

Exciting Egypt

Home of the ancient Pharaohs, Egypt is a dazzling destination of temples and tombs that wow all who visit. It's not all historic treasures though. With vast tracts of desert, superb scuba diving, and the famed Nile River there's something for everyone here. Beach lovers head to the Sinai to soak up the sun, while archaeology fans will have a field day in Luxor. Cairo is the megalopolis that can't be beaten for city slickers, while Siwa oasis and the southern town of Aswan offer a slice of the slow pace of the countryside. Egypt has so much for travelers to see and do; it's the perfect country for a mix of activities combining culture, adventure, and relaxation.

Package Code : CH EG 014 Tour Duration : 8 Days & 7 Nights Theme : City Tours , Family , Heritage , Culture Places : Cairo , Luxor , Aswan , Alexandria Airfare Includes : No

Day	Place	Hotel	Meal	Activity
1	Cairo	Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa (S) (P) (D)		As Per Itinerary
2	Cairo	Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa (S) (P) (D)	Breakfast	Great Pyramids and Egyptian Museum
3	Alexandria		Dinner	Alexandria Tour
4	Luxor		Breakfast	Sightseeing Karnak
5	Luxor		Breakfast	Luxor day tour
6	Aswan		Breakfast Dinner	Aswan Tour
7	Cairo	Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa (S) (P) (D)	Breakfast	Sakkara, Memphis & Old Cairo
8	Cairo		Breakfast	As Per Itinerary

Tour Itinerary :

Day 1 - Arrival

Arrival to Cairo airport, Upon you arrival you will find our representative waiting you with the sign of chologhuri tours, then you will be transferred by A/C car to your hotel. Overnight in Cairo.

Day 2 - Sightseeing

Breakfast. Start your day visiting the Egyptian Museum of antiquities. On display is a rare collection of 5000

years of art the largest most precious collection of Egyptian art in the world. Over 250,000 genuine artifacts are presented, including an exhibit dedicated to the Tutankhamen collection of treasures, gold, and jewelry, as it was enclosed in his tomb for over 3,500 years before it was discovered in the 1920s when his tomb was excavated. Visit the Great Pyramids – Cheops, Chephren & Mykerions. Cheops is the most colossal ever built. Next is a close-up look at Sphinx – a huge funeral complex guarded by the legendary lion body with the face of king Chephren. (Optional) Evening trip to attend the Sound & Light show in the Pyramids area. Back to the hotel & overnight in Cairo.

Day 3 - Sightseeing

Our tour guide will pick you up from your hotel, Travel to Alexandria to start your tour with the library of Alexandria; the biggest library in the world – now with 8 million books. Visit it's open court and free museums. Note: Alexandria Library is closed on Fridays and on every public holiday. To enter the reading area you will need to purchase an extra ticket. Then visit the Site of the Lighthouse; one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World on which now stands the castle of Qaitbey. Visit the royal gardens of King Farouk (the last king in the history of Egypt) and see the royal palaces of Haramlek and Salamlek as well as the royal beaches of the queens. Continue your tour by visiting the prettiest and biggest mosque in the city: the Abbo Elabbas Mosque, as well as the memorial of the Unknown Soldier of Alexandria and the statue of Alexander the Great. You can then stop for lunch before visiting the church of St. Mark – the oldest church in Africa before driving along the Cornish (30 km) to see the whole city of Alexandria from the sea side which includes the old harbor of Alexandria where we found 7000 monuments underwater. Stop over the famous bridge of Stanley – the modern landmark of modern Alexandria, before visiting the old downtown of Alexandria and walking through the old city-center of Alexandria: built by Alexander the great. Alexandria has so much to see, feel, eat and buy so if you have time and want to add more to your itinerary - just let us know what you are interested in and we will arrange it for you at the cost price – no profit to us. Travel in comfort back to Cairo to get in your sleeper train to Luxor, Dinner and overnight onboard. Note: We don't recommend it, it takes 15 to 18 hours. We recommend that you upgrade and take a domestic flight which allows you to travel in comfort and gives you an extra night in a 5 star hotel.

Day 4 - Sightseeing

Breakfast on the train. Arrival and transfer to East bank of Luxor to visit the Karnak Temples, the greatest example of worship in history and was dedicated to the God Amon, his wife Mut and their son Khonsu. It was constructed from the beginning of the Middle Kingdom to the Graeco Roman Kingdom. Then move to Luxor Temple. It was built by Amunhotep III in 18th Dynasty in the New Kingdom and it was completed by Ramesses II during the 19th Dynasty. King Ramses II was the most famous king in the 19th Dynasty. He ruled Egypt for about 67 years. It was dedicated to the great god Amun-Ra, his wife Mut and their son Khonsu together representing the Theban triad. Enjoy visiting Obelisk of Ramses II in front of the 1st Pylon. Transfer to the hotel & overnight in Luxor.

Day 5 - Sightseeing

Breakfast, start your tour to the West Bank – Valley of the Kings, Colossal of Memnon and Hatshepsut Temple. Excursion to the Necropolis of Thebes. Crossing the Nile, drive to the Valley of Kings; visit the tombs of various Dynasties. The Temple of Deir El Bahari. On the return journey stop at the Colossi of Memnon which are two gigantic sitting statues representing Amenophis III facing the Nile. and visit the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut. Optional: Hot Balloon: Should you want to make your stay in Luxor an unforgettable. Drifting peacefully over the Valley of King, Valley of the Queens and the Mountain on the Nobles. The flight is approximately 30:45 minutes depend on the weather

Day 6 - Sightseeing

Breakfast . Transfer to Aswan by train. Arrival, and transfer to start your Tour of High Dam-Temple of Philae Island Sail to the island of Agilkia. Visit the temple that was removed from their original island of Philae which lies submerged most of the year by the waters of Lake Nasser. The main Temple of Isis and its monuments were built between the 26th-dynasty and the Roman period. Return to the mainland and drive to Aswan for a view of the high Dam which was completed in 1964. From here you can gaze across Lake Nasser. Transfer to take the sleeping train to Cairo. Dinner and overnight onboard the train.

Day 7 - Sightseeing

Breakfast onboard. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Free day - optional activities: Memphis & Sakkara Tour.

Castle of Salah El Dien , Mohamed Aly Mosque & Old Cairo Tour. Overnight in Cairo.

Day 8 - Departure

After breakfast, you will be transferred Airport for final departure.

Tour Inclusions :

- 1. 3 Nights hotel accommodation in Cairo on bed and breakfast basis
- 2. 2 Nights hotel accommodation in Luxor on bed and breakfast basis
- 3. 2 Nights accommodation onboard sleeping train half board
- 4. 1 Day tour in Cairo visiting Egyptian Museum, Pyramids
- 5. 1 Day tour in Aswan
- 6. 1 Day tour in Luxor visiting the East Bank
- 7. 1 Day tour in Luxor visiting the West Bank
- 8. 1 Day tour in Alexandria
- 9. All transfers
- 10. All your tours and excursions are by an A/C vehicle
- 11. Expert tour guide
- 12. All your visits include entrance fees
- 13. Our prices include all taxes and services
- 14. Train ticket: Luxor / Aswan
- 15. Transfer by an A/C vehicle: Cairo / Alexandria / Cairo

Tour Exclusions :

- 1. International Airfare
- 2. Egypt entry visa (We can provide you with your at your request)
- 3. Drinks and any personal expenses
- 4. Tipping

Tour Price (BDT) :

Hotel	Adult	Child with bed	Child without bed	Solo Traveler
Standard	82500	N/A	N/A	N/A
Deluxe	85500	N/A	N/A	98000
Premium	95500	N/A	N/A	103000

Infant Price : N/A

Remarks :

Add-on Options

- Pyramid View Room per Night (BDT 3,000/-) per night
- Travel Insurance (BDT 2,500/-)
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- Upgrade to Domestic flight +1 Night at 5 star Hotel instead of sleeper train (BDT 12,000/-)
- Sound & Light Show at Pyramids (BDT 3,500/-)
- Dinner in Nile Cruise with Belly Dancing Show (BDT 5,500/-)

- Felucca: Sail the Nile traditional boat (BDT 3,000/-)
- Memphis & Sakkara Tour (BDT 7,000/-)
- Camel Ride (BDT 1,500/-) 15 Minutes
- Lunch Per Day (Traditional or modern Egyptian) (BDT 1,500/-) per day
- Castle of Salah El Dien, Mohamed Aly Mosque & Old Cairo Tour (BDT 4,000/-)
- Coptic& Islamic Cairo Tour (BDT 6,000/-)
- Hot Air Ballooning (BDT 12,000/-)
- Sound & Light Show at Karnak Temple (BDT 3,500/-)
- Child Car Seat (BDT 5,000/-)

Hotel Rating in Egypt:

Hotel Rating in Egypt: Kindly note that the hotel rating in Egypt is not the same as in USA or Europe, so Luxury hotels option or 5 stars are always recommended as minimum in Egypt. As some 5 stars seems like 4 stars or 3 stars according to our clients' feedback.

The 3* & 4 * hotels aren't recommended at all as we receive complaints about them.

Travelling by overnight train NOT RECOMMENDED:

We don't recommend it, it takes15 to 18 hours on a very noisy train. The toilets are not good and smelly. Food is not good in general. Beds: moderately comfortable. Comment from a client: "However, I am 6'0? (183 cm) tall and barely fit into the bed — anyone taller would have to curl up."

If you don't fancy travelling by overnight sleeper train then upgrade to our flight option. Enjoying extra nights of comfort in 5* hotel accommodation. We recommend that you upgrade this transfer to domestic flight. Extra supplement for a 1 way flight and 1 night at 5 star hotels is 150\$ per person. Xmas. New Year and Easter supplements apply. Contact us for rates.

Cruise schedule & Sailing times:

Sometimes due to sailing conditions on the River Nile some Cruises itineraries, schedule and sailing times may be updated. We assure that our clients will see all what is on their itineraries but maybe in different order.

Domestic Flights:

The programs quote the average price of domestic flights with approximate timings. Requests for specific flight times or changes to previously booked reservations may result in changes to the total price of the package. Some flights to sharm or Hurghada are indirect flights via Cairo Airport.

Children Policy

• 0 – 01.99 Free of Charge (unless flights were included)

- 2 5.99 pay 25% of tour price and 50% of tour price if it includes flights or sleeper train
- 6 11.99 pay 50% of tour price
- 12+ pay full tour price as per adult person
- If your tour package includes airfare then an extra charges for your children may apply.

Additional Entry Tickets

All tours don't include entrance fees to special archaeological sites such as walking inside one of the pyramid to see the deep burial chambers and the Mummies Room at the Egyptian Museum in Cairo or to enter the Tomb of Tutankhamen at Valley of the Kings in Luxor are also available at extra cost.

Alexandria Trip Note:

Alexandria Library is closed on every public holiday. To enter the reading area you will need to purchase an extra ticket.

Time & Voltage

Egypt is 2 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (GMT). Standard voltage is 220 volts. Primary sockets require the European, 2 pronged variety. We recommend that you pack a universal travel adaptor. You will need a voltage converter, and plug adaptor in order to use U.S. appliances.

Essential Packing

Comfortable, flat (preferably covered) shoes are needed for the Pyramids and Valley of the Kings. Pack flip flops/sandals to wear aboard the Nile felucca or Nile Cruiser

Tour Hotels :

Standard Hotel	Star	Place	Nights
Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa	5	Cairo	3
Steigenberger Nile Palace	5	Luxor	2
Deluxe Hotel	Star	Place	Nights
Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa	5	Cairo	3
Steigenberger Nile Palace	5	Luxor	2
Premium Hotel	Star	Place	Nights
Le Meridien Pyramids Hotel and Spa	5	Cairo	3

Payment Policy :

Advance booking fee:

- 1. 45 or more days before departure: BDT 15,000 per person
- 2. 44-20 days before departure: 50% of total amount
- 3. Less than 20 days before departure: 100% of the total amount

Cancellation Policy :

If you cancel your holiday:

You, or any member of your party, may cancel their travel arrangements at any time. Written notification or an e-mail to that effect from the person who made the booking must be received at our offices. The applicable cancellation charges are as per the published cancellation policy below:

- 1. Cancellation charges per person
- 2. Prior to 45 days or more: Booking Fee
- 3. Between 44-31 days ahead of departure: 50% of tour cost
- 4. Between 30-16 days of departure: 75% of tour cost
- 5. 15 days to date of departure: 100%.
- 6. In case of no show: 100%

Special condition: Sometimes hotel do not refund the amount of the cancelled booking, in such case we will fail to refund the amount and we will refund the rest if there is any!

If we change or cancel your holiday:

We do plan the arrangements in advance. It is unlikely that we will have to make any changes to your travel arrangements. Occasionally, we may have to make changes and we reserve the right to do so at any time. If there are any changes, we will advise you of them at the earliest possible date. We also reserve the right in any circumstances to cancel your travel arrangements by assigning reasons to you.

In case of natural disaster/political condition/emergency, planned holiday may be canceled. In such cases refund will be given based on the situation.

Additional Info :

- 1. Hotel names may change due to availability. In such case the guests will be informed prior to their travel. Sometimes they will be informed while touring.
- 2. Package Itinerary will be designed as per hotel and flight availability
- 3. The local tour manager has the right to make any changes in the itinerary as per requirement.
- 4. Rates can be changed at any time before Booking.
- 5. Prices are quoted on Economy fare basis.
- 6. Airfare is based on the lowest class economy fare, if fare gets high than the regular price then the package price will go up (If airfare is included with the package).
- 7. This package may not be available on blackout periods i.e Puja, New Year, Eid, peak season of Bali. You may have to pay extra for surcharge if travel on these occasions.
- 8. Chologhuri will always try to give the best experience but sometimes unavoidable circumstances can be happened. We will expect co-operation from customer end also.
- 9. If guests are not allowed to enter the destination country by Immigration department, Chologhuri will

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not take any responsibility but we will try our level best to assist in such cases. 10. We will expect punctuality from our clients while touring.