Alexandria Day Tour

Price Starting From: \$0

8 Hours Alexandria Egypt 1 1 Everyday

You should experience the fascinating Alexandria Day Tour to observe Egypt's second-largest city both historically and from a picturesque coastal perspective. Your comfortable journey starts in Cairo or your selected departure point as you travel to the Mediterranean city which stores the renowned Library of Alexandria inside ancient cultural territories. The professional guide will explain Alexandria's historical background starting with ancient Greek and Roman influences along with its contemporary allure.

Your exploration of Kom El Shoqafa Catacombs begins with viewing the necropolis which showcases artistic styles from Pharaonic Greek and Roman periods. Your experience will lead you to Pompey's Pillar which dates back to the Roman period followed by the Citadel of Qaitbay which stands where the famous Lighthouse of Alexandria—the Seven Ancient World Wonder—once stood. Walk along the Corniche while you breathe in salty ocean air while gazing at Mediterranean sea views.

A trip to Alexandria must include a visit to the Bibliotheca Alexandrina which both honors the lost library as well as functioning today as a center for cultural education. Complete your day in Alexandria by enjoying seafood in a local restaurant then return home after spending your time exploring historical sites and admiring the beautiful sea views. History buffs together with cultural seekers and all those who want to discover Alexandria's special atmosphere will find it ideal to visit the city within a day.

Overview Inclusion

You will be picked up from your hotel and driven back to Alexandria. Cairo Top Tours provides all transportation in a private, air-conditioned car. The schedule above includes information on entrance prices for every sightseeing. Private tour leader with expertise in Egyptology. Water in bottles whilst on your day trip in Egypt. All service fees and taxes.

Exclusion

The extremely pricey personal interests are those not being mentioned in the day tour stated above.

Tipping is not included.

The day trip rates are valid for excursions to Egypt during Easter, Christmas, and New Year.

Itinerary

Full Day Tour in Alexandria

The starting point of your trip includes an air-conditioned vehicle for a convenient pickup service from your Alexandria location. Your tour begins with a guide-provided knowledge about Alexandria's historical value as you drive the Desert Road (coming from Cairo) scenic route.

Your tour begins at the Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa since they rank among the Seven Wonders of the Middle Ages. The underground necropolis covers Egyptian Greek Roman architectural styles from the 2nd century AD through its elaborate carvings statues and burial chambers.

The final stop at Alexandrian sites should be Pompey's Pillar which rises 27 meters above the Roman creation dedicated to Emperor Diocletian. Surely worth visiting are the subterranean structures at the Serapeum which once honored Serapis the Greco-Egyptian deity.

The 15th-century fortress known as the Citadel of Qaitbay exists on the site of the ancient Lighthouse of Alexandria which used to be one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Walk the fortress pathways while admiring magnificent sea vistas which will teach you about the port of Alexandria.

Come to have a seafood lunch at a local restaurant with fresh Mediterranean fish calamari and shrimp obtained directly from the ocean. Vegetarian options are also available.

Visitors must visit the Bibliotheca Alexandrina when traveling to Alexandria because this modern library represents the Great Library of Alexandria. You will find expansive reading halls along with unique scientific and historical museums and exhibits with rare manuscripts at this establishment.

After spending a day in Alexandria you will be driven back to your origin point with lasting memories of the city's historical background combined with its cultural attractions and oceanfront appeal.