

13 Days 12 Nights Paris – Athens From Paris to the Parthenon

A 13-day, 12-night European and Balkan journey from Paris to Athens through France, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Montenegro, Albania, North Macedonia and Greece.

Duration: 13 Days 12 Nights

Category: Grand Europe Tours

TOUR PROGRAMME

DAY 1

Paris

Arrival at Paris CDG Airport (ETA 12:25). Photo stops at the Eiffel Tower, the Champs-Élysées, Place de la Concorde and the Arc de Triomphe. Visit to the Grand Mosque of Paris. Transfer to the hotel. Overnight: Paris.

DAY 2

Paris → Dijon → Bern

Route: Paris → Dijon → Bern. Scenic drive through Burgundy. Dijon City Tour: the Ducal Palace, Notre-Dame de Dijon and Rue des Forges; free time for lunch in the old town. Continue to Bern, Switzerland (572 km in total). Bern City Tour: Old Town, the Zytglogge Clock Tower and the Bear Park; photo stop at the Federal Palace. Overnight: Bern. Breakfast included.

DAY 3

Bern → Luzern → Vaduz → Münih

Route: Bern → Lucerne → Vaduz → Munich. Lucerne City Tour: the Chapel Bridge, the Lion Monument and the Lake Lucerne promenade. Photo stop at Vaduz Castle in Liechtenstein and free time in the Städtle centre. Continue to Munich (481 km in total); short evening tour: Marienplatz, the New Town Hall and the Frauenkirche. Overnight: Munich. Breakfast included.

DAY 4

Münih → Salzburg → Viyana

Route: Munich → Salzburg → Vienna. Photo stops in Salzburg at Residenzplatz and Mozart's Birthplace. Continue to Vienna (approx. 430 km in total). Overnight: Vienna. Breakfast included.

DAY 5

Viyana → Budapeşte

Route: Vienna → Budapest. Photo stops at Schönbrunn Palace and the Hofburg Palace. Continue to Budapest; photo stop at the Hungarian Parliament and visit to the Grand Mosque. Overnight: Budapest. Breakfast included.

DAY 6

Budapeşte → Belgrad

Route: Budapest → Belgrade. Photo stops at Buda Castle, Fisherman's Bastion and Heroes' Square; visit to the Budapest Grand Mosque. Continue to Belgrade. Overnight: Belgrade. Breakfast included.

DAY 7

Belgrade → Sarajevo

Route: Belgrade → Sarajevo. Photo stops at the Old Palace, National Assembly, New Palace, the Istanbul Gate and the Military Museum. Visit to the Bajrakli Mosque. Photo stop at the Partizan Belgrade stadium. Continue to Sarajevo. Overnight: Sarajevo. Breakfast included.

DAY 8

Sarajevo → Mostar → Blagaj → Trebinje

Route: Sarajevo → Mostar → Blagaj → Trebinje. Photo stops at the Eternal Flame and City Hall; visits to the Gazi Husrev-beg Mosque, Baščaršija Bazaar and the Tunnel of Hope (included); photo stop at the FK Sarajevo stadium. In Mostar, photo stops at the Turkish Square, Koski Mehmed Pasha Mosque and the Mostar Bridge. Visit to the Blagaj Tekke (included). Continue to Trebinje. Overnight: Trebinje. Breakfast included.

DAY 9

Trebinje → Dubrovnik → Kotor → Budva → Shkoder

Route: Trebinje → Dubrovnik → Kotor → Budva → Shkoder. Sightseeing around Dubrovnik. In Kotor, photo stops at the City Walls, Arms Square, the Clock Tower, the Prince's Palace and Orthodox Square. Budva: ancient city remains, the Old Town walls, Poets' Square and the Citadel. Continue to Shkoder, Albania. Overnight: Shkoder. Breakfast included.

DAY 10

Shkoder → Tirana → St. Naum → Ohrid

Route: Shkoder → Tirana → St. Naum → Ohrid. Tirana City Tour: the Clock Tower, the Pyramid of Tirana, the National Martyrs' Cemetery, the Congress Palace and the Et'hem Bey Mosque. Visit to St. Naum Monastery in North Macedonia. Continue to Ohrid. Overnight: Ohrid. Breakfast included.

DAY 11

Ohrid → Kalambaka

Route: Ohrid → Kalambaka. Ohrid City Tour: Çinar Square, the Halveti Hayati Tekke, the Church of St. Sophia, the Amphitheatre and the Kuloğlu Mosque. Scenic drive to Kalambaka, Greece. Overnight: Kalambaka. Breakfast included.

DAY 12

Kalambaka → Athens

Route: Kalambaka → Athens. Meteora monasteries tour. Continue to Athens (approx. 360 km). Overnight: Athens. Breakfast included.

DAY 13

the Acropolis, the Parthenon, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and Ermou Street

Athens City Tour: the Acropolis, the Parthenon, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and Ermou Street; photo stop at the Panathenaic Olympic Stadium. Transfer to Athens International Airport (ETD 18:00). Breakfast included.

PRICING

Price	€2,470

HOTEL PROGRAMME

Day	City	Hotel	Stars
1	Paris		★★★
2	Bern		★★★
3	Munich		★★★
4	Vienna		★★★★
5	Budapest		★★★★
6	Belgrade		★★★★
7	Sarajevo		★★★★
8	Trebinje		★★★★
9	Shkoder		★★★★
10	Ohrid		★★★★
11	Kalambaka		★★★★
12	Athens		★★★★

INCLUDED IN TOUR FARE

✓ Accommodation in the hotels listed in the programme with daily buffet breakfast.

✓ All transfers between cities and hotels (18, 28/30 or 48/54-seat vehicle depending on group size).

✓ Under EU rules coaches may operate max. 12 hours per day; the itinerary may be adjusted for delays beyond our control.

✓ 0.5 L of water per person per day.

✓ English-speaking tour escort from the beginning until the end of the tour.

✓ Local tour guides in the cities specified in the itinerary.

✓ All city taxes, parking, local taxes and highway charges.

✓ Entrance fees: Tunnel of Hope, Blagaj Dervish Lodge.

NOT INCLUDED IN TOUR FARE

- Lunches and dinners.
- Flights / airfare.
- Travel insurance.
- Visa fees, if required.

- Personal expenses: drinks, hotel extras, laundry, telephone and medical expenses.
- Porterage services.
- Gratuities for guide and driver (minimum €3.00 per day for the guide + €2.00 per day for the driver).
- Optional activities and any services not specifically mentioned in the itinerary.