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Rugged volcanic landscapes, strange and exotic plant life, unusual creatures that have evolved in total isolation; the Galapagos Islands are like nothing you have ever seen before. When combined with a tour visiting Peruvian icons including Lima, Cusco, and Machu Picchu, you have the makings of a once-in-a-lifetime adventure that will continue to inspire long after the journey ends.

This 22 day package takes in the once-forgotten 15th century Inca ruins of Machu Picchu, and includes time to explore the cities of Lima and Cusco at leisure. Tour the Sacred Valley and the ruins of Pisac; visit Lake Titicaca and sail to Taquile Island; and get a taste of daily life on a traditional homestay on Luquina Island. Then, enjoy a five night adventure in the exotic Galapagos Islands, where you can snorkel in Academy Bay, and explore Santa Cruz, Isla Lobos and San Cristobal. Package includes return international flights, five internal flights, 19 nights accommodation, return airport transfers, and more.

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Day 1 New Zealand - Lima, Peru

Today, depart from either Auckland, *Wellington or *Christchurch to Lima, Peru via Santiago, Chile. Fly with LATAM Airlines, Qantas Airways, Air New Zealand, United Airlines (subject to availability). Upon arrival into Lima, a representative will be waiting to transfer you to the hotel in Miraflores.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Lima City Tour

After breakfast enjoy a city tour taking in the key sites of Lima. See Huaca Pucllana, colonial buildings such as the Plaza Mayor, the Government Palace and the Central Bank Museum. Afterwards return to the hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 3 Lima - Cusco

This morning you will be picked up from the hotel and transferred to the airport for the flight to Cusco. Be met upon arrival at Cusco Airport and be transferred to the hotel. The remainder of the day is yours to explore this beautiful city at your own pace.

Overnight: Ramada Costa Del Sol or similar, Cusco

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Cusco Free Day

After breakfast, enjoy a free day to explore Cusco at leisure or take the opportunity to join an optional half day city tour (not included).

Optional Half Day Cusco Tour

This morning you will be picked up from the hotel to begin your half day city tour. First, you will visit the ancient Koricancha Temple. Continue onwards to the Main Cathedral (entrance not included) a marvel of religious art and home to approximately 300 paintings from the Cusquena School of Art. Afterwards, travel to the archaeological complex of Saqsayhuaman. You will then see the labyrinth of Q'enqo which is a religious centre dedicated to the adoration of the Earth, and Puca Pucara (reddish place) that was previously used as a military control centre. Complete the tour at Tambomachay (Temple of the Water) an Inca site consisting of a series of aqueducts, canals and waterfalls (entrance not included). Afterwards you will be transferred back to the hotel for an evening at leisure.

Overnight: Ramada Costa Del Sol or similar, Cusco

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 5 Cusco - Sacred Valley Tour - Urubamba

This morning you will travel from Cusco, past Saqsaywaman over the mountains towards the Sacred Valley. Here you will descend 1500 feet to the valley floor, and find yourselves by the sacred Urubamba River and the village of Pisac (approx. 1 hour). In Pisac, enjoy a quick visit to a traditional artisan market, where you can browse and buy some local souvenirs if desired.

Afterwards, drive to the ruins of Pisac where you can explore the extensive ruins whilst enjoying stunning views over the valley. Here you will be given a guided tour of the Citadel of Pisac, in which you will see the ruins of temples, homes, altars, carvings, tunnels, caves and the famous Intihuatana, which translate to "the hitching post of the sun". Intihuatana, the place where the sun gets tied, is a religious construction and used like a clock to measure when it was time to celebrate the winter solstice, one of the most important celebrations and rituals of the entire ancient Incan empire.

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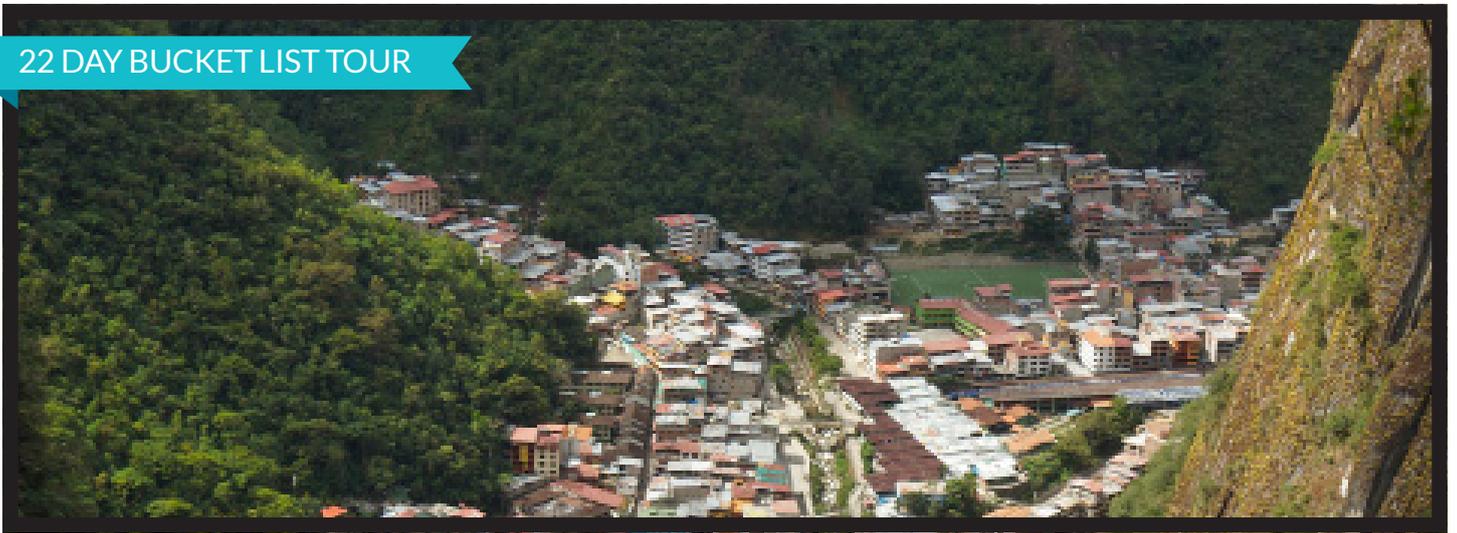
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Overnight: San Agustin Hotel or similar, Urubamba

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 6 Urubamba - Aguas Calientes

Following breakfast this morning, transfer to Ollantaytambo train station (approx. 30 mins) to board a train bound for Aguas Calientes, a beautiful thermal town down the valley from the ancient citadel of Machu Picchu. Upon arrival you will be met and transferred to the hotel.

Overnight: Casa Andina Standard, Aguas Calientes or similar, Machu Picchu

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 7 Grand Citadel Machu Picchu - Cusco

After an early breakfast a local guide will pick you up from the hotel to begin the short bus journey to the gates of Machu Picchu where you may have the opportunity (weather permitting) to enjoy one of the most spectacular sunrises of your life. After entering the Citadel you will begin a guided walking tour (approx. 2 hours) where you will learn about the history of the area and be shown around the ruins. Afterwards, enjoy some free time to explore this mysterious ancient city at leisure. This afternoon, meet your guide in Aguas Calientes for lunch (not included). Be transferred to the train station and begin the journey back to Cusco via Ollantaytambo. (approx. 3.5 hour train journey).

Overnight: Ramada Costa Del Sol or similar, Cusco

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 8 Cusco Free Day

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Overnight: Ramada Costa Del Sol or similar, Cusco

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 9 Cusco - Pukara - Puno

This morning rise early for breakfast and transfer to the bus station to travel onwards to Puno. This is a great bus trip on a modern vehicle stopping at several interesting sites along the way such as Raqchi (Wiracocha God Temple), an Incan church of monumental dimensions and La Raya: the half-way point between Cusco and Puno and also the highest point (4335m above sea level). Along the way enjoy a rest stop and delicious buffet lunch in the town of Sicuani. The landscapes along this route are stunning and typical Andean animals like the llama, alpaca and vicuna are common sights. Upon arrival at the bus station in Puno, you will be met and transferred to the hotel where you will meet your guide who will welcome you and provide you with some extra information for the following days activities.

Please note: the bus transportation includes wifi, food and drink services on board, entertainment options, guided narration in English and Spanish, leather seats with wide leg rests, individual tables and air conditioning. Buses do not have toilets onboard, but this journey includes stops approximately every hour to allow for this.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic or similar, Puno Tikarani

Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 10 Puno - Lake Titicaca - Uros Islands - Traditional Homestay

After breakfast this morning, transfer from the hotel to the port of Puno where you will board a motorboat for the



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unique floating Uros Islands located 25 minutes from the port of Puno. The islands have been created entirely with the buoyant totora reeds that grow abundantly in the shallows of the lake. Partially edible (tasting like non sweet sugarcane), the reeds are also used to build homes, boats and crafts. The islands are constructed from many layers of the totora, which are constantly replenished from the top as they rot from the bottom, so the ground is always soft and springy. You will visit two different islands and your guide will explain a little about the history and lifestyle of the people who have lived here for many years. You will have the opportunity to visit some of their homes to learn a little about their lifestyle.

Afterwards sail to Taquile Island (approx. 2 hours). A traditional Quechua speaking community, full of ancient agricultural terraces and some ruins dating back to the pre-Inca times. The Taquile population was relatively isolated from the mainland until the 1950s and the importance of community and family is still very strong. When you reach the island, take the opportunity to enjoy the impressive views of Lake Titicaca. Enjoy some free time to explore the island on your own and afterwards come together for lunch at a local restaurant.

After lunch, head down to the harbour to take a one-hour boat ride to the Chicuito Peninsula, south of the city of Puno, where the Luquina Karina community is located. Luquina Karina has remained relatively untouched and tourism is a new concept here. The inhabitants are very willing to receive visitors in their community and you will be warmly received by the families who will take you into their homes to spend the night and cook you a delicious dinner from locally sourced food.

Overnight: Traditional Homestay, Luquina Island
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 11 Luquina - Puno

Today enjoy breakfast with your host family and then participate in some local activities. After lunch, say goodbye to the local family and head down to the harbour for your boat transfer back to Puno arriving in the early evening.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic, Puno Tikarani
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 12 Puno - Juliaca Airport - Lima

After breakfast, transfer to Juliaca Airport (approx. 1 hour) for your flight to Lima (approx. 1 hour) where you will be met on arrival and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the evening is free at leisure.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 13 Lima Free Day

After breakfast, enjoy the whole day at leisure to explore at your own pace before departing the following day.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 14 Lima, Peru - Guayaquil, Ecuador

Today, transfer to the airport for your one-way international flight to Guayaquil, Ecuador. On arrival, you will be welcomed and transferred to the hotel. Enjoy an evening at leisure before the flight to the Galapagos Islands tomorrow.

Overnight: Hotel Unipark or similar, Guayaquil
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 15 Guayaquil - Baltra Island - Santa Cruz Island (Galapagos)

Today you will be transferred to the airport for the flight to the Island of Baltra in the Galapagos Islands. On arrival be picked up and transferred to Santa Cruz, a nearby island, crossing the narrow Itabaca channel by ferry and then continuing by car. Your first stop will be at the highlands of Santa Cruz.

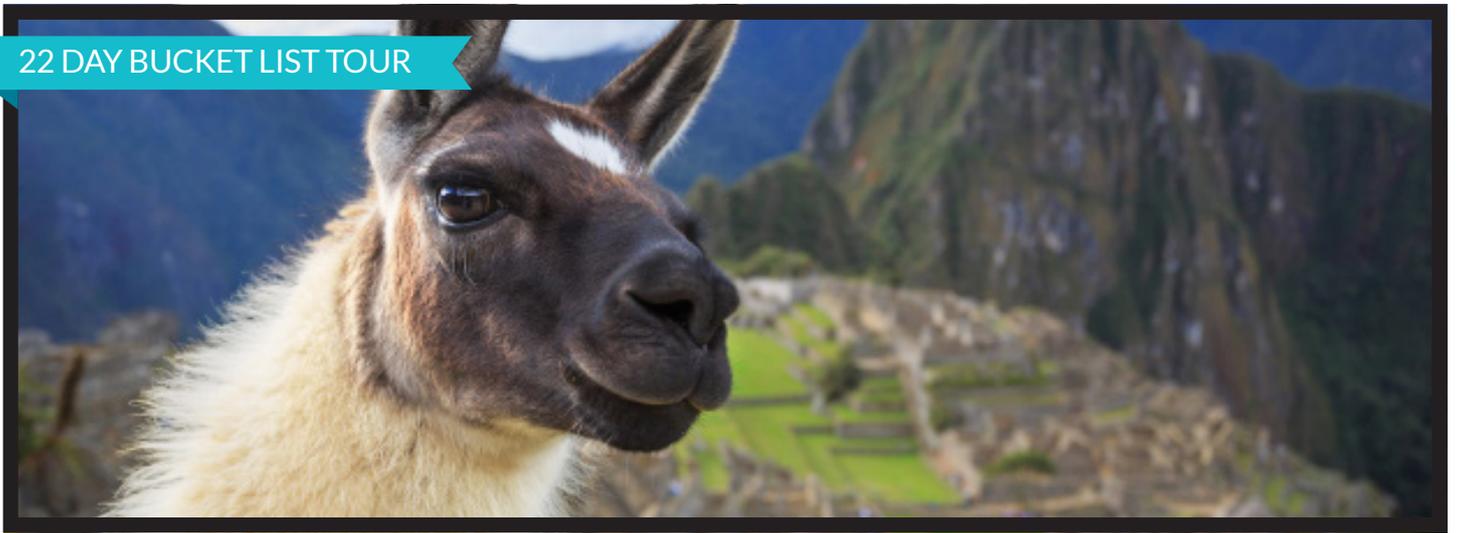


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The “Parte Alta” as the highlands are called in Spanish are very lush and green and home to the iconic giant Galapagos tortoises. Here you will visit a private ranch where you will enjoy lunch before heading out on a walk in search of giant tortoises. During this visit you will also visit some lava tubes, which are formed when the surface of a lava stream solidifies, but the inside remains a liquid and flows out like a river.

After this tour you will continue by private transport to the hotel. Here you will have a meet and greet with a local guide who will explain the following days itinerary to you. Enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure to explore this beautiful Island.

Overnight: Hotel Fiesta or similar, Puerto Ayora, Santa Cruz
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 16 Academy Bay Tour

Today after breakfast you will enjoy a half day tour of Academy Bay. Be sure to pack sun protection, a bathing suit, towel, camera and comfortable walking shoes. Optional snorkel equipment will be provided free of charge to anyone who wishes to use it. During the tour you will take a boat to Academy Bay where you can swim and snorkel with sea lions and all kinds of colourful fish. Here you can see the blue footed boobies who are resting at the edge of the cliffs. Afterwards climb to a nearby viewpoint and if you are lucky, you can see white-tipped reef sharks swimming in the ocean below. Afterwards take a walk to ‘Playa de los Perros’ where many sea iguanas are found resting in the sun. The enormous cacti, the red colour of the rocks and the turquoise colour of the ocean make for great photo opportunities.

Overnight: Hotel Fiesta or similar, Puerto Ayora, Santa Cruz
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 17 Santa Cruz Free Morning - San Cristobal Island

Enjoy a morning at leisure or explore the beautiful island Santa Cruz on your own. In the afternoon you will be met and transferred from the hotel to the dock of Santa Cruz from where you will take a boat (approx. 2 hours) to the island of San

Cristobal. Upon arrival at the dock in San Cristobal you will be transferred to the hotel in the town of Puerto Baquerizo Moreno. Here you will have a meet and greet with another local guide who will explain the rest of the itinerary to you. The remainder of the evening is yours to enjoy at leisure on this stunning island.

Overnight: Hotel Blue Marlin or similar, Puerto Baquerizo Moreno, San Cristobal
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 18 Isla Lobos Tour

After breakfast this morning, you will be met and transferred to a dock where you will take a quick boat ride to the nearby Isla Lobos. During the boat trip you will observe a lot of sea life before even setting foot on the island. Upon arrival, enjoy a guided tour where you will have the chance to observe frigate birds, blue footed boobies and sea lions that all inhabit the island. Afterwards you will have time for a swim or snorkel in the beautiful waters. Continue onwards to a nearby beach on San Cristobal where you may enjoy an included packed lunch and some time at leisure. The white coral beaches of San Cristobal are great to walk around, relax and swim in the shallow waters before returning to Puerto Baquerizo Moreno.

Overnight: Hotel Blue Marlin or similar, Puerto Baquerizo Moreno, San Cristobal
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 19 San Cristobal Free Morning - Guayaquil

Enjoy some free time this morning before transferring to the airport of San Cristobal. From here, you will take a quick flight back to Ecuador’s mainland. Upon arrival in Guayaquil, you will be collected from the airport and transferred to the hotel for one more evening at leisure.

Overnight: Hotel Unipark or similar, Guayaquil
Meals included: Breakfast

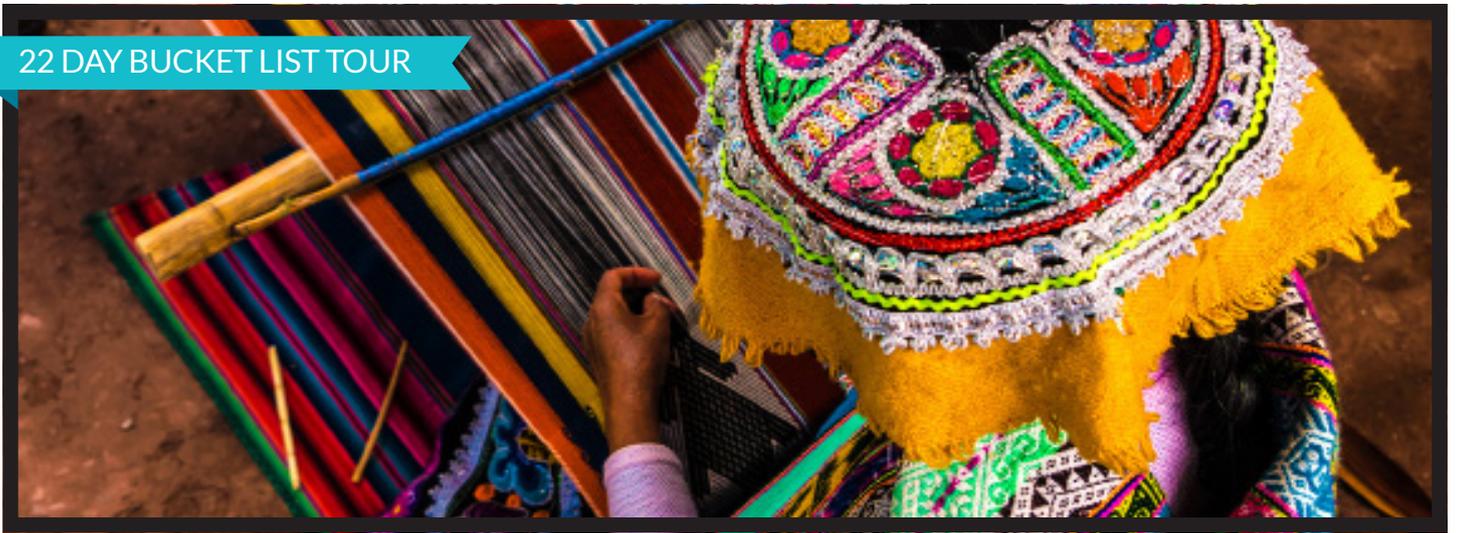


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Day 20 Guayaquil, Ecuador - New Zealand

Today you will be transferred to Guayaquil International Airport for your return flight back to New Zealand via Santiago, Chile.

Please note: Due to limited flight availability between New Zealand and South America, some customers may experience a layover of up to 7 hours in Santiago, Chile.

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 21 In Transit

Day 22 Arrive in New Zealand

28 Day with Mainland Ecuador Extension

Day 1 New Zealand - Lima, Peru

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Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima

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Day 2 Lima City Tour

After breakfast enjoy a city tour taking in the key sites of Lima. See Huaca Pucllana, colonial buildings such as the Plaza Mayor, the Government Palace and the Central Bank Museum. Afterwards return to the hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

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Meals included: Breakfast

Day 3 Lima - Cusco

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Overnight: Ramada Costa Del Sol or similar, Cusco

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Cusco Free Day

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Overnight: San Agustin Hotel or similar, Urubamba
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 6 Urubamba - Aguas Calientes

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Overnight: Casa Andina Standard, Aguas Calientes or similar, Machu Picchu
Meals included: Breakfast

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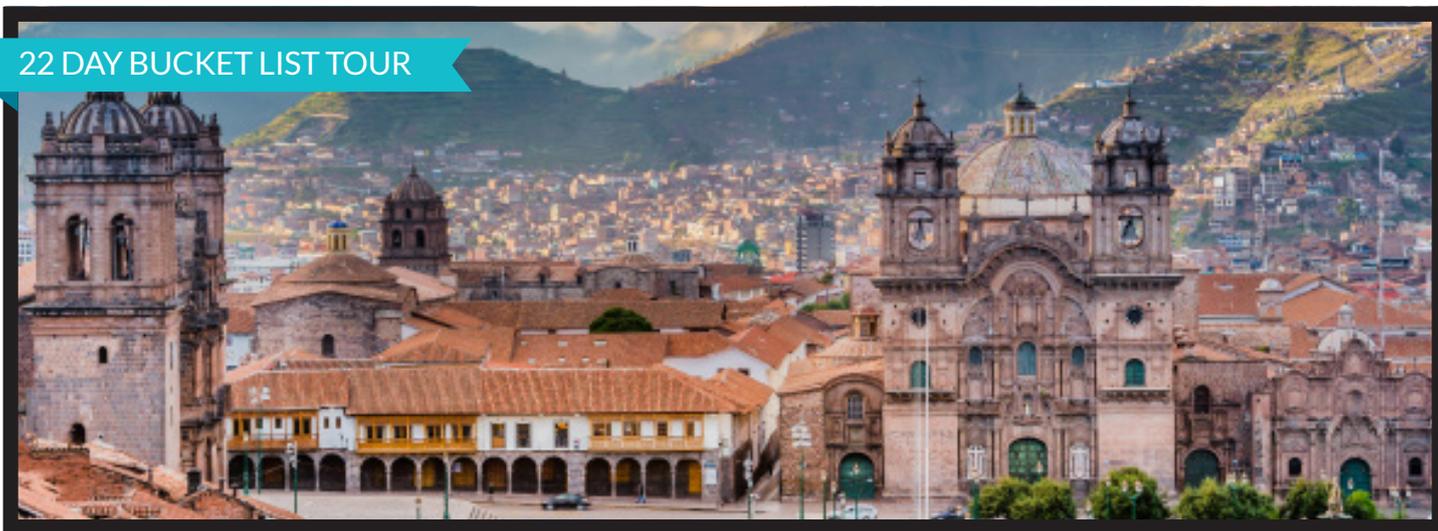


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Overnight: Casa Andina Classic or similar, Puno Tikarani
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 10 Puno - Lake Titicaca - Uros Islands - Traditional Homestay

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remained relatively untouched and tourism is a new concept here. The inhabitants are very willing to receive visitors in their community and you will be warmly received by the families who will take you into their homes to spend the night and cook you a delicious dinner from locally sourced food.

Overnight: Traditional Homestay, Luquina Island
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 11 Luquina - Puno

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Overnight: Casa Andina Classic, Puno Tikarani
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 12 Puno - Juliaca Airport - Lima

After breakfast, transfer to Juliaca Airport (approx. 1 hour) for your flight to Lima (approx. 1 hour) where you will be met on arrival and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the evening is free at leisure.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 13 Lima Free Day

After breakfast, enjoy the whole day at leisure to explore at your own pace before departing the following day.

Overnight: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or similar, Lima
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 14 Lima, Peru - Guayaquil, Ecuador

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Overnight: Hotel Unipark or similar, Guayaquil
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 15 Guayaquil - Baltra Island - Santa Cruz Island (Galapagos)

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Overnight: Hotel Fiesta or similar, Puerto Ayora, Santa Cruz
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Afterwards take a walk to 'Playa de los Perros' where many sea iguanas are found resting in the sun. The enormous cacti, the red colour of the rocks and the turquoise colour of the ocean make for great photo opportunities.

Overnight: Hotel Fiesta or similar, Puerto Ayora, Santa Cruz
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 17 Santa Cruz Free Morning - San Cristobal Island

Enjoy a morning at leisure or explore the beautiful island Santa Cruz on your own. In the afternoon you will be met and transferred from the hotel to the dock of Santa Cruz from where you will take a boat (approx. 2 hours) to the island of San Cristobal. Upon arrival at the dock in San Cristobal you will be transferred to the hotel in the town of Puerto Baquerizo Moreno. Here you will have a meet and greet with another local guide who will explain the rest of the itinerary to you. The remainder of the evening is yours to enjoy at leisure on this stunning island.

Overnight: Hotel Blue Marlin or similar, Puerto Baquerizo Moreno, San Cristobal
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 18 Isla Lobos Tour

After breakfast this morning, you will be met and transferred to a dock where you will take a quick boat ride to the nearby Isla Lobos. During the boat trip you will observe a lot of sea life before even setting foot on the island. Upon arrival, enjoy a guided tour where you will have the chance to observe frigate birds, blue footed boobies and sea lions that all inhabit the island. Afterwards you will have time for a swim or snorkel in the beautiful waters. Continue onwards to a nearby beach on San Cristobal where you may enjoy an included packed lunch and some time at leisure. The white coral beaches of San Cristobal are great to walk around, relax and swim in the shallow waters before returning to Puerto Baquerizo Moreno.

Overnight: Hotel Blue Marlin or similar, Puerto Baquerizo Moreno, San Cristobal



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Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 19 San Cristobal Free Morning - Quito

Enjoy some free time this morning before transferring to the airport of San Cristobal. From here, you will take a quick flight back to Ecuador's mainland. Upon arrival in Quito, the country's capital, you will be picked up from the airport and transferred to the hotel.

Overnight: Dann Carlton Hotel or similar, Quito

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 20 Quito Free Day

Today enjoy the day free at leisure to explore this colonial city.

Overnight: Dann Carlton Hotel or similar, Quito

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 21 Ecuador 'Middle of the Earth' - Pululahua Crater - Chocolate Factory - Mindo (approx. 100km)

Today drive north of Quito to the Ecuador monument complex. The visit to the 'middle of the world' is a must when in Ecuador. It's the place where you will be able to stand on both sides of the hemispheres, north and south at the same time and feel the neutral forces of the equator. On the way, stop for a view of the Pululahua Crater, the third biggest inhabited volcano crater in the world. Then you will continue onwards to the little town of Mindo, a village in the Andes Mountains. It's known for the many bird species, butterflies and orchids found in the surrounding cloud forest, it's a bird lovers paradise!

In the afternoon enjoy a 1 hour guided tour of a chocolate factory where you will have the chance to follow the process of the cocoa, from harvesting the seed to the final product. Here you may also enjoy a delicious brownie or a cup of real hot cocoa.

Overnight: El Septimo Paraiso or similar, Mindo

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 22 Mindo Cloud Forest - Butterfly Farm

Today explore the pristine cloud forest, crossing cable cars and hiking along waterfalls during a moderate hike (approx.15 - 20 mins), surrounded by a lush green forest filled with toucans and colourful birds. In the afternoon enjoy some free time to enjoy the several optional activities offered in this area. Join an optional activity of water "tubing" (several large inner-tubes tied together) as the guides steer you through thrilling rapids (not included). Or try a canopy zip-line where you'll sail along one of 13 zip-lines over the beautiful canopy of the cloud forest (not included). One of the highlights of today is the visit to the butterfly farm located on a private reserve called 'Mariposas of Mindo'. Here, watch gargantuan butterflies dry their wings after emerging from their jewel-like cocoons. You can dip your fingers into a banana concoction and then be thrilled as butterflies the size of bird's land on your hands for a snack.

Overnight: El Septimo Paraiso or similar, Mindo

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 23 Otavalo Market - Cotacachi Town (approx. 180km day)

The day starts with a unique scenic drive back up to the highlands where you will reach the Pan-American Highway travelling north to the world-famous indigenous town of Otavalo. Enjoy some time to stroll along the narrow cobblestone streets, which are filled with Otavalo indigenous people wearing the typical blue ponchos. You will have the opportunity to explore their handcraft market, with its wonderful textiles, native paintings, ceramics, jewellery, tapestries and more.

In Otavalo, there will be enough time for shopping and spending time with the locals. In the afternoon, drive to Cotacachi town, made famous for the most amazing leather goods and its beauty as a small village. You will have some free time to explore the shops or simply stop and enjoy one of the best coffees in Ecuador at the main square. Later arrive at the historical hacienda of Pinsaqui and enjoy a typical Andean cocktail as a welcome, and learn about the history of Hacienda.



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Overnight: Hacienda Pinsaqui or similar, Otavalo
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 24 Cuicocha Crater Lake - Papallacta Hot Springs (approx. 150km day)

Today start the day with a visit to Cotacachi-Cayapas Ecological Reserve and witness the breathtaking scenery of the crystalline-clear waters of this active volcano and the amazing surrounding landscapes. At the end of a short hike, enjoy a boat ride on Cuicocha Crater Lake to the centre of the crater to observe the activity of the volcano. Watch bubbles coming up from the centre of the caldera.

Later transfer to Peguche, a small village located in the heart of the Andes, where you will have an unforgettable cultural experience, immersing yourself in the true spirit of the South American highlands. You will help the local people prepare a delicious lunch using fresh products harvested the same day from the surrounding organic fields and share with them precious moments of conviviality. In the late afternoon, reach the luxury volcanic hot-springs resort of Papallacta, where you will have the chance to relax and enjoy the facilities surrounded by views of the majestic Andean mountains.

Overnight: Termas de Papallacta (Spa resort) or similar, Papallacta
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 25 Cotopaxi Volcano - Quito - Guayaquil (approx. 70km day)

This morning enjoy the chance to take one last dip in the open-air hot springs, before driving south on the Pan-American Highway towards the highest active volcano in the world, Cotopaxi. The snow-capped volcano is surrounded by national park and is home to abundant plant life, rich fauna and Inca ruins. You will begin at the Interpretation Centre which is at the park's entrance, before continuing across the paramo to Limpiopungo Lake. During a short walk around the lake, observe a variety of birds and enjoy the stunning views of the

almost symmetrical cone of Cotopaxi. Afterwards continue to Quito Airport where you will take a quick domestic flight back to Guayaquil for one last night in Ecuador.

Overnight: Hotel Unipark or similar, Guayaquil
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 26 Guayaquil, Ecuador - New Zealand

Today you will be transferred to Guayaquil International Airport for your return flight back to New Zealand via Santiago, Chile.

Please note: Due to limited flight availability between New Zealand and South America, some customers may experience a layover of up to 7 hours in Santiago, Chile.

Meals included: Breakfast;In-Flight

Day 27 In Transit

Day 28 Arrive in New Zealand



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TOUR INCLUSIONS

HIGHLIGHTS

- Admire Colonial architecture on a tour of historic Lima
- Explore the 'Imperial City' of Cusco
- Experience a guided tour of the Sacred Valley
- Stay in Aguas Calientes 'hot springs town'
- Witness the spectacular Andes Mountains
- Visit the 15th century ruins of Machu Picchu
- Enjoy a guided tour of Pukara and Raqch'i
- Explore the fascinating Uros floating islands
- Enjoy a boat trip across impressive Lake Titicaca
- Experience traditional villages on Taquile Island
- Visit ancient Inca monuments
- Island hop through the breathtaking Galapagos Islands
- Search for Galapagos tortoises in the wild
- Enjoy a tour of Academy Bay in the Galapagos
- Snorkel amongst sea lions
- Spot sea iguanas on Playa de Los Perros, Santa Cruz
- Enjoy a half day tour on Isla Lobos
- Witness the abundant sea life of the Galapagos Islands

FLIGHTS

- Return international flights (economy class) ex AKL/*WLG/*CHC
- 1 x international flight: Lima, Peru - Guayaquil, Ecuador
- 2 x internal flights in Peru: Lima - Cusco, and Juliaca - Lima
- 2 x internal flights in Ecuador: Guayaquil to Baltra, and San Cristobal to Guayaquil

ACCOMMODATION

- 18 nights hotel accommodation
- 1 night traditional homestay on Luquina Island

DINING

- Enjoy 25 meals including daily breakfast

TOUR ESSENTIALS

- English-speaking tour guides
- Airlines taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

- Transportation by A/C vehicles
- Return train tickets to Aguas Calientes with Inca Rail Company or Peru Rail Company
- Return bus tickets from Aguas Calientes to Machu Picchu

TRANSFERS

- Return airport transfers

28 DAY WITH MAINLAND ECUADOR EXTENSION

All of the Standard Package (minus San Cristobal to Guayaquil flight) plus the following:

- 2 x internal flights: San Cristobal to Quito and Quito to Guayaquil
- 6 nights accommodation including a stay in a traditional hacienda
- Enjoy 7 additional meals including an Ecuadorian lunch
- Travel to the 'middle of the world'
- Stand on both sides of the Northern and Southern hemisphere
- Discover the world's third largest inhabited volcano crater
- Tour a chocolate factory and learn about cocoa
- Explore the magnificent Mindo Cloud Forest
- Experience beautiful butterflies at a butterfly farm
- Wander the Otavalo handicraft markets
- Discover the Cotacachi Cayapas Ecological Reserve
- Enjoy a boat ride on Cuicocha Lake; a 200m deep lake in a volcanic crater
- Relax in hot springs at Papallacta in the Andean mountains
- See the highest snow-capped volcano in the world; Cotopaxi
- Explore beautiful Limpiopungo Lake and its abundant wildlife



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BOOKING INFORMATION

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. The Passenger Information Form must be completed within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

On purchasing this Travel Offer you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions, in addition to the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

Please note: all additional charges are payable direct to your Travel Consultant in NZD (unless otherwise stated).

OFFER ESSENTIALS

Travel offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 4th December 2019.

This travel offer is priced for one person based on twin share.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers a mandatory single supplement applies:

22 Day Package: \$1500

28 Day Package: \$2100

Departure Dates (2019)

Please see the TripADeal website for current departure dates.

Surcharges

Please note: dates/months with a * incur

a flight high season surcharge of \$550 per person.

Departure Cities

Auckland, *Wellington or *Christchurch

Interstate Surcharges

*Wellington or *Christchurch: \$100 per person

FLIGHTS

Full Service Airline(s) Used

LATAM Airlines, Qantas Airways, United Airlines or Air New Zealand plus any codeshare partners (subject to availability).

Please note: One way flights can not be accommodated. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Arrive early in Lima, Peru

\$220 per person, subject to availability

Please note:

- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

Stay behind in Guayaquil, Ecuador

\$220 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

Stopover Packages

Twin share: \$500 per person/one way

Solo Traveller: \$800 one way

Locations:

* Santiago, Chile

Includes:

2 Nights in 4 star accommodation

Daily breakfast

Return airport transfers

Please note:

- Only a post tour stopover may be purchased
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.

Flight Class Upgrades

- Premium Economy: Not Available.
- Business Class: (International Sectors Only): Buy now for \$5999 per person.
- All Premium Economy and Business Class upgrades are subject to availability (if we are not able to fulfill your business class request the upgrade cost will be refunded).
- On any upgrade purchase, short haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed in a Premium or Business cabin; subject to aircraft configuration.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation Used

16 Day Package

3-4 Star (self-rated):

- Lima, Peru: Casa Andina Classic Miraflores Centro or San Agustin Exclusive
- Cusco, Peru: Ramada Costa Del Sol or San Agustin Dorado
- Urubamba, Peru: San Agustin Urubamba or San Agustin Recoleta
- Aguas Calientes, Peru: Casa Andina Machu Picchu or Inti Punku
- Puno, Peru: Casa Andina Tikarani or Hotel Hacienda Plaza
- Guayaquil, Ecuador: Hotel Unipark, Grand Hotel Guayaquil or Oro Verde Hotel
- Santa Cruz, Ecuador: Hotel Fiesta, Galapagos Inn Casa de Judy or Hotel Silberstein
- San Cristobal, Ecuador: Hotel Blue Marlin, Arena Blanca Hotel or La Zayapa Hotel



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All of the above plus the following:

- Quito, Ecuador: Hotel Mercure or Dann Carlton Hotel
- Mindo, Ecuador: El Septimo Paraiso or Terra Bambu Lodge
- Otavalo, Ecuador: Hacienda Pinsaqui or Las Palmeras Inn
- Papallacta, Ecuador: Termas de Papallacta (Spa resort) or Guango Lodge

Please note: rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type, and are subject to availability based on seasonality. Properties will be confirmed, no later than two weeks prior to travel.

Extra Nights

- Lima, Peru (Pre Tour): \$195 per room including breakfast.
- Guayaquil, Ecuador (Post Tour): \$155 per room including breakfast.

Please note: extra nights are subject to availability until the time of booking. Airport transfers are not included if you wish to arrive early or stay behind.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 People.

Child Policy

- No child discounts. Full price applies for all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for Children 12 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors allowed.

Triple Share

Not Available.

Bedding Configuration

Double or Twin bedding (subject to availability).

Adjoining / Interconnecting Rooms

Subject to availability and at the hotels discretion. Please enquire on booking if you require this option.

GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION

Minimum group size 6, maximum group size 20 per vehicle.

Optional Tours / Activities

- Cusco City Tour - \$35 USD per person (approx. \$50 NZD)
- Water Tubing (Mindó Cloud Forest) - \$20 USD per person (approx. \$30 NZD)
- Canopy Zipline (Mindó Cloud Forest) - \$25 USD per person (approx. \$37 NZD)

Please note:

- prices are based on per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable direct to the tour operator in the currency specified
- Some tours require minimum numbers to operate.

EXCLUSIONS

- Visa fees and requirements (A visa for Peru & Ecuador is not required if travelling on a New Zealand passport).
- Meals/beverages not stated in the itinerary.
- INGALA Transit Control Card (Galapagos) - \$20 USD (approx. \$30 NZD) per person.
- National Park Entrance Fee (Galapagos) - \$100 USD (approx. \$150 NZD) per person.
- Recommended gratuities/tipping: approx. \$10 USD (approx. \$15 NZD) per person/day payable on tour.
- Optional activities/tours.
- Personal expenses.
- Travel insurance (Mandatory).

Please note: A comprehensive travel Insurance policy must be organised BEFORE all details can be finalised with TripADeal.

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INGALA TRANSIT CONTROL CARD (GALAPAGOS)

INGALA, the Ecuadorian governmental agency regulates all things pertaining to the Galapagos Islands issues a "Transit

Control Card". This card is designed to help control immigration to the islands. INGALA has instituted the transit control card to help keep track of who is visiting the islands. Visitors must go to a booth in the airport with their plane tickets before they board their flight to get the card, which costs around \$20 USD per person (approx. \$30 NZD, cash only). The card is returned at the end of the trip.

More information can be found here: <https://www.galapagosislands.com/travel/transportation/entry-fees.html>

NATIONAL PARK ENTRANCE FEES (GALAPAGOS)

All tourists visiting the Galapagos Islands must pay an entry tax to visit the archipelago. The amount of this entrance fee depends on the age and nationality of the tourist. Most foreign tourists including New Zealanders over the age of 12 pay \$100 USD per person (approx. \$150 NZD). For some, this entry tax may seem a bit high, but it is important to keep in mind that these fees are helping to protect the wonderful islands. On its website, the Galapagos National Park announces that, "Funds from the entry tax for tourists are used to finance the conservation of biodiversity of flora and fauna, terrestrial and marine, and benefits the local community by improving basic services, education projects, sports, health, environmental sanitation, environmental services and services directly related to tourists."

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TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction in which he or she is guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place



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and leaves the group at the end of the tour, they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides in each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village, and offer information on the place visited on the bus, however they are not required to have specific knowledge on art, architecture, or history. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when particularly required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Lima:

Lima is usually described as mild and warm throughout the year without noteworthy rain making Lima one of the driest capitals in the world. The average temperatures range from 18°C to 28°C.

Cusco:

Cusco has a subtropical highland climate due to its elevation (3500m above sea level). It is generally dry and temperate, with two defined seasons. The dry season lasts from May to August, with abundant sunshine and occasional night time freezes; July is the coldest month with an average of 9.7°C. The wet season lasts from December to March, with night frost less common; November averages 13.3°C. Although frost and hail are common, the only snowfall ever recorded was in June 1911. Temperatures usually range from 0.2 to 20.9°C.

Puno:

As Puno is located at such a high elevation (3830m above sea level), it experiences more extreme weather conditions than would be expected for its tropical latitude. The average annual temperature is about 8.4 °C, and the weather never gets overly warm. During the winter months from June to August, night-time temperatures usually drop well below 0 °C. At this high altitude, the rays of the sun are very strong. Most of the annual precipitation falls during the southern hemisphere summer, with the winter months being very dry.

Guayaquil:

Between January and April, the temperature is quite hot with rainfalls in the afternoons. The rest of the year (from May through December), rainfall is minimal due to the cooling influence of the Humboldt Current, with usually cloudy mornings and afternoons, and evening breezes. Average temperatures year round are pretty consistent due to equatorial location with a daily mean of 27 degrees year round.

Santa Cruz (Galapagos):

No time of year is too hot or too cold to enjoy the Galapagos, but the climate is not exactly the same throughout. June through December are considered the cooler months in terms of both the air and water. This is also the time of the dry season, where the highlands of the major islands are kept lush but the beaches and flat lands receive very little rain. Blue skies interrupted by sparse and sporadic afternoon showers are the norm.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

At TripADeal we do not arrange seat selection. It is important to highlight that some Airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the Airline directly with seating allocation requirements and or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the Airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity:

Customers are required to provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase, or no later than 45 days prior to departure date. Failure to do so may result in cancellation of the booking. In this instance customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred.

COACH TOUR

Meals:

Daily breakfast is included in the tour, for all other meals; lunches and dinners the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify TripADeal of any dietary requests/requirements. Please note; we will do our best to meet your requests/requirements, however cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on the tour. With regards to luggage, you must carry your own luggage from the coach to the hotel room and back to the coach. The driver will assist with the uploading and off-loading of the luggage from the coach.

OTHER

Fitness Level Required / Mobility:

Our vehicles are not equipped with wheelchair access, so unfortunately our tours are currently not suitable for wheelchair users and those less mobile. This tour will require some walking during tours and up in Machu Picchu visiting the ruins. Walking tours will be no longer than 2 hours at any one time.

High Altitude Illness:

Altitude illness occurs when there is a lack of oxygen in the air at high altitudes. Altitude illness will affect some travellers, with no apparent regard to age, gender or physical condition. If you have any concerns please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/



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travel.

Please note: inoculations may be required to enter the country visited, along with re entry into New Zealand after your visit. It is your responsibility to consult with your travel doctor for up to date medical travel information well before departure.

Gratuities / Tipping:

Gratuities (tips) are not included in the tour price for services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip for the tour leader and driver is \$10USD per person per day, which will be collected whilst on tour. Tipping for other services provided on tour such as tour guide's on optional tours, drivers, porters etc is always a matter of personal discretion and is recommended at approximately \$1-3USD per service provided dependent on the service provided. Gratuities may be paid in local currency or US dollar equivalent where accepted. Please be aware that tipping is considered by many locals to be a part of their normal remuneration and some may approach you for additional "compensation." There is no need to be intimidated by the request, nor should you feel pressured to pay more than recommended.

Sightseeing:

Please note: In the event entrance to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary will be adjusted to ensure you do not miss out on the experience.

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all of your receipts. Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our Terms and Conditions in regards to shopping for further

information.

VISAS

A tourist visa for Peru and Ecuador is not required if travelling on a New Zealand Passport.

Please note: Passengers who are not New Zealand citizens must check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required. It is also important to note, some areas of employment such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations may have additional restrictions in applying for Visas. This may in turn affect the type of application required.

INSURANCE

We are proud to offer a range of travel insurance products - please ask your Travel Consultant for more information.

SCHEDULE OF FEES

Post-Purchase Change

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- \$50 NZD per change request post-purchase + any additional charges applied by the travel partners associated with the order.



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