



SPAIN

HIGHLIGHTS OF SPAIN WITH MEDITERRANEAN CRUISE

(TOUR CODE: 15833)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
Madrid to Rome	01 May 26 - 31 Oct 26	Cruising Cultural Rail	Cruise

From Madrid to Rome, experience the ultimate 13-day journey, combining independent rail adventures in Spain with a vibrant Mediterranean cruise aboard Norwegian Epic.

Highlights

- Aboard the **Norwegian Epic**, enjoy world-class onboard amenities like the adults-only Vibe Beach Club, exhilarating waterslides and Aqua Park, plus exclusive luxuries in The Haven enclave and high-energy entertainment—including Broadway-style shows and the unique Skyy Vodka Ice Bar.
- Explore the capital's iconic landmarks, from the Royal Palace and Prado Museum to the historic Austrias quarter
- Discover Seville with a scenic boat cruise along the Guadalquivir River
- Enjoy a private Barcelona's tour including the Sagrada Familia, Gothic Quarter & beyond
- Explore Messina, Salerno, and Rome, enjoying historic landmarks, vibrant streets, and unforgettable local cuisine

Discover the vibrant heart of Spain and the sparkling Mediterranean on this unforgettable journey. Begin with the bustling streets, royal palaces, and rich heritage of Madrid, Seville, and Barcelona, enjoying private tours and high-speed train transfers. Then, set sail aboard Norwegian Cruise Epic from Barcelona to explore the French Riviera, Provence, and the artistic treasures of Florence and Pisa. Relax at sea and savour spectacular coastal cities, including Messina, Salerno, and Rome, blending cultural exploration and leisure of a Mediterranean cruise.

INCLUSIONS

- 7 nights onboard Norwegian Epic in a Balcony Stateroom
- 1 night in Seville at Melia Lebreros - 4* or similar
- 2 nights in Barcelona at Derby Hotel - 4* or similar
- 2 nights in Madrid at Gran Hotel Conde Duque - 4* or similar
- Train between Madrid- Seville-Barcelona (in 2nd class)
- Private transfers as per itinerary
- Daily breakfast at the hotel
- All Meals while onboard Norwegian Cruise Line
- Free at Sea™ Beverage Package
- Free at Sea™ Specialty Dining
- Onboard Wi-Fi at Sea™ with 150 minutes
- Private Tour (2 hours) of Barcelona with English-speaking driver
- Private Tour (2 hours) of Madrid with English-speaking driver
- Regular sightseeing tour of Seville with 1 hour River Cruise

ITINERARY

Sail Onboard Norwegian Epic

Norwegian Epic® is sure to dazzle with her contemporary design, world-class performances, and endless onboard activities. Cruisers of all ages can enjoy everything from an Aqua Park to a towering Climbing Wall. Take a break at Mandara Spa® and unwind in the Thermal Suite, designed for ultimate relaxation.

As the very first Norwegian ship to debut The Haven in 2010, Norwegian Epic is once again making waves in redefining this luxurious enclave. Since then, The Haven on Norwegian Epic has undergone extensive renovations. From reimagined Suites to redesigned experiences including The Haven Restaurant and The Haven Courtyard Pool & Sundeck, you can soak in true luxury at sea.

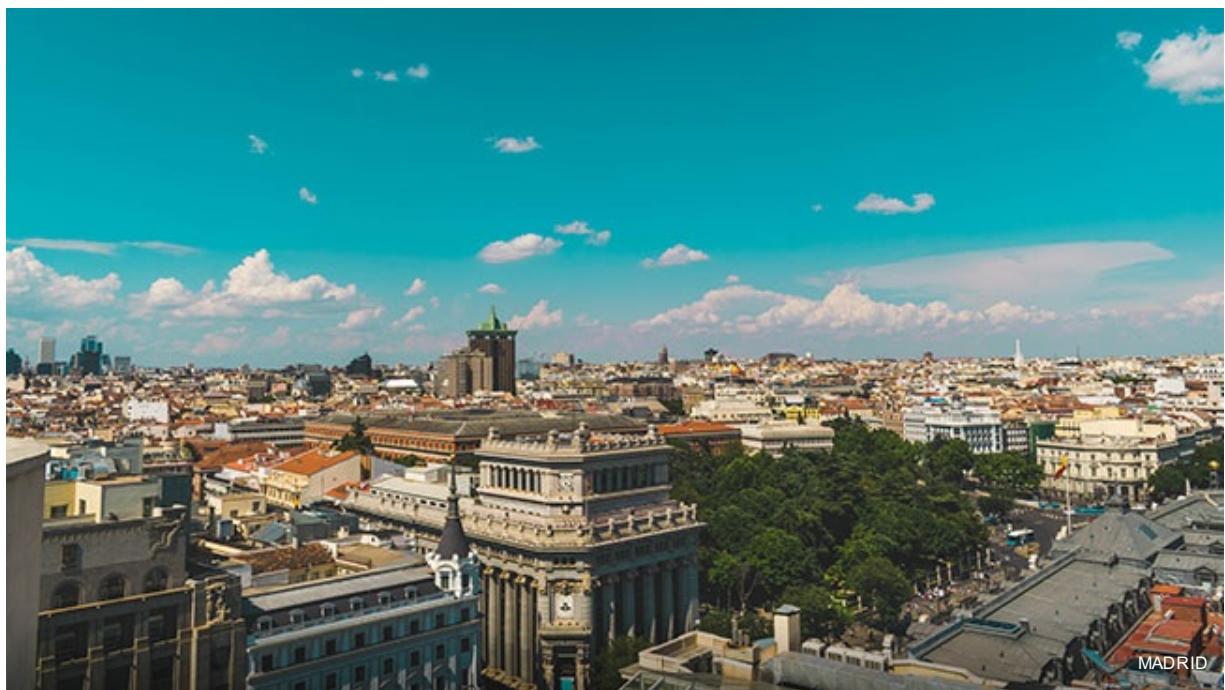
Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



BALCONY STATEROOM | CREDIT: NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE

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

Overnight stay in Madrid at the **Gran Hotel Conde Duque** or similar.



After buffet breakfast, enjoy a **2 hours private sightseeing tour** with an English-speaking driver.

Meet the driver in your hotel and, by the end of this tour, you will have gained complete vision of the city and highlights of Madrid. We will visit the façade of the Royal Palace, the Sabatini Gardens and Campo del Moro. The church of San Francisco El Grande, the fountains of Paseo del Prado, the Toledo Bridge, Prado Museum, and Puerta de Alcalá are also good examples of this splendid style. We will finish in the Austrias neighborhood, the most historic atmosphere of Madrid where you can stroll through the narrow streets and local shops.

Overnight stay in Madrid at the **Gran Hotel Conde Duque** or similar.

Breakfast



Day

3

Madrid Seville

Buffet breakfast at the hotel.

Private transfer to Madrid train station in order to board your high-speed train to Seville. Upon arrival at Seville railway station you'll be escorted to your hotel.

Free afternoon and possibility to book an optional flamenco dance show in the capital of Flamenco.

Overnight stay in Seville at **Melia Lebreros** or similar.

Breakfast



Day

4

Seville Barcelona

After buffet breakfast, join a **regular city tour of Seville**.

First stop will be the Cathedral, one of the world's most beautiful Gothic temples. The dimensions of this cathedral make it the third largest church in the world. We will walk through Santa Cruz quarter, we will pass by the Reales Alcázares (Royal Fortresses), Archive of the Indies declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, where we will see the Torre del Oro, of Arab origin, which dates back to the 13th century and was part of the ancient walls. In the end, we will arrive to Guadalquivir River, where you will enjoy a tour on a **boat cruising the Guadalquivir River**. The rest of the afternoon is at leisure.

Afterwards, a private transfer will take you to the train station to depart by fast train to Barcelona. Upon arrival in Barcelona, you'll be transferred to your hotel.

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



GUADALQUIVIR RIVER

Day 5

Barcelona

After buffet breakfast, enjoy a **private sightseeing tour for 2 hours** with an English-speaking driver.

Meet the driver in your hotel and, by the end of this tour, you will have gained complete vision of the city and highlights of Barcelona, a cosmopolitan Mediterranean city. The variety and wealth of Barcelona's heritage provide a number of attractive routes through its various districts. We will visit the façade of the Cathedral, the façade of the Sagrada Família: a unique creation that has become Barcelona's most universal symbol. The visit continues to the Olympic Village, the Columbus monument and then on to the Montjuïc Mountain, where you will be able to see the Olympic Stadium and Sant Jordi Palace.

The remainder of the day is at leisure to stroll down the artistic city of Barcelona and why not to sample some delicious local tapas?

Overnight stay in Barcelona at **Derby Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



SAGRADA FAMILIA

After breakfast, check out of your hotel and private transfer to the port to proceed onwards to your next destination.

Choosing cruises from Barcelona allows you to seamlessly blend the excitement of a vibrant city with the allure of a grand sea voyage. Take some time to explore the area before embarking on Norwegian Cruise Line, where your exciting adventure at sea will begin.

Relax in a modern Balcony Stateroom featuring floor-to-ceiling glass doors, a private balcony, and a unique split bathroom design for added comfort. Enjoy stylish interiors, convertible beds, and thoughtful amenities like a flat-screen TV, safe, and minibar for an effortless overnight stay aboard Norwegian Epic.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic in a Balcony Stateroom.**

Breakfast, Dinner



NORWEGIAN EPIC | CREDIT: NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE

A cruise to Nice/Monaco (Villefranche) offers the chance to experience an enchanting example of the French Riviera's allure that's nestled a mere 6km east of Nice. Stroll along the Old Harbour for majestic views of the Mediterranean. Saint Michael's Church houses many incredible artworks and an 18th-century organ constructed by the Grinda Brothers. Relax on one of the local beaches or trek up to the Fort Du Mont Alban, a 16th-century structure overlooking the city. For some subterranean scenery, head to the Rue Obscure under the city or the prehistoric archeological site at Grotte du Lazaret.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic in a Balcony Stateroom.**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 8

Marseille

Disembark from your Norwegian Cruise Line, and step ashore in Marseille, France's oldest city, founded in 600 BC and beautifully set along the Mediterranean coast. Wander through its terracotta-roofed streets, visit the iconic Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde, or venture further afield to the historic city of Avignon and the charming Provençal villages of Les Baux and Aix-en-Provence.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic** in a Balcony Stateroom.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 9

Livorno

How lucky to visit the Tuscan region, Florence & Pisa, resplendent in art and history. What's even more fortunate is that all the main attractions in Florence are centrally located for the perfect walking tour. See Santa Croce, Piazza del Duomo and Michelangelo's David.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic** in a Balcony Stateroom.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 10 At Sea

Enjoy a relaxing day onboard as your Norwegian Cruise Line ship sails towards Messina. Take in sweeping ocean views, indulge in exceptional dining, and explore the ship's entertainment and activities. It's a perfect day to unwind and enjoy the journey.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic** in a Balcony Stateroom.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



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Day 11 Messina

The third largest city on the island of Sicily, Messina welcomes cruise ship visitors with its lovely harbour, extraordinary

architecture (much of which miraculously survived a horrendous earthquake and tidal wave in 1908) and wonderful food. Stroll through Messina's Piazza Cairoli taking in magnificent fountains and cathedrals, or sip Marsala wine at a sidewalk cafe.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic** in a Balcony Stateroom.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



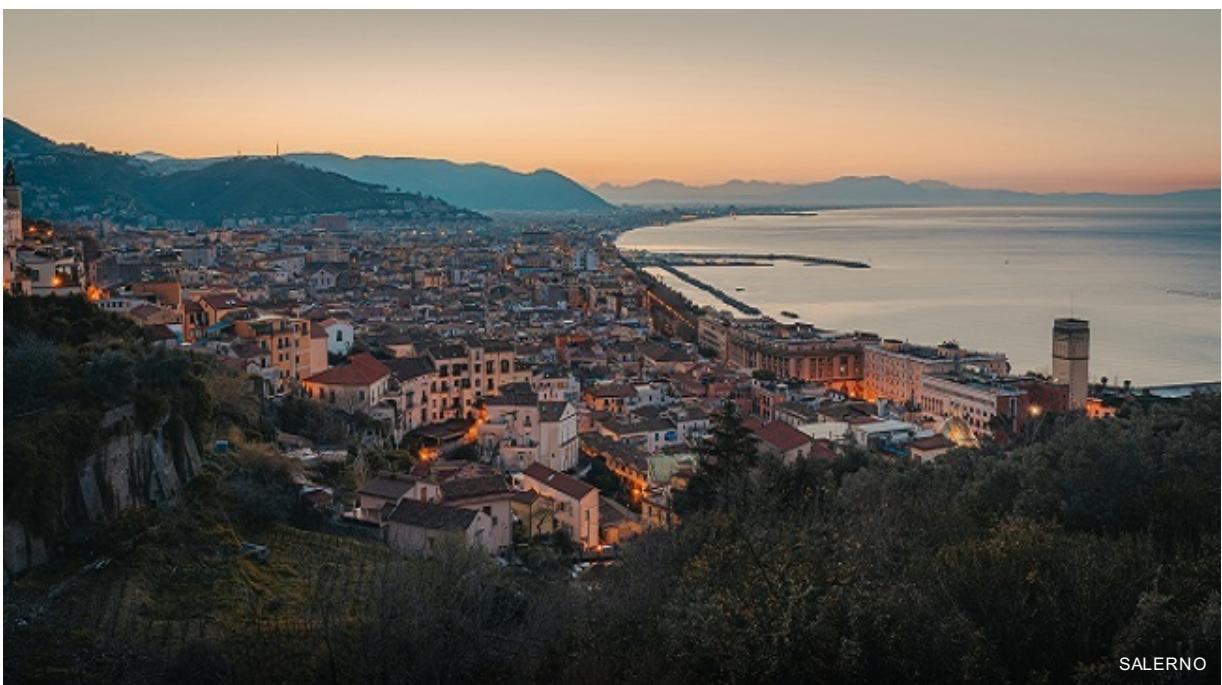
Day **12**

Salerno

The history of Salerno is as rich and vibrant as its surrounding landscapes. The site of ancient settlements (Neolithic mummy remains discovered here), Salerno has been home to vast empires and was the site of Medieval Europe's first medical school. A trip to Salerno makes it easy to understand why countless people have been drawn to its location along the Gulf of Salerno. Nestled between the mountains and the sea at the southeastern point of the famed Amalfi Coast, Salerno boasts sun-drenched beaches, nature reserves and parks, historic sites and delicious local cuisine.

Overnight onboard **Norwegian Epic** in a Balcony Stateroom.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **13**

Civitavecchia

Disembark from your Norwegian Cruise Line in Civitavecchia.

End of our services

Breakfast, Lunch



ACCOMMODATION

Derby Hotel

Barcelona

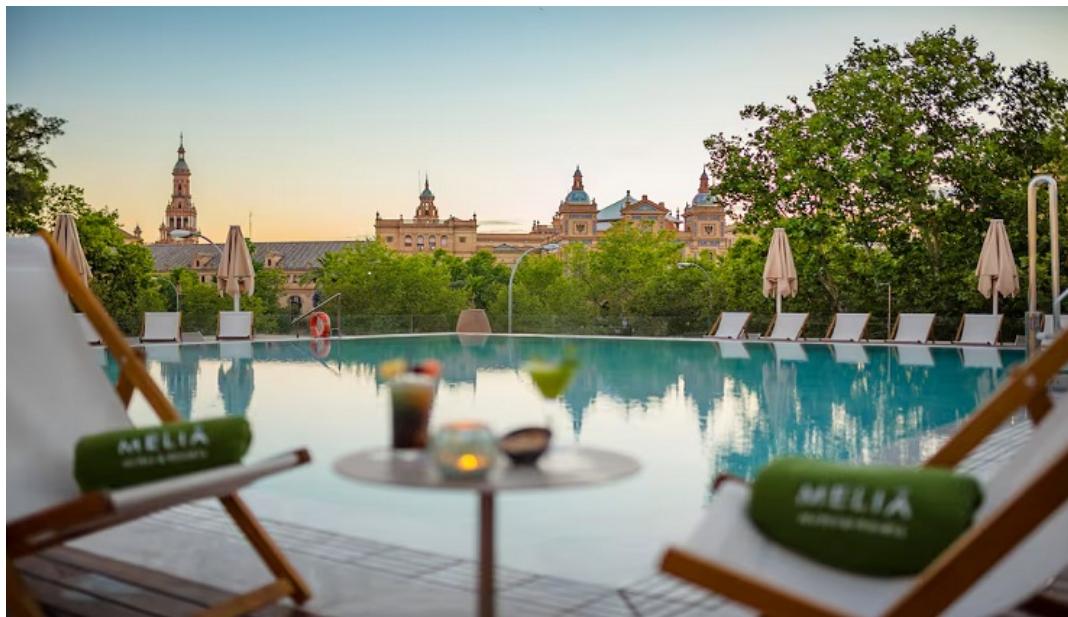
This exquisite 4-star hotel offers an elegant and quiet setting next to the **Diagonal de Barcelona**, in Les Corts neighborhood, in the heart of the commercial and business area from the city. Its facilities combine modernity and comfort with an original contemporary painting **collection** that is exhibited in the most surprising corners of the hotel.



Melia Seville

Seville

The modernity and warmth of the **Meliá** will make your stay in Seville a wonderful experience. Located in one of the city's most distinguished neighbourhoods, the hotel has excellent connections with all transport services and features elegant spacious rooms with a contemporary design. Among the services offered are: Spa, Gym, Meeting rooms, Events, Outdoor pool (seasonal opened*), Vip lounge, Family Rooms, Private car park, Adapted for the disabled, TV area in shared lounge, Terrace, À la carte restaurant, Snack bar, Room service, Pool towel service, Laundry, Pets not allowed.



Sercotel Gran Hotel Conde Duque

Madrid

Discover the Sercotel Gran Hotel Conde Duque. Located a few meters from the Gran Vía of Madrid in a landscaped and sophisticated area, it will allow you to know the tourist attractions of the city and rest in spacious rooms. This luxurious four-star hotel is brimming with design, style and personality. It has a cozy tea room with more than 70 different types of infusions, a breakfast based on healthy organic products, aesthetic treatments and a gastronomic service for tourists that includes tapas routes. The Sercotel Gran Hotel Conde Duque has 141 rooms perfectly equipped with: air conditioning, free Wi-Fi, satellite dish, interactive TV, pillow menu, heating, wooden floors, work desk, bathroom, minibar and safe.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

Spanish

LOCAL CURRENCY

Euro

Please note that pricing is based on a “from price” which varies on each departure and is subject to change without notice. Please contact our friendly team for exact pricing, availability, and upgrade options.

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
- Optional shore excursions
- Onboard Crew Gratuities