



FOLLOW THE FOUNDERS FOOTSTEPS (HAVANA)

DAY 1

Telégrafo Hotel

Welcomed at Havana International Airport and transferred to Telégrafo Hotel. Check-in at the hotel for 2 nights, with breakfast and dinner included.

DAY 2

Telégrafo Hotel

Walking tour in the four main squares of the Historical Centre: Plaza de Armas, de San Francisco de Asís, Plaza Vieja and de la Catedral. Visit to the City Museum, Cigar Factory, Rum Museum. Lunch will be served at El Patio Restaurant with options from their complete menu plus a drink. Bus tour of the modern part of the city including: the Revolution Square, the University of Havana and more. Return to the hotel and enjoy dinner. You will have an evening departure for La Cabaña Fort to attend the legendary Firing of the Cannon Ceremony and return.



Plaza Vieja (Old Square)

DAY 3

Brisas Trinidad del Mar Hotel

After breakfast at the hotel there is checkout so that you can go to Santísima Trinidad Village via Cienfuegos. Lunch is served at Cienfuegos Yatch Club, included are options from their complete menu plus a drink included. After enjoy a city tour of Martí Park, a cathedral, the city hall, Tomás Terry Theatre, Prado Promenade, the seafront and Valle's Palace. Later you have a departure for Santísima Trinidad Village arriving at Brisas Trinidad del Mar Hotel. Check in at the hotel for a 2 nights stay, breakfast and dinner are included.

DAY 4

Brisas Trinidad del Mar Hotel

Enjoy a city tour of Main Square, Brunet Palace (Decorative Arts Museum), Santa Ana Square and Jigüe Square. Lunch is at Don Antonio Restaurant with options from their complete menu plus a drink. After you can enjoy some free time at the Historical Centre. Later you will be returned to the hotel at there you can enjoy your dinner.

DAY 5

Hotel E Del Rijo

After breakfast and checkout you will depart for Sancti Spiritus and arrive at Hotel E del Rijo. After check-in for 1 night, breakfast and dinner included, you will enjoy lunch at Mesón de la Plaza Restaurant (options from complete menu plus a drink are included). Enjoy a city tour and see sites such as Serafín Sánchez Park, Holly Ghost Main Parish, Colonial Art Museum and Yayabo River Bridge. After you return to the hotel you can enjoy your dinner there.



Hotel E Del Rijo

DAY 6

*Colon *** or Gran Hotel*

Checkout is after breakfast at the hotel. You will then depart for Camagüey, former Santa María del Puerto del Príncipe. After your arrival at Colón or Gran Hotel, availability permitting, you will check-in for 2 nights breakfast and dinner are included.

DAY 7

*Colon *** or Gran Hotel*

Enjoy a city tour of Workers' Square, Ignacio Agramonte's Birth House, La Merced Church, Nuestra Señora de la Soledad Church and San Juan de Dios Square. Lunch is at La Campana de Toledo Restaurant will complete menu options and a drink is included. The city tour continues to Ignacio Agramonte Park, Nuestra señora de la Candelaria Cathedral, Bedoya's Square and Carmén Church. After your tour you will return to the hotel to enjoy your dinner.

DAY 8

Sierra Maestra Hotel

It's breakfast and then checkout at the hotel. You have an excursion to La Belen Ranch with lunch from a complete menu list and a drink that is included. Departure will be for San Salvador de Bayamo Village and arrival is at Sierra Maestra Hotel. Check-in at the hotel is for a 1-night stay with an included breakfast and dinner.

DAY 9

Melia Santiago Hotel

After breakfast and checkout is off to see the city's Revolution Square, Anthem Square, Carlos Manuel de Céspedes's Birth House, San Salvador Main Parish. Later depart for Santiago de Cuba where you will have a visit to the Sanctuary of La Caridad del Cobre (Cuban Patron Saint). Lunch is at El Morro Restaurant with complete menu offerings and a drink. After lunch enjoy a site seeing tour of Cespedes Park, the cathedral, city hall, Diego Velasquez Home, San Juan Hill, Santa Efigenia Cemetery, Moncada Barracks and Revolution Square. Later you arrive at Melia Santiago Hotel to check-in for a 1-night stay with breakfast and dinner included.

DAY 10

*El Castillo *** or Porto Santo Hotel*

Depart for the ancient Nuestra Señora de La Asunción de Baracoa Village and you arrive at El Castillo or Porto Santo Hotel, availability permitting. Check-in is for a night at the hotel with an A.P. meal plan. Enjoy lunch at the hotel with a complete menu list plus a drink. Later take the city tour of Central Park, Indian Hatuey Statue, the cathedral, Matachin Fort (Municipality Museum) and the seafont. Dinner will be at the hotel.

DAY 11

Malia Santiago Hotel

After breakfast and checkout there is an excursion to Duaba River. Later you have a departure for Santiago de Cuba where you arrive at Melia Santiago Hotel. After checking in for your 1 night stay, breakfast and dinner included, you can enjoy your dinner at the hotel.

DAY 12

Departure

Breakfast and checkout in the morning before you transfer to Santiago de Cuba International Airport to take a flight to Havana. Depending on the amount of time between, your arriving and departing flight to your country of origin, you may have some free time in the city.

Included:

- English-speaking guide
- A/C bus(s)
- 2-nights accommodation at Telégrafo Hotel
- 2-nights accommodation at Brisas Trinidad del Mar Hotel
- 1-night accommodation at Hotel E del Rijo
- 2-nights accommodation at Colón *** or Gran Hotel
- 1-night accommodation at Sierra Maestra Hotel
- 2-nights accommodation at Melia Santiago Hotel (Day 9 & 11)
- 1-night accommodation at El Castillo *** or Porto Santo Hotel
- Meals as per itinerary
- Transfers as per itinerary

Not Included:

- Air / Taxes
- Cuban Tourist Card (\$20CAD)
- Cuban Departure Exit Tax paid locally (25.00 CUC Cash)
- Gratuities / Expenses / Personal Insurance

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Note:

- Duration: 12 days / 11 nights

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