Itinerary

17 Day Spain, Portugal and Morocco Cruise with Flights

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

Day 1: Depart Australia

Today you will depart Australia for your flight to Spain.

IMPORTANT FLIGHT NOTE:

Depending on airline schedules, you may be required to depart on Day 0.

Flights may transit through the Middle East. Airlines may include Emirates, Qatar Airways, Etihad Airways or similar.

If you do not wish to travel with a specific airline or via a specific region, please advise MyHoliday2 in your booking notes.

Alternative flights are subject to availability and may incur surcharges, longer travel times or less direct routing.

MEALS: In-flight

OVERNIGHT: In-flight

Day 2: Arrive Barcelona, Spain ~ Tarragona ~ Embark Ship

Welcome to Barcelona, Spain! Upon arrival at Barcelona Airport, join your scheduled transfer to the port of Tarragona, located approximately 90 kilometres south of Barcelona, to begin your Mediterranean cruise aboard Celestyal Discovery.

Transfers are scheduled from Barcelona Airport to Tarragona at 10:00 am, 12:00 pm and 2:00 pm. Depending on your flight arrival time, you may need to wait at the airport until the next scheduled transfer. Alternatively, if you prefer not to wait or your flight arrives outside these times, you can make your own way to Tarragona at your own expense.

Upon arrival at the port, complete the check-in formalities and board Celestyal Discovery, your home for the coming nights. Take some time to settle into your cabin, explore the ship's facilities and enjoy the atmosphere as you prepare for your Mediterranean adventure.

Later, enjoy your first dinner onboard and look forward to discovering the beautiful destinations, fascinating history and diverse cultures of the Mediterranean.

PLEASE NOTE: Transfers operate at scheduled times only and are subject to availability and operational requirements. If you are booking your own flights, please ensure your arrival time allows sufficient time to reach Tarragona and complete cruise check-in before embarkation closes.

MEALS: Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

Day 3: Tarragona, Spain

Enjoy a day in Tarragona, with time to explore its Roman ruins, historic streets and Mediterranean waterfront. Discover the city independently or join one of the optional excursions available.

Choose a walking tour through Tarragona's Roman heritage, visit the city's key landmarks and museum, or experience the surrounding wine region. Return to Celestyal Discovery before departing Spain this evening.

DEPARTURE: 6pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Panoramic Tarragona & Museum*
- *Tarragona Walking Tour: A Journey Through Roman Heritage*
- *Tarragona Wine Tasting*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 4: At Sea

Spend a relaxing day at sea as Celestyal Discovery continues its journey towards southern Spain. Enjoy a slower pace while exploring the ship's restaurants, lounges and onboard facilities.

Take part in scheduled activities, enjoy live entertainment or simply unwind while taking in the Mediterranean views. This evening, enjoy dinner onboard before arriving in Málaga tomorrow morning.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

Day 5: Málaga, Spain

Arrive in Málaga, a vibrant city on Spain's Costa del Sol known for its historic centre, lively waterfront and rich Andalusian culture. Explore the old town, visit the impressive cathedral or discover the city's connection to artist Pablo Picasso.

Choose from optional excursions featuring Málaga's historic landmarks, traditional flamenco and local cuisine. You may also travel inland to explore the dramatic landscapes and historic streets of Ronda before returning to the ship.

ARRIVAL: 8am

DEPARTURE: 11:30pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Historic Málaga & Flamenco Fusion Experience*
- *Historical Ronda*
- *Panoramic Málaga, Car Museum & Tapas at El Pimpi*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 6: Gibraltar, British Territory

Arrive in Gibraltar, a unique British territory located at the entrance to the Mediterranean. Explore its lively town centre, discover its military history or enjoy views across the Strait of Gibraltar towards North Africa.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing the destination's famous landmarks, including the Rock of Gibraltar and its resident Barbary macaques. You may also discover the city's historic fortifications or sample locally produced gin.

ARRIVAL: 7am

DEPARTURE: 6pm (7pm for 2027 itinerary)

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *City Under Siege*
- *Panoramic Gibraltar & Gin Tasting Experience*
- *Rock of Gibraltar*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 7: Melilla, Spain (2027)

Arrive in Melilla, a fascinating Spanish coastal city located on the northern shores of Africa. Discover its distinctive blend of Spanish and North African influences, historic fortifications and elegant Modernist architecture.

Explore the fortified old town of Melilla la Vieja, stroll along the waterfront or browse the city's lively streets and local cafés. Return to Celestyal Discovery before continuing your journey towards Cádiz.

ARRIVAL: 8am

DEPARTURE: 6pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

Day 8: Cádiz, Spain

Arrive in Cádiz, one of Europe's oldest cities and a charming gateway to southern Spain. Explore its atmospheric old town, historic plazas, impressive cathedral and scenic Atlantic waterfront.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing Cádiz and the surrounding Andalusian countryside. Discover nearby Jerez de la Frontera or visit the region's picturesque white villages before returning to the ship.

ARRIVAL: 10am (8am for 2027 itinerary)

DEPARTURE: 6pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Cádiz Panoramic and Walking Tour*
- *Panoramic Cádiz & Jerez de la Frontera*
- *White Villages & Countryside*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 9: Lisbon, Portugal

Arrive in Lisbon this afternoon, where colourful neighbourhoods, historic trams and grand waterfront landmarks create one of Europe's most distinctive capitals. Explore the cobbled streets of Alfama, visit the elegant squares of Baixa or enjoy views across the Tagus River.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing Lisbon's history, culture and traditional music. Discover the city on foot or by tram, then experience an atmospheric evening of authentic Portuguese fado.

ARRIVAL: 1:30pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Fado Evening*
- *Tram Tour*
- *Lisbon Walking Tour*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 10: Lisbon, Portugal

Enjoy another day discovering Lisbon's colourful neighbourhoods, historic landmarks and scenic viewpoints. Wander through the atmospheric streets of Alfama, explore the riverside district of Belém or relax in one of the city's traditional cafés.

Choose from optional excursions exploring Lisbon by foot or historic tram. You may also venture beyond the capital to Óbidos, a beautifully preserved medieval town surrounded by ancient walls.

DEPARTURE: 6pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Tram Tour*
- *Lisbon Walking Tour*
- *Óbidos*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 11: Tangier, Morocco

Arrive in Tangier, a captivating Moroccan port where European and North African influences meet. Explore the atmospheric medina, browse colourful markets or enjoy views across the Strait of Gibraltar.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing Tangier's cultural landmarks and surrounding coastal scenery. Visit Cap Spartel and the Hercules Caves, discover the city's highlights or travel to historic Tetouan.

ARRIVAL: 1:30pm

DEPARTURE: 7:30pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Cap Spartel and Hercules Caves Panoramic Tour*
- *Tangier Highlights*
- *Tetouan*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 12: At Sea

Enjoy a leisurely day at sea as Celestyal Discovery continues its journey towards Spain. Take time to relax and explore the ship's restaurants, lounges and onboard facilities.

Join the scheduled activities, enjoy live entertainment or unwind while taking in the surrounding sea views. This evening, enjoy dinner onboard before arriving in Valencia tomorrow morning.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

Day 13: Valencia, Spain

Arrive in Valencia, a vibrant coastal city where historic architecture meets striking modern design. Explore the atmospheric Old Town, visit the bustling Central Market or admire the futuristic City of Arts and Sciences.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing Valencia's cultural traditions, silk-trading heritage and famous Las Fallas festival. Return to Celestyal Discovery before continuing your journey this evening.

ARRIVAL: 8am

DEPARTURE: 6pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Fallas of Valencia: An Intangible Heritage of Humanity*

- *A Glimpse of Valencia*
- *Silk Route Tour*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 14: Palma de Mallorca, Spain

Arrive in Palma de Mallorca, the vibrant capital of the Balearic Islands. Explore its charming historic centre, impressive waterfront and magnificent Gothic cathedral overlooking the Mediterranean.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing the island's cultural landmarks, picturesque villages and natural wonders. Visit the famous Drach Caves, explore Valldemossa or discover Palma's historic treasures before returning to the ship.

ARRIVAL: 8am

DEPARTURE: 5pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *Cathedral, Balaguer Palace & Can Joan de S'Aigo*
- *Palma & the Drach Caves*
- *Valldemossa*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 15: Sète, France

Arrive in Sète, a picturesque port town in southern France known for its canals, colourful waterfront and fresh seafood. Explore the charming streets, browse the local markets or relax beside the lively harbour.

Choose from optional excursions showcasing the region's remarkable history and architecture. Visit Montpellier, explore the medieval city of Carcassonne or discover the Roman heritage of Nîmes and the Pont du Gard.

ARRIVAL: 10:30am

DEPARTURE: 7pm

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Discovery

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

- *A Stroll Through Sète*
- *Medieval City of Carcassonne*
- *Montpellier Discovery*
- *Nîmes & Pont du Gard*

Optional excursions are subject to availability, change and minimum participation requirements.

Day 16: Tarragona, Spain ~ Disembark Cruise ~ Barcelona Airport

Arrive in Tarragona this morning as your Mediterranean cruise comes to an end. Enjoy your final breakfast onboard before saying farewell to the crew and preparing to disembark Celestyal Discovery.

After disembarkation, you will be transferred from the port of Tarragona to Barcelona Airport, approximately 90 kilometres away. Upon arrival at the airport, make your way to the hotel's complimentary airport shuttle service for your transfer to INNSiDE by Meliá Barcelona Aeropuerto, where you will spend the night.

Once you have arrived at the hotel, the remainder of the day is yours to enjoy at leisure. You may choose to relax at the hotel after your cruise or make your own way into Barcelona to explore the city's famous attractions, shops and restaurants. Alternatively, enjoy a quiet afternoon before your onward journey tomorrow.

PLEASE NOTE: The transfer from Tarragona will drop you at Barcelona Airport, not directly at your hotel. From here, you will need to use the hotel's airport shuttle service. Shuttle operating times and pickup arrangements should be confirmed with the hotel.

ARRIVAL: 9:30 am

BERTH TYPE: Dock

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: INNSiDE by Meliá Barcelona Aeropuerto or similar

Day 17: Depart Barcelona

After breakfast, check out of your hotel and take advantage of the hotel's airport shuttle service for your transfer to Barcelona Airport.

Upon arrival at the airport, check in for your return flight to Australia. Relax onboard as you begin your journey home, taking with you wonderful memories of your Mediterranean adventure.

PLEASE NOTE: The hotel airport shuttle operates at scheduled times. Please confirm the shuttle timetable with reception and allow sufficient time for airport check-in and security before your flight.

MEALS: Breakfast, In-flight meals

OVERNIGHT: In flight