



Itinerario

Detalles del viaje: 17 días



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● Día 1 · UK - Istanbul

Arrive at your UK departure airport ready to take a flight to Istanbul. Arrive in the bustling melting-pot of Istanbul, the capital of Turkey and a city of immense history, wonderful culture and delicious cuisine. Transfer to your hotel and spend the rest of your day at your leisure. Overnight stay.

● Día 2 · UK - Delhi

Arrive at UK departure airport ready to check-in for overnight flight to Delhi.

● Día 3 · Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart in the morning to visit the mosque of Suleymaniye one of the most outstanding monuments of Istanbul, as it is considered the first representation of the classical Ottoman architecture. Next, enjoy a relaxing boat trip on the Bosphorus, the channel that separates Europe and Asia. Appreciate the palaces of the Sultans, traditional wooden houses and enjoy the history from a different perspective. Head back to dry land and explore the Spice Bazaar constituted by the Ottomans 5 centuries ago and an active marketplace ever since. Enjoy free time in the bazaar before returning to the hotel for an overnight stay.

● Día 4 · Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. Today, visit the Blue Mosque considered the most intricate and perfect of the Ottoman mosques. Next, visit the majestic Topkapi Palace, residence of the sultans up until the 19th century. Now, head off to the iconic and magical Grand Bazaar and explore marvel at its sheer size and thousands of market stalls. Explore the bazaar at your leisure. Return to the hotel for an overnight stay.

● Día 5 · Istanbul

Breakfast at the hotel. Spend the day at your leisure and take the opportunity to get to know the city. We recommend an optional full day excursion to discover the Jewels of Constantinople.* Overnight stay. * Optional Jewels of Constantinople Excursion: With Lunch.

● Día 6 · Istanbul - Night on board

Breakfast at the hotel. At the indicated time, transfer to the airport for a flight to Delhi. Overnight on board.

● Día 7 · Delhi

Arrive in India's capital and transfer to hotel. Delhi is a city with a wonderful architectural legacy from its Islamic conquerers together with its spectacular historic city centre. The rest of the day free to rest or start to get to know this fascinating city. Overnight stay.

● Día 8 · Delhi - Mandawa

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart by road to Mandawa. En-route, pass through authentic villages and start to enter some of the most rural parts of India. On arrival in Mandawa, enjoy a walk through the streets of the city. See the amazing Havelis - mansions noted for their frescoes depicting images of British colonial rule. Overnight stay.

● Día 9 · Mandawa - Bikaner

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart by road through the arid lands leading to the Bikaner Desert Kingdom - a major centre of trade during the 16th century. In the afternoon visit the spectacular Junagarh Fort, with its impressively decorated interiors. Also visit Lalgarh Palace, Karni Mata Temple and Gajner. Overnight stay.

● Día 10 · Bikaner - Jaisalmer

Breakfast at the hotel. Enter the Thar Desert by road until arriving at the city of Jaisalmer. This was an important trading centre for many centuries and presently one of the few forts that is still inhabited. Transfer to the hotel and the rest of the afternoon is free for more discovery of this city. Perhaps visit the Thar Heritage Museum or the Maharaja's Palace for a taste of kingly splendour. Overnight stay.

● Día 11 · Jaisalmer

Breakfast at the hotel. Today explore further the golden city of Jaisalmer. See the magnificent Golden Fort and take a stroll through the city's lanes. There is

also plenty of time to enjoy the famous palatial features of the city and visit Tania Tower, the Havelis, Jain Temples and Gadsisar Lake. The rest of the day free to enjoy this beautiful city. Overnight stay.

● **Día 12** · Jaisalmer - Jodhpur

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue the trip towards Jodhpur, known as The Blue City and enjoy a visit to the impressive Mehrangarh Fort with its bird's eye view of the old city. Later continue to Jaswant Thada, an imposing marble cenotaph. Overnight stay in Jodhpur.

● **Día 13** · Jodhpur - Jaipur

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer by road to Jaipur. Arrive at your hotel and the rest of the day is free to start to get to know the Rose-Pink City of India. We recommend a wander through some of the markets in the area to see the unique handicrafts and jewellery on offer. Overnight stay.

● **Día 14** · Jaipur

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to Amber Fort - The Old Capital of Thunder. En-route, take a brief photo stop at Hawa Mahal - The palace of Winds. Arrive at Amber Fort by Jeep. Once inside, visit the Jag Mandir or the Hall of Victory. In the afternoon, take a city tour, beginning with a visit to the Maharaja's City Palace. Later, visit The Jantar Mantar, the largest stone and marble crafted observatory in the world. Overnight stay.

● **Día 15** · Jaipur - Fatehpur Sikri - Agra

Breakfast at the hotel. Head towards Agra. En-route, visit Fatehpur Sikri - an incredible Indian haunted city where the tombs of Panch Mahal and Salim Christi can be found. Upon arrival in Agra, visit Agra Fort - made of red sand stone and where, ensconced within, is the picture perfect Pearl Mosque. Overnight stay.

● **Día 16** · Agra - Delhi

An early start with a morning sunrise tour of the famous and spectacular Taj Mahal - one of The Seven Modern Wonders of the World. After the visit, return to the hotel for breakfast, then continue the drive to Delhi. On arrival, visit the 12th century Qutab Minar, the imposing Lakshminarayan temple. Drive past the India Gate, the President's residence, Parliament House and the Secretariat buildings. Overnight stay.

● **Día 17** · Delhi - UK

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to the airport ready to check-in for return flight back to the UK. Arrive back at UK departure airport and end your trip.

