

8 Days Sacred Path to Machu Picchu

Lima, Cusco and Inca Trail to Machu Picchu

Valid Till : Dec 2019

A backpack on the shoulders, the path has no limits and neither does the experience we will live here. We will go through the sacred path of the Incas in a pilgrimage to find our inner souls. Magic is everywhere and what we'll find at the end of this journey will definitely impress us all.

Data

Departures: Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Subject to availability.

Minimum: 2 passengers.

Operating season: all year (except in February).

Service: shared tour.

Detailed Itinerary

DAY 1: LIMA | INC: -

Arrival in Lima, meet and greet at the airport, transfer to your hotel. In the afternoon we will have a tour through Lima's streets and plazas. Starting at the Love Park in Miraflores, with a spectacular view of the Pacific Ocean, and then heading to the Huaca Pucllana, ceremonial center of the Lima culture. After this, we go on to the Main Square where the Government Palace and the Town Hall are located. We will visit the Cathedral and explore the Santo Domingo Convent, along which corridors San Martin de Porras and San Rosa de Lima used to walk around in 17th century, and where their remains rest today. Stay in Lima.

DÍA 2: LIMA/CUSCO | INC: D.

Transfer to the airport and flight to Cusco. On arrival, meet and greet at the airport, transfer to your hotel. Free rest of the day. Stay in Cusco.

DAY 3: PISCACUCHO / HUAYLLABAMBA | INC: B/L/D

Let the big adventure begin! After our hotel pick up we will go to Piscacucho (2,750 m/9,022 ft.), at Km. 82 on the tracks to enter the Inca Trail. Our trip will start with a slow pace walk to get used to the trail. We will be able to see the beautiful snowcapped mountain Veronica and we'll get to a natural viewpoint from where we will see the archaeological site of Llaqtapata. Our first campsite will take place at Huayllabamba (3,000 m /9,842 ft.)

Distance: 12 km. / 7.45 mi.

Estimated time: 5-6 hrs.

Maximum altitude reached: 3,000 mt. / 9,842 ft.

Campsite: Huayllabamba (3,000 mt. / 9,842 ft.)

Highlights: Panoramic view of Llaqtapata and Veronica snowcapped mountain.

DAY 4: HUAYLLABAMBA / LLULLUCHAPAMPA / WARMIWAÑUSCA / PACAYMAYO | INC: B/L/D

The most intense day of the Inca Trail is here so make sure to bring some extra sugary sweets in your pocket for extra energy. We will walk through the Valley of Huayllabamba while we observe the ecological changes of going from the highlands to the plateau. In Yunca Chimpa we start the ascent to Llulluchapampa (3,750 mt. / 12,303 ft.). While we enjoy a refreshing snack, the Huayanay Valley is in front of us, and the challenge of the day: the defiant Warmiwañusca mountain pass (4,200 mt. / 13,799 ft.), also known as "Dead Woman" mountain pass. If we are lucky we'll get to see the beautiful hummingbirds and sparrows that live in the area. Finally it is time to descend to our campsite in Pacaymayo (3,600 mt. / 11,811 ft.) for lunch and rest after this challenging day.

Distance: 11 Km. / 6.83 mi.

Estimated time: 6-7 hrs.

Maximum altitude reached: 4,200 mt. / 13,799 ft.

