

Jordan

Bliss in Bedouin Lands

Travel to the eastern bank of the Jordan River and discover a land that is both legendary and full of warmth. Stroll among ancient monuments, explore world-famous cultural sites, and venture into the desert of a welcoming and breathtaking Jordan. This jewel of the Middle East opens its doors to you, offering the chance to let your imagination run free amidst stunning nature reserves and fascinating stories.



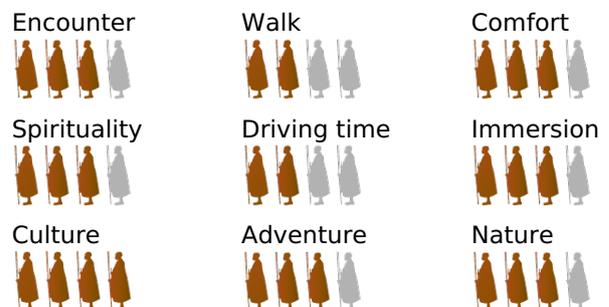
Jordan has a unique way of inspiring daydreams and awakening the child within us. Its cultural and historical treasures are countless, captivating travellers from all over the world. Its nature reserves and magnificent desert promise an intense and unforgettable exploration of this beautiful little country in the Middle East.

Let us dive wholeheartedly into history, where myths and legends intertwine. Petra and Wadi Rum promise wonder, adventure, and encounters, while Jordan reveals its hidden treasures. A simple yet unforgettable escape into Bedouin lands, in the company of a warm and welcoming people.

You will like

- 🕒 Guided desert experience with Bedouins
- 🕒 The beauty and diversity of the landscapes
- 🕒 The country's rich cultural heritage
- 🕒 An evening and overnight stay in a Nabataean cave
- 🕒 Immersion in the daily life of a family in Wadi Musa
- 🕒 A free day on the shores of the Red Sea
- 🕒 A walk in Dana, tailored to your preferences

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Practical information

- 🕒 **Age & public** : For solo travellers, small groups, and families with children aged 5 and over
- 🕒 **Duration** : 11 days on-site
- 🕒 **Dates & travel periods** : All year round, at the date of your choice
- 🕒 **Number of travellers** : 2 to 8 travellers (solo or groups from 9+ travellers: on request)
- 🕒 **Travel package** : People, Nature, and Culture ("Discovery" package)
- 🕒 **Regions & landscapes** : Temples, Valleys, Mountains, and Deserts
- 🕒 **Accommodation** : Hotel (7 nights), Nabataean cave (1 night), homestay (1 night), bivouac (1 night)
- 🕒 **Transport** : Private transport: vehicle
- 🕒 **Luggage handling** : None (luggage transported by vehicle)

Program

Legend: B L D = meals included in the price of the trip (**B**reakfast, **L**unch and **D**iner)

Note : the outline of this program (steps, activities, etc.) is given for information purposes only. It may undergo modifications or adjustments depending on technical criteria, safety requirements, current climatic conditions and availability. Our guides always do everything possible to make the best possible decisions and options.

little note :

Tout voyage qui sort des sentiers battus comporte parfois des événements imprévus (grève, route coupée, fête locale...) ; votre capacité d'adaptation aux conditions locales (transports, nourriture, hébergements, imprévus, aléas climatiques), comme à des événements inattendus sera aussi une clé à la réussite de votre voyage. Nous comptons sur vous pour avoir un esprit délibérément « positif » et ne jamais oublier votre sens de l'humour. Nous vous souhaitons un très beau et riche voyage .

Day 1: Arrival at Amman Airport (Meals: —; transport: +/- 35 minutes)

Arrival at Amman Airport, where we meet our driver after completing visa formalities and collecting our luggage. We then head to the heart of Amman. Depending on our arrival time and interests, we can stroll through the streets and soak up the atmosphere of this legendary city. Overnight stay in Amman at a hotel.

Day 2: From Amman to Madaba (Meals: B-; transport: +/- 2hours)

We spend the morning in Amman, taking the time to visit its Roman Theatre. A short 25-minute climb leads us to the Citadel, offering wonderful views over the capital's hills. We also discover a small but fascinating archaeological museum, perfect for immersing ourselves in the local culture. Then, with plenty of time to enjoy, we take a leisurely stroll through the downtown area, full of surprises. We treat ourselves to a meal in one of the nearby restaurants, delighting our taste buds with the delicious flavours of Jordanian cuisine.

In the afternoon, we head to Jerash to visit the ancient site of Jerasa, one of the largest and best-preserved cities of the Decapolis. We then continue to Madaba for an overnight stay in a charming small hotel.

Day 3: Madaba, Nebo, the King's Highway, and Dana (Meals: BLD; transport: +/- 3 hours)

Madaba is known as the city of Byzantine mosaics. St George's Church houses the famous mosaic map depicting the Holy Land and the Jordan River flowing into the Dead Sea. Other magnificent, history-filled mosaics can also be admired at St George's Church and the Archaeological Park. We then drive to Mount Nebo, where sweeping landscapes are steeped in biblical history. Our journey continues south along the King's Highway, crossing the dramatic Wadi Mujib before reaching Kerak, where a visit to the Crusader fortress is a must.

From April to October: we can enjoy an excursion to Wadi Bin Hammad. A one-hour descent along a steep road leads us to this nature reserve (entry fee 5 dinars, not included). We enjoy a picnic by the water before embarking on a two-hour aquatic walk, winding between rocks and hanging gardens.

We arrive in Dana at the end of the day, an ancient stone village under restoration, set in the heart of a stunning nature reserve. Dinner is served at a large communal table, and we spend the night in Dana, enjoying the cosy atmosphere of a mountain-style guesthouse built from local stone.

Day 4: Dana, Shaubak, Little Petra, and Petra (Meals: BLD; transport: +/- 30 minutes)

A hike through Dana Valley with an English-speaking Bedouin guide is a must (lasting between 3 and 5 hours, depending on preference). This little-known area reveals the full richness of Jordan's natural beauty, and its unique landscapes are a delightful surprise. A picnic in the valley is a truly timeless moment. In the late afternoon, we head towards Little Petra, marvelling at the mountain road with its breathtaking views. We explore Siq Al-Barid and its entirely carved Nabataean caves. We spend the evening and night with a family in the village of Wadi Musa — the perfect opportunity to try a traditional Jordanian dish, makloubah, and to share a precious moment with our hosts.

Accommodation: a room reserved for travellers, with comfortable mattresses laid on a carpet. Bathroom and toilet facilities available.

Day 5: The Wonders of Petra (Meals: BLD; transport: +/- 30 minutes)

In the morning, we visit the archaeological site of Petra, happily losing ourselves in its countless trails that wind through this colourful and refined Nabataean city. Words fail us as we walk through the Siq and discover its temples, both impressive and delicate. The Treasury, the High Place of Sacrifice, and Wadi Farasa are equally moving. A picnic on the site gives us the chance to recharge before continuing our wanderings in this simply magical place.

The most adventurous among us will reach the Monastery in the afternoon, enjoying the beautiful play of sunlight on its façade. We walk back to our Nabataean cave accommodation, meeting many families with their herds along the way. The neighbouring women are delighted to stop for a chat, and an excellent candlelit dinner brings this fantastic day to a close.

Accommodation: comfortable mattresses laid on mats inside the cave, or the option to sleep on the terrace

Day 6: The Secrets of Petra (Meals: BLD; transport: +/- 30 minutes)

A second day in Petra is a must to truly soak up the atmosphere of this one-of-a-kind destination. After a delicious picnic and an afternoon full of discoveries, we head to our hotel for a comfortable overnight stay.

Day 7 and 8: The Wadi Rum Adventure (Meals: BLD; transport: +/- 1 hour 30 minutes - 2 days/2 nights)

The landscapes that await us on the way to Wadi Rum are truly extraordinary, much to our delight. Two Bedouins welcome us and take us deep into the desert by 4x4. We alternate between walking and travelling by vehicle, gradually immersing ourselves in these expanses of shimmering colours. As we leave the more touristy areas behind, we enjoy vast plains of golden sand. Orange dunes and red canyons framed by majestic cliffs, sculpted by erosion, create breathtaking scenery!

Our exploration continues south through the desert, discovering other landscapes with extraordinary colours: Nughra, the Sabet and Swebet wadis, Jebel Dhadha with its panoramic views, and Um Ratha with its red sands. We camp overnight, enjoying an evening meal around the fire, sheltered by a beautiful natural rock hollow, or "tor."

Accommodation: thick comfortable mattresses provided, a well as blankets.

Day 9: Wadi Rum - Aqaba (Meal: B-; transport: +/- 1hour)

After an unforgettable breakfast in the desert with our camping companions, we set off for Aqaba.

We enjoy a relaxing day by the Red Sea. Beach, sunshine, and diving are on the agenda: the seabed is alive with myriads of brightly coloured fish weaving through the coral! The water is crystal clear, and the coral reefs are just a short swim away. In the evening, if we wish, we can head into the city centre and wander between the lively terraces of its bustling districts.

Overnight stay in Aqaba at a hotel.

Day 10: Aqaba, Dead Sea, Panorama, and Madaba (Meals: BL-; transport: +/- 1hour)

In the early morning, we set off north along the Wadi Araba route, passing through small golden dunes. We skirt the salt flats and the Dead Sea before stopping midday to enjoy a delicious meal on a restaurant terrace. An unmissable swim in the Dead Sea follows. Later in the afternoon, we drive up to the Panorama viewpoint (25 minutes) to admire the splendid view and watch the sunset over the Dead Sea. We then continue to Madaba for an overnight stay in a hotel.

Day 11: Return to the airport (Meals: B-; transport: +/- 30 minutes)

Our journey comes to an end as we make our way back to the airport for our return flight.

Prices and conditions

Price per person (varies depending on the number of travellers, including adults and children)

- From 6 to 8 travellers: **€1,195**
- From 4 to 5 travellers: €1,395
- 3 travellers: €1,495
- 2 travellers: €1,695
- Solo traveller: [on request](#)

Supplements

- Single room: from +€200
- [English-speaking tour guide](#)
- Transfer if arriving/departing at a different time than the first booked: from €40 per transfer per person

Options

- Groups from 9+ travellers: [on request](#)
- Day 4: Hotel stay instead of overnight in a Nabataean cave available [on request](#)
- Day 5: Lunch in a Petra restaurant instead of a picnic available [on request](#)

Extensions

- Additional night(s) at the end of the programme available [on request](#)
- Wadi Rum Desert extension available [on request](#)
- Seaside extension in Aqaba available [on request](#)

Flights

- Price depending on the date of booking, the airline, and the travel dates.

Included in the price

- Trip organisation – travel booklet and itinerary booklet
- Welcome and transfers from the airport, train station, or meeting point to your accommodation, round trip
- Transport throughout the journey
- English-speaking driver
- English-speaking tour guide in Petra (2 hours 30 minutes)
- Bedouin English-speaking guide in Dana
- 2 Bedouin guides in the Wadi Rum Desert
- Meals as mentioned in the programme
- Accommodation as mentioned in the programme
 - *Hotel (7 nights)*
 - *Nabataean cave (1 night)*
 - *Hometsay (1 night)*
 - *Bivouac (1 night)*
- Mineral water throughout the stay
- Dead Sea entry fee
 - *Resort Crown Plaza entry fee*
 - *Lunch*
- Site entry fees included with the Jordan Pass
- Complete « Emotion Planet » activity programme
- Invitation to take part in relationship-based activities, a journey to the heart of oneself
- Pharmacy (*first aid*)
- Hotel and tourist taxes

Not Included

- Anything not specified in the « Included » section and any changes to the programme during your stay
- Transport to the destination: international flight
- Carbon offsetting of your flight and travel (*on a voluntary basis*)
- English-speaking guide
 - (*Optional: 180 dinars per day – between €230 and €245 per day*)
- Site entry fees not included with the Jordan Pass
 - *Saint George, Madaba (3 Jordanian Dinar – JD)*
 - *Nebo (3JD)*
 - *Bin Hammad Reserve (5JD)*
 - *Panorama (5JD)*
- Insurances – to be arranged at your own responsibility (*Emotion Planet offer available*)
 - *Repatriation assistance insurance (strongly recommended)*
 - *Cancellation insurance (recommended)*
- Meals not included
 - *Budget for quick meals: approximately €5 to €10 per person, per meal*
 - *Restaurant budget, depending on the type of restaurant and location (higher prices in Petra): approximately €10 to €25 per person, per meal*
- Visa via the Jordan Pass (visa plus entry to multiple sites included)
 - *Jordan Pass (budget 75 dinars / approx. €100)*
 - *The Jordan Pass must be purchased online before departure for travellers aged 12 and over*
 - *Please note: select the Jordan Pass with the 2-day Petra option*
 - *Please note: children under 12 are not eligible for the Jordan Pass. Visa payment must be made on arrival by credit card (40 dinars / approx. €50)*
- Drinks other than mineral water
- Tips
 - *3JD per day per person for the guide*
 - *2JD per day per person for the driver*
 - *Taxi, restaurant... simply rounding up the bill is enough!*
- Personal expenses

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Discover these colorful countries, the heart & values that drive us and comments from former travelers.

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