

# 5 Days Turkey Istanbul, Pamukkale Deluxe Tour

## Itinerary features:

- Stay at 5 star hotel in Istanbul and superior spring hote in Pamukkale.
- No shopping tour, no designated expenses and designated tips.
- Well-selected attractions in Istanbul.
- See the special scenery of Pamukkale.
- Stroll along the seaside of Aegean.
- Explore the remains of the ancient city of Izmir.
- Opportunities to taste local turkish food.
- Arrange for English-speaking tour guides (or driver guide).



Tour Code: TKP5E

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## Arrival Date

3/06/2022 - 12/15/2022, Arrive on designated Sunday/Thursday

2022:

Mar: 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27, 31

Apr: 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21

May: 1, 5, 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26, 29

Jun: 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30

Jul: 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 28, 31

Aug: 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25

Sep: 1, 4, 8, 11, 15, 18, 22, 25

Oct: 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30

Nov: 3, 6, 10, 13, 17, 20

Dec: 1, 4, 8, 11, 15

## Selling Price starting from \$1559

Adult	Child (under 12, w/o bed)	Child (under 12, w/ bed)	Single Room Supp.	Pre-Stay	Extension
\$1559	\$1419	\$1559	\$260	Start from \$110	Start from \$110

\* Travelers must hold a negative COVID-19 PCR test certificate for a test taken no more than 48 hours before departure, a vaccination certificate showing full vaccination and a travel insurance cover for COVID-19.

\* Turkey is a country where tipping is popular. Generally, it is recommended to give about 1 dollar or 1 lira at a time to restaurant waiters, baggage porters, room attendants, etc..

\* Our group provides assistance regarding PCR Tests: for flight back to USA/Canada (the expenses need be paid extra, each time around \$40/pp).

\*The tour fee includes air tickets from Istanbul to Denizli, from Izmir to Istanbul with luggage of 15kg per person each way.

\* If you want to take part in optional tours, please let us know when you sign up for the package tour.

\*We reserve the right to change our tour itineraries depending on the local government's COVID-19 safety policies.

### Day 1 ARRIVE IN ISTANBUL(IST)

Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Istanbul Esentepe or Pullman Istanbul or similar

Arrival at Istanbul International Airport, pick up and transfer to the hotel with our receptionist's assistance. The hotel check-in time is after 2pm.

### Day 2 ISTANBUL/ DENIZLI (B,D)

Hotel: Adem Thermal Hotel or similar

After breakfast, visit the Sultan Ahmet Camii, which is definitely a must-see regardless of how much time you have in the city. Next, you will visit one of Istanbul's most renowned structures, the Hagia Sophia Grand Mosque. Just down the road from the Blue Mosque is the Basilica Cistern, a "sunken palace" that lies beneath the surface of Istanbul's streets. Lunch is on your arrangement today. Then, visit the Grand Bazaar. It is the historic center of shopping and commerce in the city. Fly to Denizli, enjoy dinner and hot spring in hotel.



### Day 3 DENIZLI- KUSADASI (B,L,D)

Hotel: Ramada Hotel & Suites Kusadasi or similar

This morning, you can take a hot-air balloon to enjoy the special scenery of Pamukkale at your own expense, \$360/pp. After breakfast, visit Pamukkale, it provides a perfect combination of natural and man-made wonders with its travertines as white as cotton stretching to the horizon, standing over the ancient ruins of the spa town Hierapolis. Then, transfer to Hierapolis ruins. The name Hierapolis also means the sacred city, containing the Temple of Oktokonus set in a square area, the theatre with reliefs depicting the mythology of Apollo and Artemis, the Frontinus Street, the Agora, the ruins of Basilica and ect. Afterwards, visit Aphrodisias. It is an ancient city that existed about 3,000 years ago and is the place where the temple of the Aphrodite. Later on, transfer to Kusadasi and enjoy dinner in hotel.



### Day 4 KUSADASI- IZMIR/ISTANBUL (B,L,D)

Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Istanbul Esentepe or Pullman Istanbul or similar

After breakfast, visit House of Virgin Mary. The shrine of Virgin Mary enjoys a marvelous atmosphere hidden in the green. It is the place where Mary may have spent her last days. Transfer to the Ephesus. Ephesus, once, the trade centre of the ancient world, a religious centre of the early Christianity and today, it is an important tourism centre in Turkey. Later on, visit the Konak Square with Izmir Clock Tower. The square is the busiest part of the city, as Konak is the main place of Izmir. Fly to Istanbul afterwards.

### Day 5 LEAVE ISTANBUL (B,L)

After breakfast, have a PCR test(the expenses need be paid extra). After lunch, visit Topkapi Palace, which is particularly important for the Chamber of Holy Relics where Blessed Mantle and Holy Banner are kept in their golden chests. Then, have a boat excursion up the Bosphorus. A stay in Istanbul is not complete without a traditional and unforgettable boat excursion up the Bosphorus. Afterwards, transfer to airport and fly back home. The end of the journey.

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