

Price CAD \$6400 /USD \$5500

PLEASE NOTE: PRICES ARE BASED ON DOUBLE OR TRIPLE OCCUPANCY ONLY.

YOUR TOUR INCLUDES:

Air Fare: International airfare | Internal flights between cities as outlined in the itinerary.
Accommodation: Stay in 4-star hotels (Twin-bedded rooms with 2 people sharing)
Meals: Buffet breakfast, Lunches and Dinners
Tour Management: An English-speaking tour manager will accompany you throughout the entire journey to ensure a smooth and enriching experience.
You will have a **local guide** for all the scheduled tours, offering in-depth knowledge of each destination.
Entrance Fees: All entrance fees for the sites and attractions listed in your itinerary are included, so you can enjoy each location without any additional costs.
Transportation: Travel comfortably by deluxe AC/Air-Cooled coach during all surface transport.

Tipping: A tip of USD 140 per person is required for the entire tour. This includes tips for bus drivers, tourist taxes, guides, and restaurants during the tour. The tip is typically calculated per person per day.

YOUR TOUR EXCLUSIONS:

Personal Insurance for Travel Protection: Trip Cancellation & Interruption Insurance | Medical Insurance
Personal Expenses: Any personal items or purchases, such as souvenirs, personal hygiene products, Porterage, laundry, mini-bar, telephone calls, and other incidental personal expenses are not included
Wines & Beverages: Wines and beverages are not included
Any Items Not Specifically Mentioned in Inclusions This refers to anything not listed in the "What your Tour Price Includes" section.
Church Donations: Church donations typically range from \$2 to \$5 (per person).
Visas to countries: Travelers are responsible for obtaining the necessary visas for the countries.
Meals not included in the itinerary (those outside the regular menus provided by the tour). Meals are pre-set with no option for a choice of menu. Special dietary requests may be accommodated with prior notice.
Change of Travel Dates: Any deviation from the original group travel dates may result in additional airfare and taxes.
ETIAS European Travel Authorization for visitors is not included (Cost Euro 7 for 3 years)
Airport Transfers for Land-Only Passengers (If a traveler is not taking a group flight and is arriving by land only, they are responsible for arranging their own airport transfer, either by taxi or bus. However, if they arrive at the same time as the rest of the group, transfers may be arranged for them)
Payment methods : You can pay by Cheque / E-transfer / Credit card payments will incur an additional service fee of 2.5% of the tour price.
Baggage Charges Not Included in Trip Cost:
Airline baggage charges are not included in the trip cost. We will advise you accordingly.
Any charges for baggage exceeding weight limits or size limits set by airlines will be the responsibility of the traveler.

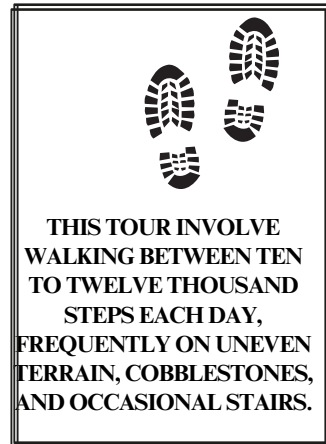
BOOKINGS AND DEPOSITS - You must complete and sign the official Royale Orchid Booking form given below and read terms and conditions of the tour below. Please enclose an initial non-refundable- Non- Transferable deposit of \$500 per person (adult / child) towards the cost of the tour. All cheques must be payable to Royale Orchid Tours and Holidays upon which you will receive an official receipt. Your receipt is written confirmation of your tour.

BALANCE PAYMENTS - Balance payments towards the costs of the tour must reach us at least 120 days prior to departure of the tour Date.

AMENDMENTS - A transfer from one tour to another will be treated as a cancellation from a tour and a fresh booking of another. Therefore, cancellation rules will apply. Tour Itinerary/ Hotel/ Airlines/ Flights/ routes are subject to change without prior information.

CANCELLATION - All services such as airline seats / hotel accommodation / ground transportation are pre-booked well in advance. We are liable to pay penalties to all our suppliers/ vendors if these services are released within the mentioned period.
If cancellation is made:

Deposit Non-Refundable & Non-Transferable - \$500
120-90 days - 25% retained and remainder refunded less Deposit
91-60 days - 50% retained and remainder refunded less Deposit
60 days or less - - 100% retained of your tour price



PERU



DAY 1 - LIMA

Lima, the capital of Peru, is a vibrant city known for its rich history, diverse culture, and delicious cuisine. Located along the Pacific coast, it features a mix of colonial architecture and modern development. Lima is also famous for its gastronomy, often regarded as one of the best food capitals in the world. The key attractions include: Plaza Mayor, Larco Museum, Miraflores, Barranco.



DAY 2 - HALF-DAY TOUR IN LIMA TO ALIAGA HOUSE, CATHEDRAL AND LARCO MUSEUM

Your guide will meet you at your hotel to start your tour of the Historic Center of Lima. The first stop will be the Aliaga House, a colonial mansion with more than 500 years of history, known as the oldest house in the Americas. Next, you'll explore the Plaza Mayor, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, where you can see the impressive Lima Cathedral. The tour will conclude at the Larco Museum in the charming district of Pueblo Libre, which features an extensive collection of pre-Hispanic gold and silver artifacts, along with a display of erotic art.



DAY 3 - LIMA - ICA - 2-day, 1-night tour from Lima to Paracas with an overflight of the Nazca Lines and Ballestas Islands

At the scheduled time, you will depart from Lima, traveling south to the Peruvian coast towards Paracas, with an estimated journey of about three and a half hours. Your first stop will be Pisco Airport, where you'll take a one-and-a-half-hour flight over the desert to see the intriguing Nazca Lines. From the air, you'll be able to spot large figures like a monkey, a spider, and a condor, as you try to make sense of their mysterious designs. Weather and airspace permitting, you may also have the opportunity to fly over the recent discoveries in Palpa. After your flight, a transfer will take you to your hotel in Paracas, where you can unwind and enjoy the rest of the afternoon at your own pace.



DAY 4 - ICA - LIMA

In the early morning, you'll make your way to El Chaco pier to start a one-and-a-half-hour boat tour of the Ballestas Islands. This natural reserve is famous for its breathtaking geological formations, diverse wildlife, and traces of pre-Inca cultures.

The Ballestas Islands are inhabited by a range of species, including blue-footed booby, pelicans, sea lions, Humboldt penguins, and other intriguing wildlife. During the tour, you'll also spot a mysterious linear drawing in the desert sand called the Candelabro. After the tour, you'll have some free time in Paracas before making the three-and-a-half-hour drive back to Lima.



DAY 5 - LIMA - AREQUIPA

Our transportation service and a representative will pick you up from your chosen hotel to take you to Jorge Chávez International Airport in Lima. Take domestic flight from LIM to AQP. Once you arrive at Arequipa Airport, our transportation service and a representative will escort you to your selected hotel.



HALF-DAY TOUR IN AREQUIPA TO SANTA CATALINA MONASTERY

Our guide and transportation will pick you up from your hotel and take you to the Carmen Alto viewpoint, where you can enjoy views of the Chili River and the Misti and Chanchani volcanoes.

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Next, you'll visit the Yanahuara viewpoint to appreciate the urban landscape and see the white volcanic stone buildings known as sillar. The tour will then continue to Plaza de Armas, a key urban gathering spot. Finally, you'll explore the Convent of Santa Catalina, which features beautiful plazas, cloisters, and winding streets. Please note the dress code for visiting churches: pants, long shorts, or skirts that cover the knees are required; otherwise, entry will not be allowed.

DAY 6 - AREQUIPA - COLCA 2-day, 1-night tour from Arequipa to Colca, ending in Puno

The tour begins with an exploration of the Colca Valley, passing through the district of Yura. You'll then cross the Pampas Cañahuas Reserve, home to a large population of vicuñas, one of Peru's four native Andean camelids. Continuing on, you'll travel through the Pampas de Viscachani and Tocra, circling the crater of the Chucura volcano before reaching the Andes viewpoint at Patapampa. Finally, you'll arrive in the town of Chivay for lunch, followed by a transfer to your hotel in the Colca Valley, where you can enjoy the rest of the afternoon at your leisure.



DAY 7 - COLCA - PUNO

Today, you'll visit the Cruz del Cóndor viewpoint, where you may witness the magnificent sight of condors soaring over the canyon. After that, you'll descend to the valley floor to explore charming rural villages along the Colca River, including Pinchollo, Maca, Achoma, and Yanque. You'll also stop at the Antahuilque and Choquetico viewpoints for more stunning views of the majestic valley. On the return journey to Chivay, you'll take a detour through Patahuasi on your way to Puno, allowing you to admire the high plains, unique rock formations, and impressive lagoons. After approximately six hours of travel, you'll arrive in Puno around 6:00 PM and be transferred to your hotel.



DAY 8 - PUNO- Full-day tour in Puno to Uros and Taquile

The Uros are an ancestral community residing on a series of artificial islands made from the totora plant, a reed that grows in Lake Titicaca. During this full-day semi-private tour, you'll be transferred to the dock in Puno, where a boat will take you to the enchanting Islands of Uros. After an hour-and-a-half of exploration, the journey continues to Taquile Island, where you'll participate in an informative session about the island. Following this, you'll enjoy a delicious lunch before returning to Puno.



DAY 9 - PUNO - CUSCO - Full-day tour from Puno to Cusco with Pukara, Raqchi, and Andahuaylillas

Prepare for a journey to Cusco, the heart of the Inca Empire, as you explore a route that winds through breathtaking Andean landscapes, featuring picturesque villages and native wildlife. During the tour, you'll stop at the archaeological site of Pucará, which dates back to 200 B.C. - 300 A.D. Next, you'll make a brief stop at La Raya, the highest point on the route at 4,313 meters above sea level, followed by a delightful lunch. As you continue your journey, you'll visit the town of Raqchi, known for its Temple of Wiracocha. You'll also explore the charming town of Andahuaylillas, famous for its church, often referred to as the Sistine Chapel of America due to its stunning artworks. Finally, you'll arrive at your hotel in Cusco, where you'll receive assistance with your check-in.



DAY 10 - CUSCO - Half-day tour in Cusco to Coricancha, Cathedral, Sacsayhuaman, Qenqo, Puca Pucara, and Tambomachay

Discover the enchanting and historic city of Cusco, once the capital of the Inca Empire. Your tour begins at the Santo Domingo Convent, which was built on the foundations of the Coricancha temple. Next, you'll visit the impressive Cathedral Basilica of the Virgin of the Assumption, the main church in town, renowned for its extensive collection of colonial artworks, including stunning golden altarpieces, paintings from the famous Cusco School, and religious sculptures. You'll also explore the ancient hills of Cusco, visiting the Sacsayhuaman Fortress, the Qenqo archaeological complex, and the Puca Pucara military site. The tour concludes a visit to Tambomachay, known as the Inca spa, before returning to your hotel.

DAY 11 - CUSCO - Full-day tour to Chinchero, Living Museum of Yucay and Ollantaytambo from Cusco

Begin your tour today by traveling to the charming village of Chinchero. You'll start by exploring the remarkable agricultural terraces and the 17th-century church, which was built on the site of an ancient Inca palace and is one of Peru's earliest Catholic structures. Along the way, you'll make a stop at a lookout point to take in the stunning landscapes of the Sacred Valley. Next, you'll visit the Living Museum of Yucay, where you can observe the creation of textiles, adobe crafts, ceramics, and silverware using ancient Inca techniques. You'll enjoy a delightful traditional lunch in the Sacred Valley. After lunch, you'll head to the impressive Ollantaytambo Fortress, a significant ceremonial center known for its stunning agricultural terraces that cascade down the surrounding mountains. After concluding this full-day tour, you'll return to your hotel to relax and soak in the revitalizing Incan spirit. Please note that visits to the Chinchero market are included on Sundays.

DAY 12 - CUSCO - MACHUPICCHU - CUSCO Tour to Machu Picchu with a site guide

Our transportation and a representative pick you up from the selected hotel in Cusco and transfer you to Ollantaytambo station to enjoy a full-day tour of Machu Picchu. At the end of the day, upon your return to Ollantaytambo station, you are transferred back to the hotel in Cusco. Board the Inca Rail's Voyager train at Ollantaytambo station for a scenic ride to Aguas Calientes (Machu Picchu Town), where you will receive assistance upon arrival. Your return journey to Ollantaytambo will also be on the 360° train, with each trip lasting about one and a half hours, subject to availability.

Aguas Calientes, situated on the slopes of Machu Picchu, boasts a vibrant craft market, a variety of restaurants, and lodging options. Just a 25-minute bus ride away is Machu Picchu, an architectural and engineering marvel thought to have served as a sanctuary and retreat for the Inca Pachacutec. Recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World, Machu Picchu—meaning "Old Mountain"—enchants visitors with its historical significance and natural beauty. After your visit, you'll return by bus to Aguas Calientes, where you can start your journey back to Cusco. Enjoy a delicious set lunch menu at Café Inkaterra, featuring stunning views of the Vilcanota River. The restaurant is celebrated for its unique blend of Andean cuisine and contemporary trends, offering a fusion-style meal with distinctive flavors.

DAY 13 - CUSCO

Our transportation service and a representative will pick you up from your chosen hotel and take you to Alejandro Velasco Astete International Airport in Cusco. Please note that your domestic flight from CUS to Lima .