

TURKISH DELIGHT NEW TRIP

IN-DEPTH EXPLORER

#TURKISHDELIGHT

7
DAYS

6 NIGHTS
IN HOTELS

6 nights twin or triple-share hotel accommodation

1
COUNTRY

10 INCLUDED MEALS

6 breakfasts (B)
4 dinners (D)

FROM
US\$945*

ESSENTIALS

An experienced Trip Manager & Driver team, air conditioned coach with charging points and WiFi

FROM
US\$135*
PER DAY

NO REGRETS INCLUSIONS

- Visit the Blue Mosque, Galata Bridge & spice markets in Istanbul
- Visit House of the Virgin Mary & Ancient Ephesus

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4.6 OVERALL RATING

FREE TIME ADD-ONS

- F** Turkish Bath Experience, Istanbul
- F** Belly Dancing Show & Dinner, Istanbul
- F** Guided tour of the centuries-old ruins, Izmir

SEE EVEN MORE

Want to explore the open seas as well as land? Hop onboard our Turkish Sailing trip p.143 and save up to 5% with our multi-trip discount on selected departures.

The one that lets you dip into ancient history, vibrant bazaars & coastal coves in one week



ENGLISH HARBOUR



PAMUKKALE

START 7PM ISTANBUL

DAY 1 - 2 ISTANBUL

Arriving in Turkey's epicentre we'll be welcomed by exhilarating bazaars, a mosque crafted by thousands of hand-painted tiles & the charismatic spectacle of a city where east meets west. Every minute of our two nights here will be put to good use. (D)(B)

- See the Hagia Sofia, Topkapi Palace & Suleymaniye Mosque

F Belly dancing show & dinner

DAY 3 CANAKKALE

In a more sombre mood, today we'll pay our respects in the historic Gallipoli battlefields. Later we'll hop continents without hitting the skies, ferrying to the Turkish city of Canakkale.

Here on the Asian continent, we'll be greeted by a quaint port city where we'll bunker down for an evening of metaphorical & literal Turkish delights. (B,D)

- Journey along the Sea of Marmara
- Visit Lone Pine Cemetery
- See Anzac Cove

DAY 4 IZMIR

Enjoying the journey as much as the destination, today we'll be treading the ruins of Troy, cruising the Turkish coastline & visiting the ancient city of Pergamum. By night we'll arrive in the city of Izmir, where a taste of the colourful nightlife is definitely on the cards. (B,D)

F Guided trip of the centuries-old ruins

DAY 5 PAMUKKALE

Today we'll try to comprehend how mineral waters & calcium terraces could look so good, visiting the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Pamukkale. (B,D)

F Visit to the site of the thermal pools & hot springs

DAY 6 KUSADASI

Today we'll rise & shine for a visit to Ephesus, one of the Seven Ancient Wonders of

the World. Later we'll move to the port of Kusadasi, where we can shop all things Turkish in the town's lively bazaar. (B)

- Visit a Turkish carpet factory

DAY 7 BODRUM

Shortly after breakfast we'll be wrapping up the trip, hugging our pals & bidding Turkey farewell. (B)

END 10AM BODRUM



IZMIR

HOW MUCH & WHEN

SUMMER 2019 | CODE:BBTD | START ISTANBUL & FINISH BODRUM

2019	Start	End	2019	Start	End	2019	Start	End	2019	Start	End
	May 26	Jun 01		Jun 23	Jun 29		Aug 04	Aug 10		Sep 08	Sep 14
	Jun 09	Jun 15		Jul 07	Jul 13		Aug 18	Aug 24			
				Jul 21	Jul 27						
	US\$990			US\$1045			US\$1045				US\$945

* Prices above are per person based on twin-share. If you're travelling solo, we can pair you with a same sex room-mate at no extra cost (either twin or triple-share). Or take a single supplement option: Add US\$295 to twin-share price. Trip starts 7:00pm in Istanbul & ends approx. 10:00am in Bodrum. For more ways to save see p.31. For departure points & stay longer accommodation options see contiki.com/staylonger. For travel insurance see p.177. **Note:** This trip is part of a wider adventure. Some travellers will be continuing their Contiki journey on the Turkish Adventure. Why not join them if you have time. See p.123.