

# Classic Uzbekistan - 8 days, 2019

Tour to Uzbekistan: The Main Attractions of Tashkent, Samarkand, Bukhara & Khiva

Country: Uzbekistan Duration: 8 days / 7 nights

Itinerary: Tashkent - Samarkand - Bukhara - Khiva - Urgench - (Tashkent)

# Guaranteed dates of the group tour in 2019:

Group №01: 20.02.2019 - 27.02.2019	Group №19: 28.08.2019 - 04.09.2019
Group №02: 06.03.2019 - 13.03.2019	Group №20: 04.09.2019 - 11.09.2019
Group №03: 13.03.2019 - 20.03.2019	Group №21: 09.09.2019 - 16.09.2019
Group №04: 20.03.2019 - 27.03.2019	Group №22: 11.09.2019 - 18.09.2019
Group №05: 27.03.2019 - 03.04.2019	Group №23: 16.09.2019 - 23.09.2019
Group №06: 03.04.2019 - 10.04.2019	Group №24: 18.09.2019 - 25.09.2019
Group №07: 08.04.2019 - 15.04.2019	Group №25: 23.09.2019 - 30.09.2019
Group №08: 10.04.2019 - 17.04.2019	Group №26: 25.09.2019 - 02.10.2019
Group №09: 15.04.2019 - 22.04.2019	Group №27: 30.09.2019 - 07.10.2019
Group №10: 17.04.2019 - 24.04.2019	Group №28: 02.10.2019 - 09.10.2019
Group №11: 29.04.2019 - 06.05.2019	Group №29: 07.10.2019 - 14.10.2019
Group №12: 01.05.2019 - 08.05.2019	Group №30: 09.10.2019 - 16.10.2019
Group №13: 08.05.2019 - 15.05.2019	Group №31: 14.10.2019 - 21.10.2019
Group №14: 20.05.2019 - 27.05.2019	Group №32: 16.10.2019 - 23.10.2019
Group №15: 22.05.2019 - 29.05.2019	Group №33: 28.10.2019 - 04.11.2019
Group №16: 12.06.2019 - 19.06.2019	Group №34: 30.10.2019 - 06.11.2019
Group №17: 03.07.2019 - 10.07.2019	Group №35: 20.11.2019 - 27.11.2019
Group №18: 31.07.2019 - 07.08.2019	Group №36: 04.12.2019 - 11.12.2019

The classical tour itinerary featuring the ancient cities is a trip to Uzbekistan principal and most famous historical monuments - the grandiose must-see objects, which are an inherent part of Uzbekistan's image.

Medieval mosques, madrasahs and minarets, artisans' workshops, bustling bazaars surrounded by quiet narrow ancient streets, the burning Asian sun and cool nights, the fantastically delicious **Uzbek cuisine** and contrast between **deserts** 

and oases will make you deeply feel the aura of the oriental culture during this travel to Uzbekistan. Uzbekistan's greatest cities provide an ideal base from which to explore the country's rich and diverse cultural and historical heritage. Classical Uzbekistan is a group tour to Uzbekistan; you can join any of the combined groups that would suit you best in terms of the tour's fixed date, duration and cost. We offer 2 options for the classical itinerary: a short tour (6 days) and a long one (8 days).

Choose Uzbekistan tour package suitable just for you!

Days	Itinerary	Tour program	Meals
Day 1.	Tour beginning day / arrival day.  Arrival in Tashkent. Meeting at Tashkent airport at any time of arrival mentioned by tourist. Transfer to the hotel and check in after 14:00.		_
Day 2.	Tashkent (city tour)  Tashkent - Samarkand (330 km, 4-5 hours)	Breakfast at the hotel.  At 09:00 meeting at the hall and check out from the hotel.  At 09:30 sightseeing in Tashkent: Khast-Imam Square, Barak-Khan Madrasah, Kafal-al-Shashi Mausoleum, Kukeldash Madrasah, the oldest bazaar of Tashkent "Chorsu". After lunch visit museum of Applied Arts, Independence Square and Amir Temur Square.  At 15:00 transfer to Samarkand by road. Upon arrival check in to the	
Day 3.	Samarkand (city tour)	Breakfast at the hotel.  At 10:00 sightseeing in Samarkand: the most impressive square in the entire Central Asia - the Registan Square (madrasah of Ulugbek, Sher-Dor madrasah, Tilya-Kori madrasah), Gur-e Amir mausoleum - necropolis of the Timurids.  After lunch continue sightseeing in Samarkand: Bibi-Khanym mosque, architectural ensemble Shah-i-Zinda, Ulugbek observatory.  Overnight at hotel.	Breakfast
Day 4.	Samarkand - Bukhara (300 km, 4-5 hours)	Breakfast at the hotel. At 08:00 meeting at the entrance hall and check out of the hotel. Transfer to Bukhara. Upon arrival check in to the hotel. After lunch start of sightseeing in Bukhara: Lyab-i Hauz Architectural Ensemble, Kukeldash Madrasah, Nadir Divan-Begi Madrasah, domed shopping arcade. Visit to the demonstration room of Bukhara gold-embroidery factory and karakol workshop. Overnight at the hotel.	<b>TO</b> Breakfast

# Day 5. Bukhara (city tour)

#### Breakfast at the hotel.

Continue sightseeing in Bukhara: Mausoleum of Samanids, Chashma Ayub Mausoleum, Bolo-Khauz Complex, Ark Citadel, Po-i-Kalyan Complex (Kalyan Minaret and others), Ulugbek and Abdulazizkhan Madrasah.

Breakfast

After lunch visit out-of-city sights of Bukhara: Sitorai Mohi Khosa – summer residence of Bukhara last emir (ruler) and Bakhautdin Naqshbandi complex.

Drive back to Bukhara. Overnight at the hotel.





Day 6.

Bukhara -Khiva (440 km, 8-9 hours)

## Breakfast at the hotel.

**At 08:00 ride** across the famous *Kyzyl-Kum desert* and along the Amudarya River to Khiva. Lunch en route.

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**Arrival to Khiva**. Leisure time. *Visiting the souvenir shops and workshops.* 

Overnight at the hotel.





Khiva (city tour)

Day 7.



Khiva - Urgench - Tashkent (internal flight)

#### Breakfast at the hotel.

At 09:00 meeting at the entrance hall and check out of the hotel. Sightseeing in Khiva (Ichan-Kala historical inner city): Pakhlavan Mahmoud Complex, Kunya-Ark Fortress, Islam Hajji Madrasah & Minaret, Tash Khauli Alakuli Khan Palace, Juma Mosque, Muhammadaminkhan Minaret & Madrasah, and Avesta Museum. Overnight at the hotel.



Transfer to Urgench airport. Departure from Urgench to Tashkent by evening flight. Meeting at the airport. Transfer to the hotel and check in.







Day 8.

Tashkent (departure)

Breakfast at the hotel. Check out from the hotel.

Free time without transport services and excursions. Visiting bazaars and walking in the city center is recommended. Transfer to the airport. **Departure from Tashkent.** 





Cost of the tour:	Hotels 3*:	Hotels 4*:
Cost of the tour for 1 person:	748 USD per pax	962 USD per pax
Single supplement:	+165 USD	+310 USD

This tour is guaranteed and will be arranged whatever final number of persons in a group.

#### Cost includes:

- Airport hotel transfer on arrival to Tashkent at any time indicated by tourists on Day-1;
- Accommodation at the hotels on twin/double sharing basis with breakfasts, check-in to the hotels at 14:00, check-out at 12:00;
- Sightseeing tour in each city as per program;
- Local English speaking guides services in cities / Accompanying guide services in groups more than 8 pax;
- Services of the driver with comfortable transport during the tour, including airport hotel airport transfers;
- Internal flight tickets from Urgench to Tashkent (economy class, baggage allowance 20 kg);
- A bottle of mineral water on each day of the tour;
- Memorable souvenirs;

#### Cost does not include:

- International air flights;
- Entrance fees to the monuments and museums, listed in the program;
- Meals;
- Medical insurance;

#### Additional service:

- Supplement for additional night on arrival or departure in Tashkent:
  - Single room 50 USD/per room /per night (hotel 3\*);
  - Double/ Twin room 70 USD/per room/per night (hotel 3\*);
  - Single room 130 USD/per room/per night (hotel 4\*);
  - > Double/ Twin room 150 USD/ per room/per night (hotel 4\*);

## **Visa to Uzbekistan:**

- 1) The citizens of the following countries do not need visa to Uzbekistan up to 30 days: Japan, Indonesia, Israel, Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Singapore and Turkey.
- 2) The citizens of the following countries can obtain visa on-line, visa invitation is not required: https://e-visa.gov.uz/:

Austria People's Republic of China (including Monaco
Belgium the Hong Kong Special Administrative Montenegro
Great Britain Region of China) Kingdom of the Netherlands

Germany Republic of Croatia New Zealand
Spain Republic of Finland Kingdom of Norway
Italy Hungary Sultanate of Oman
Republic of Croase Republic of Rep

ItalyHungarySultanate of OmanLatviaRepublic of GreeceRepublic of PortugalFranceKingdom of DenmarkRomania

Switzerland Republic of Estonia Republic of San Marino
Thailand Republic of India Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Czech Republic Ireland Republic of Serbia

Poland Iceland Slovak Republic
Australia State of Kuwait Republic of Slovenia

Republic of Albania Andorra Republic of Bulgaria Bosnia and Herzegovina Canada

Republic of Lithuania Liechtenstein Luxembourg Republic of Macedonia Republic of Malta

Kingdom of Sweden **United Arab Emirates** United States of America

Vatican

The citizens of listed countries can also get visa ta the Embassy of Uzbekistan in any country, where it is located.

- 3) Citizens of all other countries can get visa to Uzbekistan only on the basis of preliminary issued visa invitation. The visa invitation is being issued by our company on the basis of the following documents of yours:
  - filled-in application form (sample of the application form is being send beforehand);
  - scanned copy of your passport of good quality;
  - employment verification letter;
  - scanned copy of international flights' tickets or official information on the flights' reservation.

After receiving of these documents we apply to the MFA of Uzbekistan for visa invitation issuance. The process of visa invitation issuance takes 13-15 days. On the basis of the visa invitation it will be possible to get visa at the embassy of Uzbekistan in any country, where there is Uzbekistan embassy, or in Tashkent airport on arrival. Visa issuance on the border is not possible!

## **CONTACTS**

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