

Day Trip to The Museum of Civilization and The Egyptian Museum

Price Starting From : \$290

Day Tour

Egypt

Cairo

The Museum of Egyptian Civilization is still expanding its collection, and its rooms and collections are expected to be expanded or modified. This museum, the nearby Grand Egyptian Museum in Giza, and the entire promotional strategy of both have made one thing clear: the country has entered a new phase, where its historical heritage has become a grand spectacle attracting a growing number of travelers from around the world.

In addition to the 6,000 varied ancient pieces housed at the NMEC, the Royal Mummies Hall and rare pieces, including the oldest skeleton ever discovered belonging to a man at the prehistoric site of Nazlet Khater in Middle Egypt, the NMEC is characterized by the diversity of cultural activities it organizes. Enjoy an exceptional day with us

The Egyptian collections from the numerous excavation campaigns of the 19th century were first exhibited at the Boulaq Museum from 1863 to 1889, then in the former royal palace of Giza, whose first curator was the French Egyptologist Auguste Mariette. It was he who decided to build, in the heart of modern Cairo, the neoclassical building in Tahrir Square, erected in 1896 by the French architect Marcel Dourgnon: it was the first true Egyptian museum in Cairo, easily recognizable by its dome. This museum, whose direction was then entrusted to the French Egyptologist Gaston Maspero, opened its doors 6 years later. On two floors, the Egyptian Museum of Cairo presents its collections in around a hundred rooms. In the gardens decorated with ponds and monumental statues, the tutelary figure of French Egyptology: Auguste Mariette, sits enthroned. Learn more through our exciting trips.

Overview

Inclusion

- Traditional dishes are prepared by a skilled chef.
- Everything, including taxes and service fees, is covered.
- Domestic flights between Cairo and Hurghada and vice versa.
- Tickets for entry to the locations listed in your itinerary for Egypt tours.
- During your day tours in Egypt, a qualified tour guide will accompany you for the pick-up and drop-off.

Exclusion

- Any additional fees not covered by your day trip
- Paying employees a gratuity for their services
- The tours will begin an hour early because tourist sites close at 3:00 pm during Ramadan.
- Prices apply to Egypt's Easter excursions as well as its Christmas and New Year's tours.

Itinerary

The Museum of Civilization and The Egyptian Museum From Hurghada in a Day Tour

We will meet you in Hurghada to transfer you to the airport. Upon your arrival at Cairo International Airport, our representative will meet you and transfer you to the Egyptian Museum. The world's largest museum of its sort is the Egyptian Museum in Cairo. It is housed in a neoclassical structure that was built especially to protect the Pharaonic period archaeological remains collected.

You will see in the museum statues of Amenhotep III and Tiye. Two imposing sculptures, over 36 meters high, stand in the center of the museum's first room and welcome visitors. Narmer Palette. A small plaque recounting the unification of Upper and Lower Egypt by King Narmer, marking the beginning of the first dynasty of the Egyptian Empire. It contains a large number of symbols that are still being studied.

You will then be transferred to the National Museum of Civilization after a special meal for you. The Museum of Egyptian Civilization is a major space for the exhibition, conservation, research and dissemination of Egyptian history. It is located in Cairo, more precisely in the El Fustat district, an area south of the capital that is closely linked to the very origins of the city.

The Museum of Egyptian Civilization houses a collection spanning all phases of the city's history. That is, it begins precisely at the dawn of this civilization, in the so-called pre-dynastic and archaic period, up to the recent contemporary period. At the end of your trip, you will be returned to your hotel in Hurghada.