

## "10 Days Enchanting Turkey"

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### Entry & Exit Details

- **Entry:** Istanbul Airport (IST)
  - **Exit:** Istanbul Airport (IST)
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### Tour Highlights

- Explore the vibrant city of Istanbul
  - Visit the ancient ruins of Ephesus
  - Discover the stunning landscapes of Cappadocia
  - Relax at Pamukkale's thermal pools
  - Experience the rich culture and cuisine
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### Cities Covered with Details & Days

- **Istanbul:** 3 days
    - Major attractions: Hagia Sophia, Blue Mosque, Grand Bazaar
  - **Cappadocia:** 3 days
    - Major attractions: Göreme National Park, hot air balloon ride
  - **Pamukkale:** 2 days
    - Major attractions: Cotton Castle, Hierapolis
  - **Ephesus (Selçuk):** 2 days
    - Major attractions: Ephesus Ancient City, Temple of Artemis
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## Best Time to Visit

- **Spring (April - June):** Pleasant temperatures and blooming landscapes
  - **Fall (September - November):** Mild weather and fewer tourists
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## Itinerary with Timing (Including Popular & Offbeat Places)

### Day 1: Arrival in Istanbul

- Arrive at Istanbul Airport
- Transfer to hotel
- Evening: Explore the Sultanahmet area

### Day 2: Istanbul

- Morning: Visit Hagia Sophia
- Afternoon: Explore the Blue Mosque and Hippodrome
- Evening: Stroll through the Grand Bazaar

### Day 3: Istanbul

- Morning: Visit Topkapi Palace
- Afternoon: Take a Bosphorus cruise
- Evening: Dinner at a local restaurant

### Day 4: Travel to Cappadocia

- Morning: Fly from Istanbul to Kayseri or Nevşehir
- Afternoon: Visit Göreme Open-Air Museum
- Evening: Explore Ürgüp town

### Day 5: Cappadocia

- Early morning: Hot air balloon ride (weather permitting)
- Afternoon: Visit Pasabag Valley and Devrent Valley
- Evening: Traditional Turkish night show

### **Day 6: Cappadocia**

- Morning: Explore Kaymaklı or Derinkuyu Underground City
- Afternoon: Hike in Ihlara Valley
- Evening: Visit local pottery workshops

### **Day 7: Travel to Pamukkale**

- Morning: Drive or fly from Cappadocia to Pamukkale
- Afternoon: Visit Hierapolis Ancient City
- Evening: Relax in the thermal pools of Pamukkale

### **Day 8: Pamukkale**

- Morning: Visit the Cotton Castle (travertines)
- Afternoon: Free time for swimming in Cleopatra's Pool
- Evening: Local dining experience

### **Day 9: Travel to Ephesus**

- Morning: Drive from Pamukkale to Ephesus (approx. 3 hours)
- Afternoon: Visit Ephesus Ancient City
- Evening: Explore the town of Selçuk

### **Day 10: Departure from Istanbul**

- Morning: Visit the Temple of Artemis and St. John's Basilica
- Afternoon: Transfer back to Istanbul Airport for departure

## Sightseeing to Be Done

- Hagia Sophia
  - Ephesus Ancient City
  - Pamukkale's thermal pools
  - Hot air balloon ride in Cappadocia
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## Indian Restaurants in Respective Cities

- **Istanbul:**
    - **Doy Doy Restaurant**
      - Contact: +90 212 527 4888
  - **Cappadocia (Göreme):**
    - **Topdeck Cave Restaurant**
      - Contact: +90 384 271 2440
  - **Pamukkale:**
    - **White House Restaurant**
      - Contact: +90 258 272 2284
  - **Selçuk (Ephesus):**
    - **Mehmet and Ali Baba Kebab House**
      - Contact: +90 232 892 3550
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## Internal Transportation

- **Flights:** Istanbul to Kayseri/Nevşehir, and return flights
  - **Buses/Private transfers:** Between cities as per itinerary
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## Hotel Options Based on 3, 4, & 5 Star

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- **Istanbul:**
  - **3-star:** Sultanahmet Palace Hotel
  - **4-star:** Sirkeci Mansion
  - **5-star:** Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at Sultanahmet
- **Cappadocia:**
  - **3-star:** Göreme Village Cave Hotel
  - **4-star:** Sultan Cave Suites
  - **5-star:** Museum Hotel Cappadocia
- **Pamukkale:**
  - **3-star:** Venus Suite Hotel
  - **4-star:** Doga Thermal Health & Spa
  - **5-star:** Richmond Pamukkale Thermal
- **Selçuk (Ephesus):**
  - **3-star:** Hotel Censka
  - **4-star:** Ephesus Boutique Hotel
  - **5-star:** Korumar Ephesus Beach & Resort Hotel

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## Distance Chart

- Istanbul to Cappadocia: Approx. 730 km (1.5 hours flight)
- Cappadocia to Pamukkale: Approx. 600 km (8 hours by bus)
- Pamukkale to Ephesus: Approx. 180 km (3 hours by car)

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## FAQs with Currency Conversion to INR (1 Euro = 90 INR)

- **What is the local currency?** Turkish Lira (TRY)
- **Do I need a visa for Turkey?** Yes, Indian passport holders need an e-visa
- **Is English widely spoken?** Yes, especially in tourist areas
- **Currency conversion example:** 1 TRY = 13 INR

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### Nearby Countries One Can Club with This One (with Distance)

- **Greece:** Approx. 300 km (by ferry)
- **Bulgaria:** Approx. 400 km (by bus)
- **Georgia:** Approx. 1,500 km (by flight)

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### Weather

- **Spring:** 10°C - 20°C
- **Autumn:** 15°C - 25°C

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### Airlines Ex Mumbai

- Turkish Airlines, Qatar Airways, Emirates (with connections)

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### Approximate Pricing in Indian Rupees

- **Per person cost (Ex Mumbai):** Approx. INR 1.2 lakh - INR 2 lakh (depending on hotels and inclusions)

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