

CODE: HCT-031

FAMILY TRIP: COAST, HIGHLANDS AND JUNGLE

12 Days / 11 Nights

CONTENT: LIMA / LIMA: City Tour: Colonial and Modern + Archaeological Museum / LIMA -CUZCO: City tour on foot / CUZCO -SACRED VALLEY: Chinchero -Maras -Moray -Ollantaytambo -MACHU PICCHU (Aguas Calientes) / Visit to MACCHU PICCHU - SACRED VALLEY / SACRED VALLEY: Pisac market - CUZCO: Neighboring ruins / CUZCO - PUERTO MALDONADO: Jungle / PUERTO MALDONADO: Jungle / PUERTO MALDONADO - LIMA / LIMA - PARACAS: Paracas National Reserve / PARACAS: Ballestas Islands - PISCO: optional flight over Nazca Lines -LIMA / LIMA



DAY 01

LIMA

Arrival at airport in city of origin. Flight to Lima. Arrival at Jorge Chávez International Airport where you will be met by our representative. Transfer to hotel.

DAY 02

LIMA: Colonial & Modern City Tour + Archaeological Museum

Breakfast. Visit to the historic center: guided tour of the Cathedral, and a panoramic tour of the Convents of Santo Domingo and of San Francisco; the Main Square and San Martin Square. The visit continues to the residential neighborhoods of San Isidro and Miraflores, followed by a visit to the Archaeological Museum which houses archaeological pieces representing the different Peruvian cultures that preceded the Incas, together with its collection of metal works and textiles. Rest of the afternoon free. You can taste the famous Peruvian cuisine, visit the Bohemian district of Barranco, cradle of poets and writers, and part of the literary tour of Mario Vargas Llosa, or visit some of the capital's many other attractions. Overnight at selected hotel.

DAY 03

LIMA / CUZCO: City Tour on foot

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport for the flight to Cuzco, capital of the ancient empire. Afternoon walking tour of the city: an exclusive circuit that includes the main Square in the district of San Blas, Hatunrumiyoc Street with the "12-angle stone", Nazarenas square, main square, Inca Museum, Cuzco Central Market, the Cathedral and the Koricancha or Temple of the Sun. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 04

SACRED VALLEY: Chinchero - Moray – Maras – Ollantaytambo / TRAIN to AGUAS CALIENTES (Machu Picchu)

Breakfast. Visit the Andean village of Chinchero, the archaeological area, its colonial church, the main square where you can visit its open-air artisan market (if it is a Sunday, enjoy its traditional market selling locally-made handicrafts and goods). We will also visit a textile workshop where the weavers will demonstrate their techniques and use of natural dyes. Continue to the Maras' salt mines, a salt supply station during the Inca period and still in use today, before visiting Moray's agricultural laboratory, characterized by its steep terraces with their diverse micro climates. **Lunch.**



In the afternoon, visit the Ollantaytambo fortress and then transfer to the train station for the train to Aguas Calientes town. Arrival and transfer to hotel. Rest of the afternoon free. **Dinner** and overnight at the selected hotel.

*Luggage for Machu Picchu: Due to luggage restrictions imposed by the train companies (to allow visibility through the panoramic windows), only hand luggage is allowed. **One small travel bag**, rucksack or carry-on bag per person is permitted, weighing no more than 5 kg (in addition to handbags). The remaining luggage will be taken to the hotel in Cuzco where you return to for your overnight stay.*

DAY 05

Visit to MACHU PICCHU / SACRED VALLEY

Breakfast. Early morning departure to Machu Picchu, one of the wonders of the modern world, to visit the Inca citadel before it gets busy and enjoy one of the most impressive natural spaces on the planet. Guided tour around the archaeological complex located in a unique natural setting, (the terraces, squares, temples palaces, stairways, warehouses, water fountains, including the Temple of the Sun, etc.).

Free time to enjoy the site, with the possibility to climb Huayna Picchu or Machu Picchu (book in advance). Return to Aguas Calientes by bus to walk around the market and enjoy this lively town where almost every traveler who comes to the country passes through. Depart by train for Ollantaytambo; on arrival transfer to the hotel in the Sacred Valley. **Dinner** and overnight at hotel.

Note: If you want to climb Huayna Picchu or Machu Picchu (not to be confused with the archaeological site), please ask for this to be booked when confirming your reservation. Supplement payable in advance.

Lunch is not included today so as to allow as much time as possible at the archaeological site. For morning visits, there will be time to make your own lunch arrangements after the visit, or before visiting the site if an afternoon visit is scheduled.

DAY 06

SACRED VALLEY: Pisac Market + Nearby Ruins

Breakfast. Return transfer to Cuzco, with a short stop to visit the village of Pisac and its local market. Transfer to the Hotel. Afternoon visit to the nearby ruins: Sacsayhuaman, a ceremonial fortress of monumental stones, Q'enqo, a ceremonial site where sacrifices took place, and Tambomachay, known as the Inca Baths. Panoramic tour of Puka-Pukará, a former *tambo*, a rest place for messengers, or guard post along the Inca roads. Return to the hotel. Overnight at selected hotel.

DAY 07

CUZCO / PUERTO MALDONADO / AMAZONIC JUNGLE

Breakfast. Transport to the airport to take the flight to Puerto Maldonado. Arrival, assistance and transportation to the port. Begin your adventure through the jungle traveling by motorboat on the Madre de Dios River, or Tambopata River, until you reach the chosen lodge, watching the exotic wildlife on the way. Arrival at chosen lodge and enjoy everything the surroundings have to offer as you follow the activities scheduled by the guides. **Full board.**

DAY 08

AMAZONIC JUNGLE OF PUERTO MALDONADO

Breakfast. Continue with all the activities scheduled by the lodge, allowing you to enjoy this authentic and unforgettable experience in the jungle. Activities include observing the varied wildlife and animal species in their natural habitat; walks; paddle canoeing to observe the aquatic life, diverse bird species and abundant vegetation. **Full board.**

DAY 09

JUNGLE / PUERTO MALDONADO / LIMA

Breakfast. At scheduled time return by motorboat to the port and transport to the Puerto Maldonado airport to take a regular flight to Lima. Arrival and transfer to the selected hotel. Free afternoon to visit the capital and/or enjoy Lima's cuisine.

DAY 10

LIMA / PARACAS: National reserve

Breakfast. Transfer to bus station. Departure by bus with reclining seats to the Bay of Paracas, traveling along the southern section of the Pan-American Highway. Transfer to the Hotel. Visit to the Paracas National Reserve to enjoy the cliffs and the beautiful desert and marine landscapes. We will also learn about the Paracas culture that inhabited its coasts more than 2,000 years ago, and whose legacy,





found in its necropolis, included a great variety of rich textiles which astonish the modern world today. Return to the hotel, on the shores of the Pacific Ocean. Overnight at hotel.

Note: optional dune-buggy ride across the dunes in the nearby Ica desert (not included).

DAY 11

PARACAS: Ballestas Islands / LIMA

Breakfast. Transport to the jetty. Departure by motor boat for the Ballestas Islands passing by the figure known as the Paracas Candelabra. We will continue navigating through Ballestas Islands, watching sea lions and countless birds, such as the Humboldt Penguin. Return to Lima. On arrival transfer to hotel and overnight at selected hotel.

Note: Optional flight over the Nazca Lines (not included).

DAY 12

LIMA / CITY OF ORIGIN

Breakfast. At scheduled time, transfer to airport for international flight. End of our services.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Flights must be booked in advance:
 - 1 flight: Lima / Cuzco
 - 1 flight: Cuzco / Puerto Maldonado
 - 1 flight: Puerto Maldonado / Lima

NOTE: All hotel categories include travel in Expedition class (Perú Rail) or Voyager class (Inca Rail), subject to availability. The Vistadome train is available on request - supplement applies.

RECOMMENDED EXTENSIONS

- FROM LIMA:** All extensions (at the beginning or end of the main program)
- FROM CUZCO:** Puno (EXT – 002) / Arequipa (EXT – 001)

INCLUDED	NOT INCLUDED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All airport / hotel / station transfers and vice versa in shared service. • Train category Vistadome (Peru Rail) or Vistadome (Inca Rail), depending on availability, between Ollantaytambo / Machu Picchu / Ollantaytambo or Poroy, in shared service. The Expedition train of Peru Rail is planned for the standard Tourist category. • Stay of 7 nights on accommodation and breakfast basis according to the chosen category. • Excursions and visits specified in the itinerary in shared service. • Local guides during excursions and assistance throughout the circuit. • Assistance 24 hrs. during your stay in Peru, in addition to assistance at the airport for connection to the international flight back to origin. • Tickets to the entire route. (Except for Huayna Picchu, not included). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International flights. • Domestic flights (Check the price reference table, below). • Rates of airports, ports, aerodromes, etc. • Feeding not mentioned. • Entry and reservation to Mount Huayna Picchu or Mount Machu Picchu (optional with limited places and must be confirmed when confirming the program). • Excursions not mentioned or detailed as optional, tickets to museums, monuments and others not mentioned in the program.

