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12 or 15 Days | Lisbon | Algarve | Costa del Sol region | Granada | Valencia | Barcelona | extension to Provence & French Riviera

Geographically, culturally, and linguistically linked—yet distinct in their traditions and histories—Spain and Portugal make fascinating neighbors. In the landmarks of Lisbon, Evora, and Algarve, Portugal's personality comes into focus. In Spain, a wide range of influences are revealed, from the Andalusian cities of Seville and Granada to the Catalan capital of Barcelona.

EVERYTHING YOU GET:



Full-time Tour Director



Sightseeing: 5 sightseeing tours led by expert, licensed local guides; 4 walking tours led by your Tour Director (7 with extension)



Entrances: Mosteiro dos Jerónimos; Fortaleza de Sagres; Seville Cathedral; Alhambra; "City Challenge" scavenger hunt; Park Güell; Chapel of Bones; with extension: perfume factory



Personalized learning guide: Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.



All of the details are covered: Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; 10 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (13 with extension); European breakfast and dinner daily



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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.

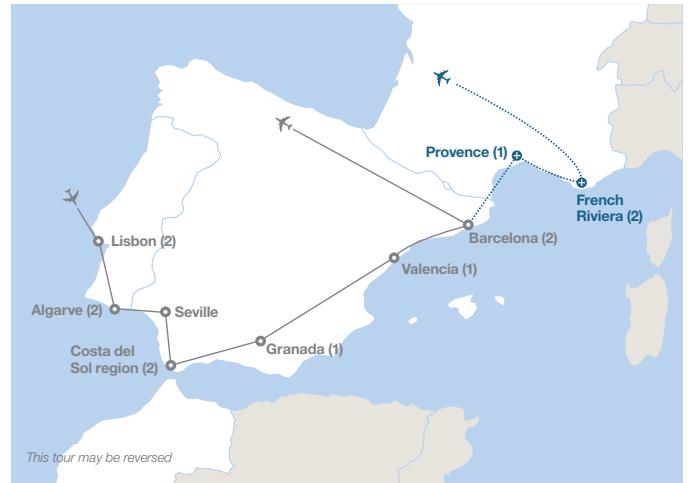
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Algarve



Plaza de España in Seville

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What you'll experience on your tour

Day 1: Fly overnight to Portugal

Day 2: Lisbon

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in Lisbon. During your stay, you'll experience Old-World atmosphere as you make your way through the labyrinth of winding streets in Lisbon's Alfama district. Discover the hidden balconies, archways, terraces, and courtyards of this hillside medieval quarter as you explore Lisbon's former center of Moorish aristocracy. See where Portugal's early kings resided at the Castelo de São Jorge, built to overlook the city and Tagus River. Recall the Age of Discovery at the Monument to Discoveries and the Belém Tower.
- Take a walking tour of Lisbon.
- Enjoy a pastéis de nata treat.

Day 3: Lisbon

- Take an expert-led tour of Lisbon.
- During a photo stop, enjoy a panoramic view of Lisbon's red-tiled roofs.
- Visit the Mosteiro dos Jerónimos.
- Time to see more of Lisbon or
 - ➦ visit Sintra and Cascais.
 - ➦ attend a Lisbon Fado Evening.

Day 4: Lisbon | Evora | Algarve

- Travel to Evora.
- Take an expert-led tour of Evora.
- Visit the Chapel of Bones.
- Continue on to the Algarve.

Day 5: Algarve

- Take a day trip to Sagres and see the Cape St. Vincent, a prominent headland located nearby known for its dramatic cliffs.
- Visit the Fortaleza de Sagres, a historical fort with a rich history dating back to the 15th century.
- Enjoy time on the beach.

Day 6: Algarve | Seville | Costa del Sol region

- Travel to Seville, the heartbeat of Andalusian culture. During your stay, follow narrow, twisting alleys through the Barrio de Santa Cruz, where picturesque whitewashed houses, flower-filled patios, and tiled benches are pleasant reminders of an unhurried lifestyle. Pass by Maria Louisa Park to admire the mosaics and fountains of Plaza de España, centerpiece of the 1929 Ibero-American Fair. Visit the grave of Christopher Columbus inside Seville's Cathedral. And imagine the spectacle of a traditional Spanish bullfight at the Plaza de Toros, celebrated for its Baroque architecture and historical significance.
- Take an expert-led tour of Seville.
- Visit the Seville Cathedral.
- Continue on to Costa del Sol region.

Day 7: Costa del Sol region

- Explore the charming, seaside region of Costa del Sol or
 - ➦ visit Gibraltar.

Day 8: Costa del Sol region | Granada

- Travel to Granada.
- Take an expert-led tour of Granada.
- Learn more about the vibrant city with a "City Challenge" scavenger hunt.
- Visit the Alhambra, widely recognized as the world's premier example of Moorish architecture—and Granada's crowning jewel. Built as an all-in-one *alcazaba* (fortress), *alcazar* (palace) and small *medina* (city), the Alhambra was home to the last of the Nasrid Sultans. It was elaborately embellished in the 14th century, and being surrounded by lush green trees, earned the nickname "a pearl set in emeralds" by Moorish poets. See the exotic mosaics, fountains, latticed windows, arabesques, and ornamented courtyards that made this vast stronghold worthy of royal occupancy. It was here that King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella agreed to finance the historic voyage of Christopher Columbus.

Day 9: Granada | Valencia

- Travel to Valencia.
- Take a walking tour of Valencia.

Day 10: Valencia | Barcelona

- Travel to Barcelona, an art lover's dream city and the place where masters like Miró, Picasso, and Dalí flourished. During your stay you'll explore open-air plazas dotted with avant-garde gems, like the Plaza de Catalunya and Plaza España. Snap photos of the twisting spires of La Sagrada Família and admire the architectural wonders of Casa Batlló and Casa Milà. These iconic buildings, designed by Antoni Gaudí, showcase his unique style and innovative designs. Flower vendors and street performers greet you on your walking tour of the tree-lined Las Ramblas.

Day 11: Barcelona

- Take an expert-led tour of Barcelona.
- Marvel at the landscaped greenery and playful Modernist mosaics on your visit to Park Güell.
- Take a walking tour of Barcelona.
- More time to explore Barcelona or
 - ➦ attend a Barcelona Flamenco evening.

Day 12: Depart for home

➦ 3-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

Day 12: Provence

- Take a tour of Montpellier.
- Continue on to Provence.

Days 13-14: Provence | St. Tropez | French Riviera

- Travel via St. Tropez to the French Riviera.
- Visit the principality of Monaco.
- Tour a French perfume factory in Eze.
- Take a walking tour of Nice.

Day 15: Depart for home

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

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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