

Day Tour from Cairo to Suez Canal

Price Starting From : \$75

1 Day Trip
Egypt
Ismailia

Explore the Suez Canal: A Unique Day Tour from Cairo

If you're planning the trip of a lifetime in Egypt, we have an exciting opportunity for you. Join one of our top tours from Cairo to explore the remarkable Suez Canal. This tour offers a unique chance to dive into the historical and strategic significance of this iconic waterway, which connects the Mediterranean Sea to the Red Sea.

During your visit, you'll witness impressive ships navigating the canal, marvel at the vast expanse of water, and enjoy the picturesque views along the banks. This captivating journey will enhance your understanding of Egypt's history and its global connections.

Our Cairo tours are designed to deliver an exceptional experience, featuring knowledgeable guides, comfortable transportation, and memorable moments throughout your trip. Don't miss out on this chance to discover the wonders of the Suez Canal and create unforgettable memories.

At the end of your adventure, you'll return to Cairo with cherished memories and valuable insights into the Suez Canal and its role in both Egyptian and global history.

[Overview](#)

Inclusion

- An accredited English-speaking tour guide provided by Cairo Top Tours.
- Private transportation in a modern, air-conditioned vehicle.
- Round-trip transfers from Cairo to Ismailia and back.
- A delicious seafood lunch in Ismailia (mix-grill or chicken options available upon request).
- Entry to Tabbat al Shagara fortress (subject to access availability) during the Suez Canal day tour.
- Complimentary bottled water during the Suez Canal tour and throughout your Egypt tours.
- All necessary tourism police permits for our Cairo excursions.
- Taxes and service fees are included in the price of Egypt Day Tours.

Exclusion

- Gratuities are appreciated but not included in the tour cost.
- Any additional activities not listed in the Suez Canal Day Trip itinerary are excluded.
- Drinks during lunch are not covered.
- During Ramadan, tourist sites close at 3:00 pm, so tours begin an hour earlier.
- Tour prices remain the same for Christmas, New Year, and Egypt Easter tours.

[Itinerary](#)

Suez Canal Tour itinerary

Your professional Egyptologist guide from Cairo Top Tours will meet you at your hotel to begin your day tour to the Suez Canal, which departs every morning from any hotel in Cairo or Giza. You'll travel in a modern, air-conditioned vehicle for approximately two and a half hours to Ismailia. This city is named after Khedive Ismail, the first king of Egypt, during whose reign the canal was inaugurated, making it a remarkable landmark in modern Egyptian history.

Upon arriving in Ismailia, you'll visit the Suez Canal and enjoy a warm drink while observing the ships navigating this impressive waterway from the military club. The canal spans 190 kilometers, connecting the Suez Governorate at its southern end to Port Said on the Mediterranean Sea to the north. This pivotal route significantly shortens the distance between Europe and India by about 60,000 meters.

If circumstances allow, we will also cross the canal by boat to Sinai and visit "Tabbat al Shagara," a crucial military point in the area. This site served as a defensive position along the 190-kilometer Israeli defensive line on the eastern bank of the canal, which was captured by the Egyptian army during the 1973 war with Israel. Your guide will provide insights into this historical conflict, culminating in the Camp David peace agreement.

After your day exploring the Suez Canal, you will be transported back to your hotel in Cairo by private vehicle, concluding your enriching excursion.