

11DPRGWAW KALEIDOSCOPE OF THE HABSBURG EMPIRE

11 days in Prague, Vienna, Budapest, Krakow, and Warsaw.



INCLUDED CITY TOURS

- Prague
- Vienna
- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw

INCLUDED FEATURES

- First-class hotels
- Arrival transfer from Prague airport on Day 1
- Departure transfer to Warsaw airport on Day 11
- Daily breakfast and 5 dinners
- Professional English-Speaking Tour Director
- Licensed Local Guides
- Touring with modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Whisper technology for enhanced touring
- Luggage handling (1 piece per person)
- Service charges and hotel taxes
- Entrance fees included where indicated in bold

TRIP ITINERARY

B - Breakfast | D - Dinner

Entrance fees included where indicated in bold.

Day 1 - Monday: Arrive in Prague

You will be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. Take some time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

Day 2 - Tuesday: In Prague

After breakfast, we will cross the Vltava River to explore the Royal Castle of Hradcany. Visit the magnificent Cathedral of St. Vitus, the Old Royal Palace, St. George's Basilica, and the charming Golden Lane with the Daliborka Tower. Continue to the Old Town Square, where you will admire the famous Astronomical Clock, explore the Jewish Quarter, marvel at St. Nicholas Church, and walk across the iconic Charles Bridge. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure. (B)

Day 3 - Wednesday: To Vienna

We will travel by motorcoach to Vienna - known as the City of Waltz. Upon arrival, you will have free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architectural wonders to indulging in pastries. Dinner and overnight stay in Vienna. (B, D)

Day 4 - Thursday: Explore Vienna

Our day begins with a visit to St. Stephen's Cathedral and the **Hofburg Palace**. We will then proceed to view the impressive Belvedere Palace, the vibrant Prater Amusement Park, and the renowned UN Buildings. The afternoon is free to explore at your own pace. In the evening, enjoy a classical concert featuring the music of Strauss and Mozart. (B)

Day 5 - Friday: To Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, Hungary. Upon arrival, the sightseeing tour includes panoramic views of the city's main attractions including the Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, Fisherman's Bastion, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore this exciting city at your own leisure. (B)

Day 6 - Saturday: Explore Budapest

The entire day is free for you to explore Budapest - known as The Paris of the East. Shop along Vaci Utca, indulge in a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip Hungarian wine, or join us for an optional excursion. In the evening, enjoy a farewell dinner and overnight stay. (B, D)

Day 7 - Sunday: To Krakow

The road to Krakow takes us through the scenic hills and countryside of Slovakia. We will pass the majestic Tatras Mountains and head towards the rolling plains of Poland. Arrive in Krakow in time for a relaxing dinner. (B, D)

Day 8 - Monday: Explore Krakow

Start the day with a morning sightseeing tour, beginning with a visit to Wawel Hill, where you will admire the Royal Castle and visit the Royal Cathedral. Take a leisurely walking tour of the charming Old Town, where you will discover the Main Market Square, the Renaissance Cloth Hall, and the impressive St. Mary's Church. The afternoon is free for you to go for a stroll, browse through shops, sample local delicacies (such as sernik or szarlotka), or simply relax. (B)







Day 9 - Tuesday: To Warsaw

In the morning, join a tour of **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the infamous concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Later, continue to Czestochowa and visit the **Yasna Gora Monastery**, renowned for the revered Black Madonna painting. In the late afternoon, arrive in Warsaw - the capital city of Poland. (B, D)

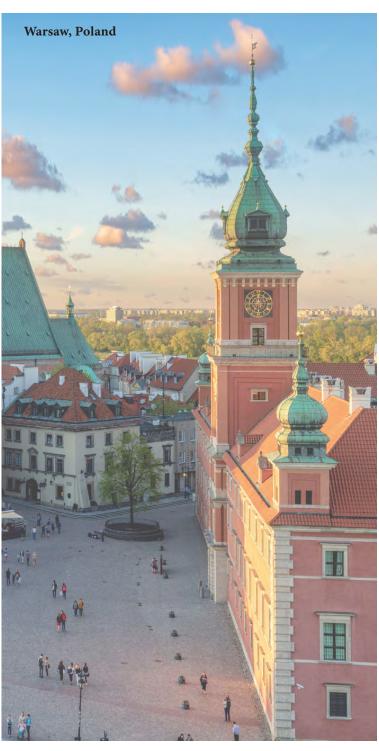
Day 10 - Wednesday: Explore Warsaw

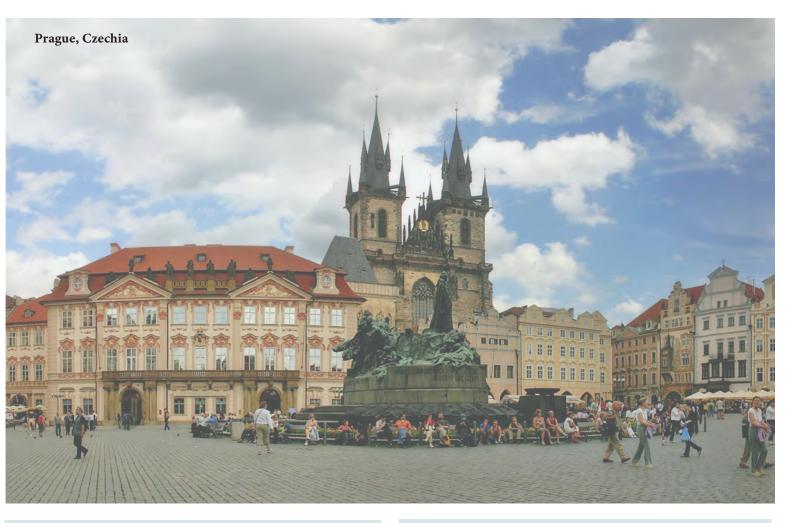
As a symbol of Polish nationhood and resilience, Warsaw's 700-year-old history holds great significance. The sightseeing tour in Warsaw begins with a drive along the famous Royal Route - starting from magnificent Castle Square and leading to Lazienki Park and Palace, the former summer residence of Poland's last king. Along the way, you will pass notable landmarks such as the Palace of Science and Culture - known as the wedding cake, Saxon Gardens, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Monument to the Heroes of the Warsaw Ghetto, and the Barbican. Afterward, enjoy a walking tour of the charming Old Town, including the Old Market Square and St. John's Cathedral. The rest of the day is free for shopping, exploring the city, relaxing in parks or gardens, or optionally attending a late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

Day 11 - Thursday: Depart Warsaw

After breakfast, check out from your hotel and transfer to Warsaw airport for your departure. (B)

Note: Because of the narrow and cobbled streets, walking is the primary way of getting around. Please make sure to pack comfortable walking shoes.





INCLUDED HOTELS

- **Prague** Hotel Adria (F) or similar
- Vienna Hotel Fleming's Selection (F) or similar
- Budapest Hotel Mercure Korona (F) or similar
- Krakow Hotel Novotel Centrum (F) or similar
- Warsaw Hotel Mercure Grand (F) or similar

DATES & TOUR PRICING -11DPRGWAW

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May 9 May 30	\$2,899
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June 20	\$2,990
July 11	\$2,795
August 1	\$2,795
August 22	\$2,795
Septmber 12	\$2,990
October 3	\$2,990
October 17	\$2,990
October 31	\$2,899
November 14	\$2,795
December 5	\$2,599
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