

Peru Adventure 7N 8D

Lima – Cusco – Machu Picchu

Day 01 Hong Kong – Paris – Lima

Depart Hong Kong AF185 2255hrs arrive Paris 0555hrs (approx. flying time 13hrs), connecting flight AF480 depart Paris 1050hrs arrive Lima 1615hrs (approx. flying time 12hrs 25mins) meet and greet, hotel transfer, overnight Lima.

Day 02 Lima City Tour – Cusco



Santo Domingo Convent

Enjoy breakfast in the comfort of your hotel, followed by your private transfer to Lima. Enjoy your City Tour, bursting with architectural history and culture, Lima has an eclectic array of attractions. Visit the **Santo Domingo Convent**, a religious and artistic staple of the city's historic center. Take a walk along the cliffs of the **Miraflores District**, showcasing the beautiful views of the Pacific Ocean and enjoy some shopping at the **Larcomar Mall**.

After lunch, airport transfer, depart Lima 1735hrs arrive Cusco 1855hrs (approx. flying time 01hr 20mins).

Meet and greet, hotel transfer for you to relax and acclimatize, elevation is approximately 3,400 meters (11,200 feet), we highly recommend resting upon arrival for a few hours and taking in some coca tea.

Overnight Cusco.



Miraflores

Day 03 Cusco Walking Tour



Coricancha Temple

Breakfast at hotel prior to your private Walking Tour of Cusco, visit **Coricancha Temple (Temple of the Sun)** the **Cathedral** and **Art Museum**. Explore **Casa Concha museum** or the **San Pedro Market**; the museum was recently renovated and houses over 360 archaeological pieces from Machu Picchu returned by Yale University, San Pedro Market is a lively, local area where you will receive a briefing about Andean ingredients and have an opportunity to purchase them, a great opportunity to interact with the locals either selling or purchasing items from the market.

Once a powerful Incan city, Cusco is filled to the brim with relics of its grand history. Visit the ruins of the ancient Incan **Coricancha Temple**, where the **Church of Santo Domingo** now stands atop. Behold the many beautiful, colonial buildings in **Main Square**, including the **Cathedral** and **Church of La Compania de Jesus (Society of Christ)**.



Church of La Compania de Jesus

After lunch, continue to the nearby water shrine of **Tambomachay (Inca Fountains)**, **Puca Pucara (Red Fortress)**, the **Amphitheater** of Kenko and finally **Sacsayhuaman Fortress**. Hotel transfer, rest of evening free, overnight Cusco.

Day 04 Cusco Walking Tour



Sacred Valley of the Incas

Hotel breakfast, depart for **Urubamba River** located in the **Sacred Valley of the Incas** (north of Cusco). Your private guide will give an introductory lesson on safety and equipment for the rafting trip along the Urubamba.

This tour will last for approximately two hours in rapids of varying classes, II, III, IV+, and V, depending on the route selected based on one's ability and the season.

Ollantaytambo Class III runs from May to December; the Quiquijana Class III from December to May; and the Chuquicahuana Class III, IV and V also December to May.

The Chuquicahuana is the hardest route and will have a safety guide in the kayak at all times. The harder routes are only recommended for those with the upmost experience. After the rafting tour of the Urubamba River, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. After lunch enjoy the unique opportunity to support the local community of Cachiccata in the Sacred Valley by planting a tree to help the ongoing reforestation process in Peru. Hotel transfer, overnight Cusco.

Day 05 Cusco – Urubamba

Enjoy breakfast in the comfort of your hotel before being transferred to Chinchero for your Bike Tour. There will be a brief discussion before beginning the biking adventure, passing by **Huaypo Lagoon**, and the **Archaeological Site of Moray** and the salt mines of **Salineras**. Your tour ends in Urubamba, enjoy a well deserved lunch prior to your hotel transfer, rest of day free for your own leisure, overnight Urubamba.



Urubamba

Day 06 Urubamba – Machu Picchu



Machu Picchu

Breakfast at hotel, train station transfer, your train heads through the Sacred Valley of the Incas up to the town of **Aguas Calientes**. From here, board a bus to the mountain-top citadel of **Machu Picchu** and enjoy a guided tour of the ruins. Welcome to *the Lost City of the Incas*, once a flourishing ceremonial and agricultural site, probably the gateway to the jungle marshes of the Inca Empire.

The central buildings were erected with the polished stone works of the Cusco imperial style, though the site was probably occupied well before the Incas started their expansion. It was associated with the earth cult revolving around the coca leaf, which was a privilege of the Inca royal family and priests.

Take some time to enjoy a light lunch or snack and return to the hotel at leisure. In the evening, enjoy a wonderful dinner at the hotel or in the village of Aguas Calientes, overnight Machu Picchu.

Recently, following UNESCO recommendations, Peruvian authorities have placed restrictions on the visitation of Machu Picchu, the lost Incan ruins. Currently, no more than 2,500 people daily will be allowed to visit the ruins. While these new restrictions are great for the preservation of the ruins, they may cause some difficulties in your ability to visit them, so we recommend booking with plenty of notice - government regulations limit the number of visitors to Machu Picchu daily. Entrance is subject to availability.

Day 07 Machu Picchu – Cusco

Hotel breakfast, you will be met at your hotel for a private hike through the ruins up to **Inti Punku** or the **Sun Gate** for an unforgettable view of the ruins at sunrise. For those who are most adventurous, there is a hike to **Huayna Picchu (Young Mountain)**. This hike is quite steep and sometimes exposed.



Inti Punku

In the afternoon, board the train to return to Cusco. Upon arrival, train station reception and transfer to the hotel, overnight Cusco.

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Day 08 Cusco – Lima – Amsterdam – Hong Kong

After breakfast on time airport transfer, depart Cusco 1200hrs arrive Lima 1340hrs (approx. flying time 01hr 40mins) connecting flight, depart Lima 2000 hrs arrive Amsterdam 1525hrs (approx. flying time 12hrs 25mins) connecting flight, depart Amsterdam 1720hrs arrive Hong Kong 1020hrs (approx. flying time 11hrs).

Package Information

Destination	Hotel Envisage	
Lima	Double Tree El Pardo	Casa Andina Miraflores
Cusco	Andean Wings	Rumi Punku
Machu Picchu	Casa del Sol	Casa Andina Classic
Sacred Valley	Sonesta Posada del Inca	Sonesta Posada del Inca
Package Cost HKD per person	58,690	56,690

Minimum 02 people travel on entire journey

Tailor made itinerary to other South American cities is available subject to request basis

Package Includes

Round Trip Economy class air ticket from Hong Kong to Lima by Air France & KLM

Round Trip Economy class air ticket from Lima to Cusco

07 nights' accommodations at above mentioned hotels or similar available alternative

Daily buffet breakfasts, lunches and dinners at local restaurants as mentioned

Private assisted transfers to / from airport, hotel in Lima & Cusco

Private sightseeing group tour with bilingual speaking guide per itinerary

Package Does Not Include

Alcoholic beverages / drinks, wet suits, travel insurance, extra meals

Spending of a personal nature (eg: laundry, tips, phone calls etc.) Airlines taxes in Ecuador / local taxes

Anything else not mentioned under Package Includes section