

Grand Balkan Tour 13 Days Athens To Zagreb

Tour type	Accommodation tour	Number of Days	12 Day 11 Night (11 Night stay)
City	Athens -Budva -Dubrovnik -Meteora -Ohrid -Plitvice -Podgorica -Tirane -Zagreb		

Get ready for the ultimate Balkan adventure!

This 12-day journey takes you from the ancient wonders of Athens all the way to the charming streets of Zagreb, covering some of the most beautiful and culturally rich destinations in the Balkans.

From the monasteries of Meteora to the lakes of Ohrid, the coastal beauty of Budva & Kotor, the historic vibes of Dubrovnik & Mostar, and the unique spirit of Sarajevo — this tour is packed with unforgettable moments.

Nature, history, culture, and fun... all in one trip!

Day 1 Athens

Meeting at the airport. Check in to the Hotel.

Advice of the day : Take a short walk in the evening around Plaka – it's the perfect way to feel the spirit of Athens on your first day.

Day 2 Athens

Explore the ancient capital of Greece. Visit Acropolis, Parthenon, Temple of Zeus, Olympic Stadium, and enjoy time in Plaka & Syntagma Square.

Advice of the day : Wear comfortable shoes – Athens has a lot of walking, but every step is worth it!

Day 3 Athens Kalambaka

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Day 4 Kalambaka Ohrid

Drive towards Ohrid, one of the most charming lakeside towns in the Balkans. City tour including Ohrid Lake, Halveti Hayati Tekke, Church of St. Sophia.

Advice of the day : Enjoy a coffee by the lake at sunset – it's one of the most peaceful moments of the trip.

Day 5 Ohrid Tirana Bar Podgorica

Continue to Tirana for a city tour including Skanderbeg Square & Ethem Bey Mosque. Then head towards Montenegro via Bar and Podgorica.

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Day 6 Podgorica – Budva – Kotor – Dubrovnik

Discover the beauty of the Adriatic coast. Visit Budva Old Town and continue to Kotor, famous for its medieval walls and stunning bay.

Advice of the day : Climb a little in Kotor Old Town for the best panoramic views.

Day 7 Dubrovnik – Neum – Pocitelj – Blagaj – Mostar

Explore Dubrovnik Old Town (Stradun, Rector's Palace, Clock Tower). Continue to Bosnia & Herzegovina with stops in Pocitelj and Blagaj Tekke, ending in Mostar.

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Day 8**Mostar – Sarajevo**

Visit Mostar Old Bridge & Koski Mehmed Pasha Mosque, then continue to Sarajevo, the cultural heart of the Balkans.

Advice of the day : Walk across the Old Bridge slowly – it's more than a crossing, it's history

Day 9**Sarajevo**

Discover Sarajevo: Eternal Flame, City Hall, Gazi Husrev Bey Mosque, Bašaršija, Sebilj, and more. Optional visit to Vrelo Bosne.

Advice of the day : Try traditional Bosnian coffee in Bašaršija – served with lokum and a unique ritual

Day 10**Sarajevo – Ahmici – Travnik – Jajce – Bihac**

Visit Ahmici village, then continue to Travnik (Blue Water, Castle) and Jajce (Pliva Waterfall & Lake) before arriving in Bihac.

Advice of the day : Jajce waterfall is right in the city center – a rare and beautiful sight.

Day 11**Bihac – Plitvice Lakes – Zagreb**

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Day 12**Zagreb**

Zagreb city tour including Cathedral, Dolac Market, St. Mark's Square, followed by transfer to airport for departure.

Advice of the day : Buy some local souvenirs at Dolac Market before you leave

Services Included

All city taxes, parking, local taxes, highway charges
Bottled water per day
Dinner and lunch meals
English speaking tour escort
Entrance tickets to mentioned monuments and museums
Hotel accommodation
Hotel taxes and service charges
Local tour guides

Services Excluding

Additional meals and drinks
Airplane tickets
Gratuity to guide and driver
Hotel extras
Medical expenses
Personal expenses
Portage services
Travel insurance

Important informations**Travel Documents:**

All participants are responsible for carrying a valid passport and obtaining any required visas. Passport validity must be at least 6 months from the date of travel.

Accommodation:

Hotels are selected as 3 / 4 standard (or similar). Room types are subject to availability.

Meals:

Meals are provided as indicated in the program (B: Breakfast / L: Lunch / D: Dinner). Drinks are generally not included unless stated.

Transportation:

All transfers and intercity transportation will be operated by comfortable, air-conditioned vehicles.

Guided Tours:

Professional English-speaking tour guide will accompany the group throughout the program.

Entrance Fees:

Entrance fees to museums, monuments, and national parks may not be included unless clearly specified.

Optional Activities:

Optional tours and activities (if any) are not included in the package price and can be booked during the tour.

Itinerary Changes:

The tour program may be subject to change due to weather conditions, traffic, operational reasons, or local regulations, while maintaining the same standard and content.

Luggage:

Each participant is allowed 1 suitcase + 1 hand luggage. Please avoid excessive baggage for your comfort.

Health & Insurance:

Travel insurance is highly recommended. The organizer is not responsible for personal health issues or accidents during the tour.

Punctuality:

Guests are required to be on time at all meeting points to ensure the smooth operation of the program.

Personal Expenses:

All personal expenses such as minibar, telephone, laundry, and tips are not included.

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