

## **Cairo Day Trip: Explore the Egyptian Museum and Saladin Citadel from Sokhna Port**

**Price Starting From : \$100**

Day Trip  
Egypt  
Cairo

### **Cairo: Egyptian Museum & Saladin Citadel Tour from Sokhna Port**

Discover this great site and embrace the unique experience that is available through the program designed for your interest. Known through the Egyptian Museum and Saladin Citadel, this memorable journey will take you into history and culture away from Sokhna port, where two of Egypt's finest artifacts show their beauty. The ancient site, Islamic architecture, and breathtaking views from the city give you a chance to dig deep into Egypt's very fascinating past.

#### **Visit the Egyptian Museum – Home of Ancient Treasures**

Your adventure starts here, at the world-famous Egyptian Museum, which is home to the largest collection of pharaonic artifacts. With its backdrop of thousands upon thousands of relics, the world's most famous museum transports you to ancient Egypt with romantic tales written from the perspective of its rulers about their beliefs and lifestyles.

More than 120,000 artifacts are included in the museum's two thousand rooms:

The Golden Mask of Tutankhamun, an extraordinary item exhibiting the glory of the tomb of the boy king. Magnificent statues, jewelry, and mummies, providing insight into the rituals and workmanship with which ancient Egyptians worked.

The Royal Mummy Room (optional), where the preserved remains of Egypt's greatest pharaohs rest, including Ramses II and Queen Hathepsut.

Your expert guide will walk you through some of the highlights of the museum, and tell very interesting stories about the treasures on display.

#### **Saladin Citadel- Get Into History**

Your next port of call is Saladin Citadel-an awe-inspiring medieval fortress dominating Cairo's skyline. It was in the late 12th century when Sultan Saladin constructed this stronghold that it became the political heart of Egyptian sovereigns and ended being a part of the deep Islamic heritage of the city.

At the Citadel, you will be visiting:

The Mohamed Ali Mosque: this great edifice, Alabaster Mosque, contributes so much to its Clovesore mosque.

Panoramic views of Cairo, allowing for wonderful pictures of the livelong swath of cityscape.

Historical museums and military exhibits revealing the Citadel's role in defending Cairo from invaders.

The Perfect Cultural Experience between visits would be a delicious Egyptian lunch at a local restaurant wherein you will sample authentic dishes typifying the rich traditions of this lively country through culinary delights.

This travel route tailored for you ensures the most enjoyable experience possible, thus performing the perfect job of showing Cairo's greatest before you head back into Sokhna Port with into great memories.

## **Make Bookings for your Cairo Adventure Today!**

Save this rewarding experience by making the best possible use of your time in Egypt on this all-encompassing day trip toward the Egyptian Museum and Saladin Citadel. In that order, "Save your place" and step into the eve of Cairo's history and culture!

### Overview

#### **Inclusion**

- Transportaion by Cairo Top Tours from [Sokhna Port](#) & return back.
- All Transfers are done by an exclusive air-conditioned vehicle.
- English-speaking Egyptologist guide.
- Entrance fees to all the sites as mentioned above during [the Egyptian Museum](#) Tour from Sokhna Port.
- Free bottle of water or soft drink during all our Egypt Day Tours.
- [Shopping tours in Cairo](#). (upon request).
- All taxes and service charges are covered within the price.

#### **Exclusion**

- Any extras not mentioned in [Egypt Tours](#) itinerary.
- Tipping is not included, it depends on your personal satisfaction with our Cairo Trips.

### Itinerary

## **Egyptian Museum and Saladin Citadel Tour from Sokhna Port**

**Morning:** Pickup from Sokhna Port and Journey to Cairo

Your exciting day begins with a pickup from Sokhna Port where you will meet your expert Egyptologist guide. Travel in a comfortable, air-conditioned vehicle to Cairo, enjoying scenic views of the Egyptian landscape along the way.

**Mid-Morning:** The Egyptian Museum

After arriving in Cairo, you must fly directly to the Egyptian Museum, which houses the largest collection of ancient Egyptian artifacts in the world. Your guide takes you on an exciting journey through this part of history, showcasing for you some of the museum's most treasured exhibits, such as:

This Legendary golden mask of Tutankhamun and his tomb treasures.

This vast collection of statues, jewelry, and royal artifacts from different dynasties.

(Optional) Visit the Royal Mummy Room, where preserved remains of powerful pharaohs like Ramses II lie. Immerse yourself in the stories and wonders of ancient Egypt and then continue the rest of your journey.

**Afternoon:** Visit the Saladin Citadel & Mohamed Ali Mosque

Next, you will go to the Saladin Citadel; a huge fort built after Saladin's command for the very purpose of

keeping Egypt safe from invaders. This citadel today, however, is considered a historical landmark and has within it breathtaking views of the city.

Inside, there is the very famous Mongolian mosque commonly known as the Alabaster Mosque because of its blindingly white stone. Stunning Ottoman-style domes, magnificent carvings, and beautiful interior akin to the famed Blue Mosque in Istanbul.

And then a panorama of Cairo's skyline for you to enjoy and take, if you're one of the lucky ones, amazing photos of the sprawling metropolis.

#### Lunch Break: Sample Real Egyptian Cuisine

After all those mind-blowing visits, now time to breathe and savor a delicious Egyptian meal in one well-chosen restaurant. Relish on typical dishes of grilled meats, fresh salads, and local appetites that give a whole wonderful feeling of what Egypt has to offer.

#### Evening: Departure to Sokhna Port

After this wonderful day of exploration, step onto your private vehicle for the return trip to Sokhna Port. Arrive back at the cruise ship, carrying with you unforgettable memories associated with the most iconic landmarks and ancient treasures of Cairo.

#### Book Your Cairo Adventure Now!

Capture the rich history of Egypt in one single day through this highly organized tour. Book your spot today and unlock the mysteries of the Egyptian Museum and Saladin Citadel!