

11 Day Classic Central Europe

Gate 1 Tours

DAY 1, Monday - Depart the USA

Depart the USA for Hungary. Your flight includes meals, drinks, and in-flight entertainment for the journey

DAY 2, Tuesday - Arrive in Budapest

Arrive in Budapest and transfer to your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure. This evening, enjoy a welcome drink, dinner and orientation at your hotel

Overnight: Budapest

Meals: Dinner

DAY 3, Wednesday - Budapest City Tour

Your morning tour begins in Pest with a chance to view Parliament, the Royal Palace and Heroes' Square. You will cross the Danube River on the Elizabeth Bridge into the Buda Hills.

Visit Mount Gellert, then continue to Castle Hill to see the 13th century Matthias Coronation Church. From Fisherman's Bastion, enjoy a panoramic view of the city. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure

Optional: Budapest Jewish Interest Tour (PM)

Overnight: Budapest

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 4, Thursday - Travel to Vienna

Spend the morning at leisure in Budapest. Later, depart Hungary and travel through the Austrian countryside to Vienna, the former center of the Hapsburg Empire. Enjoy the balance of the day at leisure in Vienna

Optional: Parliament & St. Stephens (AM)

Optional: Mozart & Strauss Concert (PM)

Overnight: Vienna

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 5, Friday - Vienna City Tour

Today, enjoy a sightseeing tour that begins with a visit to the impressive Schonbrunn Palace, the former summer residence of the Hapsburg emperors. View the Belvedere Palace and its gardens. Continue with a drive along the famous Ringstrasse and view the Empress Maria Theresia Monument, Votive Church, City Hall and Parliament. Next, walk through the Hofburg courtyards to the State Opera House

Overnight: Vienna

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 6, Saturday - Bratislava City Tour

This morning enjoy a half-day excursion across the border to Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia. For centuries, this city has been famous for its charm and beauty. It has undergone a major revitalization and now flourishes as one of Europe's newest capitals. The beautifully restored old town with its winding lanes and medieval courtyards is nestled between the steep Castle Hill and the Danube River. First, explore the historic center on a guided walking tour. After, take time to stroll the lively pedestrian streets of this charming city where local street vendors offer regional gifts before returning to Vienna

Optional: Austrian Country Dinner (PM)



Overnight: Vienna

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 7, Sunday - Travel to Prague via Cesky Krumlov

This morning, depart Austria for the Czech Republic. Begin with a stop in Cesky Krumlov, a fairy-tale town with a maze of narrow cobbled streets. Declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1992, Cesky Krumlov has earned an international reputation as a time capsule of the past. Enjoy a short walk through the town and view its Gothic, Baroque and Renaissance houses. Later, continue through Southern Bohemia to the Czech capital, Prague - "The City of a Thousand Spires"

Overnight: Prague

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 8, Monday - Prague City Tour

This morning's sightseeing will include a walking tour of the Lesser Town and the Old Town, viewing the Infant Jesus of Prague Church and include the 14th century Charles Bridge, with its 30 baroque statues of various saints. From here, admire the view of Prague Castle. Continue through the Old Town Square to view the famous Old Town Hall Tower & Astronomical Clock, viewing the Municipal House, Powder Tower and the Jewish Quarter. This evening, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant

Optional: Prague Castle & St. Vitus Cathedral (PM)

Overnight: Prague

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

DAY 9, Tuesday - Dresden En route to Berlin

Today cross Saxony to the Baroque art city of Dresden, also known as "the Florence on the Elbe River." Enjoy a walking city tour to view sights including Zwinger Palace, the Semper Opera and the newly rebuilt Frauenkirche. Continue to Berlin, proud capital of reunited Germany. Enjoy the remainder of the day at lesiure

Overnight: Berlin

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 10, Wednesday - Berlin City Tour

This morning, enjoy a guided tour of Berlin. View the major sights of the city, including the Reichstag building, Brandenburg Gate and Checkpoint Charlie, the remaining symbol of the former Berlin Wall. View the Unter den Linden Street and Kurfurstendam, as well as the State Opera House and the cathedral. This evening, enjoy a farewell dinner

Optional: Potsdam Tour (PM)

Overnight: Berlin

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

DAY 11, Thursday - Depart for the USA

Transfer to the airport for your departure flight

Meals: Breakfast

Dates & Prices	Land Only			Air & Land
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May 13	\$1699	\$1899	\$2609 *	\$2809 *
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Sep 2; 30; Oct 14	\$1699	\$1899	N/A	N/A
Oct 21	\$1599	\$1799	N/A	N/A

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Featured Hotels		
Radisson Blu Beke - details	★★★★	Budapest
Hilton Vienna - details	★★★★★	Vienna
Grand Majestic Plaza - details	★★★★+	Prague
Abba Berlin Hotel - details	★★★★	Berlin

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