

Full Itinerary & Trip Details

6 Day New Year Party Istanbul Tour 2020

This 6 day tour is a perfect way to reward yourself with a break on New Year's Eve and make a fresh start with new resolutions. You will enjoy Istanbul to the fullest with a boat trip on the Bosphorus



PRICE STARTING FROM

€ 249 € 249

DURATION

6 days

TOUR ID

19

ITINERARY

Day 1 : Day 1 - Istanbul - 29th December 2020

Meet at the airport Transfer to your hotel. You will be given your room key and the rest of the day is yours to explore Istanbul. Overnight in Istanbul.

Day 2 : Istanbul City Tour - 30th December 2020

Breakfast Included

Pick up at 08:30am from your hotel for the a day tour of old Istanbul city. **TOPKAPI PALACE** The great palace of the Ottoman sultans from the 15th to the 19th centuries housing an exquisite collection of crystal, silver, and Chinese porcelain, robes worn by the sultans and their families, the famous jewels of the Imperial Treasury, miniatures, the Holy Mantle; enshrining relics of the Prophet Mohammed. **SULTANAHMET IMPERIAL MOSQUE** Across from St. Sophia built in the 16th century by the architect Mehmet, is known as the **BLUE MOSQUE** because of its magnificent interior decoration of blue Iznik tiles. **HIPPODROME** Ancient Hippodrome, the scene of chariot races, with the three monuments; the Obelisk of Theodosius, the bronze Serpentine Column and the Column of Constantine. Lunch break at 13:00 pm after the lunch visit to **GRAND SPICE BAZAAR** The air here is filled with the enticing aromas of cinnamon, caraway, saffron, mint, thyme and every other conceivable herb and spice. Enjoy a big xmas feast of rich Turkish cuisine and party the night away with your new friends. Overnight in Istanbul.

Please Note: Topkapi Palace closed on tuesdays, Grand Bazaar closed on sundays.

Day 3 : Shopping Tour & New Year Party Gala Dinner – 31st December 2020

Breakfast Included

Christmas Eve and it's a chance for some last minute Christmas gifts, or even to treat yourself. We will make a shopping tour in which you will be aware of the ancient arts of Turkey like carpet weaving, leather manufacturing and jewellery. As this will be a guided tour, you will avoid being hassled which will enable you enjoy the shopping experience whilst gaining the knowledge of the ancient craftsmen. First we will take you to visit **GRAND COVER BAZAAR**. In this labyrinth of streets and passages are more than 4,000 shops with each trade having its own area: the goldsmiths' street, the carpet sellers, Turkish arts and crafts, such as hand painted ceramic plates, hand-honed copper ware, brass ware and trays, water ewers, onyx-ware and meerschaum pipes. Tonight there is a celebration with a Gala Dinner including Dj Music with Unlimited Local Drinks. Overnight in Istanbul.

Day 4 : New Years Day - 1st January 2021

Breakfast Included

Happy New Year and welcome to 2021 !!! The day is yours to relax and chill out. Overnight in Istanbul.

Day 5 : Bosphorus Cruise – 02nd January 2021

Breakfast Included

Breakfast at hotel. After the breakfast we depart for tour. **BOSPHORUS ON BOAT:** A traditional excursion by boat along the waterway separating Europe and Asia. The shore is lined with old wooden villas, palaces of marble, fortresses, and small fishing villages. During the excursion you will pass the magnificent Dolmabahce Palace, and further along, the parks and imperial pavilions of Yildiz Palace. On the coastal edge of this park, is Ciragan Palace, 300 meters of its marble facade faces the shore. At Ortakoy a great variety of artists gather every Sunday to display their work along the street. Ortakoy is a symbol of tolerance with a church, a mosque and a synagogue existing side by side for centuries. **RUMELI FORTRESS:** Built by Mehmet the Conqueror in 1452 prior to the conquest of Istanbul, was completed in only four months to control and protect Bosphorus. It is one of the most beautiful works of military architecture anywhere in the world. **BEYLERBEYI PALAS:** The summer residence of ottoman sultans with its original furniture and magnificent gardens with the Harem on the Asian. **BOSPHORUS BRIDGE:** unique change to step from one continent (Asia) to another (Europe). Overnight in Istanbul.

Day 6 : Istanbul – End of Tour – 03rd January 2021

Breakfast Included

After breakfast check out from your hotel, transfer to the airport. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another Turkey Tour. Have a safe trip back home and thanks for choosing us.

Includes

- Guided Istanbul city tour
- Professional English - speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air - conditioned, non - smoking coach
- Guided Istanbul Bosphorus cruise
- Return airport transfer
- Arrival airport transfer from Istanbul airport
- 5 nights' hotel accommodation in Istanbul
- Shopping Tour
- Big New Year Party with Turkish food, Turkish Show and free local drinks
- Meal Plan as Mentioned in the itinerary

Excludes

- International flights
- Insurance: All types
- Turkey entry visa
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry
- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
- City tax

Routes

Available On Dates

29 December, 2020 - 29 December, 2020

Monday

Hotels

Destination GOLD TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS Istanbul Ramada Hotel & Suite Golden
Horn Destination PLATINUM TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS Istanbul The Marmara Pera
Hotel