

Consider the legacies of the Renaissance and Enlightenment in the cities where the movements took root. In Florence and Rome, compare Da Vinci, Michelangelo, and Galileo's critical roles during the Renaissance, or "rebirth," of art, science, and culture. And in Paris, experience the cafe culture that fostered the free exchange of ideas for Enlightenment thinkers like Voltaire and Rousseau.

# YOUR EXPERIENCE INCLUDES:



Full-time Tour Director



**Sightseeing:** 4 sightseeing tour led by expert, licensed local guides



**Entrances:** Pisa Baptistry; Pisa Cathedral; Colosseum; Roman Forum; Sistine Chapel; St. Peter's Basilica; Seine River cruise; Louvre; Montparnasse Tower



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As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your Tour Director in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our personalized learning experience, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. Expert local guides will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

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-MELISSA, TRAVELER





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# What you'll experience on your tour

## Day 1: Fly to Italy

### Day 2: Pisa | Florence

- Arrive in Milan and meet your Tour Director at the airport.
- Travel to Pisa.
- Visit Pisa Baptistry.
- Visit Pisa Cathedral.
- Travel to Florence.

## Day 3: Florence

- Go on an expert-led sightseeing tour of Florence, the birthplace of the Italian language, opera, and the Renaissance, and where works of art like Michelangelo's statue of *David* and Botticelli's *The Birth of Venus* still reside today. As you stroll through the city, pass by classical statues at the Piazza della Signoria. See the domed cap of the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, better known as the Duomo, which dominates the skyline. Opposite the Duomo, look for the bronzed doors of Ghiberti's Gates of Paradise at the Baptistry. Walk across the Ponte Vecchio, a Medieval bridge where many of Florence's famed leather and gold artisans keep shop.

#### Day 4: Rome

- Travel to Rome, a city that integrates its past into the present better than any other.
- Take an expertly-guided tour of Rome.
- Visit the Colosseum, the world's most famous arena, where you can almost hear the stamping feet of the crowds gathered for gladiatorial combat, the world's most famous arena, where you can almost hear the stamping feet of the crowds gathered for gladiatorial combat
- Visit the Roman Forum, the former heart of the Roman Empire, where Julius Caesar gave many of his powerful political speeches.

#### Day 5: Rome

- Take an expert-led sightseeing tour of Vatican City.
- Visit the Sistine Chapel, where you'll marvel at Michelangelo's breathtaking ceiling.
- Visit St. Peter's Basilica.
- Take a self-guided walking tour through Trevi Fountain, the Pantheon, Piazza Navona, and the Spanish Steps.

## Day 6: Rome | Paris

- Fly to Paris, the City of Light.
- Catch a glimpse of Notre-Dame Cathedral.

### Day 7: Paris

- Take an expert-led tour of Paris including the Place de la Concorde, Champs-Élysées, Arc de Triomphe, and Eiffel Tower.
- Take an expert-led tour of Paris.
- Time to see more of Paris or

#### • visit Versailles.

- Take a walking tour of Paris's Latin Quarter.
- Enjoy a Seine River cruise.

#### Day 8: Paris

- Visit the Louvre.
- Enjoy incredible views of the city from the top of Montparnasse Tower.

#### Day 9: Depart for home

#### **9** 2-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

#### Day 9-10: Paris | French Riviera

- Travel by TGV train to Nice.
- Take a walking tour of Nice: Vieille Ville;
   Promenade des Anglais.

#### Day 11: French Riviera

- Visit the principality of Monaco.
- Tour a French perfume factory in Eze.

# Day 11: Depart for home

# TOP THREE THINGS I WILL SEE, DO, TRY OR EXPLORE

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