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12 DAY ITINERARY

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THE JOURNEY

Tour Poland, Day by Day

Tour Poland We invite you to immerse yourself in the spiritual and cultural richness of Poland's revered religious sites. Our meticulously curated tours offer a unique blend of pilgrimage and historical exploration, guiding you through the hallowed grounds of sacred destinations such as Jasna Góra,...

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DAYS	DESTINATION	REGION

THE ITINERARY

DAY 1

DAY 01

Kraków - Wawel Castle

01

Begin your journey in the historic city of Kraków by visiting Wawel Castle, a UNESCO World Heritage site that stands proudly on Wawel Hill overlooking the Vistula River. This magnificent castle complex showcases stunning Renaissance architecture and is steeped in Polish royal history. Explore the State Rooms, the Crown Treasury, and the famous Wawel Dragon's den. Don't forget to stroll through the beautiful gardens surrounding the castle, offering picturesque views and a serene atmosphere, perfect for photography and reflection.

DAY 2

DAY 02

Kraków - St. Mary's Basilica and Old Town

02

On your second day in Kraków, delve into the heart of the city by visiting St. Mary's Basilica, renowned for its stunning Gothic architecture and the magnificent altarpiece by Veit Stoss. Make sure to catch the hourly trumpet signal, known as the Hejnał, played from the tower. Afterward, explore the vibrant Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site filled with charming streets, colorful buildings, and lively market squares. Don’t miss the Main Market Square, where you can enjoy local delicacies at outdoor cafes and shop for souvenirs.

DAY 3

DAY 03

Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial and Museum

03

Take a day to visit the Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial and Museum, a powerful and moving site dedicated to the memory of the victims of the Holocaust. Located just outside Kraków, this UNESCO World Heritage site provides a poignant insight into the horrors of human rights atrocities. Guided tours will lead you through the preserved barracks, gas chambers, and exhibitions that depict the history of the camp and the resilience of those who suffered. It's a day of reflection that serves as a reminder of the importance of tolerance and understanding in our world.

DAY 4

Wieliczka Salt Mine

04

Your adventure continues with a visit to the Wieliczka Salt Mine, another UNESCO World Heritage site located near Kraków. This extraordinary underground complex, carved from rock salt, features stunning sculptures, chapels, and a breathtaking underground lake. As you descend into the depths of the mine, marvel at the intricate carvings and impressive salt chandeliers that illuminate the chambers. The mine's rich history dates back to the 13th century, and it is a fascinating testament to human ingenuity and artistry. Don't miss the chance to learn about the mine's historical significance and its connection to the region.

DAY 5

Czestochowa - Jasna Góra Monastery

05

Travel to Czestochowa to visit the Jasna Góra Monastery, one of Poland's most important pilgrimage sites. The monastery houses the revered Black Madonna painting, believed to have miraculous powers and attracting millions of visitors each year. As you explore the monastery grounds, you will find beautiful chapels, a museum, and the peaceful atmosphere that surrounds this spiritual haven. Attend a mass or simply reflect in the serene surroundings before returning to Kraków or continuing your journey onward.

DAY 6

Warsaw - Old Town

06

Next, travel to Warsaw, the vibrant capital of Poland. Start your visit in the meticulously reconstructed Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site that showcases the city's rich history and cultural heritage. Stroll through cobblestone streets lined with colorful townhouses, visit the Royal Castle, and take in the stunning views of the Vistula River. The Old Town Market Square is bustling with cafes and shops, offering a perfect spot to relax and enjoy the local cuisine. Immerse yourself in the atmosphere of this historic area and learn about the resilience of Warsaw's inhabitants through the years.

DAY 7

Warsaw - Cultural Sites

07

On your second day in Warsaw, explore some of the city's cultural treasures. Visit the Warsaw Uprising Museum, which honors the heroes of the 1944 uprising against Nazi occupation. Next, wander through Łazienki Park, famous for its beautiful gardens, palaces, and the iconic Chopin monument. In the afternoon, head to the POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews, where you can learn about the rich history and culture of Jewish life in Poland. This day will provide a deeper understanding of Warsaw’s complex past and its vibrant present.

DAY 8

Gdańsk - Main Town

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Travel to the coastal city of Gdańsk, known for its rich maritime history and stunning architecture. Start your exploration in the Main Town, a beautifully preserved historic district filled with colorful facades and charming streets. Visit the iconic Neptune Fountain, the historic Gdańsk Crane, and St. Mary's Church, one of the largest brick churches in the world. Take a leisurely stroll along the Motława River and enjoy a meal at one of the riverside restaurants, savoring fresh seafood while soaking up the vibrant atmosphere of this port city.

DAY 9

DAY 09

Toruń - Old Town

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Next, head to Toruń, a UNESCO World Heritage site famous for its Gothic architecture and as the birthplace of the astronomer Nicolaus Copernicus. Explore the charming Old Town, where you can see the stunning Toruń Cathedral and the Leaning Tower. Visit the Copernicus Museum to learn more about his life and contributions to astronomy. Don't forget to try the local gingerbread, a specialty of Toruń, and enjoy the unique atmosphere of this historical city, known for its well-preserved medieval buildings and rich cultural heritage.

DAY 10

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Białowieża Forest

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Venture into the Białowieża Forest, one of the last remaining primeval forests in Europe and a UNESCO World Heritage site. This ancient woodland is home to diverse flora and fauna, including the European bison. Join a guided tour to learn about the forest's unique ecosystem and the conservation efforts in place to protect it. Take a leisurely hike through the forest trails, breathing in the fresh air and enjoying the tranquil surroundings. The Białowieża Forest is a perfect place to connect with nature and appreciate the beauty of Poland's natural heritage.

DAY 11

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Tatra National Park

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Conclude your journey with a visit to Tatra National Park, an area renowned for its stunning mountain scenery and outdoor activities. The park offers numerous hiking trails catering to various skill levels, where you can experience the breathtaking views of the Tatra Mountains. During your visit, explore the picturesque lakes, valleys, and traditional highlander culture. Consider taking a guided hike or a scenic cable car ride to reach the summit for panoramic views. Tatra National Park is an ideal destination for nature lovers and adventure seekers alike.

DAY 12

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Departure from Poland

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As your unforgettable journey through Poland comes to an end, take some time to reflect on the incredible experiences and memories made. Depending on your flight schedule, you may have a few hours to explore any last-minute sights or enjoy some shopping for souvenirs in Kraków or Warsaw. Savor your final Polish meal before heading to the airport, filled with the flavors of traditional cuisine. Depart with a heart full of memories, a camera full of photos, and a spirit enriched by the cultural and historical treasures of Poland.

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Every detail of your journey through Tour Poland has been thoughtfully arranged. Our team is here to help you make it unforgettable.

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