



TRAVELLING TO NEW PLACES WITH CONFIDENCE

Expo 2021 Dubai Vacation

9-Day, 7-Night Journey

Dubai, Abu Dhabi

The amazing Expo 2021 Dubai beckons to everyone from all over the world. On this journey, you will have multiple days of access to the World Fair, with the remaining time to explore Dubai and Abu Dhabi and their wonderful culture and unique attractions. Visitors to Dubai will be amazed at the unbelievably tall and majestic buildings that rise dominantly out of the desert sands and gleam beside the sparkling blue Persian Gulf. There's a significant contrast of old and new that still exists here, despite the city's rapid modernization. The locals here pride themselves on their past and carried down traditions. It's one of the many things that make this place remarkable!

"Connecting Minds, Creating the Future" sums up Expo 2021 Dubai. Explore the world in one place, see 192 country pavilions featuring stories from every corner of the globe. Visit your favorite countries and discover new places in the expo grounds covering 1.7 square miles.

Trip Overview

- ▶ Desert Safari
- ▶ Abu Dhabi City Tour
- ▶ Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque
- ▶ Louvre Abu Dhabi
- ▶ Dubai City Tour
- ▶ Jumeirah Palm
- ▶ Al Bastakiya Historical Neighborhood
- ▶ Gold Souk (Gold Market)
- ▶ Spice Souk (Spice Market)
- ▶ Burj Khalifa (Observation Deck)
- ▶ Fountain Show
- ▶ The Dubai Mall
- ▶ Three-Day Access to Expo

Why You'll Love This Tour



CONNECTING MINDS, CREATING THE FUTURE

Explore the world with 192 country pavilions in one place. Glimpse the future of travel with the Hyperloop and become part of a mission to the planet Mars. Pack in lots of exciting shows and adventures in your visit at the fair. (*photo courtesy of Dubai Tourism)



UNIQUE ARCHITECTURE

Dubai is known worldwide for its amazing architecture. It's hard to believe that only four decades ago, the city did not have a single skyscraper. Now, the Dubai skyline is full of unique skyscrapers designed by some of the best architects in the world. Don't miss the Dancing Dubai Fountains and the sprawling views from the tallest building in the world, the Burj Khalifa.



THE GOLD SOUK

A trip to Dubai isn't complete without visiting the famous Gold Souk, which is one of the oldest and most fascinating traditional market for gold jewelry and gemstones. It is one of the most popular tourist destinations in the emirates, with the city upholding its moniker "the City of Gold".

Inclusions

- ▶ Airfare & Private Airport Transfers
- ▶ Hotel Accommodations
- ▶ Daily Breakfast & Selected Meals
(See tour plan for details)
- ▶ English-speaking Local Guide
- ▶ Entrance Fees to Monuments and Attractions per Itinerary
- ▶ 3-Day Pass to Dubai Expo (No Transfer)

Exclusions

- ▶ Tourism Fee of AED 15 per room per night paid directly to the hotel
- ▶ Travel Insurance
- ▶ Medical Expenses
- ▶ Visa Fee (Free, On Arrival)
- ▶ Gratuity
- ▶ Personal Expenses

Nearby Airport

Dubai - Dubai International Airport (DXB)

Itinerary

(B)-Breakfast, (L)-Lunch, (D)-Dinner

SUNDAY DAY 1: N. AMERICA AIRPORT - DUBAI (DXB)

Depart from your North America airport to fly to Dubai. Night on board the aircraft.

*If your flight departs in the early morning hours, you must arrive at the airport the night before the indicated departure day i.e. early Friday morning means Thursday night!

MONDAY DAY 2: ARRIVE DUBAI, UAE

Upon arrival into **Dubai**, you'll be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is free.

*Hotel check-in time is generally 4 pm or later. If your flight arrives in the early morning (e.g. midnight or 7 am) we suggest you add a pre-tour hotel night during booking for a well-deserved rest before starting your tour.

TUESDAY DAY 3: DUBAI | FREE MORNING, AFTERNOON DESERT SAFARI (B, D)

This morning is free.

Around mid-afternoon, transfer to a traditional Arabian **desert campsite**. Go on a desert sand dune bashing experience through the golden dunes with photo stops. Enjoy a camel ride, get a henna tattoo and falconry photo op. Watch the picturesque desert sunset, traditional tannora and belly dance performances, and cap it all off with a barbecue buffet under the starry night sky. Return to your hotel in the late evening.

WEDNESDAY DAY 4: DUBAI | ABU DHABI CITY TOUR (B)

Breakfast at the hotel.

Proceed for a full day excursion to explore the splendid city of **Abu Dhabi**, the federal capital of the UAE. Drive along **Abu Dhabi Corniche**. Next stop is the **Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque**, one of the largest mosques in the world. It features 82 domes, more than 1,000 columns, 24-carat-gold gilded chandeliers and the world's largest hand-knotted carpet. Visit **Louvre Abu Dhabi**, explore the museum galleries and the amazing architecture of this museum.

Please note the following dress code for **Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque**:



- Loose, long trousers or skirts reaching ankles and long sleeves reaching wrists. Shoulders must be covered. No shorts, tight or transparent clothing and no visible tattoos. Women must cover their heads with a scarf.

THURSDAY DAY 5: DUBAI | DUBAI CITY TOUR (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Full day Dubai city tour.

Drive to **Palm Jumeirah** (a palm shaped island reclaimed from the sea) that is home to the magnificent Atlantis, The Palm hotel and resort. Stop at **Jumeirah district** for a photo-stop at the iconic sail-shaped **Burj Al Arab hotel**. Visit **Al Bastakiya**, the historic district in Dubai. Shop in the most famous shopping landmark of Dubai – the **Gold Souk**. Visit **spice souk** where the fragrances of the orient come together. Step out onto the highest outdoor observation deck in the world at the **Burj Khalifa** (world’s tallest building) on the 124th floor, soaring at 555 meters (1,800 ft) high. Enjoy the **Fountain Show** at the Dubai Mall. Later visit **Dubai Mall**.

FRIDAY DAY 6: DUBAI EXPO (B)

After breakfast, you take public transport to the Dubai Expo site.

Explore on your own to visit your favorite countries at the 192 pavilions. Discover new places and inventions you’ve never considered. We recommend you spend at least one evening at the expo, enjoy many free/paid performances. Taste dishes from every corner of the world. Choose from street food, haute cuisine, family friendly meals, sustainable dining and unique culinary journeys.

Return to hotel via public transport.

Note: Proof of vaccination or a negative COVID-19 PCR test within 72 hours is required.

SATURDAY DAY 7: DUBAI EXPO (B)

Continue to explore this Dubai Expo on your own.

SUNDAY DAY 8: DUBAI EXPO (B)

Continue to explore this Dubai Expo on your own.

MONDAY DAY 9: DUBAI DEPARTURE

Check out. Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Hotels

We carefully handpick our hotels to ensure they provide you with the best comfort and experience. For Private Tours, you may request a specific hotel as one of the customizable options.

