7 days Egypt itinerary Cairo and the desert

Туре	Run	Duration	Pick up
Private	Everyday	7 Days/6 Nights	05:00

We offer 7-day Itinerary Cairo and the white desert, includes 4 nights in Cairo,1 night in Bahariya oasis and 1-night Camping in the white desert, visit Pyramids of Giza and the Egyptian museum Book your Egypt desert safari tour packages.

Inclusions: **Exclusions:** Meet & assist at Cairo International flight International Airport + transfer to visa to Egypt hotel by air-conditioned vehicle Entrance fees inside any of the • 04 nights accommodation in Cairo pyramids or inside the mummy including breakfast & all taxes room at the Egyptian Museum. A 02-day tour in Cairo as • The above prices are not valid mentioned in the program during the Peak Periods (New Year including Entrance fees & English - Christmas - Easter) speaking guide Any other optional tours if • 1-night camping in the white required. desert 01-night accommodation at Ecolodge in Fayoum oasis Entrance fees to all sites as mentioned in the program Private English speaking guide All service charges and taxes

Itinerary:

We offer a 7-day Itinerary in Cairo and the white desert, visit the Pyramids of Giza and the Egyptian museum, includes 4 nights in Cairo, 1-night Camping in the white desert, and one night in Fayoum oasis Discover Wadi Al Hitan. The site today is a Protected area and a Natural Heritage Site added in 2005 by UNESCO as a world heritage site, discover this amazing place with 4*4 car

Days Table

First Day: Day 1- Arrival in Cairo

<u>Marsa Alam</u> tours representative will meet & assist you at <u>Cairo</u> International Airport, Transfer to hotel by private airconditioned vehicle

Free evening

Overnight in the Hotel

Depends on your arrival. If your flight arrives, If you have an early flight to <u>Cairo</u> you can contact us to make a tour suggestion



Second Day: Day 2-The Pyramids of Giza and Cairo Museum

You will be picked up from your hotel in <u>Cairo</u> by our tour guide to enjoy a great excursion to The <u>Pyramids of Giza</u> (<u>Cheops</u>, <u>Chephren</u>, and <u>Mykerinus</u>. Then proceed to visit the Great Sphinx, which dates back to the time of and visit <u>the Valley Temple</u>.

Lunch will be served during the Pyramids at the local restaurant in Giza

Then visit the **Egyptian Museum**

The Museum of Egyptian Antiquities in Tahir

It exhibits a rare collection of over 250,000 genuine artifacts that date as far back as 5000 years, including an exclusive exhibit dedicated to the Tutankhamen - A collection of treasures, gold, and jewelry that were buried in his tomb for over 3,500 years before they were discovered in 1920 when his tomb was excavated.

If you wish to visit the mummies royal hall. You need to ask the tour guide to take the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization and you pay for this. It will cost 200 Egyptian Pounds

The New Grand museum is not open yet. It will be open soon maybe end of 2021 or in 2022





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Optional trip to the sound and the light show at Giza Pyramids and it costs 40 \$ Per person

Overnight in the Hotel Cairo

Third Day: Day3- Cairo to the white desert

At 06:00 am Pick up time from your hotel in Giza or in <u>Cairo</u>, drive to <u>Bahariya Oasis</u>, which is located about 350 km east of <u>Cairo</u> This journey takes about 4 hours, arrive at 10:00 there will be stops during the trip for WC and Coffee

At 10:00 you will take your 4x4 Jeep and drive to <u>the black</u> desert

12:00 The Lunch will be served here in El Haize oasis

13:00 Then drive to the <u>valley of Agabat</u>

15:00 Arrive at the Valley of Agabat is deep within the white desert. You have to be there to feel the out-worldly beauty of the place. Millions of years ago, the place used to be under the sea. Over the years, unique rock formations of limestone, chalk (and maybe sand) developed.



16: 30 explore the <u>white desert</u> ___ National Park, the most well-known desert destination in Egypt.





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18:30 As the sky turns pink then the deepest fiery orange, the rockshapes fade, and silence are all around. Sitting around a small fire and enjoying the simplest meal of chicken, rice, and vegetables, you will feel like nothing has ever tasted so good. Bedouin staff will arrange dinner and desert camping.

4Th Day: Day 4- White desert - Bahariya oasis

At 06:00 am Enjoy sunrise

At 07:00 Am you'll enjoy breakfast in the desert, before driving to Bahariya Oasis

At 09:00 On the way back, you will visit <u>Crystal Mountain</u>, <u>Crystal Mountain</u>, locally known as Gebel al-Izzaz. It's more of a crystal hill, seen on the right, which is often called the Jewel of the desert is formed by the quartzite crystals and looks amazing in the sun's rays. A few decades ago, that natural feature has been found by accident.



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hot spring that can help to relax. Located at 7 km east of Bahariya on the <u>Cairo</u> road, the spring is the best hot spring in temperature,

In The summertime will stop at Bir Madi(which is a cold spring)

12:00 Then drive back to <u>Cairo</u>. Arrival at <u>Cairo</u> at 16:30- If you want to add Lunch (15 \$ Extra per person)

We have 2 Extra options for you to discover more about the oasis

1-First option

If you wish to discover more about the history of Bahariya oasis we do recommend doing an extra trip to the museum of the golden mummies, <u>Bawiti</u> tombs, and Alexander the Great temple

You will visit the tombs of <u>Bannentiu and Djed-Ankh-Amun-luf</u> (Zed-Amun) The tombs at Qasr Selim (26th Dynasty)In 1938 the Egyptian archaeologist Ahmed Fakhry (1905-1973) discovered four tombs at the ridge of Qarat Qasr Selim.

Visit <u>Bawiti</u>, <u>Bawiti</u> is the Capital of <u>Bahariya Oasis</u>, Then Visit the Museum of the golden mummies and the temple of Ain El Muftella, <u>Bahariya Oasis</u>, You will have lunch in <u>Bahariya</u>

<u>Oasis</u> before driving to <u>Cairo</u>

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Extra.

Single traveler:50 \$

2- Second option

You can book Extra 3 Hours Bahariya oasis tour.

You will discover <u>Bahariya Oasis</u>, The palm, and olives fields, Gebel Maghrafa. where the biggest Diansour((Stromer's Tidal Giant) was ever discovered in 1914 at the base of Gebel Dist. Lake al-Marun which is the biggest salt lake in <u>Bahariya Oasis</u>, Enjoy the sunset from The summit of the English Mountain(Gebel Al Ingleez). the view from the top offers a panorama of the northern part of the oasis.



Single traveler:50 \$

Drive to Fayoum oasis- Overnight in Fayoum Ecolodge

5th Day: Day 5- The valley of the whales

After the Breakfast Start your adventure by Toyota land



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cruiser 4x4 to Wadi Al Hitan '

Wadi Al Hitan 'is a Protected area and a Natural Heritage Site added in 2005 by UNESCO as world heritage site, WADI EL-HITAN is also known for scientists in the Zeuglodon Valley, have been discovered in 1936, it is located 35 KM west of the Wadi El-Ryan, right deep into the desert western desert, is It is an area of fossils; considered as an open museum, dates back to 45 million years and contains petrified primitive whales skeletons, shark teeth, shells and roots of Mangroves preserved in soft rocks. Everywhere you go here you find petrified seashells and corals, Visit the Fossil & Climate Change Museum

The museum hosts a variety of whale fossils, and skeletons that are displayed outdoors, as for the museum it has a variety of fossils, skeletons, fossilized mangroves, and ancient seashells exhibited indoors in glass boxes, Enjoy your lunch Lunchtime in Wadi el Hitan rest house, You can advise which meal you like and we arrange it

Drive back to Tunis village by Drive to The Magic lake and Gebel Al-Mudawara

The Magic lake:

One of the most beautiful lakes in Egypt, overlooking sand dunes, is the Magic lake. Around the lake gives you the chance to witness one of the most eye-catching sunsets you will ever see.

Magic Lake is a beautiful lake located in Wadi El Rayan in Fayoum. It was named the Magic lake as it changes its colors several times a day depending on the time of year and the amount of sunlight it receives.

It is an amazingly beautiful place surrounded by desert. People spend their time hiking & sand-boarding beside Magic Lake or even swimming in the lake itself.

The lake contains minerals that are said to help treat patients with rheumatism.

It's simply a magical place for a magical trip.



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Wadi El Rayan

Wadi El Rayan is a depression 42 Meters below sea level and covers 673 K.m.ln 1966 this depression became a water reservoir when it was connected with Qarun Lake by underground Pipe

Tea time by sunset
Back to Cairo
Drive back to Tunis village then drive back to Cairo.
Arrival Cairo 19:00

6th Day: Day 6- Old Cairo

Pick Up time from your hotel in <u>Cairo</u> or Giza at 08:00 am with your Egyptologist tour guide, you will drive up to the Saladin Citadel, constructed by Salah al-Din on the Moqattam Hills in 1183 AD as a defense against Crusader armies. Known for its fresh air and sweeping views of <u>Cairo</u>, it is now a preserved historic site of mosques and museums, including the Mosque of Muhammad Ali Pasha



Designed by the Turkish architect Yousif Boushnaq, who came to <u>Cairo</u> especially from Istanbul to build the great building, the mosque's alabaster structure stands in beautiful contrast to the sandstone city.

Lunch will be served in a local restaurant in Old Cairo

Then, visit Old <u>Cairo</u> to see major attractions such as the Hanging Church, the Ben Ezra Synagogue, the Church of St. Barbara, and the Church of Abu Serga, one of the oldest Coptic churches in <u>Cairo</u>

Continue to the Khan el-Khalili Bazaar, one of the oldest bazaars in the Middle East. Discover the old <u>Cairo</u> the center of <u>Cairo</u>'s trading activities since the 14th century. After an amazing trip,

7th Day: Day -7 International Departure

You will be transferred to <u>Cairo</u> airport for the international departure. If you wish to extend your stay in <u>Cairo</u>, please contact us.



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