Best of Plus Gallipoli Tour

Tour Itinerary

DAY 1 - Arrival in Istanbul

Pick up from the airport and transfer to your hotel by private car. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

DAY 2 - Old City Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & visit Haghia Sophia, Blue Mosque, the Hippodrome, Grand Bazaar and Topkapi Palace (Harem not included). Overnight stay in Istanbul.

DAY 3 - Bosphorus & Two Continents Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & enjoy the Bosphorus by Boat. Visit the Spice Bazaar, Beylerbeyi Palace, Bosphorus Bridge and Camlica Hill. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

DAY 4 - Gallipoli Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & drive (4.5 hours) south to the Gallipoli Peninsula. Hear expert information from a local guide. Visit the Kabatepe War Museum, the intended landing place at Brighton Beach and Anzac Cove where the Dawn Service is held each year. Also visit the NZ Memorial at Chunuk Bair, the Australian Memorial at Lone Pine, and the Turkish Memorial as well. Overnight in Canakkale. Note: Enough time is spent in Gallipoli to visit all the sites mentioned above.

DAY 5 - Troy & Pergamon Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & morning tour of the ruins of the ancient cities of Troy (1 hour drive from Canakkale). Lunch break. In the afternoon, drive to Kusadasi, stopping at the beautiful ruins of Pergamon on the way (2 hours drive). These stunning ruins, beautifully located on a hill top, demonstrate that the architects and sculptors of Pergamon were among the most talented in the Hellenistic world. Final drive to Kusadasi will be 2.5 hours. Overnight in Kusadasi.

DAY 6 - Ephesus Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & visit the ruins of the Temple of Artemis, one of the seven ancient wonders of the world. Then visit Ephesus Ancient City, the best-preserved Greco-Roman city in the world. Here you will explore the Agora, Odeon, Celsius Library, Hadrian Temple, Roman Baths, Grand Theatre & Marble Street. After a lunch break, visit the House of Virgin Mary, where she is thought to have spent her final years. Overnight stay in Kusadasi.

DAY 7 - Pamukkale Tour - (B, L)

Pick up from your hotel & morning drive (2.5 hours) to Pamukkale, then lunch. In the afternoon, tour the 'Cotton Castle.' Bring swimwear as you may have time to swim in the Antique Pool (extra fee applies.) Also visit the ancient ruins of the City of Hierapolis with its theatre and Necropolis. After the tour, transfer to Kusadasi. Overnight in Kusadasi.

DAY 8 - Cappadocia by Flight - (B)

Pick up from your hotel & transfer to the airport for your flight Cappadocia (maybe via Istanbul.) On arrival, transfer to your hotel. Overnight stay in Cappadocia.

DAY 9 - Cappadocia North Tour - (B, L)

05:00 Hot air balloon flight over Cappadocia (Optional Extra - please contact us for price)

Hotel pickup, then a quick snack and safety briefing. Watching the balloon inflate, then you're off! Soaring over fairy chimneys, and dipping low to skim cave dwellings. This may be your favourite part of your Turkey trip - it will

certainly be unforgettable. Celebrate a soft landing with a quick drink, and return to your hotel for breakfast around 8.30am.

Full Day Cappadocia Tour - (North)

Pick up from your hotel & tour start from Devrent Valley (Imagination Valley), spectacular fairy chimneys and beautiful and scapes. After Devrent valley, we will visit Pasabag (known as Monk valley) where we will see double and triple headed rock formations. Lunch at Avanos, famous for pottery and Redriver (Kızılırmak). After lunch, you will visit Goreme open air museum which is in the heart of Cappadocia. Open air museum famous for wall painting, dates back to 10th century describing the life of Jesus Christ and monks. The last stop will be the Uchisar castle, natural and one of the biggest mass fairy chimney of the region. Overnight stay in Cappadocia.

DAY 10 - Cappadocia South Tour - Istanbul - (B, L)

Full Day Cappadocia Tour - (South)

Pick up from your hotel & tour starts with Red valley. Explore the famous rock-cut churches and hike through the colourful and breath taking fairy chimneys. After 4 kms hiking, you will visit Cavusin (Greek village), famous for rock cut churches. After lunch, you will visit the one of the magical places of the region, the largest underground city of Cappadocia. After the underground city, you will visit the pigeon valley famous for dovecotes. The last stop is Ortahisar castle, one of the biggest mass fairy chimney of Cappadocia. After the tour, transfer to airport for your flight back to Istanbul. Overnight stay in Istanbul.

DAY 11 - Istanbul - End - (B)

Pick up from the hotel according to your flight schedule and transfer to the airport.

Legend:

B: Breakfast D: Dinner L: Lunch

Price List

Start	Finish	Daily	Single	Double / Twin PP	Triple PP
01.01.2025	31.12.2025	-	6,268.39 AUD	5,479.04 AUD	4,828.98 AUD
01.01.2026	31.12.2026	-	6,909.16 AUD	6,026.94 AUD	5,311.88 AUD

Tour Details

In Brief Small Group Tour (8 to 12 with a maximum of 16). Due to popular request! This tour has the

no-nonsense efficiency of our Best of Turkey tour, but includes Gallipoli and Troy as well.

Special Features Great for Australians and Kiwis. We can add days or tailor this one to your preference. Great

boutique hotels. This tour is also available on private basis.

What's Included - All accommodation as per the itinerary

- Professional English speaking guide on tours

- All flight tickets mentioned in the itinerary

- All transportation & transfers

- All meals mentioned in the itinerary

- All museum and entrance fees where necessary

- All Local taxes

- Wifi available at all our hotels

What's Not Included - International airfares

- Drinks with meals
- Optional Hot Air Balloon Flight (time and availability to be confirmed at the time of booking)
- Travel Insurance, visas or passports
- Tips & Personal Expenses

Hotels

Location	Canakkale		
Hotel Name	Buyuk Truva Hotel or similar		
Location	Kusadasi		
Hotel Name	La Vista Boutique Hotel or similar		
Location	Cappadocia		
Hotel Name	MDC Cave Hotel or similar		
Location	Istanbul		
Hotel Name	Dosso Dossi Old City Hotel or similar		
Location	Pamukkale		
Hotel Name	Hierapark Thermal & Spa Hotel or similar		

Departure Date

Start Date	Finish Date	Day / Days
01.01.2025	31.12.2025	Every Day
01.01.2026	31.12.2026	Every Day

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