

## 2 Days tour to Cairo and Luxor from Hurghada



## **BASIC INFORMATION**

**Duration:** 2 Days / 1 night **Runs On:** Every Day

**Location:** Cairo / Giza / Luxor **Type:** Private Tour

## **OVERVIEW**

Book a 2-day tour to Cairo and Luxor from Hurghada holiday packages and enjoy the top tourist attractions in both cities with Egypt tours. Discover Cairo attractions such as the Giza Pyramids, the Great Sphinx, and the Valley Temple and compare between the Great Pyramid of Cheops and the Second Pyramid of Khafre. You will visit the Grand Egyptian Museum and you will see the Boat of Cheops found beside his Pyramid. Once you are done with Cairo attractions, you will spend a night at your hotel, and then the next day you will fly to Luxor. Here with Hurghada travel packages, you will experience with Hurghada vacation package the best Luxor attractions, such as the Karnak temple complex, consisting of Pylons, Chapels, a Sacred Lake, Obelisks, a Hypostyle Hall, and a Sacred Lake. Then, you will visit the Valley of the Kings with its 63 tombs carved in the mountain and colored with religious texts. Finally, in your Egypt travel packages, you will end your tour in Thebes with the massive Memnon Colossi and enjoy the story of the ancient Egyptian myths and mythology.

### **ITINERARY**

#### Day 1 Arrival & tour to Cairo

Golavita Travel representative will meet you at the reception of your hotel in <a href="Hurghada Day Tours"><u>Hurghada Day Tours</u></a> to join you at Hurghada airport to board your plane to Cairo. Upon arrival at Cairo airport, your guide will be waiting for you in front of the arrival hall to start your Cairo day tours in the Giza Pyramid.

Enjoy between two and three hours of marveling at the three famous Pyramids of Cheops, Khafre, and Menkaure. Explore the Great Sphinx and the Valley

Temple. The Sphinx was carved from one single piece of stone with a lion's body and the head of a human but is not a solid stone. At the end of your tour of the Giza Pyramids, you will go to have your lunch.

The Grand Egyptian Museum is the world's largest museum dedicated to ancient Egyptian civilization. Here, in this museum, you can see artifacts from the Old Kingdom, the Middle Kingdom, and the New Kingdom. Besides, the Intermediate Periods till the Greco-Roman Period. At the end of your Hurghada vacation holiday, your guide will drive you to your hotel to check in and rest till the next day.

Lunch: Enjoy your freshly cooked lunch at a local restaurant near the Pyramids area

#### **Day 2 Travel to Luxor**

Early departure to Cairo airport to fly to Luxor. Upon arrival, your guide will join you for your Hurghada holiday package to some of the top Luxor tourist attractions. You will start your Luxor tour from the west bank of the Nile.

Start with the Memnon Colossi and enjoy 15 minutes in front of the second biggest statues in Egypt after those of Abu Simbel for Ramesses the Great. Explore the Hatshepsut temple. The talented engineer built this temple for his Queen in Deir El Bahari, not far from Mentuhotep II temple in the Middle Kingdom.

Queen Hatshepsut dedicated the temple to her heavenly father Amun after she built her tomb in the Valley of the Kings. Explore 3 recommended tombs with your guide and enjoy the beautiful religious books decorated on the walls of the tombs. For example, the Book of the Dead, the Book of the Heavenly Cow, the

Book of Imyduat, the Book of Cavern, and the Opening of the Mouth.

If you won't enter Tutankhamun's <u>tomb</u>, at least see the tomb from outside and shoot a photo with the sign. Listen to your guide about the tomb robbing in ancient Egypt and the Tutankhamun Curse.

End your Luxor day tour with <u>Karnak temples</u> on Luxor east bank. Finish your tour beside the Sacred Lake and go 7 times around the Scarab, make your wishes, and shoot some memorable photos. At the end of your <u>Luxor attractions</u> tour, you will be driven back to your hotel in Hurghada.

Lunch: Enjoy your lunch at a local restaurant behind the Mortuary temple of Amenhotep III

# **INCLUSIONS**

- Fly tickets from Hurghada to Cairo
- Fly tickets from Cairo to Luxor
- Entrance fees for all the sights mentioned in the program
- Knowledgeable Egyptologist tour guide
- Lunch in Cairo
- Lunch in Luxor
- Round transfer with new brand vehicle
- 1 night at Cairo hotel on B/B basis

## **EXCLUSIONS**

- Beverages during lunch
- Entrance fee for Cheops Pyramid & Khafre Pyramid
- Tutankhamun tomb at the Valley of the Kings
- Tomb of Seti I (KV17)
- KV 9 tomb of Ramesses V
- Tipping

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Giza Pyramids
- Sphinx
- The Grand Egyptian Museum
- Valley of the Kings
- The Mortuary temple of Hatshepsut
- Memnon Colossi
- Karnak Temple

# NOTES

### What to pack

- Hat or scarf, especially in summer
- Comfortable shoes and clothes
- Sunblock & Sunglasses
- Warm clothes in winter

Wheelchair: Accessible

### **TOUR IMAGE**



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