THOMAS COOK INDIA LIMITED

<u>(WINTER 2024 / 2025 – VALUE)</u> 12 Nights / 13 Days

HIGHLIGHTS:

MOROCCO

Casablanca

Guided City Tour

Marrakesh

Guided City Tour

Fes

• Guided City Tour including the two of the oldest Medinas

Rabat

Guided City Tour

Chefchaouen

- Guided City Tour
- Visit the Spanish steps

Tangier

• Guided City Tour

SPAIN

Granada

• Guided tour of Alhambra Palace complex including Arab / Christian Palace and the Generalife Gardens

Cordoba

- Guided City Tour
- Entrance to Mezquita

Seville

- Guided City Tour
- Enjoy a Horse Carriage ride
- See the Flamenco show

Toledo

- Guided City Tour
- Visit Sword Factory

Madrid

- Guided City Tour
- Visit the bullring Las Ventas Plaza De Torros

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Valencia

• Guided City Tour

Barcelona

- Guided City Tour
- Visit Sagrada Familia

Montserrat

Orientation tour

ACCOMMODATION

- 2 nights at New Hotel Casablanca or similar in Casablanca, Morocco.
- 1 night at Hotel Atlas or similar in Fes, Morocco.
- 1 night at Hotel El Oumnia Puerto Hotel or similar in Tangier, **Morocco.**
- 1 nights at Hotel O Nice Caledonia or similar in Costa Del Sol, Spain.
- 1 night at Hotel Abades Nevada or similar in Granada, **Spain**.
- 1 night at Hotel Alcora or similar in Seville, **Spain**.
- 2 nights at Hotel NH / Holiday Inn / Secrotel or similar in Madrid, **Spain.**
- 1 nights at Hotel Exe Puerto de Sagunto or similar in Valencia, **Spain**.
- 2 nights at Hotel Front Air Congress / Fira Congress or similar in Barcelona, **Spain**.

MEALS

- Daily continental breakfast (Breakfast includes bread with butter, jam, cereals, juice, milk, tea and coffee)
- 09 Indian Jain / vegetarian / non-vegetarian dinners.
- 03 Local dinners.

DAYWISE ITINERARY

Day 01

Welcome to Casablanca!

On arrival, our Tour Manager / Local Representative will meet and welcome you outside the Airport. Later, we proceed to the hotel and check-in.

Overnight in Casablanca, Morocco

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Note: Joining direct passenger / NRI can check-in on your own at the hotel. The standard check-in time is 1500 hrs. We may have to proceed directly for dinner or packed dinner will be provided in case of late arrivals of flight or long queue at the immigration.



Day 02

Guided City Tour of Casablanca - Guided City Tour of Marrakesh

Today, we proceed for a Guided City Tour of Casablanca: See Royal Palace, Kasbahof Oudayas, Hassan II Mosque with free time in Boulevard de la Corniche.

Later, proceed for a guided tour of Marakkesh: See the Bahia Palace, El Badi Palace, Koutoubia Mosque & gardens, Kasbah Area, Majorelle Gardens, Free time at Jemma El Fna Square, Visit Souk El Attarin & Smata. Later we drive to Overnight in Casablanca, **Morocco**

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Day 03

Guided City Tour of Rabat - Guided City Tour of Fes

Today, we drive to Fes via Rabat. Enjoy a guided city tour of Rabat: See the Chellah, Hassan Tower, Mohammed V mausoleum, Oudayyas Kasbah. Later, proceed for a Guided City Tour of Fes: Visit the Old Madinas, See the Chouara Tannary, the exotic ancient Medina, UNESCO World Heritage Site, walk through the narrow, bustling streets and alleys that are home to brilliantly, the Bab Boujlloud Gate, En-Nejjarine Square, Es-Seffarine Square, huedsouks. Overnight in Fes, **Morocco**

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Day 04

Guided Tour of Chefchaouen – Visit Spanish Steps

Today, we drive to Chefchaouen for the Guided City Tour: See the Place Outa El Hammam, Grand Mosque, and Visit towards the Spanish Steps for the Sunset View of Chefchaouene. Later, drive to Tangier. Overnight in Tangier, **Morocco**

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Day 05

Guided City Tour of Tangier – Ferry to Algecires, Spain

Today, we drive to Tangier for a Guided City Tour: See the Spartel Cape at the extreme northwest of Africa and the Hercules Caves, linked with Hercules, the man who separated Africa from Europe. From here, you will get an exceptional view of the Strait of Gibraltar and the Atlantic Ocean as well. Later we take a ferry to Algecires, Spain. Overnight in Costa Del Sol, **Spain**

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Day 06

Granada – Guided tour of Alhambra Palace Complex including Arab / Christian Palace and Generalife GardensToday morning, we proceed to Granada and on arrival enjoy guided tour of the Alhambra Complex including Arab / Christian Palace and Genralife Gardens. Later, proceed to Mc Arthur Glen shopping outlet (if time permits) where you can enjoy great deals on designer labels.

Overnight in Granada, Spain

(B, LD)

Day 07

Guided City Tour of Cordoba – Visit Mezquita - Guided City Tour of Sevilla – Horse Carriage Ride - Flamenco Show Today, drive to Cordoba and visit Mezquita. The Mosque–Cathedral of Córdoba, officially known as the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Assumption is a former Islamic Mosque and a UNESCO world heritage site. Next, we drive to Sevilla for a Guided City Tour: See the Sevilla Tower, Sevilla Cathedral, Giralda, Santacruz Quarter followed by a horse carriage ride. Later this evening, we enjoy the traditional Flamenco show.

Overnight in Sevilla, Spain (B, D)



Day 08

Guided city tour of Toledo – Visit a Sword factory – Proceed to Madrid

Today, we proceed for a Guided city tour of Toledo: see the cathedral of Toledo, Puente San Martin, important squares and narrow winding cobblestone streets. Next, we visit a Sword factory. Later drive to Madrid. Overnight in Madrid, **Spain**

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Day 09

Guided City Tour of Madrid – Visit a Bullring

Today, we proceed for a Guided City Tour of Madrid: Visit the largest bullring of Madrid – Las Ventas Plaza De Torros, see the old town, the City Centre, Church of San Francisco El Grande, Royal Palace and many more historical and modern sites.

Overnight in Madrid, Spain

(B, D)

Day 10

Guided City Tour of Valencia

Today, we drive to Valencia. On arrival, we enjoy a Guided City Tour: See the Plaza Reina, the stunning cathedral, the central market and much more.

Overnight in Valencia, Spain

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Day 11

Guided City Tour of Barcelona – Visit Sagrada Familia

Today, we drive to Barcelona. On arrival, we enjoy a Guided City Tour: See the Olympic Village, Montjuic, Placa de Catalunya, and many more beautiful sights. Later, we visit the Sagrada Familia - the yet unfinished minor basilica, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Overnight in Barcelona, Spain

(B, D)

Note: Entrance to Sagrada Familia depends upon the availability given by the Sagrada Familia officials and may not necessarily be done on this day. In such cases, the itinerary will be amended accordingly to cover all inclusions.

Day 12

Orientation tour of Montserrat

Today, we drive to Montserrat – a multi peaked rocky range which houses the virgin of Montserrat and Spain's first national park. Next, we drive back to Barcelona and spend some free time at La Rambla - the famous tree-lined central avenue of Barcelona with cafes and souvenir shops.

Overnight in Barcelona, Spain

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Day 13

Fly back home with pleasant memories!

Today, we proceed to Barcelona airport for your flight back home. Kindly spare a few minutes to share your feedback with your Tour Manager. Your valued suggestions will be most appreciated. Arrive home with pleasant memories of your Spain and Portugal tour, which we are sure you will treasure for a lifetime.

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Note:

In major European Cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches and it's not possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.

TOUR DATES

DEPARTURE DATES – 2024 & 2025			
OCTOBER 2024	28		
NOVEMBER 2024	4		
DECEMBER 2024	23		

Surcharges will be applicable during Peak and Event periods. Kindly check with your sales officer

Tour Cost (Per Person in USD)					
Twin/ Double Room	Triple Room	Child With Bed	Child Without Bed	Single Room	
USD 2535	USD 2535	USD 2075	USD 1855	USD 3200	

WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE INCLUDES

- Sightseeing and accommodation as per the above-mentioned itinerary.
- All transfers and extensive excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by a deluxe air-conditioned coach.
- Services of a professional, friendly and multilingual Tour Manager or a local Representative. (Subject to minimum 15 customers).

WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- International Air tickets required to participate in this tour.
- Visa, Insurance, Airport & Port taxes.
- Tipping is expected from anyone providing your service e.g., Coach Driver, Local Guides, Hotel & Restaurant staff
 etc. It is mandatory to tip a nominal amount of EUR 3 per person/per day. For the entire duration of this tour,
 which is 13 Days, the total Tips amount is EUR 39 per person to be paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the
 tour.
- No porterage included.
- Any expenses of a personal nature such as porterage, laundry expenses, wines, minerSal water, food and drink not in the regular menu provided by us, minibar, telephone calls, etc.
- Meals other than that are mentioned in your itinerary.
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than that mentioned in your itinerary.
- Private airport transfers, Cost of Suggested / Optional Excursions.



VISA REQUIREMENTS

• Multiple entry Schengen visa & Morocco visa.

The cost of visa is not included in your package tour price. It would be best to check with the consulates or embassy nearest to you or travel agent for advice and information. Please ensure that your travel documents are ready in time for departure.

<u>Ticketing Requirements:</u>

For this tour you would require confirmed air tickets to arrive into Casablanca and depart from Barcelona. It would be advisable to check with your sales officer or local travel agent for ticketing.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

HOTELS

- All hotels will be either around the airport area or on the outskirts.
- The hotel room size in Europe would be up to 16 18 sq. mts.
- Most hotels in Europe have only Twin beds. The double bed will be Queen size and not King size.
- As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use rollaway beds and room size may be the same as the double room.
- For Child with bed: At times hotel don't have enough roll away beds, in that case they might give a double and a separate single room.
- A person 11.99 years and below is considered a child and 12 years and above, an adult.
- Hotel rooms may not be air conditioned / air cooled nor will fans be provided. Air conditioning / cooling in hotels are set as per European weather conditions.
- Functioning of Air cooling / Air conditioning in hotels is subject to official declaration of summer by the local authority.
- During heat wave in Europe air conditioning of the hotels and coaches may cease to function as they are not built for such high temperatures.
- Most hotels in Europe do not provide tea kettles in the rooms.
- Due to international events and trade fairs all throughout Europe such as the Air Show, music festivals, ice skating championships etc., you may have to stay in hotels further away from the city.
- In Switzerland the stay may be split in two hotels.
- Any damage caused to the hotel rooms / Coach during your stay shall be payable by the passengers.
- We also reserve the right to substitute a hotel of similar class if it is deemed advisable or necessary.
- In certain cities hotels have not started the buffet breakfasts yet and if the same does not change by the time the tours begin, we will either provide breakfast or the groups will be taken to an Indian / local restaurant for breakfast.

COACHES

- Most of your journey in Europe is by coach and hence you are requested to keep the coach clean.
- Due to hygienic reasons, it is not permitted to use toilets on the coach. However, the tour manager will make comfort stops during long drives.
- Eating & drinking is not permitted on the coach.
- One check-in bag and one handbag per person only, due to limited boot space on the coach.



- In major European cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches, and it may not be possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.
- Coaches are non-wheelchair compliant. There are steps to board / alight from the coach.
- Due to private coaches being forbidden inside most of the European cities, as per EU norms to preserve them and to avoid getting them polluted and overcrowded, most of your sightseeing will be done by local buses and on foot.

MEALS

- Meals are pre–set and a–la carte is not possible.
- On certain days, a packed lunch will be provided.

SIGHTSEEING

- On certain departures, we may sometimes amend / reverse the itinerary. However, all the services / inclusions will remain the same.
- Generally, you will have to walk to sightseeing places, amusement parks and the airports sometimes for a long distance; however, the same will be timely instructed by the Tour Manager. It is advisable to carry a good pair of comfortable sports shoes. The tour manager and the driver will do their best to get you as close to the monuments as possible.
- The Eiffel Tower on certain Days due to strong wind conditions or being overcrowded or for security reasons may be closed.
- The lifts at the Eiffel tower are currently closed due to safety. Hence the visit to the tower is only allowed by climbing the staircase. In case there is no change in the same on tour customers will be refunded the amount for the same if they chose not to climb the stairs.
- Due to stringent security checks at the Eiffel tower, it may take up to 4-5 hours in the queue.

GENERAL

- On some occasions you may have to join another group in case the group does not have adequate members.
- A local representative or a driver may only be there to assist you during your initial part of the tour.
- Security alerts and random closures might affect the itinerary.
- Please take extra care of your personal belongings while on the tour, every country you travel to is prone to thefts and bag snatching. TCIL will not be liable for any loss of belongings / baggage.
- Disabled clients should carry their own wheelchair and should be accompanied by a qualified companion who is able to provide assistance to the disabled client.
- TCIL shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, baggage loss, theft, injury, accident, death, breakdown or irregularity, which may occur in carrying out the tour arrangement, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expense must be borne by the passengers. Insurance policies must be carried while on tour.
- The management reserves the right to claim any additional expenses incurred due to delays or changes in schedules of train, airplane, bus, ship or other services.
- The Tour Manager and the company reserves the right to amend the itinerary, alter, vary or withdraw any particular departure, excursion advertised. For the convenience of our passengers, we will sometimes amend the itinerary. However, all the services will remain the same.
- There are no refunds for any services i.e., meals, sightseeing etc. not utilized on your tour.
- All optional activities will have to be booked and paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the tour. Payments to be made by cash in EURO only. (Credit or Debit cards not accepted).



- Optional tours are booked & paid on 100% non-refundable & non cancellation policy.
- GST will be applicable for all optional activities pre-paid in India.
- In case you decide to change the date of your return reservation once confirmed the exact amount payable to the airline will be advised once the same is confirmed.
- The images used in this brochure are for representation purposes only.
- Please refer to the Booking Form for detailed "Terms and Conditions".