



EXCLUSIVE IMMERSIVE EGYPTIAN CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

Program: 11 days in Egypt. 6 nights in Cairo and 4 nights Nile cruise



"At Travel Center, we don't create just destinations, we create memories and moments that remain in your heart... exactly the way Egypt is meant to be remembered."



EGYPTIAN IMMERSIVE JOURNEY

WELCOME MESSAGE FROM TRAVEL CENTER TEAM

At TRAVEL CENTER, we believe that travel is not simply about moving from one place to another, but about **living experiences that leave a lasting impression.**

We founded this company in 2023 after years of experience in the international tourism sector, working across **Egypt, Brazil, Spain, and Latin America.** This background allowed us to understand not only the destination itself, but also the expectations of travelers and the real needs of our partners.

TRAVEL CENTER was created with a clear vision: to offer a **DMC service in Egypt based on excellence, trust, and true personalization.** We do not design standard trips; we create carefully tailored experiences for each client and each travel agency we work with.

Our philosophy is built on three fundamental pillars: quality in every detail, operational reliability, and the creation of authentic experiences that connect with the essence of the destination. To achieve this, we work exclusively with a carefully selected network of local partners who share our same high standards.

At the same time, we are committed **to innovation and transparency,** incorporating tools that facilitate communication and daily management with our commercial partners. We understand that in the B2B segment, agility and trust are essential.

Our **guides and representatives are carefully selected** from a wide pool of professionals based on excellence, experience, and deep knowledge of the destination. Beyond their qualifications, they stand out for their ability to anticipate travelers' needs and provide a warm, discreet, and highly professional service, ensuring a smooth, enriching, and fully personalized

experience at every moment of the journey. Our multilingual team is available 24/7 to support every operation, providing continuous assistance and ensuring that each trip runs with fluidity, safety, and precision.

Transfers are carried out in **modern vehicles,** either brand new or with a maximum age of one year, designed to ensure the highest level of comfort during all journeys. Equipped with full amenities and meeting the highest safety standards, these vehicles allow guests to enjoy every transfer in complete peace of mind, turning each journey into an integral part of a carefully curated travel experience.

Above all, **our greatest commitment is human:** to ensure that every traveler discovers Egypt in a truly memorable way, with every detail treated as a unique experience. At Travel Center, we understand each journey as something **personal and close;** we are like a family, and we want our clients to feel as comfortable as they would at home while discovering the country. For this reason, our entire team (**management, Egyptologist guides, representatives, and administrative staff**) remains fully at your disposal, ensuring excellence and satisfaction throughout the entire experience.

For us, every partnership is a long-term relationship built on **trust, professionalism, and a passion for creating exceptional experiences.**

Para nosotros, cada colaboración es una relación a largo plazo basada en la **confianza, la profesionalidad y la pasión por crear experiencias excepcionales.**

At Travel Center, nothing makes us happier than seeing our clients truly delighted, enjoying experiences they will carry with them for a lifetime

El equipo de TRAVEL CENTER



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TRAVEL ITINERARY OVERVIEW

At Travel Center, we present a **meticulously designed journey** to discover Egypt in all its grandeur, blending ancient history, exclusive cultural encounters, and elevated, high-end service. Throughout this experience, you will explore **Cairo** at its most captivating, from the iconic Pyramids of Giza and world-renowned museums to historic districts that tell the story of one of the world's oldest civilizations. The journey then continues with a profound immersion into the **pharaonic legacy**, visiting extraordinary temples, archaeological treasures, and unique cultural sites during the **Nile cruise**. The program is further enriched with **authentic moments and carefully curated optional excursions**, offering a more exclusive and privileged perspective of the destination.

Every stage of the journey has been thoughtfully crafted to ensure seamless comfort, effortless flow, and highly personalized service, delivering an unforgettable experience at the heart of both ancient and contemporary Egypt.

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DAY 1. ARRIVAL IN CAIRO

- **Arrival at Cairo International Airport**, where you will be warmly welcomed with a personalized reception.
- Exclusive assistance from our representative and private transfer to the hotel in a high-end, air-conditioned vehicle.
- **Arrival at the hotel**, priority check-in arrangements, and accommodation for a stay of maximum comfort in Cairo.



"The Great Pyramid of Kheops, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, stands as the central monument of the Giza Plateau. Originally, it reached an estimated height of approximately 146 meters, although today it measures around 137 meters due to the loss of its outer casing and part of its apex over the centuries.

It is believed that its original polished white limestone cladding gave the pyramid a smooth, luminous finish, making it visible from great distances. Over time, this outer layer disappeared, likely due to stone removal, looting, and the impact of successive historical periods, when its entrance had not yet been clearly identified.

Notably, the pyramid remained the tallest man-made structure in the world for more than 3,800 years, until around 1311 AD, and continues to stand as one of humanity's greatest architectural achievements.

Today, a visit to the Giza Plateau allows guests to admire its four main highlights: the Pyramid of Kheops, the Pyramid of Khafre, the Pyramid of Menkaure, and the Great Sphinx."

DAY 2. PYRAMIDS OF GIZA, MEMPHIS & SAQQARA

- **Breakfast** in the hotel.
- The day begins with departure accompanied by your private Egyptologist guide, a specialist in Pharaonic history, to discover **Saqqara**, one of the oldest necropolises in Egypt. Here, you will explore its extraordinary complex of mastabas and funerary monuments that mark the origins of pyramid architecture. Within these ancient tombs, finely carved high and low reliefs can still be seen, depicting beautifully detailed scenes of daily life in Ancient Egypt, with colours that in some cases remain remarkably preserved. These artworks offer a unique insight into their way of life, customs, and beliefs. **The Step Pyramid of Saqqara** is considered the world's first monumental limestone structure.

Optional access to the interior of the Pyramid of Unas, where you may visit its burial chamber lined with alabaster, offering a rare and immersive experience into the funerary rituals of Ancient Egypt. Visit to the tombs of nobles and high officials of the period, where astonishing reliefs and paintings are still preserved in their original colours after more than 4,500 years, providing an exceptional window into everyday life during Pharaonic times.



- Transfer to the iconic **Giza Necropolis**, one of the most impressive archaeological sites in the world.
- Visit to the majestic **Great Pyramid of Kheops**, the only surviving Wonder of the Ancient World and an eternal symbol of Pharaonic grandeur.
- Continuation of the visit through the Giza Plateau, including the **Pyramid of Khafre, the Pyramid of Menkaure, and the Great Sphinx**, guardian of the horizon with the body of a lion and the head of a human, alongside the Valley Temple, an exceptional testimony to the funerary rituals of Ancient Egypt.

During ancient landscaping works on the Giza Plateau—when efforts were made to level the terrain and connect it to the Nile via a landing dock—the bedrock was uncovered. Taking advantage of this natural formation, craftsmen of the 4th Dynasty are believed to have carved the Sphinx directly from the living rock, giving it its distinctive shape.

According to various theories, the face of the Sphinx represents Pharaoh Khafre, combining symbolic, religious, and architectural power into one of the most iconic images of Ancient Egypt.

- Continuation to **Memphis**, the ancient capital of Pharaonic Egypt and one of the most important political and cultural centres of its time. In the open-air museum stands the colossal statue of Ramses II, one of the most impressive sculptures of Ancient Egypt, weighing nearly 100 tons and measuring approximately 13 metres in height (10 metres in its current position).
- **Lunch** at a carefully selected restaurant, where you will enjoy Egyptian cuisine in a comfortable and high-quality setting.
- Afternoon **return to the hotel** with personalized assistance. Accommodation in Cairo at a selected-category hotel, designed to ensure maximum comfort and relaxation. Free time to enjoy the hotel facilities and exclusive services.
- **Meals included:** breakfast and lunch



DAY 3. MEC, THE CITADEL & KHAN EL KHALILI

- **Breakfast** in the hotel.
- Departure to enjoy a comprehensive visit to the **National Museum of Egyptian Civilization (MEC)**, a unique institution that presents the history of Egypt from prehistoric times to the present day. A highlight of the museum is the renowned Royal Mummies Hall, alongside invaluable archaeological and artistic collections of exceptional historical significance.



- Continuation with a visit to the imposing **Citadel of Saladin**, a historic fortress strategically located on an ancient limestone quarry, whose own rock served as the foundation for its construction.

Built in 1176 by Saladin as a defense against the Crusaders, it became one of the most important military strongholds in Cairo.

In 1805, Muhammad Ali took control of Egypt with the support of the Mamluks, former soldiers and mercenary officers who had held significant influence over the country's power structure. During his rule, Muhammad Ali transformed the Citadel, building within its walls his royal residence known as the Palace of the Jewels, as well as the Mint, a prison, and his architectural masterpiece: the Mosque of Muhammad Ali, considered the crown jewel of more than 500 mosques in Islamic Cairo, distinguished by its Ottoman style and commanding presence over the city.

- **Lunch** at a carefully selected local restaurant to enjoy authentic Egyptian cuisine.
- **Return to the hotel** for a short rest.
- In the afternoon, stroll through the famous **Khan El Khalili market**, one of the oldest and most iconic bazaars in the Middle East, offering a unique experience among narrow alleys filled with craftsmanship, aromas, and vibrant local life.
- **Return to the hotel** with personalized assistance.
- **Accommodation** in Cairo.
- **Meals included:** breakfast and lunch.

DAY 4. ALEJANDRIA

- **Breakfast** at the hotel.
- **Departure towards Alexandria**, enjoying a comfortable drive of approximately two and a half hours through landscapes that connect the Nile Valley with the Mediterranean coast.
- **Arrival in the historic city of Alexandria**, the ancient jewel of the Mediterranean and one of the greatest cultural centers of the Greco-Roman world.

Strategically located between the Mediterranean Sea and Lake Mareotis, and facing the legendary island of Pharos, Alexandria has been, since antiquity, a key hub for trade, culture, and knowledge.

In its origins, the city was known as Rakotis, an Egyptian settlement that was later transformed and expanded into one of the most important cities of the ancient world. Its urban layout was designed by the Greek architect Dinocrates of Rhodes, under the vision of Alexander the Great, who ordered its foundation in 331 BC.

Alexandria was organized into five major districts, reflecting its cosmopolitan nature and the coexistence of Egyptian, Greek, and Roman cultures, all of which left a profound legacy shaping its unique historical identity.



- The visit begins with the **iconic Pompey's Pillar**, one of the best-preserved ancient monuments in the city and one of the most representative archaeological landmarks of Roman Egypt.

This impressive column, approximately 27 meters high and 2.5 meters in diameter, is carved from a single block of red granite, reflecting the extraordinary technical and symbolic achievement of its construction. Its name is traditionally linked to the Roman general Gnaeus Pompeius Magnus, rival of Julius Caesar during Rome's civil wars. According to legend, after his defeat, Pompey was killed in Egypt, and his head was presented to Caesar as an offering—an event mythically associated with this column, which today carries his name and a strong historical aura.

- Continue to the ruins **of the Serapeum of Alexandria**, an ancient temple dedicated to the god Serapis and one of the most significant remnants of the Greco-Roman period in Egypt.
- Visit the fascinating **Catacombs of Kom el Shoqafa**, an extraordinary underground complex considered one of the most unique archaeological sites in Egypt, where Egyptian, Greek, and Roman artistic traditions blend in a mysterious and historical setting.
- Continue to the **impressive Citadel of Qaitbay**, a 15th-century fortress strategically built on the remains of the **legendary Lighthouse of Alexandria, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World**, offering spectacular views over the Mediterranean Sea and the historic island of Pharos.
- Proceed to the modern **Bibliotheca Alexandrina**, a contemporary architectural masterpiece that pays tribute to the ancient Library of Alexandria, symbolizing its historical and cultural legacy dating back to the time of Julius Caesar.
- **Lunch** at a specialized seafood restaurant overlooking the Mediterranean Sea and the area where the ancient submerged city and the legendary Lighthouse of Alexandria once stood, as well as the Citadel of Qaitbay.
- **Return to Cairo** at the end of the day and accommodation at the hotel.
- **Meals included:** breakfast and lunch.

DAY 5. CAIRO – LUXOR. NILE CRUISE FROM LUXOR

- **Breakfast** at the hotel.
- **Transfer to the airport** for your **flight to Luxor**.
- **Arrival in Luxor**, where you will be met by our representative for personalized assistance, marking the beginning of your exploration of one of the most fascinating cities of Upper Egypt.
- **Transfer to the Nile cruise ship** and embarkation.
- **Lunch** on board.
- **In the afternoon**, visit to the magnificent **Karnak Temple complex**, considered the largest religious site of Ancient Egypt. Of particular highlight is the impressive Hypostyle Hall of the Temple of Amun-Ra, featuring 134 monumental columns, as well as the ancient “dromos” or processional avenue that once connected the temples of Karnak and Luxor.
- Continuation to the elegant **Luxor Temple**, also known as the **Palace of the Harem of the god Amun-Ra or the Royal Palace of Amenhotep III**, one of the most emblematic complexes of Ancient Egypt. Located on the east bank of Luxor, it formed part of the vast royal complex during the height of the New Kingdom. Built under the reigns of Amenhotep III and Ramses II and dedicated to the god Amun, this site— together with Karnak—was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1979.
- **Return** to the cruise.
- **Dinner and overnight on board**, enjoying the unique atmosphere of the Nile.



DAY 6. LUXOR

- **Breakfast** on board.
- Departure to explore the majestic **Theban Necropolis**, located on the west bank of the Nile, considered one of the most important funerary complexes of the ancient world.
- Visit to the legendary **Valley of the Kings**, the eternal resting place of the great pharaohs of the New Kingdom (18th, 19th and 20th Dynasties), hidden within the desert mountains beneath ancient limestone formations dating back millions of years.

*The **scenes depicted inside the tombs** are of a distinctly **funerary nature**, designed to accompany the deceased on their journey into the afterlife. Every detail of their decoration and structure was conceived to protect and preserve the **embalmed body**, understood as the essential vessel for the continuity of existence.*

*According to Ancient Egyptian beliefs, the human being was composed, among other elements, of **the Ka and the Ba**. The **Ka** represented the life force or spiritual energy, a vital essence that remained connected to the body after death and required nourishment, hence the presence of offerings such as food and drink, some of which have even been found preserved in desiccated form within tombs. The **Ba**, on the other hand, represented the individual personality or essence of the deceased, a free and mysterious spirit capable of moving between the world of the living and the realm of the dead. In Egyptian religious thought, the heart was considered the center of thought and soul, which is why during the mummification process all internal organs were removed except the heart, which remained in the body to ensure spiritual integrity in the afterlife.*

*Within this extraordinary site, several tombs can be visited, adorned with remarkable reliefs and paintings that have survived for millennia, offering a unique insight into the beliefs and funerary rituals of Ancient Egypt. An optional visit to the **famous tomb of Tutankhamun** is also available, one of the most iconic and fascinating tombs in the entire Valley of the Kings.*



- Continuation to **Deir el-Bahari** to admire the **Temple of Queen Hatshepsut**, a masterpiece of Egyptian architecture, elegantly integrated into the mountainside and built in striking terraced levels that create a unique harmony with the desert landscape. The temple is located on the slopes of the ancient Theban mountain, just behind the Valley of the Kings, and is connected to it by a tunnel carved directly into the rock, where the tomb of Queen Hatshepsut is located.
- Stop at the **Colossi of Memnon**, two gigantic stone statues representing Pharaoh Amenhotep III, which once guarded the entrance to his funerary temple.
- **Return to the cruise** to continue enjoying the sailing experience and the onboard facilities such as the sun deck, loungers, swimming pool, and relaxation areas.
- **Full board on board the cruise**, enjoying a carefully curated gastronomic selection in a privileged setting over the waters of the Nile.
- **Overnight on board the cruise.**



DAY 7. EDFU – KOM OMBO

- **Breakfast** on board.
- Visit to the magnificent **Temple of Edfu**, dedicated to the god Horus and located in ancient Apollinopolis Magna during the Greco-Roman period. This is the only fully intact temple in Egypt and is considered the second largest after Karnak, as well as one of the best preserved in the country. Built during the Hellenistic period between 237 and 57 BC, it retains an extraordinary architectural and symbolic richness.
- **Return to the cruise** and continue **sailing towards Kom Ombo**, historically known as the "Hill of Gold", while enjoying the unique scenery of the Nile and its timeless landscapes.
- **Arrival and visit to the remarkable Temple of Kom Ombo**, a highly symbolic site dedicated to two deities: Sobek, the crocodile-headed god associated with fertility and creation, and Haroeris (Horus the Elder), depicted with a falcon head and considered the god of the sky, war, and hunting. Built during the reign of Ptolemy VI Philometor between 180 and 145 BC, the temple features a rare double and perfectly symmetrical structure along its central axis, with two entrances and two independent hypostyle halls, making it a unique example in Egyptian architecture. Later, Ptolemy VIII and Ptolemy XII expanded the complex, further enhancing its historical significance. It is also considered the only temple associated with both white and black magic, and it is believed to have housed a fertility clinic, as well as facilities related to gynecology, obstetrics, and a pharmacy.
- **Return to the cruise, overnight on board, and continue sailing towards Aswan**, enjoying the ship's facilities such as the sun deck, loungers, swimming pool, and relaxation areas.
- **Full board on board**, enjoying a carefully selected gastronomic experience in a privileged setting over the waters of the Nile.



DAY 8. ASWAN

- **Breakfast** on board the cruise.
- **In the morning, optional excursion to Abu Simbel**, one of the most spectacular monumental complexes in Egypt. Departure takes place in the early hours by coach, crossing the desert at sunrise until reaching the Lake Nasser region in the south of the country.

Visit to the majestic rock-cut temples commissioned by Pharaoh Ramses II and dedicated to himself and his wife Nefertari. This extraordinary complex was designed to commemorate the victory at the Battle of Kadesh and to reaffirm the pharaoh's power over the Nubian peoples.

One of the most remarkable aspects of the site is its complete relocation in 1968, when it was dismantled and rebuilt on an artificial hill to prevent its submersion following the construction of the Aswan High Dam, in one of the greatest achievements of 20th-century archaeological engineering.

- **Return to Aswan.**
- **Lunch on board the cruise** and free time to continue enjoying the sailing experience and the ship's facilities, including the sun deck, loungers, swimming pool, and relaxation areas.
- **Dinner and overnight on board**, enjoying the relaxed atmosphere of the final night on the cruise.



DAY 9. ASWAN - CAIRO

- **Breakfast on board the cruise and check-out.**
- Visit to the magnificent **Temple of Philae**, set on a picturesque island and known as the “**Jewel of the Nile**”. This iconic sanctuary, dedicated to the goddess Isis, is one of the most beautiful sites in Egypt. During the construction of the Aswan High Dam, the original Philae Island was partially submerged, and thanks to UNESCO’s intervention, the entire complex was carefully dismantled and relocated stone by stone to its current location on Agilkia Island, where it was reconstructed while preserving its original layout. Undoubtedly one of the most evocative and essential visits of the journey, closely linked to the meaning of Philae as the “Joy of Life.”
- Continuation with a **visit to the Aswan High Dam**, one of the most important engineering works of modern Egypt. Built in the 1960s on the Nile River, this impressive infrastructure allowed the control of annual flooding, ensured a stable water supply for agriculture, and generated hydroelectric power for much of the country. From the dam, guests enjoy panoramic views of Lake Nasser, one of the largest artificial lakes in the world, as well as the surrounding desert landscape, offering a unique perspective on Egypt’s modern transformation.
- **Transfer to Aswan airport** for your **flight to Cairo**.
- **Arrival in Cairo**, where you will be met by our representative for exclusive assistance, followed by a private transfer to your hotel in a high-end, air-conditioned vehicle.
- **Arrival at the hotel**, priority check-in, and accommodation for a stay of maximum comfort in Cairo.
- **Overnight in Cairo.**
- **Full board basis.**



DÍA 10. THE NEW GRAND EGYPTIAN MUSEUM

- **Breakfast** in the hotel
- Visit to the **impressive Grand Egyptian Museum (GEM)**, the new jewel of Egypt's cultural heritage and one of the most important and state-of-the-art archaeological museums in the world.

The Grand Egyptian Museum in Cairo (GEM), widely regarded as the most anticipated museum opening globally, has recently inaugurated its first phase after decades of planning and development, opening its initial 12 chronological galleries. These spaces showcase key pieces that narrate the history of one of the most fascinating civilizations of antiquity, spanning the Old Kingdom, Middle Kingdom, New Kingdom, and even the Greco-Roman period.

This initial opening, after more than 20 years of development and a major investment, represents a historic milestone, establishing the GEM as the new home of Tutankhamun's treasures and positioning it among the most important museums in the world.

Often referred to as "the fourth pyramid" due to its scale and significance, the museum goes far beyond a traditional exhibition space, housing more than 100,000 artifacts and offering an immersive cultural experience. Its galleries feature cutting-edge multimedia presentations and virtual reality experiences that create a unique connection between past and present, showcasing Egypt's archaeological and cultural richness in an innovative way.

Access to the museum is through a vast plaza designed to evoke the feeling of standing before the Pyramids of Giza. Inside, visitors are greeted by the imposing statue of Ramses II, over 10 metres high, located in the main atrium. From the grand staircase, guests ascend to a viewing platform with a glass façade offering spectacular views of the exterior and surrounding historical wonders, reinforcing the museum's deep connection with its iconic landscape.



- **Lunch** at a carefully selected restaurant, where you will enjoy Egyptian cuisine in a comfortable and high-quality setting.
- In the afternoon, **return to the hotel** with personalized assistance. Accommodation in Cairo in a selected-category hotel, designed to ensure maximum comfort and rest. Free time to enjoy the hotel facilities, relax, and make use of its exclusive services and amenities.
- **Meals included:** breakfast and lunch.

DAY 11. FAREWELL & DEPARTURE

- **Breakfast** at the hotel.
- **Final transfer to Cairo International Airport.** You will receive exclusive assistance from our representative and enjoy a private transfer in a high-end, air-conditioned vehicle. Please ensure arrival at the airport at least 3 hours prior to your flight departure.

PROGRAM ROUTE: 6 NIGHTS CAIRO & 4 NIGHTS NILE CRUISE





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INCLUDED SERVICES IN THE ITINERARY

- **Accommodation:**
 - **06 nights** in a Cairo hotel with breakfast
 - **04 nights** on a Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan on full board basis
- **Sightseeing tours:**
 - Full-day visit to the Pyramids of Giza, Memphis & Saqqara with lunch
 - Full-day visit to the Egyptian Museum, Saladin Citadel & Khan El Khalili with lunch
 - Full-day excursion to Alexandria, including lunch.
 - Full-day visit to the Grand Egyptian Museum (GEM), including lunch.
- **During the cruise:**
 - Visits in Luxor (Luxor Temple, Karnak Temple, Hatshepsut Temple, Valley of the Kings & Colossi of Memnon)
 - Visits to Kom Ombo and Edfu Temples
 - Visits in Aswan (Philae Temple & High Dam)
- **Meet & assist service** by our **English-speaking representative** upon each arrival at Cairo airport
- **All transfers** at the airports mentioned in the program
- All services provided on a **private tour basis**
- **Entrance fees** to all sites mentioned in the itinerary
- **English-speaking accompanying guide** during the sightseeing program
- **Taxes and service charges** included
- **Domestic flights** included (Cairo // Luxor – Aswan // Cairo)

NOT INCLUDED SERVICES IN THE ITINERARY

- Any services, concepts, or items not expressly mentioned in the itinerary as included.
- Gratuities (tips).
- International flights.
- Egypt entry visa fee (\$30).
- Travel insurance and medical assistance.
- Beverages during meals.

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

Possible excursions from Cairo

- **Visit to the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization**, one of the most modern and important institutions in the country, showcasing the extraordinary Royal Mummies collection alongside representative artifacts from all periods of Egyptian history, Ancient, Middle, New Kingdom, and modern times, offering a complete and exceptional overview of the evolution of the Nile civilization.
- Continuation with a visit to **the Egyptian Museum in Tahrir**, home to some of the most iconic treasures of Ancient Egypt, including the renowned ivory statuette of Khufu (only 7 cm in size, the only known representation of the pharaoh bearing his cartouche), the Scribal Statue, and the imposing statue of Khafre, depicted under the protection of the falcon god Horus and holding the royal symbols of pharaonic power. This masterpiece stands out for its exquisite symbolism and artistic refinement.
- **Visit to Coptic Cairo**, one of the oldest spiritual enclaves in the city, where the Church of St. Sergius is located, built over the crypt that, according to tradition, served as a refuge for the Holy Family during their stay in Egypt. The visit also includes the Hanging Church, constructed above one of the towers of the ancient Roman fortress of Babylon, one of the most emblematic Christian sites in the country.



Possible optional excursions from the Nile cruise

- **Optional excursion to Abu Simbel:** a must-see experience to one of the most impressive archaeological complexes in Egypt and the world. The temples of Abu Simbel, carved directly into the rock and dedicated to Pharaoh Ramses II and Queen Nefertari, are striking for their monumental scale, architectural precision, and profound historical symbolism. Located on the shores of Lake Nasser, the temples offer a journey back in time to the era of the great pharaohs, set in a landscape of unparalleled beauty and grandeur, and recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- **Optional hot air balloon ride in Luxor:** early morning departure for one of the most exclusive experiences of the journey. The flight over Luxor allows guests to admire, bathed in the golden light of sunrise, the Valley of the Kings, the ancient temples, and the full stretch of the Nile River. A privileged and silent perspective that reveals the magnitude of ancient Thebes, delivering an unforgettable emotional and visual experience.





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PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR TRAVELLERS

Arrival & Assistance at Destination

Upon arrival at Cairo International Airport, travellers will be **welcomed by our team, who will provide personalised assistance with entry procedures**, including visa processing when required. Afterwards, a **private transfer to the hotel** or cruise will be arranged, ensuring a smooth, comfortable and hassle-free arrival experience. Throughout the entire stay, **our clients will have 24-hour assistance** and support for any needs or unforeseen situations.

Visa

For entry into Egypt, a **visa is required**. It can be easily obtained upon arrival at Cairo International Airport or, depending on nationality, **arranged in advance before travelling**. Our team provides full assistance and guidance throughout the process to ensure a seamless arrival.

Holders of an ordinary passport must travel with a **passport valid for at least six months** beyond the planned departure date from Egypt. Other nationalities should consult their embassy or consulate prior to travel.

A visa is not required for passengers travelling exclusively to Sharm El Sheikh.

Currency

The official currency is the **Egyptian Pound (EGP)**. The exchange rate is approximately 60 EGP per euro. We recommend paying by **credit card** wherever possible and withdrawing cash in Egyptian pounds directly from ATMs in cities. Please check with your bank regarding **foreign**

transaction fees. If you carry **euros** and prefer to exchange currency, this can be done at the airport, exchange offices, banks, or hotels. Most souvenir shops accept euros without issue. Optional excursions, visas, and tips (if not included) should be paid in cash in euros, so we recommend bringing small denominations.

Connectivity & Wi-Fi

We recommend purchasing a **local SIM card or an international eSIM** to ensure reliable connectivity during your trip, as Wi-Fi may be limited or subject to charges in some hotels, cruise ships, or remote areas. Our team can advise you on the best purchase options upon arrival.

Health

No specific vaccinations are required. Egypt is considered a safe destination from a health perspective. It is recommended to drink only bottled water and avoid ice in beverages. We suggest bringing a **small personal medical kit** with painkillers, anti-inflammatory medication, digestive aids, and any regular prescriptions. Sun protection and proper hydration are essential throughout the journey.

Time Zone

GMT+2 in summer and GMT+3 in winter. Egypt is one hour ahead of Brussels throughout the year.



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Shopping

Traditional products and local handicrafts can be found throughout the journey. If you have specific interests, our guides will be delighted to assist you and recommend the best places for safe and authentic shopping experiences.

Climate

Egypt enjoys a **mostly dry and sunny climate** year-round. Temperatures can be high during the day, especially in summer, while evenings are generally cooler, particularly in desert areas and during Nile cruises. **Light clothing, sun protection, and proper hydration** are strongly recommended.

Tipping Culture

Tipping, known locally as “baksheesh”, is **part of everyday culture in Egypt** and widely practiced in the tourism sector. Although not strictly mandatory, it is a common way to show appreciation for services received.

It is recommended to consider it as part of the journey, as it directly supports guides, drivers, and support staff accompanying travellers throughout the experience.

Dress Code

Comfortable, light, and breathable clothing is recommended for daytime visits, preferably cotton or linen. For religious sites such as mosques, respectful **clothing covering shoulders and knees is required. Comfortable walking shoes,** sunglasses, and a hat are also strongly recommended, especially for outdoor visits.

On-Trip Assistance & Daily Support

Throughout the journey, **you will be accompanied by our English-speaking guides or representatives,** available to assist with any needs and ensure a smooth experience. During daily activities, **non-alcoholic beverages will be available** to ensure proper hydration, and comfort stops will be arranged during transfers whenever needed, always prioritising the traveller’s comfort and wellbeing.

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
TRAVEL ESSENTIALS FOR YOUR JOURNEY

1. Documentation & Money

- Passport (valid for at least 6 months)
- Visa (printed or digital if arranged in advance)
- Flight tickets / bookings (hotel, excursions)
- Travel insurance
- Bank cards (inform your bank about your trip)
- Some cash in euros or Egyptian pounds (EGP)
- Digital and physical copies of important documents

2. Clothing (adapted to climate & culture)

- Lightweight, breathable t-shirts
- Long-sleeved shirts (sun protection + cultural respect)
- Light long trousers / linen style
- A few shorts (for hotel or resort areas only)
- Underwear for each day
- Light pyjamas
- Light jacket or sweatshirt (for evenings or air conditioning)
- Swimwear (for pool or Nile cruise)

 Important: light clothing that still covers shoulders and knees for temple or religious visits.

3. Footwear

- Comfortable walking shoes (essential)
- Sandals
- (Optional) flip-flops for pool/shower

4. Personal Hygiene

- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Travel-size shower gel/shampoo
- Wet wipes / tissues
- Moisturiser (dry climate)
- High SPF sunscreen (very important)
- After sun / aloe vera
- Personal medication (with prescription if needed)

5. Health & Basic First Aid Kit

- Painkillers (paracetamol / ibuprofen)
- Stomach medication (highly recommended in Egypt)
- Anti-diarrhoea medication
- Plasters / band-aids
- Oral rehydration salts
- Mosquito repellent

6. Technology

- Mobile phone + charger
- Power bank
- Plug adapter (Type C / F in Egypt, similar to Europe but universal recommended)
- Headphones
- Camera (if not using phone)
- Extra memory card (for photos)

7. Sun Protection & Climate

- Sunglasses (essential)
- Hat or cap
- Light scarf or shawl (sun protection + cultural visits)
- Extra sunscreen if travelling actively

8. Day Backpack

- Small backpack for excursions
- Reusable water bottle
- Snacks (nuts, energy bars)
- Daily documents (copies, tickets)
- Tissues / hand sanitiser

9. Useful Extras (highly recommended)

- Laundry bag for dirty clothes
- Small luggage padlock
- Book or Kindle
- Pen (for forms or customs)
- Waterproof bag for boat or desert excursions



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