



Kusadasi Escapade

Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Istanbul

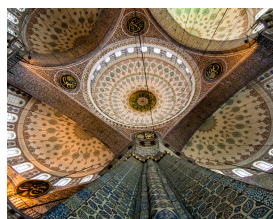
Upon your arrival at Istanbul or Sabiha Gokcen Airport, our friendly assistant will be there to greet you. You'll then be transferred to your hotel, where we'll strive to arrange an early check-in for your convenience, subject to availability. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at leisure, allowing you to settle in and perhaps explore the surroundings at your own pace. Overnight stay at your hotel in Istanbul, offering you a comfortable start to your journey. (No Meals)



Day 2: Old City Tour

Today begins with an enriching exploration of Istanbul's historical treasures on a full-day tour of the Old City. Your itinerary includes iconic landmarks such as the awe-inspiring Hagia Sophia Grand Mosque, a testament to centuries of architectural marvels. You'll also visit the Hippodrome, a hub of ancient sporting events, and the renowned Blue Mosque, adorned with exquisite blue Iznik tiles.

The adventure continues with a visit to the bustling Grand Covered Bazaar, offering an unparalleled shopping experience with its myriad of shops. After a delightful lunch, delve into the opulent history of the Ottoman Empire at the majestic Topkapi Palace. Return to your hotel after the tour, with memories of Istanbul's rich cultural heritage. Overnight stay at your hotel in Istanbul. (Breakfast-Lunch)



Day 3: Bosphorus Cruise

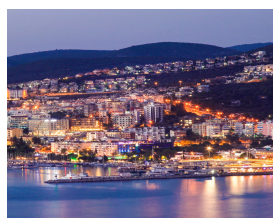
Embark on a half-day city tour, starting with a visit to the enchanting Spice Bazaar, where the air is filled with the enticing aromas of exotic spices. Next, indulge in a scenic Bosphorus Cruise, capturing the breathtaking beauty of Istanbul's straits connecting Europe and Asia. Along

the way, admire the imposing Rumeli Fortress, a historic fortification guarding the Bosphorus. After the tour, the afternoon is yours to unwind or explore further at your leisure. Enjoy a relaxing evening at your hotel, reflecting on the day's adventures. Overnight stay in Istanbul. (Breakfast)



Day 4: Transfer to Kusadasi

Today offers a leisurely morning to enjoy the amenities of your hotel or explore more of Istanbul independently. Ensure your checkout by mid-day, with the option to leave your luggage at the hotel as you savor your remaining hours in the city. Later, embark on a transfer to Istanbul or Sabiha Gokcen Airport for a domestic flight to Izmir. Upon arrival, our team will be there to escort you to your hotel in the charming coastal town of Kusadasi. Indulge in a delightful dinner and settle in for a restful evening by the Aegean Sea. Overnight stay at your hotel in Kusadasi. (Breakfast-Dinner)



Day 5: Ephesus Tour

After breakfast, prepare for a captivating journey through ancient history with a visit to Ephesus. Explore the remarkable ruins, including the Polio Fountain and the grand Temple of Hadrian, before marveling at the Great Theatre with its impressive 25,000-seat capacity. Lunch at a Turkish restaurant fuels your adventure, followed by a visit to the stunning Library of Celsius, a testament to Ephesus's architectural splendor. Conclude your day with a visit to the House of Virgin Mary, a site steeped in religious significance, and the historic Temple of Artemis, once counted among the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Return to your hotel in Kusadasi, where you can reflect on the wonders of Ephesus. Overnight stay in Kusadasi. (Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner)



Day 6: Fly Back Home

Bid farewell to Kusadasi as you check out from your hotel by mid-day, cherishing the memories of your Turkish adventure. You have the option to leave your luggage at the hotel while enjoying your final moments in the city. Later in the afternoon, we'll transfer you to Izmir Airport for your domestic flight to Istanbul, where you'll catch your international connection to India. Reflect on your journey as you travel homeward, carrying with you the unforgettable experiences of Turkey's cultural wonders. (Breakfast)

