

WONDERS OF EAST EUROPE WITH PLITVIČE LAKES



2025

**14 Nights
15 Days**



WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE INCLUDES

SIGHTSEEING AND EXCURSIONS

POLAND

Warsaw

Guided City Tour

Elevator to the Palace of Culture & Science

Krakow

Guided City Tour

Visit Wieliczka Salt Mines

Tour of Auschwitz Concentration Camp (Subject to availability)

SLOVAKIA

Bratislava

Guided City Tour

Visit Bratislava Castle & Primate's Palace

See the Upside Down Pyramid Building

HUNGARY

Budapest

Guided City Tour

Visit Buda Castle

CROATIA

Zagreb

Guided City Tour

Plitvice

Guided tour of Plitviče National Park

SLOVENIA

Ljubljana

Guided City Tour

Ride the funicular to the medieval Ljubljana Castle

Bled

Visit the alpine resort

Ride the 'Pletna' boat to Bled Island

Visit the Church of St. Mary

AUSTRIA

Vienna

Guided City Tour

Visit Schönbrunn Palace and Gardens

CZECH REPUBLIC

Prague

Guided City Tour

Visit the Prague Castle

Cruise on the River Vltava

GERMANY

Dresden

Guided City Tour

Visit the Zwinger Palace

Berlin

Guided City Tour

Visit Berlin Tower



MEALS - AS SPECIFIED IN THE ITINERARY

- Daily buffet breakfast at the hotel except on Day 01
- Local/Western/International Vegetarian lunches
- Indian/Local/Western/International Veg/ Non-Veg dinners

WATER, PORTERAGE & TIPS

- 2 bottles (500 ml) mineral water per person per day
- Porterage of one bag (20 kgs) per person at hotels
- Tips to drivers and guides

TRANSFERS

All transfers and extensive excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by deluxe air-conditioned coach

TOUR MANAGER

- Services of a professional and experienced tour manager throughout your tour

ACCOMMODATION

- 01 night at Four Points by Sheraton Warsaw Mokotow or similar in Warsaw
- 02 nights at Hotel Novotel Krakow West or similar in Krakow
- 01 night at Hotel Clarion Congress Bratislava or similar in Bratislava
- 02 nights at Escala Hotel & Suites or similar in Budapest
- 01 night at Hilton Garden Inn or similar in Zagreb
- 02 nights at M Hotel or similar in Ljubljana
- 01 night at NH Danube City or similar in Vienna
- 02 nights at Hotel Clarion Congress Prague or similar in Prague
- 02 nights at Mercure Hotel MOA Berlin/ NH Berlin Alexander Platz or similar in Berlin

Arrive Warsaw, the capital of Poland - Guided City Tour

Today, begin your beautiful journey of Eastern Europe.

Arrive at Warsaw airport where you will be met by your tour manager at the arrival area after clearing immigration and customs. Kindly make your own arrangement if you are unable to meet the Tour Manager at the designated time. Then check-in to the hotel. (Standard check-in time is 1500 hrs.) Later, soak in the sights and sounds of this vibrant city on a guided city tour with an experienced local guide. See the Old Town, Royal Castle, King Sigismund's Column, Market Square, Warsaw Barbican and other sights. Later enjoy Elevator ride from city at Palace of Culture & Science to have nice view over the city of Warsaw.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Warsaw (D)

DAY 1

Warsaw - Onto Krakow - Guided City Tour

After a buffet/boxed breakfast, check out and drive to the city of Krakow. Join an experienced English-speaking local guide to see this beautiful city. After a local lunch, see the Main Market Square with St. Mary's Basilica and the Sukiennice Cloth Hall, the Wawel Castle, the National Art Museum, the Sigismund Bell at the Wawel Cathedral, and the medieval St. Florian's Gate with the Barbican along the Royal Coronation Route.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Krakow (B, LL, D)

DAY 2

Krakow - Guided Tour of Auschwitz Concentration Camp

After a buffet breakfast, drive to the Auschwitz. Later experience a walking tour of the Auschwitz Concentration Camp (Subject to availability). The largest of the Nazi German concentration camps, the Auschwitz Concentration Camp was a complex of over 40 concentration and extermination camps operated by Nazi Germany in occupied Poland during World War II and the Holocaust. After a local lunch, rest of the day is free for you to relax and explore this beautiful city on your own.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Krakow (B, LL, D)

DAY 3



Wawel Castle

Krakow - Wieliczka - Visit the Wieliczka Salt Mine - Onto Bratislava

After a buffet breakfast, check out and drive to Wieliczka. Later get ready for a unique experience. Visit the Wieliczka Salt Mine. The route starts 64 mts. deep which includes 20 chambers and ends 135 mts. below the earth's surface, where the world's biggest museum of mining is located with the unique centuries-old equipment among its exhibits. After a local lunch, drive to Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Bratislava (B, LL, D)

DAY 4

Bratislava - Guided City Tour - Onto Budapest

After a buffet breakfast, check out and join an experienced English-speaking local guide for a city tour. Visit the Old Town and see Bratislava Castle, the Primate's Palace and the Slavin Monument. Walk through the Old Town to see St. Michael's Gate, Istropolitana - the first University of Slovakia, St. Martin's Cathedral (where coronations were performed), the Old Town Hall and the Opera House. Also see the Radio Building - popularly known as the upside down pyramid building in Bratislava. After local lunch, drive to Budapest, the capital of Hungary.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Budapest (B, LL, D)

DAY 5

Budapest - Guided City Tour - Visit Buda Castle

After a buffet breakfast, join an experienced English-speaking local guide to see the sights of Budapest. See the Heroes' Square, the Parliament Building, Széchenyi Chain Bridge and other sights before heading to visit Buda Castle - a historical castle built in the 13th Century and now listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. After local lunch, you have some free time to explore the various shopping opportunities that Budapest has to offer. Later in evening enjoy a cruise on the River Danube.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Budapest (B, LL, D)

DAY 6



Bratislava Castle



Buda Castle

DAY 7**Budapest - Onto Zagreb - Guided City Tour**

After a buffet breakfast, check out and drive to Zagreb, the capital of Croatia. On arrival, enjoy a local lunch. Later, join an experienced English-speaking local guide to see the sights of Zagreb. During your city tour visit the Trg Bana Jelačića - Zagreb's central square and see St. Mark's Church - which sports a multi-coloured tile roof constructed in 1880, the Hrvatski Sabor - Croatian Parliament, the Ban's Court - now the Presidential Palace. These are just a few sights you will see on your tour of this charming and vibrant capital.

Tonight enjoy a local dinner

Overnight in Zagreb (B,LL,LD)

DAY 8**Zagreb - Plitviče Lakes - Onto Ljubljana**

After a buffet breakfast, check out and drive to the beautiful Plitviče Lakes in the Plitviče National Park, one of the most visited natural attractions in Croatia. Experience a guided tour of Plitviče Lakes. Enjoy a local lunch. Later drive to Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia.

Tonight enjoy an Indian Dinner

Overnight in Ljubljana (B,LL,D)

DAY 9**Ljubljana - Guided City Tour - Visit the town of Bled**

After a buffet breakfast, proceed on a guided city tour of Ljubljana - the city of 'Vine and Wine'. This quaint and romantic city is situated on the banks of River Ljubljanica. Visit the Prešeren Square, the Triple Bridge, Baroque Town Hall, the Cathedral of St. Nicholas, Dragon Bridge and more. Continue sightseeing with the funicular to the medieval Ljubljana Castle. Climb the stairs to Ljubljana Castle Tower and enjoy the beautiful panoramic view of the old part of the city. After a local lunch, visit the alpine resort of Bled - which ranks amongst the most beautiful alpine resorts, renowned for its mild climate and healing thermal lake water. Board the 'Pletna' boat and ride to Bled Island to visit the Church of St. Mary and experience the opportunity of making one's wish come true by ringing the bell in the church.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight in Ljubljana (B,LL,D)

Ljubljana - Onto Vienna

After a buffet breakfast, check out and drive to Vienna, the capital of Austria. Enjoy a local lunch en route. The evening is free at leisure to admire the magnificence of this regal capital.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Vienna (B,LL,D)

Vienna - Guided City Tour - Onto Prague

After a buffet breakfast, check out and proceed for a city tour of Vienna with an English speaking local guide. Start your tour with a visit to the Schönbrunn Palace - one of the most visited places in Vienna. See the various chambers of the palace and the beautiful gardens. Also, see the Opera House, St. Stephens Cathedral, Hofburg Palace and many more sights. Enjoy a local lunch. Later drive to Prague, the capital of Czech Republic.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Prague (B,LL,D)

Prague - Guided City Tour - Visit Prague Castle - Cruise on River Vltava

After a buffet breakfast, proceed for a city tour of Prague with an experienced English-speaking local guide. Start off with a visit to the Prague Castle. Walk through the many courtyards; visit the St. Vitus Cathedral - the main church of the castle and the Golden Lane to see the brightly coloured houses lined along the castle wall. Later, drive around the medieval part of the city. See the astronomical clock on the town hall and the famous Charles Bridge. Enjoy a local lunch. Afternoon is free at leisure to explore the shopping opportunities that this city offers. This evening, proceed for a cruise on the River Vltava.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner

Overnight in Prague (B,LL,D)



Ljubljana

Prague Castle



Plitviče Lakes



Zwinger Palace



Reichstag- German Parliament Building

Prague - Dresden - Guided City Tour- Onto Berlin

DAY 13

After a buffet breakfast, check out and proceed to the town of Dresden which was destroyed during World War II and later restored to its original 18th Century glory. Join an experienced English-speaking local guide to see the Opera House and stroll through Theatre Platz. Visit the Zwinger Palace with all its beautiful fountains. After local lunch, drive to the city of Berlin, the capital of Germany.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner
Overnight in Berlin (B,LL,D)

Berlin - Guided City Tour - Berlin Tower

DAY 14

After a buffet breakfast, proceed for a city tour of Berlin with an experienced English speaking local guide. See the remains of the Berlin Wall, the Brandenburg Gate and the Reichstag - the German Parliament Building. Visit Alexander Platz in the city centre where you will see the World Clock. After local lunch, visit the Berlin Tower. Later in the evening free time for shopping.

Tonight enjoy an Indian dinner
Overnight in Berlin (B,LL,D)

Farewell!

DAY 15

After a buffet/boxed breakfast, check out and proceed to Berlin airport for your flight back home. Return home with wonderful memories of your tour. (B)

TOUR COST 2025
East Europe with Plitvice Lakes
Land Cost 14 Nights 15 Days

Per Person on Twin Share: USD 3999
Single Room Supplement: USD 1050

DEPARTURE DATES IN 2025

August: 04

September: 01

October: 06

Tour starts in Warsaw (Poland) on the above-mentioned dates for clients taking this tour

NOTE:

- As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use rollaway beds and room size may be the same as the double bed. There will be no reduction for triple sharing.
- Single Room Supplement charges will be applicable in case two different people are sharing a room and one of them cancels the tour.
- There could be possibility of flight departure on the previous evening.
- On certain departure dates the itinerary may be operated in reverse order. However, all services and inclusions will remain the same.



Berlin Tower

WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Cost of international air tickets
- **Cost of deviation:** In case any clients wish to deviate from the group departure dates mentioned in the brochure i.e. either travel before the departure date of your tour or would like to come back on a later date after the tour ends, there will be an additional charge that will be applicable which will be advised to you by our sales team. The same is subject to availability of accommodation & entrances for the revised dates. Kindly also note, the deviation request should be made at the time of booking the tour.
- **Cost of Transfer:** In case clients are arriving or departing at a time that is different from the group arrival/departure time, which will be conveyed to all tour group members while booking the tour, there will be an additional cost of transfer. The group arrival and departure timings will vary from tour to tour.
- Medical/ Travel insurance.
- Any expenses of personal nature such as laundry, mineral water, alcoholic beverages, food and beverages that are not part of the regular menu provided by us, mini bar, telephone calls, pay channels, cruise to shore excursions and any type of beverages during the cruise etc.
- Anything not specified under inclusions.
- Meals other than those mentioned in your itinerary
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than that mentioned in 'What Your Tour Price Includes'
- Departure and City Taxes except where included.

VISAS REQUIRED TO TRAVEL ON YOUR TOUR:

EAST EUROPE

USA Citizens : No Visa Required

Indian Passport with Green Card : Schengen Tourist Visas Required

Note: Cost of the above-mentioned visas are not included in your tour price.

OVERSEAS TRAVEL INSURANCE:

It's very important to find out before you leave whether or not your medical insurance will cover you overseas. Your regular U.S. health insurance may not cover doctors' and hospital visits in other countries. We recommend clients take overseas travel insurance to cover any eventuality while on tour.

Booking Terms and Cancellation Policy:

1. Due to very high and constant demand, as a Tour Operator, we are required to pay non-refundable deposits to secure and block accommodation, entrances to prominent landmarks, train tickets, cruise tickets, internal flight tickets amongst other services to cover all services indicated in the itinerary. For this very reason we are required to take a non-refundable deposit from you for booking the tour.
2. In view of the above, unfortunately, this deposit cannot be refunded, even in case of any emergency due to which you have to cancel the tour.
3. We humbly advise you to take necessary insurance to cover the tour cost, in case of any eventuality.

BOOKING TERMS	
Non - Refundable deposit to book your tour	US\$ 1000 Per Person
Full payment to be made	75 Days prior to departure date

CANCELLATION POLICY	
74 Days to 45 Days	50% of Total Tour cost Per Person
44 Days to 30 Days	75% of Total Tour cost Per Person
30 Days till Tour date	100% of Total Tour cost Per Person
Discontinuation of tour due to any personal emergency	No refund for unutilised services

IMPORTANT POINTS TO BE NOTED

- All tours will be operated subject to a minimum of 25 full paying passengers traveling together. In case there are less than 25 full paying passengers the clients will be given an option of travelling on another departure date.
- Standard check-in at hotels is 1400-1500 hours and check out is 1100-1200 hours.
- The Tour Cost is a combination of various arrangements and multiple services, and hence cannot be calculated on an individual service basis. The tour cost is one single component and not calculated individually.
- Single Room Supplement charges will be applicable in case two people are sharing a room and one of them cancels the tour.
- Passengers taking early morning flights will be provided with boxed/packed breakfast.
- Keeping in view the luggage compartments of coaches, trains & internal flight regulations, we strongly recommend you to carry only medium size luggage and 1 carry-on/cabin bag per person.
- The granting of Visas is at the sole discretion of the Embassy or Consulate. Air Tours Holidays is not responsible for granting of visas and are only a facilitator in the visa application process and any situation arising out of delay in granting visas by the authorities has to be sorted by the clients.
- In case you are not able to continue the tour due to loss of passport, theft, illness, or any other life-event beyond our control, Air Tours is not liable to give any refund on unutilized services.
- Please note that in case any clients loses their passport, the cost of getting a new passport and necessary charges to revise the arrangement to return home will be borne by client, and there will be no refund for any unutilized services.
- Air Tours shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any delay in flights or change in Schedule by the airline and any situations arising out of the same. Any damages caused to the hotel rooms/coach during your stay, shall be payable by the passengers. Air Tours will not be liable for the same.
- Air Tours shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, injury, accident, death, delay, breakdown or irregularity which may occur in carrying out of the tour arrangement.
- Air Tours will not be liable in any loss of baggage by the Airline. However, we will provide assistance in tracing any lost baggage.
- Air Tours reserves the right to charge any additional expenses due to delay or changes in train, plane, bus, ship or other services, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and any other cause whatsoever and all such losses or expenses must be borne by the passengers.
- Air Tours reserves the right to amend, alter, vary or withdraw any particular departure, excursion advertised or substitute a hotel of similar class if deemed advisable or necessary.
- Please ensure to take the necessary vaccinations and shots depending on the destination you are travelling to.
- There will be no refund on unutilized services or partly utilized services under any circumstances.
- For the convenience of our passengers, Air Tours will sometimes amend the itinerary; however all the other services will remain the same.
- If clients prefer to have meals on their own there will be no refund.
- All hotels may not have Tea or Coffee machines in the room.
- It is strictly not allowed to eat, drink or smoke inside the Coach.
- Coaches may not have any Wi-Fi facilities or USB phone charging options on board.
- Updating of mileage is subject to Airlines terms & conditions in group fare.
- We request the airlines for your preferred seats however this is as per their policy and at their discretion.
- Please refer to the booking form for detailed cancellation policy and 'Terms and Conditions'.
- The company reserves the right to cancel any tour prior to the departure, without assigning any reason.
- All monies paid by you will be fully refunded in USD only, and no compensation will be payable.
- In case of cruises, internal flights, train tickets and visas 100% of the cruise cost paid will be forfeited, in case of any cancellations irrespective of time of cancellation.
- Airtours Holidays LLC does not assume responsibility for any fees relating to the issuance and/or cancellation of air tickets or other arrangements not done by us.