



PERÚ ESENCIAL



6DAYS / 5 NIGHTS

Day 1.

Pick up and transfers. Arrival at Jorge Chávez International Airport, assistance and transfer to the selected hotel. Accommodation.

Day 2.- COLONIAL AND MODERN CITY TOUR

Breakfast. On the way to the Historic Center of Lima we will take a panoramic tour of the Archaeological site of Huaca Pucllana, an imposing adobe construction of the Lima culture.

Visit to the Bodega & Quadra Museum, where you can see the Wall of Lima built in the 17th century and with an exhibition of objects showing society and development during the viceroyalty. We will begin the visit of the historic center by visiting the Convent of Santo Domingo, where the remains of San Martín de Porres and Santa Rosa de Lima, patron saint of the Americas and the Philippines, are located. We will stop for a moment to also appreciate the historic Convent of San Francisco.

We will visit the main square of Lima, surrounded by the most important buildings of viceregal Lima. If time permits, we will have the opportunity to observe the changing of the national guard, in front of the Government Palace of Peru.

The bus will take us back to our accommodation, having the opportunity to observe the residential neighborhoods and financial area of San Isidro and Miraflores.

Rest of the afternoon free. This is an opportunity to taste the renowned Peruvian gastronomy; visit the Barranco neighborhood, cradle of poets and writers (part of the Mario Vargas Llosa literary route) or to continue visiting other attractions in the capital. Overnight at the selected hotel.

Day 3.- LIMA / CUSCO: City Tour + Surrounding Ruins of Cusco.

Breakfast. We will go to the airport to board the flight that will take us to Cusco, the Inca land. Assistance upon arrival and transfer to our hotel. We will begin our tour of this historic city, considered a World Heritage Site, visiting the Cathedral and the Koricancha or Temple of the Sun, where the Convent of Santo Domingo is still located.

Next we will ascend to the upper part of the city to visit the Surrounding Ruins, where Sacsayhuaman stands out, a ceremonial fortress of monumental stones; Q'enqo, ceremonial and ritual center where sacrifices were made and Tambomachay, temple to worship the Water God. Panoramic view of Puka-Pukará, ancient tambo or lookout post along the Inca roads. Return to the hotel for a well-deserved rest. Overnight at the selected hotel.

DAY 4. CUSCO/ SACRED VALLEY: Chinchero-Maras-Moray and Ollantaytambo / MACHU PICCHU (Aguas Calientes)

Breakfast lunch

Visit the town of Chinchero, with its archaeological zone, the main square from where you can see its colonial church and its artisan market (if it is Sunday, you can enjoy its spectacular and authentic Sunday food market). We will continue with the visit of a textile workshop, where the weavers of the community, heirs of the best textile techniques of the empire, will demonstrate their fabrics and the use of natural dyes.

We will continue towards the salt mines of Maras, which served as a salt supply center in the Inca Empire, currently exploited. We finish the morning visiting the Moray agricultural laboratory, characterized by its deep concentric terraces with diverse microclimates. Lunch.

In the afternoon, visit Ollantaytambo with its fortress, before moving to the train station to leave for the town of Aguas Calientes. Arrive and transfer to the hotel. Dinner and accommodation at the selected hotel.

Travelers Tips:

- To prepare your luggage for Machu Picchu: By regulation of the train companies (in order to allow visibility through the panoramic windows), they only allow carry-on luggage: You must provide a small travel bag, backpack or "carry on", which does not exceed 5 kg in weight per person (in addition to handbags). The rest of the luggage will be left at the hotel in Cusco where you will stay again.



DAY 5.Visit to MACHU PICCHU / SACRED VALLEY

Breakfast

We will get up early to enjoy, without the stress of visitors who arrive later, one of the most impressive archaeological sites in the world, the Inca citadel of Machu Picchu, one of the seven modern wonders.

In a unique natural environment, we will take a guided tour of the archaeological complex, visiting its platforms, squares, temples, palaces, warehouses, workshops, staircases, water fountains, the temple of the sun and other areas.

We will have the possibility of climbing Mount Huayna Picchu or Mount Machu Picchu (upon request). After our mystical encounter with Machu Picchu, we will return by bus to Aguas Calientes to enjoy its market and the life of this enclave, where almost every traveler who arrives in the country passes through. At the scheduled time, we will leave from the train station to return to Ollantaytambo or Poroy, where the transportation will be waiting for us to take us to our hotel in Cusco. Accommodation.

DAY7.MACHU PICCHU / SACRED VALLEY

Assistance to the the airport, transfer from hotel flight from cusco to Lima and of the services

