



Türkiye & Gallipoli Dawn Service

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The Offer

Step into history on this commemoration of the ANZACs landing on Gallipoli's shores. Pay your respects during this special 12-day tour at the ANZAC Cove Dawn Service. Tour the Gallipoli battlefields, learn the history of the brave allied soldiers and explore Türkiye's Istanbul, ancient Ephesus, Troy, Pergamon and more.

Start with the city highlights of Türkiye's capital, Istanbul, from the stunning Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace to the buzzing Spice Bazaar. Then, journey to the Gallipoli Peninsula's solemn battlefields and Kabatepe War Museum, with time to reflect among the memorials of Lone Pine cemetery. Join a guided tour of Troy and listen to tales of ancient battles and the Trojan Horse. Sleep under the stars overnight, ready for the commemorative Dawn Service experience the following day.

Continue the adventure with a visit to Pergamon's historic Red Basilica and a guided tour of the ancient ruins of Ephesus. Explore Pamukkale's magical 'cotton castle' of mineral-rich pools, and wander through the ancient town of Hierapolis before returning to Istanbul.

Itinerary 1 includes return international flights, a one-way internal flight, 8 nights of hotel accommodation, a night under the stars at ANZAC Cove, 14 meals and more.

Itinerary 2 extends the adventure to explore UNESCO World Heritage sites and ancient wonders of Cappadocia. Take the chance to join an optional hot air balloon ride (not included) to watch the sun rise and float above fairy chimneys and Cappadocia's unique landscapes.

Want more? Arrive Early or Stay Behind options in Istanbul are available.



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The Itinerary

Itinerary 1

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - İstanbul, Türkiye

Today depart for İstanbul, Türkiye!

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to İstanbul!

Upon arrival in İstanbul, make your way to Exit 14 where you'll be met by your English-speaking tour leader and transferred to your hotel. If it is too early to check-in, your luggage can be stored at the hotel while you explore this magnificent city (charges may apply).

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Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, İstanbul

Meals included: None

Day 3 İstanbul City Tour

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See iconic landmarks such as the Topkapi Palace, the Sultan Ahmed Mosque (Blue Mosque), and the Hippodrome, along with the vibrant and fragrant Spice Bazaar. Once the grand residence of Ottoman sultans from the 15th to 19th centuries, Topkapi Palace boasts a stunning collection of crystal, silver, and Chinese porcelain. Explore the opulent robes worn by the sultans and their families, admire the dazzling jewels of the Imperial Treasury, and view sacred relics, including the Holy Mantle of the Prophet Mohammed.

Nearby, the Sultan Ahmed Mosque, built between 1609 and 1616, is famously known as the Blue Mosque due to its mesmerizing blue Iznik tiles. A masterpiece of Ottoman architecture, it remains one of İstanbul's most awe-inspiring landmarks.

Step into history at the Hippodrome, now known as Sultan Ahmed Square. Once the heart of Byzantine Constantinople's social and sporting life, this ancient chariot-racing arena still holds remnants of its grand past. Marvel at the surviving monuments of the Spina, including the Serpentine Column and two towering obelisks, now set within a beautifully landscaped garden.

A sensory delight awaits at the Spice Bazaar, one of İstanbul's oldest and most atmospheric markets. Located in Eminönü, this historic bazaar is second only to the Grand Bazaar in size. Immerse yourself in the intoxicating aromas of cinnamon, saffron, caraway, mint, and countless other exotic spices.

In the evening, attend a special conference on the ANZAC Dawn Service and Türkiye (approximately 1 hour). Enjoy a welcome cocktail with coffee, tea, and snacks while meeting your fellow ANZAC Day Gallipoli tour members and the tour staff.

Please note:

- *Topkapi Palace is closed on Tuesdays. If the tour is affected, it will be replaced with a visit to the Turkish Islamic Art Museum.*
- *Official Holidays and Religious Festivals: SPICE MARKET will be closed.*



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Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Istanbul - Gallipoli Tour - Çanakkale

Set off early this morning for Gallipoli, watching the latest documentaries about the Gallipoli campaign along the way. En route, take a break on the scenic Kabatepe coast, where you'll have some free time to enjoy lunch by the sea.

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After the tour, embark on a scenic journey to Çanakkale. Upon arrival, check into your hotel and enjoy the rest of the evening at your leisure.

Please note: Today's travel is approximately 330 kilometres.

Overnight: Troia Tusan Hotel or similar, Canakkale

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 5 Troy Tour & ANZAC Cove

Today, embark on a journey to the legendary ancient city of Troy, located on the opposite side of the Dardanelles. After a scenic 1.5-hour ferry ride or bridge crossing, step into one of the most famous archaeological sites of antiquity. Your guide will bring the mythology of Troy to life, sharing tales of the Trojan War, the iconic Trojan Horse (a replica of which stands at the site), and the story of Helen of Troy, said to be the most beautiful woman in the world.

In the evening, gather at the hotel for dinner before departing late at night for ANZAC Cove, where you will spend the night in preparation for the ANZAC Day Dawn Service. Be sure to bring warm clothing, a sleeping bag, wet weather gear, a torch, a hat, sunscreen, and comfortable walking shoes. If needed, sleeping bags are available for hire at \$75 AUD per person (pre-booking required). Please add this to your order at checkout if you'd like to reserve one.

For those who prefer not to sleep outdoors at the ANZAC Commemorative Site, optional hotel accommodation in Çanakkale is available at an additional cost of \$110 AUD per person (twin share) or \$220 AUD (solo traveller). Pre-booking is required, and transfers to and from the ANZAC Commemorative Site will be provided for guests who opt for this

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Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner



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- 09:30 - 10:15 Australian Memorial Service, Lone Pine
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This afternoon, after attending the ANZAC services, you will travel back to the hotel in Çanakkale. The night is then yours to relax before dinner is served at the hotel.

Overnight: Troia Tusan Hotel or similar, Canakkale

Meals included: Dinner

Day 7 Bergama/Pergamon Tour - Kusadasi

Today, journey to Pergamon, an ancient Hellenistic and Roman city near Bergama, once ruled by a powerful local dynasty.

Explore Pergamon's fascinating ruins, including the Asklepiion healing temple, and Bergama's Red Basilica.

The Asklepiion, an ancient medical centre dedicated to Asklepios, the god of healing, was one of the most renowned healing sanctuaries of the ancient world. Meanwhile, the Red Basilica was originally built as a temple to the Egyptian god Osiris before being transformed into a Christian basilica in later centuries.

After a guided tour of Bergama and Pergamon, continue your journey toward Kuşadası, a charming coastal town. Upon arrival, check into your hotel and enjoy a relaxing evening with dinner.

Please note: Today's travel is approximately 420 kilometres.

Overnight: Cassa De Sol Hotel or similar, Kusadasi

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 8 Ephesus & Şirince

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During your guided tour, stroll along Curetes Street, marvel at the famous Roman baths, stand before the grand Celsus Library, and explore the impressive Grand Theatre, which once hosted audiences of up to 25,000 spectators. You'll also visit the House of the Virgin Mary, a revered pilgrimage site believed to be where Mary spent her final years.

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Overnight: Cassa De Sol Hotel or similar, Kusadasi
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

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Overnight: Pam Thermal Hotel or similar, Pamukkale

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 10 Pamukkale - Istanbul

Today, transfer to the airport for your internal flight back to Istanbul. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to your hotel.

Please note: Some travellers may arrive at Sabiha Gökçen Airport instead of Istanbul Airport, depending on flight schedules.

Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 11 Istanbul, Türkiye - Australia (or New Zealand)

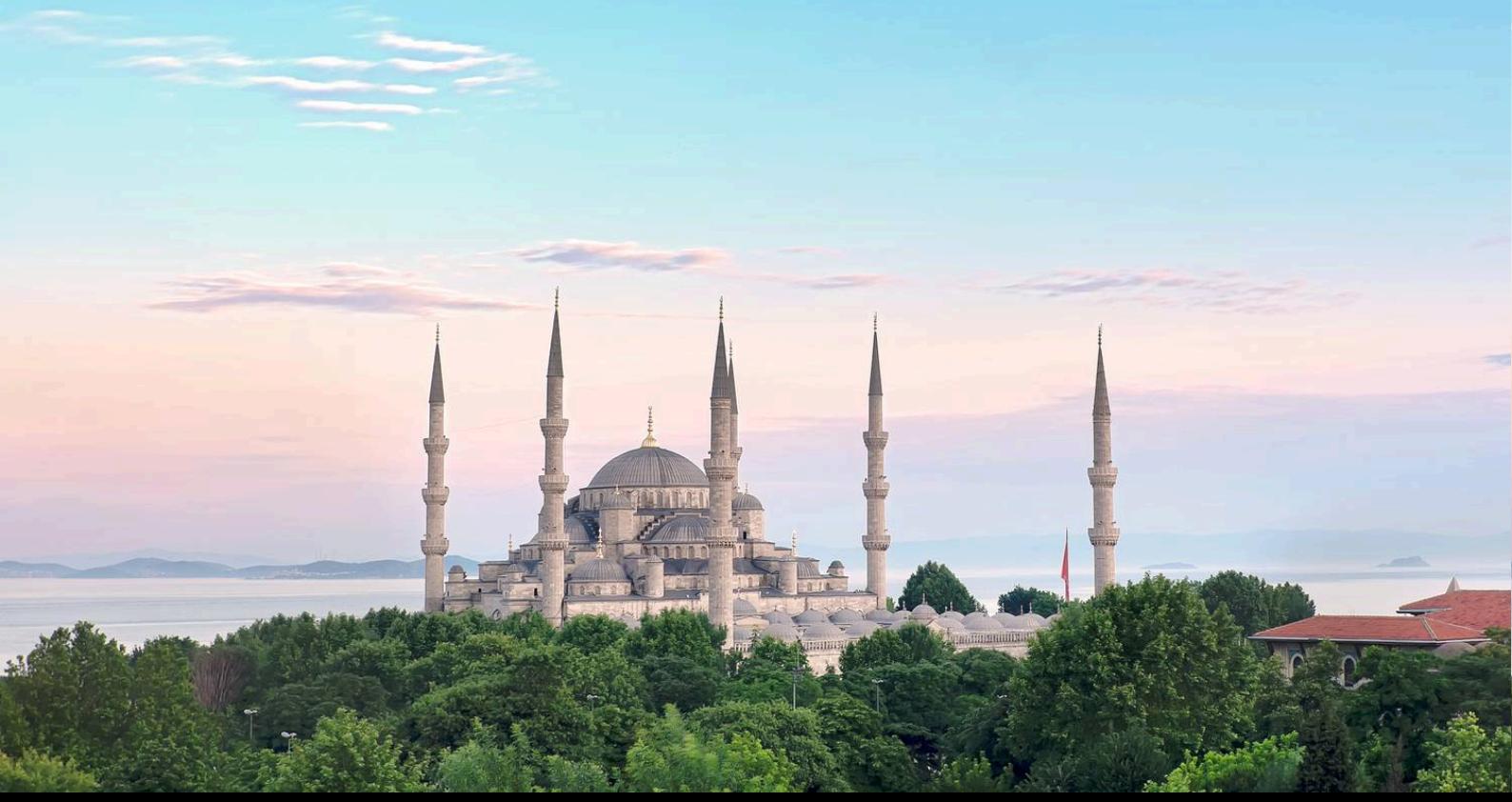
Today marks the end of your unforgettable Türkiye adventure. After enjoying breakfast, check out from your hotel and make your own way to the airport for your return flight to Australia or New Zealand.

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 12 Arrive to Australia (or New Zealand)

Please note: Some guests may arrive +1 day.

Meals included: None



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The Map

Itinerary 1





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Overnight: Pam Thermal Hotel or similar, Pamukkale

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 10 Pamukkale - Konya - Cappadocia

After breakfast, continue your journey to Konya, a city deeply rooted in spiritual and cultural heritage. Visit the Mevlana Museum, home to the striking green-tiled mausoleum of Mevlana Rumi, the revered Sufi mystic and poet. Step into the peaceful world of the Sufi sect, also known as the Whirling Dervishes, and gain insight into their philosophy of love, devotion, and enlightenment.

From Konya, embark on a scenic journey to Cappadocia, a region renowned for its otherworldly landscapes. As you approach, take in the mesmerising cone-shaped rock formations and the iconic fairy chimneys, sculpted by nature over millennia.

Please note:

- *Today's travel is approximately 620 kilometres.*
- *If you wish to join the optional hot air balloon activity tomorrow, please speak with your guide and register as it will take place early the next morning (paid on tour).*

Overnight: El Puente Cave Hotel or similar, Cappadocia

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner



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The Itinerary

Itinerary 2

Day 11 Cappadocia Tour

Today, immerse yourself in the wonders of Cappadocia, a truly awe-inspiring volcanic region famous for its unique geological formations, as well as its rich history of ceramics and carpet weaving. Known as Katpatuka (the “land of beautiful horses”) by the Persians, this mysterious and enchanting land offers a landscape like no other.

Your day begins with a visit to Özkonak Underground City, where you'll explore ancient subterranean tunnels and galleries carved into the volcanic rock of Idis Mountain. This fascinating city was built into dense layers of volcanic tuff and served as a safe haven for early inhabitants.

Next, head to the Göreme Open Air Museum, a UNESCO World Heritage site at the heart of Cappadocia. Here, you'll discover frescoes depicting the life of Jesus Christ and early Christian monks, set against the backdrop of the region's iconic rock formations.

Continue on to Çavuşin, an abandoned village with ancient cave dwellings and old Greek houses, offering a glimpse into the area's historical architecture. Afterward, enjoy a leisurely lunch at a restaurant in Avanos (lunch not included), followed by a visit to a pottery workshop, where you can learn about the region's ancient tradition of ceramics. Next, visit Love Valley and Devrent Valley (also known as Imagination Valley), where you'll be amazed by natural rock formations that resemble animals and other shapes. Your final stop is The Three Beauties, three magnificent fairy chimneys crowned with hats—an iconic symbol of Cappadocia.

Optional Activity – Hot Air Balloon Ride

For an unforgettable experience, why not join an optional hot air balloon ride early in the morning? Float above the valleys of Cappadocia as the sun rises, offering spectacular views of the fairy chimneys and the stunning landscape below.

Please note: Pricing for this activity may vary based on seasonality and availability. Book this experience on tour.

Overnight: El Puente Cave Hotel or similar, Cappadocia

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 12 Cappadocia - İstanbul

After breakfast, depart to Kayseri airport for the domestic flight to İstanbul. Upon arrival be transferred to your hotel.

Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, İstanbul

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 13 İstanbul, Türkiye - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today marks the end of your amazing Türkiye holiday experience. After breakfast, check out from the hotel and make your own way to the airport for your return flight back to Australia (or New Zealand).

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 14 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)

Please note: Some customers may arrive +1 day.

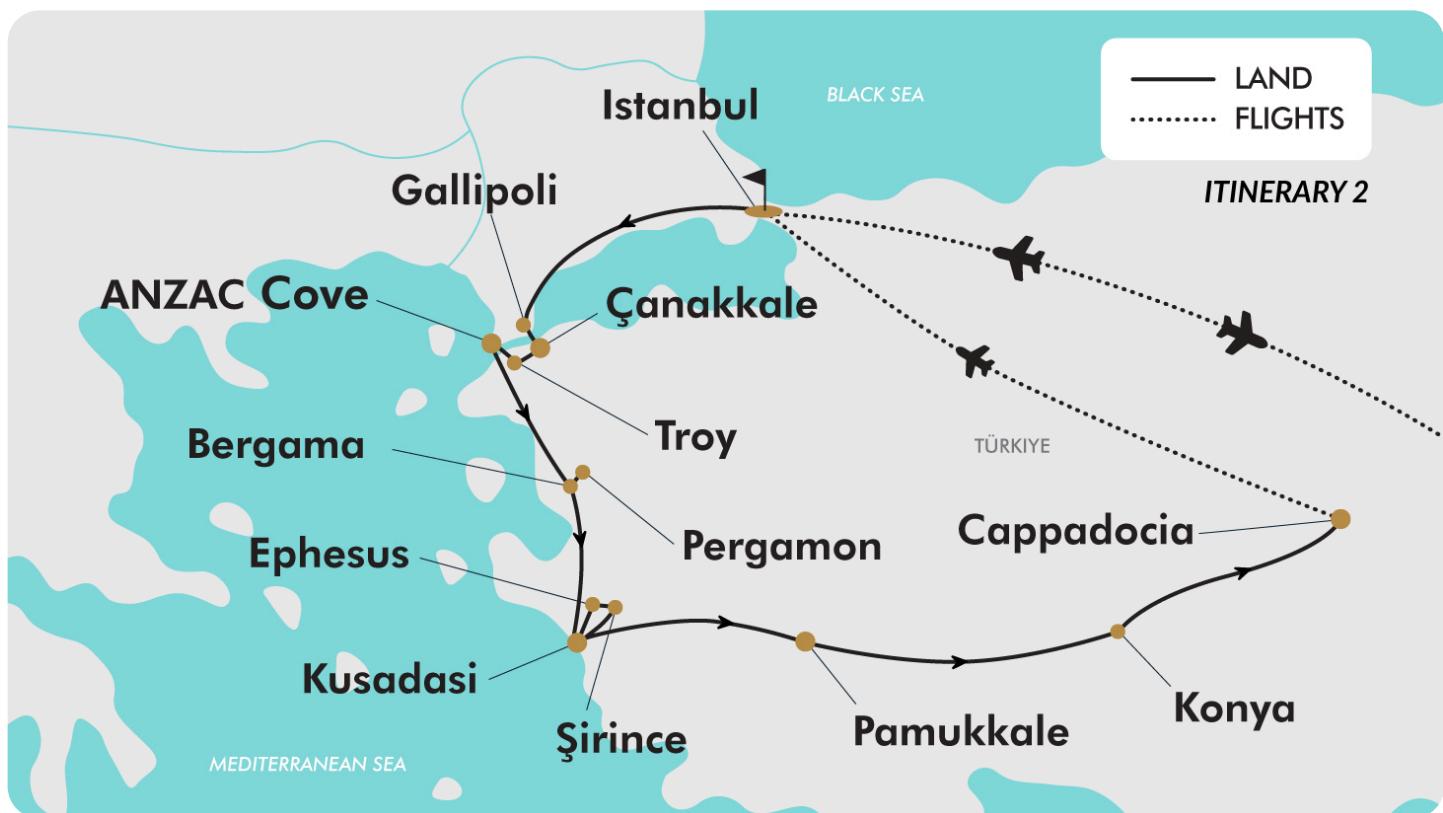
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Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

Explore the highlights of tantalising Türkiye

See Istanbul's exquisite Blue Mosque and Hippodrome

Delight the senses with a visit to Istanbul's Spice Bazaar

Learn about the ANZAC Dawn Service, Gallipoli & Türkiye

Visit Lone Pine, The Nek, Chunuk Bair and more

Attend the commemorative Dawn Service at ANZAC Cove

Tour of Gallipoli Peninsula and the historic Gallipoli battlefields

Visit the Kabatepe War Museum, ANZAC Cove and Australia's Memorial & Cemetery

Join a city tour of ancient Troy and see the replica of the Trojan Horse

Admire the Asklepion healing temple and the Red Basilica in Pergamon, modern Bergama

View one of Türkiye's oldest continuous arts performed at a carpet weaving centre

Enjoy a guided tour of Ephesus, once the commercial centre of the ancient world

Discover the 'cotton castle' calcium terraces of Pamukkale to admire the stunning terraced pools and bathe in the mineral-rich waters

Explore the ancient ruins of Hierapolis

FLIGHTS

Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply

One-way internal flight from Pamukkale to Istanbul (Itinerary 1 only)

ACCOMMODATION

8 nights of quality hotel accommodation

Spend a night sleeping under the stars at ANZAC Cove

DINING

Enjoy 14 meals

ESSENTIALS

English-speaking tour guides

Airline taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

Transportation by private air-conditioned vehicles

TRANSFERS

Arrival airport transfer

Domestic airport transfers

ITINERARY 2

All of the above, plus:

One-way internal flight from Cappadocia to Istanbul (Replacing Itinerary 1's internal flight)

2 additional nights in a 4 star hotel in Cappadocia

Visit the Mevlana Museum and witness the striking green-tiled mausoleum of Mevlana

Get to know the Cappadocia region with a Cappadocia tour

Important Information

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Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

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• **each booking is unique;** our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.

• **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible;** once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.

• **Travel Offers are a package;** our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.

• **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable;** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please [click here](#).

General Terms and Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our [Terms & Conditions](#), [Privacy Policy](#) and [Cancellation Policy](#).

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 20th April 2027. Minimum group size 25, maximum group size 38 per vehicle.

This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement applies:

2026

Standard Itinerary: \$730
Extension Itinerary: \$880

2027

Standard Itinerary: \$850
Extension Itinerary: \$980

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 12 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

Departure Cities

Sydney, Melbourne, *Brisbane, *Adelaide, Perth, *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

Brisbane & Adelaide: \$250 per person
Auckland: \$100 per person

International Flight(s)

Full-Service Airline(s) Used
• Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Please note: From Australia, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 1 stop. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

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From New Zealand, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 2 stops. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

Domestic Flight(s) Used

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Route - Itinerary 1 Only: Pamukkale to Istanbul
- Route - Itinerary 2 Only: Cappadocia to Istanbul

Domestic Flight Information

Baggage allowance per person
1 x 15kg of checked baggage
1 x 8kg of carry on baggage

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Qatar: \$500 per person
- Emirates: \$300 per person

Please note:

- Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.
- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.

Arrive Early and Stay Behind Options

Fly out and return home up to 60 days pre and post your tour dates.

Arrive Early

Istanbul, Turkiye - From \$300 per person,

subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Istanbul, Turkiye - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

• **Exclusions:**

This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.

• **Cancellations & Changes:**

Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies. Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

• **High-Season:**

A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.

• **+ 60 days:**

You can fly out up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or return home 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to fly out or return home for more than 60 days from the tour, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.

• **Estimated dates:**

Your estimated departure, return, and arrival dates are all subject to availability and may vary. The confirmed schedule for all flights will be provided when you receive your flight tickets.

• **High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:**

- 20th December 2025 - 4th January 2026
- 5th January 2026 - 31st January 2026
- 3rd April 2026 - 20th April 2026
- 26th June 2026 - 17th July 2026
- 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026
- 12th December 2026 - 18th December 2026
- 19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027
- 4th January 2027 - 26th January 2027

Stopover Packages

* Doha

* Dubai

Includes:

- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.
- When selecting to Arrive Early for your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your fly out date from home will take place before the stopover.
- When selecting to Stay Behind after your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your stopover will take place before your final flight home.
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:

- Doha Grand Prix: 26th November 2026 - 2nd December 2026
- Doha MotoGP: April 2026 (Dates TBA)
- Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): December 2026 (dates TBA)
- Christmas and New Years Eve - 18th December 2026 to 3rd January 2027

Flight Class Upgrades

Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).

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- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used:

3 to 5-Star Properties (Self-Rated)

- Istanbul: La Quinta Hotel
- Canakkale: Troia Tusan Hotel
- Kusadasi: Cassa De Sol Hotel
- Pamukkale: Pam Thermal Hotel

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All of the above, plus:

- Cappadocia: El Puente Cave Hotel

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Optional Tours/activities

- Day 5: Sleeping bag at ANZAC Cove - \$75 AUD per person
- Day 5: Hotel accommodation upgrade - \$110 AUD per person twin share or \$200 AUD for solo travellers

Please note:

- Please note, you will be responsible for your sleeping bag upon collection and for the duration of all ANZAC services
- The optional add-ons listed above must be purchased at checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).
- Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.
- The operator suggests booking both the extra night accommodation and sleeping bag together. Otherwise, you must check out from your hotel room by 12:00 pm and can only return at 2:00 pm the following day. If you book the extra night, you can use the room until our tour departure time, which is around 11:30 pm on the night of the Dawn Service.

Itinerary 2 Only:

- Day 11: Hot Air Balloon Ride in Cappadocia - To be booked on tour, pricing is subject to seasonality.

Please note:

- The Hot Air Balloon Ride is subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and is payable directly to the tour operator.
- Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer

- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax
- Hotel accommodation on Day 5, unless optional hotel accommodation upgrade is purchased.

Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid directly to the hotel or cruise company, and cannot be prepaid. Further details will be included in your travel.

Gratuities / Tipping

Land

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is 8 Euros per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Other Important Information

REGISTERING FOR ANZAC DAY SERVICES

Please note that we will share a link and registration details for the ANZAC Dawn Service at Commemorative Site Gallipoli closer to your departure. This is when customers will select whether they would like to attend either the Australian Memorial Service, Lone Pine or the New Zealand Memorial Service, Chunuk Bair. Important Notice:

The governments of Australia and New Zealand have announced that the Gallipoli Peninsula will be closed on 24th April for safety and security reasons during the

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setup for the ANZAC Dawn Service. As a result, cemeteries and memorials will not be accessible on this day. The reopening time will be determined at a later date and confirmed prior to your arrival in Türkiye. Additionally, all guests must be registered for attendance passes before arrival. Further instructions regarding these passes will be provided closer to departure.

PACKING FOR SLEEPING AT ANZAC COVE

Warm Clothing:

Layered clothing (thermal base layers, fleece, jacket)
Warm hat/beanie, scarf, and gloves

Comfort & Protection:

Comfortable, sturdy walking shoes
Wet weather jacket and pants
Sunscreen

Practical Items:

Torch or headlamp
Non-perishable food and snacks
Water (or a water bottle)

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may

provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Istanbul

For Istanbul in April, you can expect spring weather that is relatively mild and pleasant, but with some variability. Average daytime temperatures typically range from 12°C to 18°C, although it can occasionally be cooler or warmer. Nights are cooler, and temperatures can drop to around 7°C to 12°C.

Kusadasi

There are two main seasons in Kusadasi: the cold season and the hot season, which basically correlate with winter and summer in other parts of Europe. The shoulder seasons, autumn and spring, experience weather patterns that are a mix of both the cold and warm seasons.

Gallipoli Peninsula (ANZAC Service):

Weather conditions on the Gallipoli Peninsula are highly variable. During the day, the temperature can be very hot. Strong winds and heavy rain have been experienced in previous years. Attendees should ensure they come prepared for these conditions. The commemorative sites are exposed, and there is no permanent shelter available.

Cappadocia (Extension Package)

Cappadocia has a continental climate characterised by dry summers and sometimes snowy winters. Rainfall is sparse and the region is largely semi-arid to arid. There is a sharp difference in the

temperature between day and night and it is not uncommon to have cold nights interspersed with hot days.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity:

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 45 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

COACH TOUR

Meals:

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

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Mobility:

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required:

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!

Anzac Dawn Service

Please note that vehicles are not permitted within the grounds. Following the official ANZAC Dawn Service, attendees will need to walk to either the Australian Memorial Service at Lone Pine or the New Zealand Memorial Service at Chunuk Bair. The route includes uneven ground and some steep terrain, so appropriate footwear and a moderate level of fitness is recommended.

A moderate level of fitness will be required.

Expect a moderate pace of touring with a focus on guided tours that may include full days with extended activity, guided city tours or nature walks. You will require a general level of fitness for unassisted navigation of stairs and inclines, longer distances with possible periods of standing when visiting sites, walking on sloping, uneven ground or elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance. Please note: Many areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, where the unassisted use of personal walking sticks and other aids may be required. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.

Please note: It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance

requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Sightseeing:

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts.

Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our [Terms and Conditions](#) regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

Türkiye:

A tourist visa is a strict requirement if travelling on an Australian Passport. You will be able to start your eVisa application process once you receive your final travel documentation

A tourist visa is not required if travelling on a New Zealand Passport.

Important:

- Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*
- Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*

• *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*

• *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*

• *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit <https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance>

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

- If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

Important Information

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.