



PORTUGAL

BEST OF LISBON & PORTO (TOUR CODE: 12383)

STARTS AND ENDS

Lisbon to
Porto

TRAVEL PERIODS

01 Nov 25 - 31 Oct 26

EXPERIENCE

Cultural

TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

If you're dreaming about your next trip to Europe, come and discover Lisbon, a historical city full of stories to tell and the picturesque town of Porto!

Highlights

- Admire the **Monastery of the Hieronymites & Belém Tower**, a UNESCO World Heritage
- **Take a tram ride**, a common means of transport for Lisbonites, but also one of the best ways to travel through the historic neighbourhoods.
- Do not miss the opportunity to stroll through the **Galeria de Paris** and the adjacent streets, close to the Torre dos Clérigos
- Discover the **Ribeira District in Porto**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site

Arrive in Lisbon, the magnificent capital of Portugal, and find out why it is one of the greatest cities in the world. Enjoy a sightseeing tour around the ancient part of the city, discovering emblematic landmarks like Torre de Belém and Jerónimos Monastery.

Travel via train to Porto, a UNESCO World Heritage city built on the hills, boasting a growing architecture scene. Discover the highlights of the city and don't forget to taste its world-famous port wine.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights in Lisbon at Lisboa Plaza Hotel - 4* or similar
- 3 nights in Porto at Vila Gale Porto - 4* or similar
- Highspeed train from Lisbon to Porto (2nd class tickets)
- Arrival and departure transfers
- Daily Buffet Breakfast
- Regular sightseeing Lisbon tour with entrances to Hieronymites Monastery & Coach Museum
- Regular sightseeing Porto tour

ITINERARY

Day **1**

Lisbon

Welcome to the Capital city of Portugal. Upon arrival, private transfer by luxury car with an English-speaking driver.

Overnight stay in Lisbon at **Lisboa Plaza Hotel** or similar.



Day **2**

Lisbon

Buffet breakfast at the hotel.

Enjoy a **regular tour of Lisbon** to discover the highlights of Lisbon: discover our magnificent city. Unveil the history and traditions taking you to the *Monuments of the Portuguese Discoverers*, the typical quarter and emblematic city museum. Discover the major sights that the city has to offer: *Jerónimos Monastery*, *Tower of Belem*, *Monument of the Discoveries*, *Coach Museum*, *Alfama & Rossio*.

Overnight stay in Lisbon at **Lisboa Plaza Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



Day **3**

Lisbon

Buffet breakfast at your hotel.

Free day at leisure to explore the city on your own.

Overnight stay in Lisbon at **Lisboa Plaza Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



Lisbon Porto

After breakfast, take a private transfer to Lisbon train station to board your train to Porto.

In only 3 hours you will be in the splendid Porto where a representative will meet you at the train station and escort you to your hotel.

Overnight stay in Porto in **Vila Gale Porto** or similar.

Breakfast



Porto

After breakfast, enjoy a **regular tour of Porto** to discover the highlights.

When reaching the D. Luis bridge from the south and you start to catch a glimpse of Porto, in the words of a Portuguese author, you see “a cascade built on a mountainside surrounded by fog”. It is the most beautiful cascade you’ll ever see, and so much more. Come and discover Porto, the country’s northern capital and one of the oldest cities in Europe. Enjoy a unique and unforgettable tour through the *Sé quarter, the heart of old Porto, with medieval roots*. This memorable trip ends at the famous **Porto wine cellars**, in the center of Vila Nova de Gaia, with an ambience which will take you on a journey to the past.

Overnight stay in Porto in **Vila Gale Porto** or similar.

Breakfast



Day **6**

Porto

Buffet breakfast at your hotel.

Free day at leisure to explore the city on your own.

Overnight stay in Porto in **Vila Gale Porto** or similar.

Breakfast



Day **7**

Porto Porto Airport

After breakfast, enjoy a private transfer from the hotel to the International airport. Proceed onwards to your next destination.

Breakfast

OPTIONAL EXTRAS

Day 3: Half Day Tour of Sintra, Cabo de Roca, Cascais

Depart at 14.30hours and enjoy a half day in this picturesque region known for its historic architecture, lush landscapes, and romantic atmosphere. Sintra is famous for its stunning palaces and castles. Let yourself be surprised by the Sintra National Palace located in the center of the village of Sintra, this Palace is known for its historical, architectural and artistic value because it keeps its essence well preserved until today. The National Palace of Sintra was home to the Portuguese Royal Family until 1910.

Then, you will have some fre time to explore the historical center of Sintra classified as World Heritage with its streets full of stories.

The tour continues to mainland Europe's western most point, **Cabo da Roca**. Visit Cabo da Roca (from March to October) or Boca do Inferno (from November to February), a fantastic natural cliff formation in the sea. Get to know Guincho beach, very popular with water sports fans. Discover **Cascais**, a former fishing village that became an aristocratic retreat, which stands out for its beautiful beaches, coastal life and colorful streets. On the way back to Lisbon, get to know Estoril through a panoramic view and fall in love with the breathtaking view of the Atlantic coast.

Included :

- Bus, local guide, ticket to Pena Palace. Cabo da Roca.



5 hours

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Day 3: Shared Market Tour & Fish Cooking Class (lunch)

Market Tour & Fish Cooking Class (lunch): Immerse yourself in the essence of Portuguese culinary traditions with a market tour followed by a fish cooking class. This unique experience provides an engaging combination of exploration and hands-on cooking, emphasizing fresh fish recipes. The adventure commences as we guide you through vibrant local markets, where you will have the opportunity to select the freshest, locally-sourced ingredients, particularly a variety of fresh fish. After gathering these culinary gems, you will proceed to the charming cooking studio, where expert chefs will reveal the intricacies of Portuguese cuisine. You will learn to prepare an assortment of iconic fish dishes, alongside complementary savory and sweet recipes, while gaining insights into the historical and cultural significance of each dish. Whether you are an

experienced cook or a novice, the class is tailored to your skill level, ensuring that everyone can fully engage and enjoy the experience. Following the cooking session, you will have the pleasure of tasting the fish dishes you have created, all accompanied by specially selected Portuguese wines.

Included :

- Shared cooking class



3 hours

Operates on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

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Day 5: Full Day Private Tour Braga & Guimaraes

Discover Portugal's most historic cities on a day trip from Porto. Braga & Guimaraes are one of Portugal's oldest cities and they are steeped in history.

Included:

- Car with English speaking driver, local guide per 8 hours, Entrance fes to Braga Cathedral.



8 hours

Operates on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

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ACCOMMODATION

Lisboa Plaza Hotel

Lisbon

Lisboa Plaza Hotel – Charm and Character Family Boutique Hotel In the historic centre of Lisbon. Lisbon Plaza Hotel is situated alongside the exclusive Avenide de Libertade and is a place of shelter right in the heart of the city. Inaugurated in April 1954, the Lisbon Plaza Hotel has always been in the hands of the same family. The informal atmosphere makes you feel that you're in the company of friends.

The rooms have been fully refurbished in 2015 in our traditional style. Designed to be a place of tradition in the hustle and bustle of Lisbon of the 1950's, the Plaza reflects the city's character.



Hotel Vila Galé Porto

Porto

Vila Galé Porto is centrally located, a 10-minute walk from Rua de Santa Catarina and 100 metres from Campo 24 de Agosto metro. Built in 1999 and renovated in 2015, it features cinema-inspired décor, rooms for all needs, two restaurants, bars, event spaces, and a rooftop spa with pool, jacuzzi, gym, and city views. Guests can easily explore the Ribeira, Port Wine Cellars, Casa da Música, Serralves Museum, and landmarks like Aliados, Sé Cathedral, Clérigos Tower, and Palácio da Bolsa.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
Portuguese	EURO

- We work with a selection of hotels in each location. All bookings are subject to availability, which means we may need to offer an alternative hotel of equivalent or better quality. Our team will confirm your specific hotels upon confirmation and payment of deposit.

Blackout dates may apply during festive season.

Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package