

Cairo, Bahariya Oasis, and the White Desert in a 7-day journey

Price Starting From: \$0

7 Days Egypt Cairo,baharyia oasis,white desert

Fascinate Cairo, Bahariya Oasis, and the White Desert in a journey

7-day tour with <u>Egypt desert safari tours</u>, immersing yourself in Egypt's ancient culture and breathtaking landscapes. Begin your adventure in Cairo, where you'll marvel at iconic landmarks like the <u>Great Pyramids of Giza</u>, the Egyptian Museum, and the vibrant <u>Khan el-Khalili bazaar</u>. But that's not all our <u>Egypt Day tours</u> offer even more exciting experiences! Next, journey to the <u>Bahariya Oasis</u> and uncover its enchanting treasures, including the Crystal Mountain, the Black Desert, and the fascinating Valley of the Golden Mummies.

Conclude your expedition in the mesmerizing White Desert, where limestone formations, sand dunes, and mysterious rock formations create an otherworldly landscape. With knowledgeable guides and comfortable accommodations, this tour promises an unforgettable journey through Egypt's wonders. Check out our Egypt travel packages and secure your spot today. Join Egypt Desert Safari Tours for an adventure of a lifetime in the desert!

Overview Inclusion

Meet and greet service by our tour leaders at the airports
Assistance by Cairo Top Tours representatives
All transfers are organized by a private air-conditioned vehicle.
Accommodation in Cairo for 4 nights in a 5 stars hotel with breakfast
Accommodation for 1 night in Bahariya Oasis with breakfast
Accommodation camping in the White Desert .full board
Entrance fees and tickets to all the mentioned sites
Stops for snacks upon request.
All meals as mentioned in the itinerary.
Shopping tours in Cairo and Bahariya Oasis.
Bottled waters and cold drinks during all Egypt Tours.
All service charges and taxes are included.

Exclusion

International flight tickets. Entry visa to Egypt.

Beverage during meals.

Tipping is not included in our Cairo and Bahariya Oasis Tours.

Tour price doesn't apply during peak seasons like the Xmas tours in Egypt, New Year, or during Egypt Easter tours

<u>Itinerary</u>

Day 1: Arrive Cairo

After breakfast today, we'll arrange your transfer to Cairo Airport as we bid farewell to Egypt. Upon arrival at Cairo International Airport, our tour guide will be waiting for you, holding a sign with your name for easy recognition. They will assist you with check-in procedures and provide an overview of your six-day Cairo itinerary and your upcoming adventure in the White Desert. You'll be chauffeured to your Cairo hotel in a luxurious, air-conditioned vehicle. If time permits, you may also consider booking one of our Cairo trips. Enjoy your overnight stay in Cairo.

Day2- Cairo Day Tour to Saqqara and Dahshur

In the morning, our tour guide will pick you up from your hotel to visit the first tomb constructed in the form of a pyramid by the ancient Egyptians, located in Saqqara. This remarkable structure, known as the Step Pyramid, was designed by the ingenious architect Imhotep for King Djoser during Egypt's third dynasty.

At Saqqara, you'll also explore the pyramids of King Teti from the Old Kingdom, as well as those of the first monarch of the sixth dynasty. Additionally, you'll have the opportunity to visit King Unas' pyramid, renowned for its spectacular burial chambers, with no extra ticket required.

A visit to one of the <u>Saqqara</u> Mastaba Tombs of the Nobles will provide insight into daily life in ancient Egypt, with its array of activities and intricate tomb passageways.

After lunch at a local restaurant in Saqqara, you'll proceed to the <u>Memphis</u> Museum to view the alabaster sphinx, the second-largest sphinx statue from ancient Egypt, crafted from an 80-ton block of marble. You'll also admire the colossal limestone statue of King Ramses II from the nineteenth dynasty, along with other fascinating exhibits.

Finally, you'll be guided to <u>Dahshur</u>, one of the most intriguing ancient Egyptian archaeological sites, where you'll witness the pyramids of King Snefru. The Red Pyramid, the highest structure in the Dahshur Necropolis, and the Great Pyramid and Khafra's Pyramid, the two largest ancient Egyptian pyramids, will captivate your imagination. You'll also explore the Bent Pyramid, Snefru's second pyramid, known by the ancient Egyptians as "Sneferu is Shining in the South" or "The Southern Shining Pyramid."

After this awe-inspiring journey, which can be part of your Cairo or Giza day excursions, you'll be safely transported back to your accommodation in Cairo or Giza.

Day3-Citadel of Salah el-Din ,Sultan Hassan Mosque and Madrassa

After enjoying breakfast, our tour guide will escort you to the Salah el Din Citadel, as well as the Khan el-Khalili and Sultan Hassan Bazaars.

This tailored journey offers insight into Egypt's rich history. The Alabaster Mosque within the the <u>Citadel of Salah el-Dinl</u>, perched atop a limestone hill overlooking Cairo, stands as the city's most significant mosque. This architectural marvel welcomes visitors of all faiths and remains a place of worship for Cairo's Muslim community.

Adorned both inside and out with alabaster, the mosque's upper portion is constructed from limestone blocks sourced from the Giza Pyramids. Your guide will provide an explanation of Islam's fundamentals and translate common prayers within the mosque.

As you venture into the Khan el Khalili bazaar, your guide will introduce you to these renowned markets, reputed to have inspired Christopher Columbus's journey to the Americas. Enjoy leisure time exploring the labyrinthine streets and practicing your bargaining skills with local shopkeepers to acquire a memorable souvenir of your Egyptian adventure.

Next, visit the mosque and madrassa of Sultan Hassan. Constructed between 1356 and 1363, this architectural masterpiece is considered one of Cairo's finest examples of Mamluk architecture. Among the largest mosques in Islam, it spans approximately 492 feet (150 meters) in length and rises to 118 feet (36 meters) in height, with the tallest minaret reaching 223 feet (68 meters). You have the flexibility to allocate your time as you see fit during this personalized tour.

Upon conclusion, we will transport you back to your hotel for the night.

Day 4: Bahariya Oasis Tour from Cairo

After breakfast at the hotel, you will rendezvous with your licensed tour guide and driver to commence your journey to <u>Bahariya Oasis</u> from Cairo. The approximately 4-hour drive will afford you time to witness the salt lakes and explore historic sites. Upon arrival, embark on a private tour of the English House, offering a breathtaking vantage point to witness the sunset and enjoy the panoramic view. Next, delve into the local market and explore the Bahariya Oasis region. Then, make a captivating stop at the magnificent Crystal Mountain, where volcanic rocks from the Valley of Agabat and glistening crystals resembling stars in the sky await. Conclude the day with an evening stay at the Bahariya hotel, where dinner will be served.

Day 5: White Desert tour

After indulging in a delightful home-cooked breakfast at the camp, you'll head to the hot spring for a refreshing swim before embarking on a tour to see notable natural formations such as the Sphinx, mushrooms, and a white limestone feature resembling a rabbit.

Next, we'll journey to explore the remarkable Gara Cave, also known as Djara Cave, which was

formed approximately 55 million years ago by rain erosion on limestone. Situated near the caravan route between <u>Farafra Oasis</u> and Assiut, this cave boasts glistening rocks and has yielded artefacts and rock art dating back to prehistoric times, likely from the late Neolithic era. The cave's stunning stalactites, stalagmites, artefacts, and rock art were all shaped by water melting the limestone.

Gara Cave is a popular destination for adventurers and explorers due to its unique features and pristine natural environment, drawing numerous visitors who hold a deep respect for such locations.

Afterwards, you'll spend the night camping in the <u>White Desert</u>, savoring delicious Bedouin cuisine while enjoying music under the stars.

Day 6: Back to Cairo

During your return trip to Cairo, take a break at the Bahariya Oasis. Upon arrival at your hotel in Cairo, you have the option to book reservations for any of our evening excursions before returning to rest for your departure the following day.

Day 7: Final Departure

Your tour guide will accompany you to the <u>airport</u> after your hotel check-out today. We sincerely hope that you thoroughly enjoyed your excursions in Egypt with our exclusive Cairo and Bahariya Oasis Tours. A representative from Cairo Top Tours will be on hand to assist you with the boarding process for your final flight home.