



Highlights of Egypt

6 Night / 7 Days
Cairo, Nile Cruise

Departure City : Arrive to Egypt (Cairo) and Join the Tour



Tour Highlights

Tour Discription

BOOKING : Air Tickets of Domestic & International Airlines • Authorised Railway Ticket Agent (IRCTC)
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Egypt, a country linking northeast Africa with the Middle East, dates to the time of the pharaohs. Millennia-old monuments sit along the fertile Nile River Valley, including Giza's colossal Pyramids and Great Sphinx as well as Luxor's hieroglyph-lined Karnak Temple and Valley of the Kings tombs. The capital, Cairo, is home to Ottoman landmarks like Muhammad Ali Mosque and the Egyptian Museum, a trove of antiquities.

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Tour Itinerary

Day 1 - Hello, Egypt !

- Welcome to Cairo - Egypt's capital – built on the banks of the river Nile. The main attractions in Cairo are primarily the various historical landmarks that dot the area from ancient to more recent times. There are also other attractions such as palaces, historical mosques, mausoleums, citadels and much more and Cairo is also known for its nightlife and various cafes.
- Upon arrival at the Cairo International airport, you will be met by our local representative who will assist you. Head to your hotel while passing through Old Cairo to enjoy the panoramic view of the citadel with the towering Mosque of Mohamed Ali. Pass by Sultan Hassan & El Refaie mosques. Spend the day relaxing and taking in the breath- taking sights this colourful city has to offer. Else, you may opt to head out for a Sound and Light Show by the Pyramids (available at additional cost).
- Overnight stay at the hotel in the comforts of your room at Cairo.

Day 2 - Cairo

- Rise to a beautiful day and Savour a hearty breakfast.
- Today morning you will be met at the hotel by your guide for a full day tour of the Pyramids at Giza, Sphinx, papyrus fair, perfume factory and cotton shop. Thereafter visit the Egyptian Museum. Designed in the Neoclassical style by Marcel Dourgnon, the Egyptian Museum boasts 107 halls filled with artifacts dating from the prehistoric through the Roman periods, with the majority of the collection focused on the pharaonic era. The museum houses approximately 160,000 objects covering 5,000 years of Egypt's past. Post the visit to Egyptian Museum, proceed to Khan El-Khalili Bazaar. No visit to Cairo is Complete without a stop at the Khan El-Khalili bazaar, where you will be transported back in time to an old Arab souk. Shop owners calling you to their stalls, the scent of spices, the hustle and bustle of trade, and the many beautiful objects that can purchased will have you lost among alleys for hours. Put your haggling skills to the test when buying statuettes, spices, souvenirs, silver jewellery, t-shirts, galabiyas, belly dancing costumes, or anything for that matter. When your shopping's done, do not miss out on a traditional cup of tea at the famous Fishawi's cafe (own expense).
- Overnight stay in Cairo.

Day 3 - Cairo - Aswan - Nile Cruise

- Wake up and grab a delicious breakfast at the hotel.
- Early morning, check out of the hotel and get transferred to the Cairo domestic airport to board your flight to Aswan. Upon arrival in Aswan airport, proceed for a guided trip to the High Dam and the Temple of Philae. The latter is a special site, a shrine to Isis: your guide will explain how UNESCO took steps to relocate it to save it from flooding. Thereafter, proceed to the Nile cruise for check-in.
- Overnight on-board the cruise.

Day 4 - Nile Cruise

- Enjoy a lovely breakfast onboard. You may opt to tour great Temples of Abu Simble (additional cost). Flanked by four giant stone statues of Ramses II. The Temple was reclaimed from the dam to rescue from the rising water of Lake Nasser and reconstructed in its present site. Prepare to be blown away by the magnificence of these temples. They are undisputedly one of the world's most breathtaking monuments, and Egypt's second most visited touristic site. The most remarkable feature of the temple of Abu-Simbel

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is that the construction is oriented in a way that twice a year, the morning sun rays shine through the length of the inner temple cave and illuminate the statues of the four gods seated at the end of the cave.

- Next up, Sail to Kom Ombo to visit The Ptolemaic Temple shared by two gods Sobek & Haeroris. Visit the Kom Ombo Temple which is about 30 miles (48 km) north of Aswan and was built during the Graeco-Roman period. The temple is unique because it is in fact a double temple, dedicated to Sobek the crocodile god, and Horus the falcon-headed god. The layout combines two temples in one with each side having its own gateways and chapels. The rest of the day is spent sailing to Edfu.
- Overnight on-board the cruise.

Day 5 - Nile Cruise

- After a lip-smacking breakfast, get ready to experience the energy of Edfu.
- Today visit the Temple of Horus in Edfu, where your guide takes you through the different halls and antechambers, explaining their significance. The well preserved Temple of Horus is the second biggest temple in Egypt. The temple is believed to have been built on the site of the great Horus-Seth battle. The rest of the day is spent sailing to Luxor. Enjoy the beautiful scenery pass by.
- Overnight on-board the cruise.

Day 6 - Nile Cruise - Luxor - Cairo

- Indulge in a scrumptious breakfast onboard. Check-out after breakfast.

Inclusions

- Make way to visit most famous sites on Luxor's West Bank - Valley of the Kings, and Temple of Queen Hatshepsut. Step back in time to ancient Egypt as you explore the elaborate tombs of the Valley of the Kings, visit the unique design of the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut and the towering statues of the Colossi of Memnon. In the evening visit the age-old Temples of Karnak and Luxor Temple on the Nile's East Bank. Explore the giant columns of the Hypostyle Hall, walk the Avenue of the Sphinxes, and see other highlights as you learn their history. Then, head for Luxor Temple to admire its columns, courts and statues; and discover how it was embellished by Tutankhamun and Alexander the Great.
- Full day visit of the Great Pyramids of Giza, Sphinx, papyrus fair, perfume factory and cotton shop.
- Collect your luggage and head to Luxor Airport to board your onward flight to Cairo (must be evening flight).
- Visit Egyptian Museum and Khan El Khalili Bazaar
- Overnight stay at Hotel in Cairo
- Guided trip to the High Dam and the Temple of Philae

- Visit Kom Ombo Temple

Day 7 Depart Luxor

- All great holidays, Queen Hatshepsut Temple, breakfast Colossi of Memnon
- Check out from the hotel and get transferred to the Cairo airport for your onward flight back to India.

Returns

- All Tours and Transfers are on Seat in Coach Basis

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Exclusions

- Government Service Tax 5% as applicable
- Any items of personal nature viz. telephone, beverages, laundry, Tips gratuities etc and other things not mentioned in our itinerary.
- Any other service or meal which is not mentioned in above inclusions.
- Costs of meals on internal domestic flights are not included in the tour price.
- Cost of excursions, sightseeing tours, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than what is mentioned in the package inclusions
- Any increase in the airfare, fuel surcharge taxes charged by the airlines on the air ticket before the issuance of flight tickets, taxes shall be charged extra irrespective of the booking date
- Tips, portorage, entry tickets to sites, photography and video making fees at site, laundry and phone calls
- Cost of Extension/ Deviation of air ticket as per actual at the time of ticketing
- Hotel is subject to availability at the time of confirmation.
- The itinerary shared is tentative and is subject to change at the time of confirmation
- Anything not mentioned in the price inclusions column such as currency fluctuation
- Surcharges might be applicable in case the dates fall under any Event / Trade Fairs in Egypt
- Waiting or additional transfer fees if clients miss shuttle transfers or transfers booked for a specific time
- International and Domestic Airfares with taxes for and from Egypt
- Cost of Travel Insurance or any other insurance
- Additional transfer if any.
- Egypt Entry Visa Charges
- Entrance inside the Pyramids and visit of the Solar Boat in the Pyramids area.
- Entrance of the Mummies room at the Egyptian Museum
- Whispers at Egypt Museum USD 2 per person (obligatory starting from 5 Pax), to be paid directly to your guide on the spot.
- Tips (suggested 04 USD per person per day)

Terms & Conditions

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- Rate of Exchange (ROE) will be taken into account for making land component's final payment. This rate is applicable for Indian nationals only. Other nationalities are requested to contact our tour experts for more details on pricing policy.
The standard hotel check-in time is 14:00 hrs and check out 12:00 hours.
The breakfast timing at international hotels is mostly from 6:30 hrs to 10:00 hrs.
The grant or refusal of a visa is up to the sole discretion of a particular government, consulate or embassy, and RTT should not be held responsible for the delay, denial or non-issuance of visa to travelers. Apart from this, RTT will not be responsible for any additional expense or loss resulting from it.
Excessive consumption of alcoholic drinks while traveling will put you in trouble, especially during visa on arrival, immigration, and other vital procedures that determine your entry to the country.
It is significant to ensure that your passport possesses a 6 month-validity (9 months in the case of Malaysian passport) from the date of return. Whether or not you're eligible for visa on arrival, we request you to obtain your visa, prior to departure.
Should you've any travel related query or have to face any kind of difficulties during your vacation, we request you to bring them to the attention of RTT's staff or hotel / transport service provider on immediate basis. If the complaint is not resolved to your contentment, you can forward us a formal complaint in writing within 28 days of your return. We assure you to get back to you with a practical yet sensible solution.
If you don't receive the travel arrangements as promised by RTT's agents or staff, we assure to make appropriate compensation.
RTT should not be held responsible for any negligence or ineffectiveness of services provided by third parties, such as airlines and hotels.
RTT is only a tour operator and should not be held liable for your own acts on account of misconduct or personal affairs. For instance, RTT or its team cannot guarantee the safety of your personal belongings or vital documents at any point of your vacation.
RTT should not be held responsible for any kind of damages or misconduct done by guests during tour.
At RTT, we take all rational effort to provide accurate and genuine information on our website. Nevertheless, we cannot assure the exactness of all information, particularly images that depict the services made available by hotels and other third party service providers.
For a hassle-free vacation, we recommend you to avail of a travel insurance plan through one of RTT's sales agents, prior to departing from your destination. However, extra charges may apply.
What we mean by 'seat-in-coach' is to make available comfortable van / bus/ coach for arrivals, departures, or sightseeing. However, please be informed that when you choose to tour on SIC basis, you will be required to share transportation with other guests. If you don't approve the same, we recommend you to take advantage of a private vehicle by paying extra charge.
To ensure an unperturbed holiday experience, it is advisable to carry your valid travel documents by way of passports, visas and important documents while traveling.
In such circumstance when a client applies for documents relevant for traveling, such as visa, through RTT and later the tour is cancelled because of the unavailability of these documents, no refund will be made to the client. Moreover, clients are not eligible for any claim of payments or cash deposits that are non-refundable.
Unless otherwise paid for it, no separate bed will be provided to a kid accompanying his or her parents. However, if you want an extra bed for your kid, you can get one by directly making payment to the hotel. Furthermore, no refund will be done in such instance wherein you've already paid for the bed and don't want to avail of it.
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