

A Privat Day Trip to Alexandria from Alexandria

Price Starting From : \$0

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Alexandria
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Every day

If you are planning to spend a day in Alexandria, you can visit some of the most beautiful monuments and enjoy the wonderful seaside atmosphere. Here is a suggested program:

Morning: start the day with history views. Your day begins with an unforgettable visit to Qaitbay Fortress, which is located at the tip of Pharos Island, in the El Sayyala area, in the El Gomrok neighborhood, at the western end of Alexandria, and is built on the ruins of one of the Seven Wonders of the World. It is the ancient lighthouse of Alexandria, which was destroyed in 702 AD after the devastating earthquake during the reign of Sultan Al-Nasser Muhammad bin Qalawun, and Sultan Al-Ashraf Abu Al-Nasr Qaitbay began to build this castle in 882 AD and completed its construction in 884 AD. The castle offers an enchanting view of the Mediterranean Sea and the port of Alexandria. Enjoy strolling around the castle and taking magnificent photos.

After that, we explored the Library of Alexandria. A masterpiece of modern architecture that pays homage to the heritage of the ancient library, it houses small museums, art galleries, and various scientific departments. You can explore rare manuscripts and permanent exhibits.

You will also have the opportunity to visit the Royal Gardens of Montazah Palace, a perfect place to relax amidst the greenery with a beautiful view of the sea. You can visit the Montazah Palace from the outside and stroll through its extensive gardens.

This program guarantees you an enjoyable day in Alexandria between historical landmarks, leisure activities, and enjoying the charming maritime atmosphere.

Overview

Inclusion

- Meet and greet service from your hotel and return to Alexandria.
- Transfers are all in a private, air-conditioned Cairo Top Tours vehicle.
- Tickets for all sightseeing tours are mentioned in the itinerary above.
- A private Egyptologist guide.
- Complimentary bottled water during your Egypt Day Tours.
- All taxes and service charges.
- Shopping tours in Cairo

Exclusion

- Anything not mentioned in the previous day's tour.
- Tipping.
- Expenses for personal activities.
- Rates are applicable during Christmas and New Year tours in Egypt or Easter tours in Egypt.

[Itinerary](#)

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Amazing one-day excursion to Alexandria

Our knowledgeable escorts will pick you up from your Alexandria hotel and drive you to your destination in a cozy, air-conditioned vehicle.

Enjoy a wonderful start to the day by going to the Bahri area's Qaitbay Castle. The lighthouse was built on the location of the old Alexandria lighthouse, which was demolished in 1307 following the catastrophic earthquake that struck Alexandria. This castle, according to Sultan Ashraf Abu al-Nasr Qaitbay, was constructed between 1468 and 1496. The castle's southwest side is home to the main entrance, which includes two towers and a three-quarter circle design. Additionally, the citadel's two walls represent its two defensive zones: defense towers on all four sides of the outer wall and barracks and weaponry stores on the inner wall.

After that, you will get the chance to take in Montazah Park, one of Alexandria's inspirational gardens, which is situated in the Montazah neighborhood. The about 370-acre palace complex has two palaces in its yard. The Salamalak Palace, which is now a hotel, was constructed in 1892 by Khedive Abbas Helmy II as a place of burial. Built by King Fouad I in 1925 as a summer residence for the royal family and currently used as one of the Egyptian presidential palaces, the palace includes large areas of gardens with three hotels, restaurants, a tourist center, playgrounds, chalets, lakes, and five beaches.

Our experienced guide will lead you on yet another incredible adventure to the Kom al-Shoqafa, one of Alexandria's Roman cemeteries located in the Karmouz neighborhood west of the city. Kom al-Shoqafa is located in the area where the Romans called it, Rakotis, the village where it was established. It was given this name in resuscitation of the ancient Greek name "Logos Keramikos" and in resuscitation of the ancient Pharaonic name ra-gadit, as stated in a hieroglyphic inscription from the time of Ptolemy I. Rakotis is the village's name.

Then we will visit the Bibliotheca of Alexandrina, which is a modern architectural masterpiece that pays homage to the heritage of the ancient library. It houses small museums, art galleries, and various scientific departments. On this trip, you can also explore rare manuscripts and permanent exhibitions.

We conclude our excursions with an ideal visit to Pompey's Pillar, an ancient Roman column located in the city of Alexandria, Egypt, and is one of its most famous monuments. It was erected on the hill of Bab Sidra, between the present Muslim burial area known as the Tombs of the Column and the ancient plateau of Kom al-Shawqafa.

Finally, we will take you back to your hotel in Alexandria.

Meals included: lunch at one of our local restaurants in Alexandria.

