

PERUVIAN HIKING ADVENTURE

07 days

Private Service.

Moderate to strong level of fitness required

Journey Highlights.

- Hiking the Incan Trail to Machu Picchu
- * Machu Picchu
- Archaeological site of Huchuy Qosqo
- Incan ruins of Moray and Salineras de Maras (Incan salt mines)
- The impressive archaeological site Wiñay Wayna
- Day tour of Cusco including a visit to Sacsayhuaman and the Vibrant Cusco markets
- * Scenic glass top train

Price:

Twin Share Per Person: Starting from:

3802.00 USD

Minimum two guests

Single supplement pricing available upon request.

Day 01: Cusco – Sacred Valley.

Upon arrival into Cusco, you will be met by your guide and begin the day by exploring the Ruins of Pisaq. Considered to be one of the finest Archeological sites in Peru, the spectacular views of the Sacred Valley make this a perfect start to our day. After some exploring of the ruins, we set off on a hike down to the main town where we end the first day by visiting the famous Pisaq market.

From here you will be transferred to your hotel where the remainder of the afternoon is at leisure

Meals included: Picnic lunch.

Overnight in the Sacred Valley.

Approximate Time Hiking 03 hours



Day 02: Hiking to Huchuy Qosqo.



After Breakfast we transfer by car to Taucsa, a town located about 40 minutes from the Sacred Valley. Upon arrival we start the days' trek making our way up through the Pucajasa Mountain Pass arriving at the town of Puka Llacta mid morning. Here we will stop for a short break to catch our breath before continuing on through the small but Impressive "Leon Punku" Canyon on our way to the archeological complex of Huchuy Qosqo. Also known as little Cusco, these magnificent ruins are thought to have been a royal estate, but to date it is not known with certainty what its actual purpose was. This spectacular location is the perfect place to enjoy our boxed lunch while taking in the amazing views of the valley below. After an hour for lunch and exploration, continue down the

mountain, ending up at the “Lamay” area of the Sacred Valley where the vehicle will be waiting to transfer you to your hotel. Remainder of afternoon at Leisure

Meals included: Breakfast and Box Lunch
Overnight in the Sacred Valley.

Approximate Time Hiking 07 hours

Day 03: Moray – Maras – Salineras.

After breakfast you will be collected by our driver and transferred to the Incan ruins of Moray where we explore the unusual circular terraces and surrounding landscape over the next hour. From here you are transferred to the starting point of the hike to Maras. This trek will take you through beautiful farmlands, local villages and weather permitted; you will be able to enjoy views of the spectacular Andes mountain ranges in the distance. Arrival at Maras will be around midday where there is a break for lunch. From here you are transferred to the start of the one hour hike to Salineras de Maras. These Inca salt mines have been in use for centuries and are one of only 4 places in the world where pink salt is extracted. After about 30 minutes we continue our hike to the town of Pichingoto where our driver will be waiting to transfer you back to your hotel. Remainder of the afternoon at leisure



Meals included: Breakfast and Lunch.
Overnight in the Sacred Valley

Approximate Time Hiking 03 hours

Day 04: Hike to Machu Picchu.

You will be collected from your hotel early morning and transferred to Ollantaytambo train station, where you will board the Scenic Glass-Top train to Machu Picchu. This short rail journey is considered one of the most beautiful in the world so have your camera ready. The train will make a stop where you disembark to make your way to the start of this famous trail. Crossing the Vilcanota River you have a chance to explore the Incan site, “Chachabamba” before continuing on the trail to “WiñayWayna” where we enjoy a boxed lunch. At this impressive archaeological site, we have a chance to marvel at the incredible Incan engineering and this stop is a highlight of the trail. On the way to the next stop, “Inti Punku” we have our first views of Machu Picchu. A quick descent along the path brings us to the entrance on this magnificent site. After a panoramic viewing, we head down to Machu Picchu Village – Remainder of the evening at leisure.



Meals included: Breakfast and Boxed lunch.
Overnight in Machu Picchu Village.

Approximate Time Hiking 05 hours

Important Note: Inca Trail passes are not guaranteed. Passport information is required well in advance to reserve a spot.

Day 05: Machu Picchu – Cusco.

After a leisurely breakfast we take the bus up to Machu Picchu where we have the next 2 and ½ hours to explore this breathtaking Incan city.

Overlooking the Urubamba River Valley, this ancient city was discovered hidden beneath the canopy of the trees by American explorer Hiram Bingham in 1911. Built in the 15th century at the height of the Inca Empire, this designated UNESCO World Heritage site continues to awe and impress those around the world.



Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant, explore the markets time permitting, before we say goodbye to this magical ancient city and make our way to Cusco. Upon arrival you will be transferred to your hotel.

Meals included: Breakfast and Lunch
Overnight in Cusco.

Hiking today optional – Approximately 2.5 hours Huayna Picchu Mountain.

Day 06: Cusco.

This morning starts with a city tour of Cusco. We explore the Cathedral on the Plaza de Armas and the Qoricancha (Temple of the sun). From here we make our way to the ruins of Sacsayhuaman. Located on a hill that overlooks the city, these ruins are another example of an imposing display of Incan architecture. Compiled of massive stones, the largest of which is thought to weigh as much as 200 tons, these immense terrace walls were cut and placed with amazing precision and without a single drop of mortar to hold them in place. This tour can be tailored to suit your tastes. Perhaps explore the shops and meander through the bustling market in Cusco, where the locals buy their produce, maybe a cooking lesson or you may want to visit the workshop of a local weaver, a wonderful way to get an overview of Andean Weaving (notice required to arrange).



Overnight in Cusco.

Meals included: Breakfast.

Day 7: Cusco – Farewell.

You will be collected from your hotel where we will transfer to the airport and bid you farewell
End of travel services.

INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE.

Accommodation
Meals where mentioned
Transfers where mentioned
Private touring as well as group touring

Admission tickets to all the sites mentioned in the itinerary.

Single entry Admissions tickets to Machu Picchu where mentioned.

* Please note that once you exit the Park, a new ticket purchase is required to reenter

Train tickets to Machu Picchu

Bus tickets from Machu Picchu town up to the archeological site.

NOT INCLUDED.

Travel Insurance

Domestic Flights (please note these can be added for an additional cost).

International flights

Personal expenses.

Gratuities.

Airport taxes.

Anything that is not mentioned in the itinerary.