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Grand Tour of Europe

13 Nights / 14 Days

Overview

Visit 09 countries in 14 Days

France, Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Austria, Italy, Vatican City

Destination	No of Nights:
Paris	3 Nights
Amsterdam area	2 Nights
Heppenheim, Germany	1 Night
Swiss	3 Nights
Innsbruck	1 Night
Venice area	1 Night
Florence area	1 Night
Rome	1 Night

HIGHLIGHTS:

- 13 Nights accommodation with Breakfast at 3 to 4 star properties
- 13 Dinners at an Indian restaurant
- Services of Professional Experienced Indian Tour Manager

Attractions & Sightseeing

PARIS Guided City tour of Paris, Eiffel Tower Level 2, River Seine Cruise, Louvre Museum

BRUSSELS Orientation Tour of Brussels

AMSTERDAM Canal Cruise; Visit Madurodam, Wooden Shoe factory & Cheese Farm

GERMANY Black Forest region and Cuckoo clock, Heidelberg and Cologne Cathedral

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Day Wise Plan

Day 1: Paris Arrival, River Seine Cruise

- We welcome you to the magnificent continent of Europe. Our Tour Manager will meet you at the arrivals hall after immigration. Welcome to the city of Paris.

- Please note the tour begins at 1500 hrs from Paris CDG Airport.
- Paris has a timeless familiarity for first-time and frequent visitors, with instantly recognizable architectural icons, along with exquisite cuisine, chic boutiques and priceless artistic treasures. We begin our tour of Europe with a visit to the most beautiful city of the continent.
- Later experience a panoramic boat cruise along the River Seine. With entirely glass topped vessels, these exquisite boats are constructed to explore the breathtaking views of the Parisian monuments such as the Eiffel Tower, the Orsay Museum, the Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris's own Statue of Liberty as well as many other landmarks. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Paris.
- **Meals:** Dinner

Day 2: Panoramic Tour of Paris, Eiffel Tower 2nd Level, Louvre Museum. An Evening in Paris with Lido Show (Optional Tour)

- After breakfast, we embark on a panoramic tour of Paris where you will have the witness sights such as Champs Elysees, Opera Garnier, Arc De Triomphe, Louvre Palace, Grand Palais, Petit Palais, National Assembly, Alexandre Bridge, Concorde Square, Magdalene Church, Trocadéro Square, Conciergerie and Notre Dame Cathedral. Later, we continue to the centre of Paris to visit the most famous attraction in Paris, the Eiffel Tower. Built in 1889, and designed by the young engineer Gustav Eiffel, the tower stands 324 metres (1,063 feet) tall. Enjoy spectacular views of the city from the second level.
- Visit Louvre Museum, the world's largest art museum with an extensive range of Greek and Roman sculptures, Egyptian antiques, painting and graphics by legendary artists and a lot more. While the impressive collection sure is the highlight of the museum, the majestic palace-turned-museum itself is a splendid piece of art. Admire the Mona Lisa painting, one of the greatest treasures in Louvre Museum. Spend time strolling around Rue De Rivoli.
- Later, you can take the optional tour to experience the Lido Show. Widely considered one of the French capital's most stylish cabaret venues, the Lido de Paris has been dazzling guests with its extravagant sets and talented dance troupes since 1946. Experience an unforgettable evening of energetic dancing, fabulous costumes, shimmering lighting and all the glitz and glamour of the cabaret. Be mesmerized as the team of over 70 talented performers including acrobats, gymnasts, ice skaters and the famous Bluebell Girls showcase their skills on stage. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Paris.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 3: Full day Disneyland Park (Optional Tour)

- Day free to explore Paris on your own OR take the opportunity to visit the famous Disneyland in Paris. Your one day one park pass allows entry to the intriguing Disneyland Paris. Disneyland Park has big thrills and kid-friendly adventures for the whole family.
- Experience the storybook world of Disney as you discover the five magical themed lands where enchantment lives: Main Street USA, Frontierland, Adventureland, Fantasyland and
- Discoveryland. Disneyland Paris, provides an exciting vacation for the family with its famous shows and rides such as Peter Pan's Flight, Space Mountain: Mission 2, Star Tours, Buzz Lightyear Laser Blast, Big Thunder Mountain and Indiana Jones and the Temple of Peril
- among many more. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 4: Brussels Orientation Tour

- Today, we proceed to the Belgian capital, Brussels, which is the capital of the European Union. Belgium's fascinating capital, and the administrative capital of the EU, Brussels is historic yet hip, bureaucratic yet bizarre, self-confident yet unshowy, and multicultural to its roots. All this plays out in a cityscape that swings from majestic to quirky to rundown and back again. Organic art nouveau facades face off against 1960s concrete developments, and regal 19th-century mansions contrast with the brutal glass of the EU's Gotham City. This whole maelstrom swirls out from Brussels' medieval core, where the Grand Place is surely one of the world's most beautiful squares.
- Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Netherlands.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 5: Netherlands

- Welcome to Amsterdam – one of the greatest small cities in the world. From Amsterdam canals to world-famous Amsterdam museums and historical Amsterdam sights, it is one of the most romantic and beautiful cities in Europe. Canal cruises are a popular way to see the city from the perspective of its canals. It has all the advantages of a big city: rich culture, lively Amsterdam nightlife, international restaurants, good transport - but is quiet, and largely thanks to its extensive canals, has a little road traffic.
- Enjoy a complete overview of Amsterdam and its beautiful architecture on the canal cruise. Soak in the quaint, relaxing atmosphere of the vibrant Dutch capital while cruising along the UNESCO World Heritage-listed canals. Learn interesting information about Amsterdam's highlights and uncover secrets behind each historical building. You'll have plenty of time to take some great photos of some of Amsterdam's iconic sites such as the Royal Palace, the National Monument, St Nicholas Church, Munt Tower, the famous Golden Bend, the Skinny Bridge and much more! We also visit a wooden shoe factory of Holland and witness a free demonstration of

the history, traditions and the making of authentic Dutch wooden shoes along with a visit to a Cheese Farms. After the demonstration, take a short stop for a photograph at a windmill, one of the most distinctive sights of the Netherlands. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Netherlands.

- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 6: Onto Germany, Visit Cologne Cathedral

- After breakfast, we head to the city of Cologne in Germany as we visit the magnificent Cathedral which stands 157 meters tall, it also is one of Europe's most spectacular cathedrals and has to its credit being the largest Gothic cathedral north of The Alps. The twin spires and the beautiful stained glass windows are the highlights of this cathedral. The Cologne Cathedral also has the reputation of being the most visited tourist monument in Germany. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.

- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 7: The Black Forest with cuckoo clock - Onto Swiss - Zurich Orientation tour and the Rhine falls

- After a scrumptious breakfast, we proceed to the beautiful Black Forest region in the southwest region of Germany. Traditional wineries and valleys with lakes, rivers and
- Water falls along with rolling hills dotted with old farm houses, the Black Forest is certainly a beautiful place to be. Some of the world's best-quality wood products and the world's prettiest and best-preserved forests are in this region. The Black Forest maids, Black Forest farms, Black Forest gâteau, Bollenhut hats and Cuckoo clocks - the Black Forest embodies everything that one might expect of a picture-perfect German holiday. Later, we stop at Hofgut Sternen in the heart of the Black Forest to witness how the famous and original Cuckoo Clocks of Hofgut Sternen are made.
- Later, we proceed to Switzerland, which is a landlocked country in the cultural and geographical centre of Europe. Renowned for its snowbound Alps, lush green meadows and fresh water lakes, the prosperous country of Switzerland is blessed with a distinct character and dynamism, along with the gorgeous hills, cascading waterfalls, fruit loaded orchards and green blossoming gardens, the beauty of the nature in Switzerland is simply remarkable. We proceed to Zurich for an Orientation tour which includes sights such as Bahnhofstrasse which is the main downtown street and one of the world's most expensive and exclusive shopping avenues. We also see the Gross Munster, the Frau Munster and St. Peter's Church which are among the main churches of Zurich. Along with this, we see the Rathaus, which is the townhall of Zurich. We also proceed to Schaffhausen to visit one of the largest waterfalls in Europe, the Rhine Falls, witness the stunning natural beauty around these beautiful falls. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay in Switzerland.

- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 8: Jungfrauoch excursion and Interlaken (Optional Tour)

- After a delectable breakfast, enjoy the day at leisure OR avail the once in a lifetime opportunity to visit Jungfrauoch, also known as the "Top of Europe". It lies at a height of 3,466 meters (11,371 ft) above sea level in the Bernese Alps, it is one of the UNESCO natural world heritage sites. The Jungfrau region is the most glaciated part of the European Alps,
- containing Europe's largest glacier and a range of classic glacial features, and provides an outstanding record of the geological processes that formed the High Alps. Tourists are often amazed at the scenic splendour they witness from the Cog-Wheel train that climbs up to a height of 11,333 feet to reach Jungfrauoch, the highest railway station in the world. The Cog- Wheel train is one of the best, most incredible train journeys in the world. The views of Switzerland from atop the mountain are amazingly panoramic and breathtaking.
- Later, we drive to Interlaken, which lies in the Bernese Oberland on an alluvial plain, between Lake Thun and Lake Brienz and is surrounded by sparkling streams, fantastic waterfalls and extraordinary mountain scenery including the famous peaks of the Eiger, the Moench and the Jungfrau. Interlaken is the adventure capital of Europe. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Switzerland.

- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 9: Mt. Titlis with Ice Flyer and snow-park and Lucerne Orientation Tour

- Today, after breakfast, we proceed to Mt. Titlis. The 45-minute ride across 2 cable cars is awe-inspiring as you'll witness the scenery change from green meadows and scenic lakes to snow-clad mountains. The last leg of the ride is on the famous Rotair, which is the world's first revolving cable car that offers an awesome 360-degree panoramic view of the snow-covered valleys, glaciers, lakes, forests, and mountains in Switzerland.
- Later, we proceed to Lucerne which is a beautiful city located at the northern tip of Lake Lucerne, where you'll see the Lion Monument called Lowendenkmal. Thereafter, stroll along the banks of Lake Lucerne to witness attractions like the Kapellbrücke (The Chapel Bridge) and the Spreuerbrücke, two traditional wooden bridges of Lucerne. From here, move on to enjoy your free time shopping for something typically Swiss such as a prestigious brand of
- watch or jewelry, fashion or stylish accessories. The Old Town is pedestrianized, and the lively new part of town also boasts a good selection of shops with artisan produce, plants and handicrafts. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Switzerland.

- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 10: Vaduz & Innsbruck Orientation tour and Swarovski Museum

- After breakfast today, proceed to visit the beautiful city of Vaduz which is in the landlocked alpine country of Liechtenstein - the 6th

smallest country in the world and also the richest German speaking country. Vaduz, the capital city, gives an opportunity to tourists to appreciate some of the many surviving medieval, Gothic, and Baroque structures.

- We proceed to Innsbruck, the capital of Tyrol. This city has the most picturesque backdrop, nestled in the gorgeous deep valley of the River Inn. It is an amazing town with a rich history that is evident through the large number of museums and landmarks. On arrival, proceed on an Orientation of Innsbruck seeing sights such as Goldenes Dachl, Helblinghaus, Stadtturm, Triumphforte, Hofkirsche and Hofburg.
- Later, we proceed to Swarovski Museum, which is known for its amazing collection of precision-cut lead crystal glass. Witness a crystal-themed indoor park, different special exhibitions, a series of classic concerts where a glittering world of crystals awaits you. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 11: Venice Orientation tour and Murano Glass Factory

- Today we head to the most romantic city in Italy, known for its famous gondola rides and its amazing architecture. That's correct ! Venice ! which is known as the Queen of the Adriatic. Also fondly called La Serenissima, Venice is built on 180 islands that are connected by over 400 bridges, with hundreds of canals criss-crossing the town. We take a boat ride to reach Venice Island enjoying the scenic view as we pass the famous bridge of Sighs and the Basilica di San Marco and head to St Mark's Square where we witness sights such as the Bridge of Sighs, the Ducale Palace, St. Mark's Basilica and the Clock tower which are part of this romantic city. We also visit the Murano Glass factory where we have an opportunity to see how the Murano glass is made and see where the glass is handled to create fabulous designs. An expert master will create two objects with the most popular techniques, blowing and sculpture. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 12: Walking tour of Florence and Leaning Tower of Pisa

- After a delectable breakfast, we proceed to Florence, which is a stunning medieval city divided into two parts by the River Arno. Florence is considered one of the most beautiful cities in the world with its overflow of palaces, churches and museums filled with masterful paintings and sculptures. Cradle of the Renaissance, romantic, enchanting and utterly irresistible, Florence (Firenze) is a place to feast on world-class art. We begin our walking tour of Florence with sights such as Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Campanile and Baptistery along with Loggia Dei Lanzi and the Fountain of Neptune and Ponte Vecchio which is the oldest and the most famous bridge in Florence.
- Later, we proceed to Pisa, where we visit the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa, known to be the bell tower of the Duomo Cathedral. One of Italy's signature sights, the Torre Pendente truly lives up to its name, leaning a startling 3.9 degrees off the vertical. The 56m-high tower, officially the Duomo's campanile (bell tower), took almost 200 years to build. Over time, the tilt, caused by a layer of weak subsoil, steadily worsened until it was finally halted by a major stabilization project in the 1990s. Enjoy some spare time to a short stroll. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 13: Rome: Guided city tour, Vatican City: St. Peter's Basilica and St. Peter's Square

- After a scrumptious breakfast, we proceed to the eternal city of Rome. Rome has a history over two and a half thousand years, as one of the founding cities of Western Civilization and has been a site of major historic events and has also been the cultural centre of Europe. Rome is so filled with Christian art and architecture, wonderful sights, cultural exhibits and so much more that the city will astound you. we begin the guided city tour of Rome which
- includes sights such as Colosseum, Arc of Constantine, Roman Forum and Caesar's Forum. We also discover many of the renowned attractions of Rome – the Trevi Fountain; the Victor Emmanuel monument on Piazza Venezia under which lies the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier with eternal flame. Later, we visit the Vatican City, the smallest republic in the world, we visit the St. Peter's basilica which is the largest church in the world and the center of Christianity. Take a walk among the massive Tuscan colonnades of the St. Peter's square. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel.
- **Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner

Day 14: Departure

- After breakfast, we bid goodbye to Europe as we receive a transfer to the airport in time to board your flight back home. With an enriching experience of a lifetime, it's time to take home happy memories of the beautiful places visited, which you will treasure for a lifetime.
- **Meals:** Breakfast

Please note the dep. transfer for Rome (FCO) Airport will be at 0730 hrs.

Inclusions

- 13 nights' accommodation on twin sharing basis

- 13 Breakfast & 13 Dinners
- Services of a Professional Tour Manager
- All Hotel Taxes included
- Visa + Insurance
- Coach tours, transfers, entrance fee, sightseeing tours and surface transportation as indicated in the itinerary

Exclusions

- Airfare
- Mandatory tips of EUR 3 per person per day to be directly handed over on tour
- Porterage unless mentioned on offer sheet
- Any Supplements for un-social hours
- GST or Taxes of any nature as applicable

Price & Dates

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Package Price

Adult on Twin	Triple Sharing Basis	Child without bed (2 â€“ 11 years)	Child with bed (2 â€“ 11 years)	Single Sharing
INR 1,37,599/-	INR 1,37,599/-	INR 80,899/-	INR 1,09,200/-	INR 1,73,999/-

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Optional Tour

Optional Tour Cost (Will Operate With A Minimum Of 15 Persons)	Adult	Child
Evening In Paris Without Lido	EUR 40	EUR 40
Evening In Paris With Lido	EUR 130	Na
Disneyland â€“ 1 Day 1 Park	EUR 85	EUR 85
Jungfraujoch With Out Lunch	EUR 155	EUR 110

Suggestive Hotel

Destination	No of Nights:	Hotel
PARIS	3 Nights	Hotel Novotel Aulnay / Mercure Le Bourget or similar
NETHERLANDS	2 Nights	NH Geldrop / Hotel Leeuwenhorst / Hotel De Beurs / Apollo Hotel

		Papendrecht / NOVOTEL ROTTERDAM SCHIEDAM or similar
GERMANY	1 Night	Hotel Michel Heppenheim / Europa Ludwigshafen / Hotel NH Mannheim or similar
SWISS	3 Nights	Hotel Terrace / Hotel Belmont / Hotel Cathrin / Hotel Hoheneck or similar
INNSBRUCK	1 Night	Hotel Bon Alpina / Alpinpark / Hotel Alpenkeonig Seefeld or similar
PADOVA / VICENZA	1 Night	Hotel Tulip Inn / Hotel Alfa Fiera or similar
PISA / FLORENCE	1 Night	UNA Hotel Vittoria / Hotel Grand Golf or similar
ROME	1 Night	Hotel Simon Pomezia / Idea Pomezia or similar

Visa Info

Visa Type: Tourist

Country: France (Applied Through VFS)

Kindly Provide All The Documents In A4 Size. Please Do Not Staple Any Documents

- **Valid passport** must not be older than 10 years also it must be valid for at least THREE MONTHS longer than the intended stay. The passport must also have at least TWO BLANK PAGES to affix the visa and should be along with all old passport booklets. Handwritten passports, Passports with observation and passports of 20-year validity are NOT acceptable
- **1 Visa Form** to be filled ONLINE WITH BAR CODE PAGE at <https://france-visas.gouv.fr/> (Manual Forms NOT accepted at all). This form needs to be printed and signed by the applicant at the appropriate places (along with the Barcode pages - PLEASE SEND FULL PRINT OF THE FORM).
- Receipt of Visa Application (a two pager document with barcode) needs to be printed and given along with the visa application.
- **Applicant mobile number and Email id.**
- **2 Recent Coloured** Photograph (Fresh ones i.e. NOT used earlier for any visa) should be: -
 - **35mm x 45mm** in dimension
 - On **matte finish** paper
 - With **White background**
 - With **80%** face coverage, non-smiling [without sunglasses, specs, a hat/cap or other head covering, unless the applicant wears such items because of their religious belief or ethnic background
 - **Not previously used in a visa**
- Photocopy of valid **USA, UK and Previous Schengen Visa**
- **Personal Cover letter to The Visa Officer, Embassy of France** with mentioning duration of visit, the purpose of visit, expenses clause. Details of all Applicants with name, passport number, If Applicable
 - **Personal Covering Letters** should have an instruction to dispatch the passports to the below-mentioned address after visa approval.
 - **Please courier my passport** to the following address:- Pax Name: _____ Address: 1007, 10th Floor, Rajendra Place, New Delhi -110008
- **Travel Insurance**
- **Tour itinerary /Day to day Itinerary**
- **Confirmed Return Ticket (or ticket with Live PNR)** covering all the sectors
- **Confirmed Hotel** as per the ticket (with hotel Name, Address, Telephone no and Email. Id)
- **Original 3 months updated Personal bank statement.**
- **Personal Income Tax Return** for Last 3 years.
- **Occupation proof**
 - **In case of Employee** -Proof of employment(employment certificate/NOC)and Pay slip of last 3 months.
 - **In case applicant is the proprietor/owner of the company-**, Cover letter on company`s letterhead, company's Original 3 month`s bank statement (with bank seal and signature), proof of paid income tax (for 3 years), company memo, partnership deed, establishment license or proprietorship, etc are required.
 - **For student-** leave letter/report card issued from School and ID is required.
 - **If the applicant is sponsored** - proof of sponsorship and/or private accommodation by completing a national form of the Schengen State concerned (see the website of the Member State of destination)
 - **If the applicant is retired-** Proof of retirement, pension statements for the last three months; - proof of regular income generated by ownership of property or business.
- If applicant is traveling for honeymoon then **Marriage certificate or Marriage Card and Engagement /Marriage Photographs** are required.
- If minor is accompanied by one parent/traveling alone shall provide a **NOTARIZED NOC** from other/both parents with their passport copy.

- **Authority letter**
- **BIOMETRIC MANDATORY** for all Applicants w.e.f. 02-Nov-2015. (Please see instructions below)

Terms & conditions

Payment Terms:

- Booking Amount: INR 50000/- per person at the time of booking.
- Balance Payment: 45 days prior to departure.

Cancellation Policy:

- 120 days and more before departure - 25% of total holiday cost
- 90 days before departure - 30% of total holiday cost
- 60 Days before departure - 75% of total holiday cost
- 30 Days before departure - 100% of total holiday cost