



TOUR PROGRAM



SYRIA

Damascus Expedition (4 NIGHTS 5 DAYS)



DATES

14-18 Nov 2026



DURATION

5 Days • 4 Nights



BOOK BY

12 November 2026

01 About the Tour

SYRIA TOURISM OVERVIEW

"From sacred Damascus to Busra, an ancient journey molded by the breath of the Companions..."

Syria is a blessed land that carries the footsteps of the prophets, the devotion of the Companions, and the deepest traces of Islamic civilization. Sacred Damascus, the Umayyad Mosque, the shrine of John the Baptist (peace be upon him), and the mausoleum of Saladin are centers of blessing. Busra is the blessed city where the monk Bahira announced to our Prophet (peace be upon him) his prophethood.

Aleppo is a fortress of civilization with its ancient markets and the Grand Mosque.

Homs carries the pride of the Companions through the mausoleum of Khalid ibn al-Walid (may Allah be pleased with him).

Hama stands out with its historic water wheels and Ottoman heritage.

Idlib is the city of patience, entrusted with the traces of the Companions and their successors.

Each stop on this ancient route offers visitors an unforgettable journey filled with both history and spirituality.

ROUTE

Aleppo

Hama

Damascus

Idlib

Per person

725 \$

in a double room



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02 Day by Day

01

1. DAY

November 14, Saturday

📍 Hatay · Aleppo

After airport exit procedures, we board the bus that will greet us and head towards the Syria border crossing. Our journey begins with crossing into Syrian territory via Hatay. After customs procedures, we continue to Aleppo following breakfast in Idlib. Upon arrival in Aleppo, we enter the city through the Antakya Gate where the army under the command of Ubeydah ibn al-Jarrah entered, and we visit the armor mosque where the soldiers removed and rested their armor. Then, after visiting the ancient covered bazaar belonging to ancient civilizations, we visit Aleppo Citadel. Inside the fortress, we explore the mosque, bathhouses, remains of an ancient theater, and old residential areas, following the traces of urban life shaped over centuries within these walls. After visiting the citadel, following a visit to the Tahhan inn from the Ottoman period, we head to the ancient Dakka inn, and in the final part of the day, we visit the Soap House (Hân-ı Sâbûn) where Aleppo soap, which has maintained its reputation and quality for centuries, is produced. Through this visit, the trading culture and craft traditions of Aleppo are more closely appreciated. In the evening upon arrival in Aleppo, after dinner, we settle into the hotel and the day's fatigue ends with rest.

02

2. DAY

November 15, Sunday

📍 Aleppo · Hama · Homs

Departing from our hotel, we head to the city of Hama and have our breakfast overlooking the historic water mills. After breakfast, in Hama, a city that carries the traces of ancient history and known for knowledge and justice, we visit the historic water wheels (Nâûralar) that have become the symbol of the city and for centuries have brought water from the Asi River to the city, as well as the arches that complete this water system. These engineering marvels reveal Islamic civilization's harmonious understanding of cities with nature and the value given to water. Subsequently, we visit the Nureddin Zengi Mosque, then explore the painters' street in the ancient city. We see the remains of the destroyed Hama fortress, and then visit the Hama Grand Mosque.

Afterwards, we travel to the city of Homs.

In Homs, we visit the mosque containing the mausoleum of Khalid ibn al-Walid (may Allah be pleased with him), the great commander of Islamic conquests. In this exceptional place, alongside Khalid ibn al-Walid (may Allah be pleased with him), we also visit the graves of the Companions located within the same mosque and offer prayers.

After the visit, we explore Homs' historic bazaar, Ottoman bathhouse, city square, and clock tower. Later in the program, we have dinner at an appropriate venue and set out towards Damascus, arriving in Damascus in the evening, settling into the hotel and completing the day.

03

3. DAY

November 16, Monday

📍 Homs · Damascus

Within Damascus' historic texture, the Hejaz Train Station represents the Ottoman Empire's ideal of binding the nation together through engineering and will, while the Palace of Justice reflecting the city's administrative memory carries traces of legal and state traditions. We visit the great Companion Abu al-Darda (may Allah be pleased with him), while the Hamidiyah Bazaar, which for centuries has been the heart of commerce and social life, lets visitors feel Damascus' living spirit. A brief stop in the bazaar at the famous Bekdash Ice Cream parlor turns into a sweet memory with a flavor unique to Damascus. The Umayyad Mosque, one of Islam's most exceptional houses of worship, brings together the footsteps of the prophets and the collective memory of the nation in the same courtyard; right beside it, the tomb of Saladin reminds of the legacy of justice and humility of the conqueror of Jerusalem. The Turkish Martyr Pilots Monument, preserving the memory of heroes who gave their lives for homeland and sacred values in the Ottoman's final period, strengthens the bond between history

and loyalty. We visit the tomb of Sayyida Ruqayya, daughter of Hussein (peace be upon him). The Azem Palace, one of the most elegant examples of Ottoman civil architecture in Damascus, displays the city's cultural and administrative grandeur, while the tomb of Nureddin Zengi, a leader of Islamic unity against the Crusaders, reminds of a moral cause that inspired Saladin. After dinner, we retire to our hotel for accommodation.

4. DAY

04

November 17, Tuesday

📍 Damascus

After breakfast at our hotel, following our visit to Mevlana Halid al-Baghdadi (may Allah be merciful to him), the founder of the Khalidiyya branch of the Naqshbandi order, the tomb of Shaykh Muhyiddin Ibn al-Arabi, one of the pinnacle names of Sufi thought, witnesses the uninterrupted journey of knowledge, wisdom, and spiritual knowledge continuing for centuries; the shrine of Sayyida Zaynab (may Allah be pleased with her), from the blessed figures of Ahl al-Bayt, leaves a deep mark in hearts as a symbol of patience and resistance. The cemetery of Bâbüssağır, one of the most spiritual stations of the program, with the graves of Muawiyah (may Allah be pleased with him), Bilal al-Habashi (may Allah be pleased with him), our mother Hafsa, Umm Salamah (may Allah be pleased with her), Umm Habibah (may Allah be pleased with her), and many Companions and great figures of Islam, transforms Damascus into a living history book. We visit the Sinaniye Mosque built by Sinan Pasha during the Ottoman period. After the scheduled free time, we meet for dinner and subsequently accommodation.

5. DAY

05

November 18, Wednesday

📍 Damascus · Maarrat al-Numan · Idlib · Hatay

After breakfast, we continue the program to Maarat al-Numan. In this town, remembered throughout history for knowledge and justice, we visit the modest mausoleum of Caliph Umar ibn Abd al-Aziz (may Allah have mercy on him), who held an exceptional place among Umayyad caliphs and was called the "fifth Rightly Guided Caliph". This visit becomes a moment of deep contemplation where the position is forgotten in favor of justice; power is forgotten in favor of the consciousness of trusteeship.

Following the visits, we travel towards the border crossing via Idlib. We have our meal along the way. After completing customs procedures, we arrive at Hatay Airport and Bus Station by 6:00 PM at the latest. We complete this blessed journey, molded by truth, history, and spirituality.

03 Services

INCLUDED

- ✓ Hatay Airport / Bus Station Pick-up and Drop-off
- ✓ 4 Hotel Nights (Breakfast Included)
- ✓ 5 Dinners
- ✓ Visa Fee
- ✓ Execution of Specified Tours
- ✓ Aleppo Citadel and Azm Palace Entrance Fees
- ✓ Bus Transfers
- ✓ Headphone Service
- ✓ Mandatory Travel Insurance
- ✓ Turkish-speaking Guide Service

NOT INCLUDED

- ✗ Istanbul / Hatay Flights and Bus Tickets
- ✗ Lunch
- ✗ Overseas Exit Fee
- ✗ All Beverages
- ✗ Personal Expenses
- ✗ Hotel Extras

Important Information

Meeting at Hatay Airport or Bus Station at the Specified Date and Time

On the evening of day 5, seeing off passengers at the airport or bus station according to flight times

For guests who wish to register for our trip, after completing the registration form and sending a passport photo, after making a \$250 advance payment to the specified account, the registration process will be completed.

Cancellation Terms

Once the group is confirmed and advance payment is received, the cancellation terms and protocols of the hotels and airlines apply.

Cancellations notified 30 days before the travel date will receive a full refund.

Cancellations 15 days before will incur the cost of the flight ticket and visa fee if applicable.

Cancellations less than 8 days before the travel date will forfeit the entire payment.

For any reason if a passenger cannot travel (missed flight, passport confiscated, etc.), no refund will be provided.

Visa application will be made by us, and if the visa is not granted, all payments will be refunded.

04 Prices

ROOM / GUEST	PER PERSON
Double room, per person	725 \$
Single room supplement	+ 300 \$
Child (2–12 years)	650 \$
Infant (0–2 years)	200 \$

Prices are per person and valid as of the date this document was created; check the tour page for current prices.

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