

# EXCLUSIVE TRIPS – WONDERS OF TURKEY

8 Nights

Istanbul (2N) | Cappadocia (2N) | Pamukkale (1N) | Antalya (2N) | Istanbul (1N)

# ABOUT THE TOUR:

Welcome to the enchanting land of Turkey! Nestled at the crossroads of Europe and Asia, Turkey is a country that effortlessly marries its rich history with the vibrancy of the modern world. As you embark on this unforgettable journey, you'll discover a tapestry of experiences that blend the exotic and the familiar, making it an ideal destination for group travelers.

Be prepared to explore iconic sites like the Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace, and the mesmerizing fairy chimneys of Cappadocia. Every stone here whispers tales of civilizations long past.

You will be captivated by Turkey's stunning landscapes, from the pristine beaches of the Mediterranean and Aegean coasts to the otherworldly landscapes of Pamukkale's terraces and the breathtaking views along the Bosphorus. You'll also find ample opportunities for adventure, with it's hot air ballooning over Cappadocia.

So, let's embark on this magical expedition and embrace the captivating spirit of Turkey together!

#### TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ To and Fro Economy Class Flights
- ✓ 8 Nights' Accommodation in 4 & 5 stars Hotels or similar
- ✓ Special Cave Hotel Stay in Cappadocia
- ✓ English Speaking Guided Tours as per itinerary
- ✓ Meals as per itinerary
- ✓ Turkey Single Entry Visa (Stamped)
- ✓ Domestic Flight Tickets (with 15 Kg Baggage) i.e., Istanbul to Cappadocia on day 3 and Antalya to Istanbul on day 8.

#### ISTANBUL :

- ✓ Walking tour in Taksim Square and Istikal Street
- ✓ Visit Hagia Mosque, Byzantine Hippodrome, Blue Mosque, Grand Bazaar & Topkapi Palace
- ✓ Full day guided tour of Istanbul Old City
- ✓ Visit Spice Bazaar
- ✓ Bosphorus Cruise



# CAPPADOCIA :

- ✓ Visit to Pottery Town of Avanos
- ✓ Visit Goreme Open Air Museum
- ✓ Visit Underground City, Pigeon Valley and Fairy Chimneys
- ✓ Visit to Uchisar Castle
- ✓ Visit Konya city, Selimiye Mosque and Mevlana Museum

#### PAMUKKALE :

✓ Hierapolis Ancient City Tour (covering Large necropolis, Great Baths, Frontinus Street, Theatre, Martyrion of St. Phillip)

#### ANTALYA :

✓ Antalya City Tour with Waterfalls

# MEALS:

- ✓ 8 Continental Breakfast
- ✓ 7 Dinners (Indian Jain / Vegetarian / Non Vegetarian Dinners)
- ✓ 1 Local Dinners

#### FLIGHTS :

- ✓ Return Economy flights included.
- ✓ Domestic Flight Tickets (with 15 Kg Baggage) i.e., Istanbul to Cappadocia on day 3 and Antalya to Istanbul on day 8.

#### **ACCOMODATION :**

CITY	NO OF NIGHTS	HOTEL	
Istanbul	2	Clarion Hotel Istanbul Mahmutbey - 5* or Similar	
Cappadocia	2	Sunak Cave Hotel – 4* or Similar	
Pamukkale	1	Adempira Termal & Spa Hotel – 5* or Similar	
Antalya	2	Ring Downtown Hotel – 4* or Similar	
Istanbul	1	Clarion Hotel Istanbul Mahmutbey - 5* or Similar	



# **ITINERARY** :

# DAY 1: Arrival At Istanbul

Upon your arrival in Istanbul, you will be welcomed and transferred to your hotel. (Check In after 3 pm) Tonight, we will drive to Taksim Square for our dinner.

We will have our dinner and have walking tour in Taksim Square and Istiklal Street.

Overnight in Istanbul.

Indian Dinner (✓)

# DAY 2: Istanbul Old City

After breakfast you will have a full day guided tour of the Hagia Sophia Mosque - pride of the Byzantine architecture. Next we go to Byzantine Hippodrome, where chariot races were held. Later we go to Blue Mosque which is famous for its Blue Iznik tiles. Also we see the Topkapi Palace, former residence of Ottoman Sultans. We also see the Grand Bazaar, Turkey's largest covered market with 4000 shops. Overnight in Istanbul.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)

#### DAY 3: Transfer To Cappadocia

Check out and transfer to airport to take a flight from Istanbul to Cappadocia. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel in Cappadocia. (Check In after 3 pm) The rest of the day is free time to explore at your leisure. **OPTIONAL :** ATV Ride Safari. Dinner will be done at a local restaurant or hotel. Overnight in Cappadocia. **Continental Breakfast (✓)** Local Dinner (✓)

#### DAY 4: Cappadocia Tour

**OPTIONAL**: You can book an early morning optional "Hot Air Balloon" tour to enjoy the magnificent view of the valleys and the region. An Adventure not to be missed.

After breakfast we start the tour Start from Pigeon Valley (Imagination Valley), a region famous for its unique landscapes, rock formations, and underground cities. Then, we will visit one of the underground city. Proceed to Avanos a beautiful little town (a big village) which is famous for pottery making for thousands of years.

Later pass to Red river (Kızılırmak). Visit the Gerome Open Air Museum which is in the heart of Cappadocia. Open air museum Complex of churches cut into volcanic rock during the Middle Ages & decorated with frescoes and famous for wall painting, dates back to 10th century describing the life of Jesus Christ and monks.



The last stop will be Uchisar castle to explore its caves and tunnels and to enjoy panoramic views of the surrounding Cappadocian landscape.

Overnight in Cappadocia.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)

# DAY 5: Cappadocia To Pamukkale

After breakfast, we depart for Pamukkale. Enroute, we will visit the city of Konya, which is the home of the Whirling Dervishes, a religious order founded by the Sufi (Muslim sage), Mevlâna in the 13th century.

We will visit Selimiye Mosque and Mevlana Museum.

Proceed to your hotel in Pamukkale and check in

Overnight in Pamukkale.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)

# DAY 6: Pamukkale & Hierapolis Ancient City

After breakfast, we visit Hierapolis - the ancient Greco-Roman city on top of hot springs.

You will see the large Necropolis, Great Baths, Frontinus Street, Theatre, Martyrion of St. Phillip.

(Please note the Hirepolis sights are on foot. It also offers Buggys at the entrance which can be hired by paying extra directly).

Finally be amazed by Travertines, (the terraces of carbonate minerals left by the flowing water) on which you can enjoy a barefooted walk.

End of the tour, drive to our hotel in Antalya.

Overnight in Antalya.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)

#### DAY 7: Antalya City Tour With Waterfalls And Boat Ride

Today after breakfast, we visit the famous Duden waterfalls - Antalya's unique natural wonder, located on the Duden River.

Later pass to Kaleiçi; the old town where one can see Hadrianus Gate, the Clock Tower, Fluted Minaret, and the ancient harbor. Enjoy the narrow streets of the old city.

Lastly, we take a boat trip, sailing on the Mediterranean sea. End of the tour, we drive to Antalya and Overnight in Antalya.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)



#### DAY 8: Transfer To Istanbul

Visit Spice Market And Enjoy Bosphorus Cruise

After breakfast, check out and transfer to airport & flight to Istanbul. Upon arrival we will first proceed to Spice bazaar where one can shop for local spices.

Later we go for a cruise on Bosphorus where you will sail between Europe and Asia.

For your farewell dinner it will be done in Indian restaurant.

Overnight in Istanbul.

Continental Breakfast (✓) Indian Dinner (✓)

# DAY 9: Fly Back Home

After breakfast, you will be transferred to airport for your outbound flight. Return home with happy memories.

Continental Breakfast (✓)

#### DEPARTURE DATES:

<b>Dec'23</b> : 23	May'24 : 11, 25
Jan'24 : 24	Jun'24 : 8, 22
<b>Apr'24</b> : 13, 27	

#### TOUR COST INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- ✓ Cost of return economy class air tickets Ex : Bom / Del / Blr / Amd / Hyd / Ccu / & Maa
- ✓ Inclusions as mentioned in the above itinerary
- ✓ Meals as mentioned in the above itinerary.
- ✓ Single Entry Turkey Visa
- ✓ Travel Insurance (For upto 70 years of age)
- ✓ Comfortable coach with professional driver as per the itinerary.
- ✓ 01 Tour Manager.

#### TOUR COST DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- ✓ Any services not mentioned in "**Inclusions**" above.
- ✓ Mandatory tips.
- ✓ Tips to guides / drivers /hotels/porterage etc.
- ✓ Phone calls, spa, laundry, mini bar or any other items of personal nature.



- ✓ Beer / alcoholic beverages.
- ✓ Expenses and Services of a personal nature
- ✓ Any increase in Airport Taxes, Government Taxes, Fuel Charges or introduction of any new taxes or levies presently calculated as on date.
- ✓ Any Excess luggage apart from the stipulated weight approved by the selected airlines and the space available in coach
- ✓ Any incidental expenses not mentioned in "Inclusions" above will have to be paid by the passenger
- ✓ Porterage at the hotel or at the airport
- ✓ Early Check in and Late Check out.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- ✓ All above rates are net per person in a twin sharing room and as mentioned
- ✓ All transfers and sightseeing using Air Conditioned Coach.
- ✓ General check-in time is 1500 Hrs. and check-out is at 1100Hrs.
- ✓ Early check-in and late check-out will be subject to availability and will incur additional cost.
- ✓ On receipt of your advance we will block the services as per prevailing rates. Your final rates and requirement will be subject to availability at the time of receiving your confirmation.
- ✓ Rates are based on and valid for MINIMUM GUARANTEE OF <u>30 FULL PAYING ADULTS</u> <u>TRAVELLING TOGETHER AT ALL TIMES IF PASSENGER COUNT CHANGE THE TOUR PRICE IS</u> <u>GOING TO CHANGE</u>.
- ✓ Rates are for arrival and departure transfers and coach tours onwards in group vehicles with all passengers arriving /departing together (in the same group flight). Airport transfer rates are not valid in case passengers are arriving / departing on different flights other than group flights. Any change in passenger numbers will result in change in rates

#### **BASIS OF PRICE**

- ✓ The price is inclusive and based on current taxes and levies in force. Any variance in the taxes would be charged additionally accordingly.
- ✓ Tour itinerary will be as mentioned above. Any modification in the terms of itinerary is not allowed.
- ✓ If passengers do not arrive or depart with the group, additional charges will be incurred. Should the group arrive during a trade fair / festival or high demand period, we reserve the right to amend the prices accordingly or offer an alternative location.
- ✓ Late sitting in a restaurant for meals is totally subject to the terms & conditions of the hotel / restaurant used. Same will be requested but cannot be guaranteed.
- ✓ If groups arrive from different hubs and separate transfers are required or in case of any additional services required, then the applicable cost would be payable immediately



- ✓ Issuance of visa is at the sole discretion of the respective embassy / consulate. Consulate has every right to call for additional supportive documents; any guarantee from the individual, corporate, personal appearance or reject the visa.
- ✓ Accommodation and meals as per itinerary.
- ✓ No refund or reduction will be given for any services, which are not utilized
- ✓ Cost is applicable for a minimum paying adults traveling together as mentioned above. Supplement charges will be applicable in case of reduction or increase in the group strength
- ✓ Quote does not include any meals not specified in the itinerary. In case the same is required, during transfers, sightseeing and day trips, additional will be charged, on actual
- ✓ All arrangements made by Exclusive Trips are in the capacity of an agent only. Exclusive Trips will not be liable for claims or expenses arising from circumstances beyond our control such as accidents, injuries delayed or cancelled flights & acts or forces of nature.

# HOTELS

- ✓ Breakfast at the hotels will be provided in the main hall or the group room separately but it will be totally the hotel's discretion.
- ✓ Breakfasts taken before 07:00 hours & packed breakfast boxes may incur a supplement.
- ✓ Complimentary tea/Coffee makers in the rooms, air-conditioning, mini bar cannot be guaranteed.
- ✓ All hotels provided will be 4 / 5 star rated and in conveniently located outskirts of the city.
- ✓ Any damages incurred in the hotel rooms will be payable by the passengers directly and Exclusive Trips will not be responsible for the same
- ✓ Any extra services taken at the hotel the passengers will have to pay the same directly before check out. Exclusive Trips will not be responsible for the same.

# <mark>MEALS</mark>

- ✓ Standard duration for meals at restaurants will be 45 minutes to 1 hour. More time is subject to discretion of restaurant and additional time may impact the coach duration.
- ✓ Standard course for meals at restaurants includes 02 veg dishes, 01 non-veg dish(chicken), 1 Daal, Rice or Pulao, Yoghurt or Raita, Roti / Naan, Salad, Papad, Pickle, 01 Sweet dish and tap water.
- ✓ Few Days Dinner will be provided in local restaurants as mentioned in the itinerary
- ✓ Breakfast will be Continental as provided by the hotel



# <mark>COACH</mark>

- ✓ The daily driving hours can go upto 8 11 hrs.
- ✓ The toilets in coach are not for the use of the passengers, although there will be comfort stops at regular intervals.

# **TIPS**

✓ Standard tips are is Mandatory

#### PAYMENTS:

All cheque / DD should be made favor in "Exclusive Trips.", payable at par in Mumbai.

**Our Bank Details**:

Name	: Exclusive Trips
Bank & Branch	: HDFC Bank Chowpatty Branch
A/c No	: 50200075543390
IFSC Code	: HDFC 0001201

#### **Our Payment Terms:**

PAYMENT ITEM	AMOUNT PAYABLE	DATE / TIME OF PAYMENT
Deposit Amount	INR 50.000/-	At the time of Booking
2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment	INR 75,000/-	Clear 50 days in advance or immediately when the visas are done. Whichever is earlier
Final Payment	Balance Full Amount	Clear 30 days prior to departure

#### **Cancellation & Amendments**

Cancellation charges will be as per the cancellation policy mentioned below. If a person is shifting from one departure date to another, the same will be treated as cancellation from one tour to another and the charges as mentioned will apply.



### Refunds:

For any amendment or cancellation in the services, refunds, if any, due after adjustment of such amendments/cancellations will be paid within 30 days from the date of amendment/cancellation. Refunds on account of airline or train travel amendments/cancellation, after adjusting the amendment/cancellation charges/fees will take a minimum 60 days to process, as this is the time frame taken by them.

#### Terms & Conditions:

All business is conducted in accordance with our Terms & Conditions. All clients doing business with Exclusive Trips will be deemed to have read and accepted to be bound by our Terms & Conditions.

# **Complaints with Services:**

If any group member going to the specified locations has any complaint in respect of services provided by any of the independent contractors he / she / they shall immediately notify the same to Exclusive Trips Tour Manager, to enable **ET** to take up the matter with the independent contractor. Verbal intimation during the tour will ensure immediate corrective action. Written complaints will be accepted within 3 days of return of Tour else all balance payments if any to Partners and Invoices will be raised assuming full satisfaction

# **Travel Extension:**

For last minute extension of stay on tours due to request or emergencies, all rooms and other services booked through us will have to be paid only to us in cash in the respective foreign exchange. The same is applicable to any delegate/attendee wanting to pay for their own stay. A valid invoice and cash receipt can be issued against the same. If the booking is done in advance, then 100% payment will have to be done by telegraphic transfer to our account or cheque/DD 01 week before the tour dates. Exclusive Trips shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, injury, accident, death, breakdown, irregularity, which may occur in carrying out the tour arrangement, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expense must be borne by passenger themselves. Exclusive Trips will not be liable for any overstay expenses due to delay or changes in air or train schedule or other services due to sickness, weather conditions, strike, war, quarantine, or any other cause whatsoever. Insurance policies must be carried while on tour.

#### Cancellation Policy:

All services such as Airline seats / Hotel accommodation / ground transportation/ venues for tours/conferences/events are pre-blocked well in advance. We are liable to pay penalties to all our suppliers / vendors if these services are released within the below mentioned time frame.



All cancellations of bookings must be given in writing and acknowledged by ET. A transfer from one tour destination/event venue to another, prior to the date of the tour/conference/event will be treated as a cancellation, thereby attracting the cancellation charges as stated hereunder and a fresh booking on another. Detailed tour wise cancellation given below.

#### **Cancellation Policy :**

75 Days or more prior to departure	Booking Amount of INR 50,000/- per person	
Within 74 to 60 days prior to departure	50% of the Tour Cost	
Within 59 to 30 days prior to departure	75% of the Tour Cost	
Within 29 days prior to departure	100% of the tour cost	

# **TRAVEL DOCUMENTS & VISA**

In order for passengers to undertake international travels it is mandatory to hold valid passport with minimum of 6 months validity from the date of return to India.

It is the passengers responsibility, to have the visa application made to the concerned Consulates / Authorities However, for certain cases, the Client may have to attend personal interviews at their own cost.

As granting or rejecting visas and immigration clearance is the sole prerogative of the concerned sovereign governments, Exclusive Trips shall neither be responsible in case of non-granting of such documents nor liable for any delay or other related act/omission or for any loss, expenses, damage or cost resulting from there.

Exclusive Trips would not be responsible in any way in case any clerical error regarding names, attachment of wrong photographs, duration, and type of visa (Single/Multiple entry) occurs in the consulate / embassy. Passengers shall be responsible to check the details, photos and the correctness thereof. In the event the application for visa made by any Client or the Company on behalf of the Client is rejected due to any other reason whatsoever, Exclusive Trips shall not be liable or responsible for the same.

All passports are required to be mailed for visas to different cities, company would mail the passport by reputed courier at an additional cost.

Consulates have every right to call for additional supportive documents; any guarantee from the corporate, personal appearance or reject the visa. Exclusive Trips will not be held responsible for such delays /rejection. If visa is rejected appropriate cancellation charges will be applicable.

It will be the responsibility of all the passengers to take care of their belongings at all times. Exclusive Trips will not be responsible for any loss or damage of any of the said belongings at any time.



# FINAL HANDOVER:

All the Vouchers and the final hand over will be done 2 days prior to the departure

\*Itinerary / Hotel / Sightseeing / Airlines / Routing Subject to Change without prior notice