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ISTANBUL-BURSA-SÖĞÜT-ESKIŞEHIR-KONYA-ISTANBUL TOUR

6 NIGHTS/7 DAYS







Enjoy visiting the top highlights of Turkey with ease and in comfort -Enjoy a choice of excellent accommodation and all transport and sightseeing included with the itinerary below

Day 1: Arrival Istanbul – Airport to Hotel Transfer. Istanbul-Bursa

Meet and greet with our local guide and transfer to Bursa Hotel.

Depart to Yalova and embark on a ferryboat to Eskihisar enjoy,ng the countryside followed by a drive to Bursa, enjoying the idyllic scenery (around 2.5 hours).

Overnight in Bursa: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) Hotel: TIARA THERMAL HOTEL 5* www.tiaratermal.com

Day 2: Bursa-Söğüt (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast tour program;

As soon as arrival Bursa and start to day shopping at the Turkish Delights, is a flavored sweetmeat or a candy, prepared from starch and sugar, filled with dry fruits, honey or nuts. It has a sticky texture and very often Arabic gum is used as a binder, then visit to the Green Mosque and Green Tomb, The mosque was built by prominent architect Hacı Ivaz Pasha at the request of Ottoman Sultan Celebi Mehmet between 1415 and 1419 years in Bursa, Turkey. Its ornamentations and handiworks were made by the period of great painters Haci Ali, Ilyas Ali. Located on the city named Green (Yesil in Turkish), Bursa, Green Mosque composes of mausoleum (Tomb), madrasah, cultivation and Turkis Baths. Then visit of the The Grand Mosque which is one of the most attractive examples of the Ottoman architecture in the transition period. The mosque, with an interior fountain and a beautiful wooden pulpit is considered a classic.

After lunch drive to Sogut on arrival Sogut you will have a visit to the Tomb of Sheikh Edebali (spiritual founder of the Ottomans), Orhan Ghazi Mosque and Clock Tower. Then you will drive to Sogut, about 30 mins away, to visit the tomb of Ertugrul Ghazi, and its masjid (Kuyulu Cami). After your visits, you will also see Hamidiye Mosque and High School

Overnight in Eskisehir: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) Hotel: MERLOT HOTEL 4* www.merlot.com.tr







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Day 3: Eskişehir - Konya (with Lunch)

After breakfast tour program drive to Konya;

We re going to see OdunPazari district is one of the rare places that has survived to the present with its Ottoman civil architectural structures and wooden houses located at the protected area. The unique historical texture of Odunpazarı has created a bridge between the past and the present. Many civil and religious architecture coexists in the region. Historical Odunpazarı Houses are located according to the location of the street and the land in accordance with the topographical structure of the region.

After Lunch Drive to Konya

Overnight in Konya: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) Hotel: NOVA HOTEL 4★ www.accor.com

Day 4: Konya - Istanbul (with Lunch) (Domestic Flight)

After breakfast our tour program visit the Tomb of Rumi in the Museum of Mevlana, an important place of pilgrimage for Muslims. Then, we visit the Ottoman-era Sultan Selim mosque before having lunch in a traditional Turkish restaurant. After our lunch we drive to the Alaaddin Hill (a prehistoric tumulus) to visit the 1000-year-old Alaaddin Mosque. In its courtyard are the tombs of many of the Seljuk Turkish sultans. Walking down the north side of the Alaaddin Hill we pass the remains of the Seljuk sultan's palace, then cross the street for a view of the elaborate portal of the Ince Minareli Medrese theological college.

At the end of your Islamic tour in Konya we will be transfered to airport for flight to Istanbul. On arrival we will meet you and drive to your hotel for overnight.

Overnight in Istanbul: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) **Hotel:** TAXIM GONEN HOTEL 4★ www.gonenhotels.com

Day 5: Istanbul Classical Old City Tour (with Lunch)

After breakfast we will visit **Hippodrome of Constantinople** was a horse racing track that was the sporting and social center of Constantinople, capital of the Byzantine Empire and the largest city in Europe in that time. The Hagia Sophia, one of the historical architectural wonders that still remains standing today, has an important place in the art world with its architecture, grandness, size and functionality.

The Hagia Sophia, the biggest church constructed by the East Roman Empire in Istanbul, has been constructed three times in the same location. When it was first built, it was named Megale Ekklesia (Big Church); however, after the fifth century, it was referred to as the Hagia Sophia (Holy Wisdom). The church was the place in which rulers were crowned, and it was also the biggest operational cathedral in the city throughout the Byzantine period.

Then **Blue Mosque** - (**Sultan Ahmed Mosque**) is a magnificent mosque that has blue tiles adorning the wall of its interior and the only mosque in Istanbul with six minarets and a treasury of some of Turkey's greatest artworks and artifacts and finally The Topkapi Palace - the seat of the Ottoman Empire after it shifted its capital from Bursa to Istanbul. It is today, a museum palace with a wide collection of Kitchen wares and Porcelains, Treasuries, Royal Antiques, Courtyards, Holy Relics and Overnight in Istanbul.

Overnight in Istanbul: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) Hotel: TAXIM GONEN HOTEL 4★ www.gonenhotels.com

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Day 6: Istanbul Bosphorus Cruise Tour (With Lunch)

After breakfast we will enjoy **Bosphorus Cruise** with boat and experience the magnificent view between asia and Europe. From our cruise boat, we view the dramatic sights lining the Bosphorus' wooded shores: mosques, a bridge that for a time was the world's longest and Rumeli Hisari, a massive fortress built by Muhammed El fatih in just three months as he prepared to take Istanbul. Also noteworthy on this tour are the 19th century mansions of the Ottoman elite and the Sultans' fanciful gingerbread palaces and hunting lodges. We re goibg to see Hirka-i Serif Mosque and Ayub Al – Ansar mosque and mausoleum after lunch free and easy at Grand Bazaar for shopping then transfer to hotel...

Overnight in Istanbul: Dinner at the Hotel (H.B) **Hotel:** TAXIM GONEN HOTEL 4* www.gonenhotels.com

Day 7: Istanbul – Departure Day – Transfer to Airport

After breakfast we will enjoy day in Istanbul.

Regarding your Flight Time, you will be transfer to the Airport for your return Flight. See you again.







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Tour includes:

- •Inbound Transfer Istanbul New Airport (IST)-Bursa Hotel (Tiara Thermal Hotel)
- •Outbound Transfer Istanbul Taxi Gönen Hotel Istanbul New Airport (IST)
- •Professional English-speaking tour guide for the duration of the tour
- •Transportation in a fully air-conditioned, non-smoking vehicle SIC
- •Hotel Accomodation : (BURSA–1 Night/2 Days) Tiara Thermal Hotel4★ with Breakfast+Dinner (Halfboard)
- •Hotel Accommodation : (KONYA-1 Night/2 Days) Merlot Hotel4★ with Breakfast+Dinner (Halfboard) •Hotel Accomodation : (ESKISEHIR-1 Night/2 Days) - Nova Hotel4★ - with Breakfast+Dinner (Halfboard)
- •Hotel Accomodation : (ISTANBUL–3 Nights/4 Days) Taxim Gönen Hotel4★ with Breakfast
- •Meals: Breakfast:6 Lunches:5 Dinner:3
- All SIC Tours mentioned above
- All transfers required to complete the program (good model vehicles)
- •Round Trips: Istanbul City Tour
- •Round Trips: Bosphorus Cruise Tour
- •Round Trips: Bursa Tour, Söğüt Tour, Konya Tour
- •Round Trips: Eskişehir Tour
- •Tips except driver and guide
- •Entrance fees to the sights and museums
- Local Taxes
- •Restaurants: take the Food a way- Not sit in a Restaurant.





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Tour Excludes:

- International and Domestic Flights
- Extras and tips
- Any personal expenditure
- Anything that was not mentioned in the program
- Suggested optional activities
- Any International Flights
- Domestic Flights
- Meals not stated in the itinerary
- Items of personal nature
- Tips Gratuities
- Visa fees
- Optional Activities
- Tips-Driver and Guide
- Compulsory Travel Insurance
- Other services not stated in the itinerary
- Dinner Cruise with Entertainment
- Sit in a Restaurant for Meals





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TOUR PRICE/HOTELS

HOTEL NAME	STAR	LOCATION CITY	Per Pax DBL Room	SGL ROOM	ADD PAX	Meals B-D	Web Page
TIARA THERMAL HOTEL MERLOT HOTEL NOVA KONYA HOTEL TAXIM GÖNEN HOTEL	4★ 4★ 4★ 4★	Bursa Eskişehir Konya Istanbul	395 \$	499 \$	349 \$	S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	www.tiaratermalhotel.com www.merlot.com.tr www.accor.com www.gonenhotels.com









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