Cairo to Alexandria 6-Day Tour

Price Starting From: \$0

6 Days Egypt Cairo and Alexandria

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Welcome to your 6-day Tour from Cairo to Alexandria. we will take you on a journey of discovery to one of Egypt's most unique and beautiful destinations. you will discover some Historical Places in Cairo such as The city of Memphis, which is home to the Memphis Pyramid, an awe-inspiring ancient pyramid that stands tall. This structure had a height of about 52 meters and a base of around 78 meters when it was first constructed. Your itinerary will also include visiting The National Museum of Egyptian Civilization, where the Royal Mummies Hall is a key highlight. This exhibit showcases the mummies of various pharaohs and queens from the New Kingdom period, such as Hatshepsut and Ramses II. Finally, your journey will take you to Ismalia, where you'll explore the Suez Canal.

During your trip to <u>Alexandria</u>, you'll have the chance to explore some famous landmarks including Kom Ash Shoqafa, Pompey Pillar, Bibliotheca Alexandria, <u>The Citadel of Qaitbey</u>, and Sidi Morsi Abu al-Abbas Mosque. Once you've finished sightseeing, you'll stay at the Paradise Inn Hotel. After getting some rest, we'll take you on a visit to El Alamein, a city that played a significant role in World War II, where you can witness the site of two major battles in 1942 and 1943. Finally, we'll take you back to Cairo where you can rest at the hotel before heading to Cairo International Airport the following day.

Overview Inclusion

- Cairo-based pick-up and drop-off service
- English-speaking private tour guide Egyptologist
- Entry charge to each of the places mentioned
- Lunch from the first day to the last day
- From leaving Cairo till you return, all beverages
- Every transfer is made in a private, air-conditioned car.
- Transportation in Cairo, and Alexandria, are included
- Daily bottle of mineral water during your **Egypt tours**.
- Taxes and service charges are included during your Egypt Day Tours.

Exclusion

- Tipping.
- Optional activities as mentioned in the itinerary.

Itinerary

Day 01; arrival in Cairo

Welcome To Egypt

You will be welcomed in a private air-conditioned car by a professional tour guide speaking English at <u>Cairo International Airport</u>, who is going to aid you with all the formalities and take you to the Cairo Pyramids hotel for an overnight stay to relax.

Day 02: Visit to Memphis Pyramid

After your breakfast in the hotel, our tour guide will meet you in the lobby in the morning to start your journey. your first destination will be. <u>The Memphis Pyramid</u>. the Pyramid was originally around 52 meters high and had a base of approximately 78 meters. However, much of the pyramid has been eroded or destroyed over time, and today it stands at around 15 meters high.

The Memphis Pyramid differs from other significant pyramids in Egypt in that it was not constructed using massive, accurately-shaped stone blocks. Rather, it was erected using mud bricks that were later coated with limestone. This is a contributing factor as to why the pyramid has not endured as effectively as its counterparts at Giza and elsewhere in Egypt.

Day 03: The National Museum of Egyptian Civilization (NMEC)

Following your morning meal, a qualified tour guide will greet you at your Cairo lodging and accompany you on an awe-inspiring expedition to the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization (NMEC). This exhibition hall presents an immense array of antiquities, such as sculptures, paintings, pottery, and jewelry, spanning from prehistoric times up to the present era. One of the museum's primary highlights is the Royal Mummies Hall, which showcases the mummified remains of various pharaohs and queens from the New Kingdom period, including Ramses II and Hatshepsut.

Furthermore, the NMEC provides interactive displays, multimedia exhibits, and educational programs, offering visitors an opportunity to explore Egyptian history and culture in a lively and captivating way. Additionally, it boasts modern conveniences, such as a gift store, a dining establishment, and a conference center.

Subsequently, you will be transported from Cairo to the Suez Canal in <u>the Ismailia region</u>, a city in northeastern Egypt, situated on the west side of the canal, and inhabited by roughly 360,000 residents. The city is also home to the Suez Canal University, as well as numerous cultural and historical landmarks.

While in Ismailia, you will observe the Suez Canal, a man-made waterway that connects the Mediterranean Sea to the Red Sea and enables ships to travel between Europe and Asia without circumnavigating the southern tip of Africa. You will witness the impressive engineering that renders this waterway so vital and appreciates a panoramic view of the enormous boats traversing through the canal. Following that, you will enjoy a seafood lunch before being chauffeured back to Cairo.

Day04: Visiting in Alexandria: Kom Ash Shoqafa, Pompey pillar, Bibliotheca Alexandria, Citadel of Qaitbay, and Sidi Morsi Abu al-Abbas Mosque.

After you rest in the hotel from the third day, we will transfer you to Alexandria, which is a great way to explore the rich history and culture of Egypt. in this city, There are several places you will visit it

- Kom Ash Shoqafa: This ancient burial site from the Roman era is a must-see attraction in Alexandria. Visitors can explore its tombs and tunnels, which showcase a unique blend of architectural styles from Roman, Greek, and Egyptian cultures.
- Pompey's Pillar: One of Alexandria's most recognizable landmarks, this towering column offers panoramic views of the city from the top. Knowledgeable guides can provide insight into the history and significance of this monument.
- Bibliotheca Alexandria: This modern library pays homage to the ancient Library of Alexandria, one of the most renowned libraries in history. Visitors can browse its vast collection of books and exhibits, attend cultural events, and admire its impressive architecture and design.
- Citadel of Qaitbay: Built in the 15th century to protect Alexandria from invaders, this historic fortress boasts impressive architecture and served as a strategic stronghold in the region.
- Sidi Morsi Abu al-Abbas Mosque: Located in Alexandria's old city, this beautiful mosque features intricate architecture and offers visitors a chance to observe local religious customs and learn about the role of Islam in Egyptian culture.

Visitors can also indulge in delicious <u>Egyptian cuisine</u>, such as koshary, and take leisurely strolls along the city's stunning beaches and waterfront promenades. Finally, the tour concludes with a stay at the luxurious Paradise Inn Hotel.

Day05: Visit to the city of El Alamein

El Alamein is primarily a historical destination, with several museums, memorials, and cemeteries dedicated to the battles that took place there. The most notable of these is the El Alamein War Museum (Optional activity), which showcases artifacts, photographs, and personal stories from the battles.

Additionally, the Commonwealth War Cemetery is a somber but beautiful place to visit, with over 7,000 graves of soldiers who died in the battles. The German War Cemetery is also nearby and serves as a reminder of the other side of the conflict.

Beyond the historical sites, El Alamein offers a picturesque coastal setting with several beaches and resorts.

Overall, if you are interested in history and World War II in particular, El Alamein is a fascinating destination. But even if you are not a history buff, the beaches and resorts make it a pleasant place to relax and enjoy the Mediterranean coast.

Day06: Final Departure

After enjoying your tasty breakfast at your hotel, you will be driven to Cairo International Airport to catch your flight to fly back home.