>, which is a pharaoh figure resting atop a lion form to protect the pyramids at all times, as well as the Valley Temple.

**Grand egyptian museum:** 

After a satisfying lunch, your family will continue their outing to the <u>Grand Egyptian Museum</u> (GEM). The Grand Egyptian Museum (GEM) is the primary destination for ancient Egyptian artifacts and the largest modern museum in the world, so visitors shouldn't miss it. Several dynasties provided royal treasures to the museum at its location, where visitors discover an extensive collection of statues.

Our driver will bring you back after experiencing a remarkable day.

Overnight in Cairo.

Meals: Lunch only.

Day 3

Fly to Luxor - Nile Cruise - Luxor East Bank

Karnak temple:

Take a flight to Luxor day trip, an ancient city that was once the center of the New Kingdom, after breakfast at Cairo Airport. When you get there, meet your guide and head to the East Bank, where your journey begins at the magnificent Karnak Temple, the grand hypostyle hall with its massive columns.

#### Luxor temple:

Next, visit <u>Luxor Temple</u>, a beautiful riverside temple featuring colossal statues and an avenue of sphinxes that once connected it to Karnak.

After this Cairo tour, board your Nile cruise ship to Head to Luxor.

Overnight on the Nile Cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner.

Day 4

West bank tour

## Valley of the kings:

You will leave for the West Bank to continue your tour after lunch at a neighborhood restaurant. Visit the <u>Valley of the Kings</u>, where the tombs of Egypt's pharaohs, including the well-known tomb of Tutankhamun, are tucked away in the hillsides.

#### **Hatshepsut temple:**

You will explore the <u>Queen Hatshepsut Temple</u>, which stands tall as a cliffside achievement dedicated to Egypt's influential female ruler upon the cliffs of Deir el-Bahari. Discover the temple's magnificent terraces, which feature ornamental colonnades that provide a breathtaking view of the desert landscape.

#### **Colossi of memnon:**

Also, Amenhotep III's two enormous statues, known as the <u>Colossi of Memnon</u>, were initially positioned in front of his mortuary temple.

You will transfer to the hotel at the end of the day to rest.

Overnight in Luxor.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner.

Day 5

**Trip to Edfu & Kom Ombo Temples** 

Edfu temple:

The itinerary now continues with a morning breakfast, followed by a departure that leads tourists to the protective <u>Edfu Temple</u>. With its well-preserved state, the temple displays intricate battle representations of Horus battling his enemies while maintaining a magnificent example of Ptolemaic architectural design.

Kom ombo temple:

You will spend lunch on board the ship while sailing to visit Kom Ombo Temple, which honors both Sobek, the crocodile god, and Horus, the falcon god. Visitors can observe the distinct architectural symmetries and individual reliefs while studying the mummified crocodiles at the Crocodile Museum to learn about ancient Egyptian religious tokens.

Enjoy a traditional Galabeya party with Egyptian music, dance, and local attire, then return to your cruise for lunch.

Overnight on the Nile Cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner.

## Day 6

## Nile Cruise - Aswan City Tour

#### Aswan high dam:

Following breakfast, you will be driven to the railway head in a private, air-conditioned vehicle in preparation for your subsequent journey to Aswan on the morning train. Next on the itinerary is the <u>Aswan High Dam</u>, a modern engineering marvel that regulates the flow of the Nile River and supplies irrigation to the majority of Egypt. From here, you will admire a panoramic view over Lake Nasser, the world's largest artificial lake.

## Philae temple:

Then, you will visit the sacred <u>Philae Temple</u> of the goddess Isis, which was transferred to Agilkia Island after the construction of the High Dam. The temple will take you into another world with its beautiful reliefs, depicting the ancient myths and legends of Egypt.

Lunch in a local restaurant.

After this entire exploration, transfer back to the hotel.

Overnight in Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast & Lunch.

## Day 7

## **Return to Cairo & Leisure Day**

After breakfast, our representative will accompany you and transfer you to Aswan Airport for a domestic flight back to Cairo.

Overnight in Cairo

Meals: breakfast only.

Optional Tours: Abu Simbel Temple Tour or Nubian Village Tour

Day 8

Alexandria day trip

Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa:

Leave in the early hours after breakfast for a beautiful drive to Alexandria, Egypt's Mediterranean capital, steeped in history and reflecting much of Egyptian, Greek, and Roman influences. You can start your tour of Alexandria with the Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa, an elaborate burial site from the

2nd century A.D., reflecting an intriguing combination of Egyptian, Greek, and Roman styles.

Pompey's Pillar:

After that, proceed to Pompey's Pillar, the tall Roman column dedicated to Emperor Diocletian, and conclude with a tour of the nearby Serapeum ruins, a temple that was formerly dedicated to the god

Serapis.

**Qaitbay Citadel:** 

Have your Lunch meal at one of the top-quality local restaurants and then continue to the Qaitbay Citadel, an impressive fortress from the 15th century. This well-preserved citadel overlooks the Mediterranean and was built on the original foundation of the Lighthouse of Alexandria, one of the seven ancient wonders of the world. It depicts Alexandria's important historical position as a seaside

city.

Library of Alexandria:

End the day with a visit to the Library of Alexandria, which houses millions of books, exhibits, and manuscripts, symbolizing the legacy of Alexandria in learning and scholarship.

At the end of the day, you will be transferred back to your hotel in Cairo in comfort.

Meals: Lunch.

## Tour to Egyptian Civilization Museum, Cairo Citadel & Old Cairo

## The Museum of Egyptian:

Your hotel will find your designated guide for beginning another extraordinary day of exploration through Cairo. The Museum of Egyptian Civilization serves as your first destination during this adventure. The museum showcases its astonishing collection of historical objects and statues while displaying Egyptian artwork and royal mummy exhibits throughout thousands of years of civilization.

#### Islamic cairo:

Experience the <u>Saladin Citadel</u>, which protected Cairo from 1183 AD at its hilltop fortress position on Mokattam Hills. The Citadel houses the alabaster <u>Mosque of Muhammad Ali</u>, designed by Turkish architect Yusuf Bushnak for Egyptian ruler Muhammad Ali, who reigned for over 45 years.

## Coptic cairo:

The Egypt luxury trip will end at Old Cairo to explore its three main attractions, including Abu Serga Church and <u>Hanging Church</u>, together with Ben Ezra Synagogue. You will be transferred to your hotel at the end of your day.

Overnight in Cairo.

**Day 10** 

#### Trip to Bahariya Oasis from Cairo

#### Bahariya Oasis:

After a hearty breakfast, take a scenic drive to <u>Bahariya Oasis</u> in an air-conditioned private car. Explore the charm of this serene oasis when you arrive, as you walk through the ancient village, packed with Egyptian history artifacts. Visit the Roman Mummies Museum, where you will view

interesting relics of the Roman era, and the Temple of Ain El Maftella, an area packed with ancient

heritage.

**Desert Camping Overnight**: Experience the serenity of the desert under the starry sky with a unique

camping experience.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

**Day 11** 

**Black & White Deserts tour** 

**Black Desert & White Deserts:** 

Enjoy a memorable desert safari excursion to the Black Desert and White Deserts, two of the world's most acclaimed surrealist scenery. Admire the contrastful volcanic mountain formations in the Black Desert and mystical rock features in the White Desert. Take amazing photos and watch a serene sunset

amidst these natural wonders. Head back to Cairo after a day in the deserts.

Overnight in Cairo

Meals: breakfast & lunch

**Day 12** 

Final departure from Cairo

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before being transferred to Cairo Airport in time for your final departure.

Meals: breakfast only.

What's Included

Meet and Assist at the airport.

One private Egyptologist tour guide during all tours.

Our assistance during your stay.

All transport by private air-conditioned vehicles.

Accommodation for 6 nights in the Cairo hotel with breakfast.

Accommodation for 4 nights on Cruise with all meals included.

Desert camping for 1 night in Bahariya Oasis

Domestic Flights – Cairo / Luxor – Aswan / Cairo.

Local lunch in a good local restaurant.

Entry fees to all sites as per itinerary.

Bottled water during trips.

All service charges and taxes.

## What's Not Included

Entry visa to Egypt.

Personal expenses.

Tipping.

Optional Activities.

## • Price Table

#	May->Sep	Oct->Apr
Single	US\$ 1500	US\$ 1400
Double	US\$ 1300	US\$ 1100
Triple	US\$ 1000	US\$ 800

## **Price start from**

# Price

US\$ 800 <sub>/USD</sub>

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