

Itinerary

8 Day Pearls of The Arabian Gulf Cruise

*IMPORTANT NOTE: Any extra nights, optional tours or other amendments, will not be visible on this itinerary.

Day 1: Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Welcome to Dubai, a city where modern innovation meets opulence and excitement. Marvel at world-famous landmarks, including the tallest building on the planet, or immerse yourself in the lively atmosphere of bustling markets filled with unique finds. If shopping is your passion, explore luxury boutiques showcasing high-end brands, or indulge in Dubai's renowned culinary scene, offering an array of flavours for every food lover. Take in the vibrant streets and let the energy of this dazzling desert oasis set the stage for an unforgettable journey.

MEALS: Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

Day 2: Dubai

Spend the day uncovering more of Dubai's incredible attractions. Begin with a look at the city's iconic skyline, a symbol of modern innovation and ambition. Wander through the traditional souks, alive with vibrant colours, exotic scents, and unique treasures waiting to be found. If luxury is on your mind, indulge in world-class shopping or relax in one of Dubai's renowned cafes. Enjoy a culinary journey with a mix of local and international flavours as you dine in style.

As the day unfolds, let Dubai's remarkable blend of tradition and modernity captivate and energise you for the adventures to come.

DEPARTURE TIME: 4pm

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

Conquer the Dunes (Half Day)

See Dubai from Its Tallest Tower (Morning Half Day)

Day 3: Sir Bani Yas, United Arab Emirates

Discover the enchanting beauty of Sir Bani Yas Island, a sanctuary where nature and luxury come together on the shores of the Persian Gulf. As part of the Al Dhafra desert islands, this unique destination offers unforgettable encounters with wildlife at the Arabian Wildlife Park, home to gazelles, giraffes, hyenas, and cheetahs roaming freely. Immerse yourself in the island's heritage, stroll through scenic trails, or relax on pristine beaches, ideal for sunbathing, snorkelling, or spotting flamingos in the peaceful lagoon near Al Yamm beach. Sir Bani Yas is a paradise for nature enthusiasts and those seeking tranquillity.

ARRIVAL TIME: 9am

DEPARTURE TIME: 7pm

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

Dig into Ancient History (Half Day)

Get Closer to Nature (4x4) (Half Day)

Get Closer to Nature (Safari Game Viewer Truck) (Half Day)

Day 4: Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

Immerse yourself in the beauty and culture of Abu Dhabi, the vibrant capital of the UAE. Located on an island and seamlessly connected to the mainland by bridges, this stunning city offers a perfect mix of breathtaking architecture and serene coastlines. Relax on pristine beaches under the warm winter sun, enjoy luxurious waterfront hospitality, or explore Abu Dhabi's iconic landmarks, where tradition and innovation blend seamlessly. With so much to see and do, this is a day of discovery and unforgettable experiences.

ARRIVAL TIME: 8am

DEPARTURE TIME: 5pm

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

Abu Dhabi by Show (Half Day)

Delicious Dates and Tasty Cakes (Half Day)

Explore the Icons of Abu Dhabi (Half Day)

Feel the Thrill of the Daytime Desert Safari (Half Day)

The Best of Abu Dhabi (Half Day)

Day 5: Khalifa Bin Salman, Bahrain

Nestled in the heart of the Persian Gulf, Bahrain offers a captivating blend of tradition and modernity. As your ship docks at Khalifa Bin Salman port, step into a destination where rich history meets contemporary luxury. Wander through lively souks filled with the aroma of exotic spices and vibrant treasures, or delve into Bahrain's heritage by exploring ancient forts and the fascinating Bahrain National Museum. Treat yourself to the delicious flavours of local cuisine and unwind on pristine beaches. Bahrain promises a memorable adventure for travellers of all interests.

ARRIVAL TIME: 11am

DEPARTURE TIME: 6pm

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

Off-road Adventures at the Bahrain International Circuit (Half Day)

Retrace the Historic Pearling Pathway (Half Day)

See All the Sights of the City (Half Day)

Thrills and Spills at a World-Class Karting Track (Half Day)

Mosques, Museum and Mezze in Manama (Full Day)

The Bahrain Grand Tour (Full Day)

Day 6: Doha, Qatar

Discover the dynamic city of Doha, where tradition seamlessly blends with modern innovation. Explore the bustling souks to find spices, textiles, and unique treasures, or indulge in retail therapy at the city's luxury shopping malls. Take in the breathtaking skyline of futuristic skyscrapers as you enjoy a leisurely stroll along the Corniche. Wrap up your day by savouring international cuisines at one of Doha's lively waterfront cafes or restaurants. With its rich cultural heritage and modern flair, Doha offers something for everyone.

ARRIVAL TIME: 8am

DEPARTURE TIME: 11pm

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

A Cultural Journey Through Doha (Half Day)

A Day to Play on the Beach (Full Day)

Art, Culture and Afternoon Tea (Half Day)

Cruise Along the Coastline (Half Day)

Discover Doha Your Way (Full Day or Half Day)

Doha: Past, Present, and Future (Half Day)

Master the Museums: Art, Heritage, and Sport (Half Day)

Mix It Up in Doha (Half Day)

Off-road Quest to an Inland Sea (Half Day)

Day 7: At Sea

Spend a relaxing day cruising through the Arabian Gulf. Make the most of the ship's facilities—whether it's lounging by the pool, enjoying a spa treatment, or joining in on the onboard activities. Treat yourself to delicious meals, take in the stunning ocean views, or simply kick back with a good book. It's the perfect chance to unwind and reflect on the amazing experiences from your trip so far.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

Day 8: Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Return to the dazzling city of Dubai, where modern luxury meets Arabian charm. Admire the iconic skyline, home to the world's tallest building, or wander through the vibrant souks, packed with treasures and unique finds. Treat yourself to world-class shopping or savour the city's diverse culinary offerings, from gourmet dining to authentic street food. Take a final stroll through Dubai's lively streets and soak up the energy of this desert oasis as you conclude your Arabian adventure in style.

ARRIVAL TIME: 7am

MEALS: Breakfast

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

See Dubai from its tallest tower (afternoon) (Half Day)

Sunset and stars among the sand dunes (Half Day)

The new wonders of Dubai (Half Day)

Historic Dubai (Half Day)

Inside Burj al Arab (AE) - English Only

La Perle - The Magic of Dubai Night (AE) - English Only