



# Best of Egypt FAM trip for travel agents & guests



## Trip Facts

### *Transportation*

Car

### *Accommodation*

Hotel

### *Tour type*

Sight Seeing

### *Meals*

Breakfast

### *Locations Visited*

Cairo, Aswan, Nile River, Kom

Ombo, Edfu, Esna, Luxor,

Hurghada, Abu Simbel

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## Overview

(Mobile users please hold your device horizontally for the best view)

Sleep near the pyramids, sail the sights along the Nile and swim in the Red Sea. This 8 night vacation in Egypt will bring you back in time to the days of the Pharaohs. Marvel at what history has left for us to behold in the ancient Hieroglyphics lining the passageways that lead deep into the famous burial chambers of the ancient kings and queens.

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### Trip route

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## Itinerary

Day 01: Day 1 Saturday - Cairo

Day 02: Day 2 Sunday - optional excursion & train to Aswan

Day 03: Day 3 Monday - Aswan/Abu Simbel optional/Nile cruise

Day 04: Day 4 Tuesday - Nile cruise (Kom Ombo/Edfu/Esna)

Day 05: Day 5 Wednesday - Nile cruise (Luxor)

Day 06: Day 6 Thursday - Nile cruise (Luxor & Hurghada)

Day 07: Day 7 Friday - Hurghada

Day 08: Day 8 Saturday - Hurghada & Cairo

Day 09: Day 9 Sunday - depart Cairo

Day  
01

## Day 1 Saturday - Cairo

Arrive in Cairo. After customs and immigration, our representatives will meet and greet you, assist with your luggage and transfer you to the Oasis Hotel in Cairo.

In the afternoon you will visit the famous Egyptian Museum where archaeological pieces dating as far back as 3000 BC are in exhibit; you will see the famous treasure of King Tutank. You will also visit the Alabaster Mosque, the Coptic District, and the Ancient Citadel which was built in 1176.

Day  
02

## Day 2 Sunday - optional excursion & train to Aswan

Today, you will have an optional full day excursion with lunch, visiting the Pyramids & Great Sphinx of Giza. You will drive around the Pyramid of Chephren, the Pyramid of Cheops (also known as the Great Pyramid or Khufu), and the Pyramid of

Mykerinos. You will have time to walk around Cheops, and take pictures. Then visit the Sphinx, the colossal one-piece sandstone man-headed lion-bodied statue. Then continue to Memphis, the capital of Old Kingdom; and then Sakkara, to visit the Step Pyramid, the first monumental stone structure in Ancient Egypt. Optional full day excursion \$120 PP.

Evening transfer to railway station for F/C Sleeper (overnight) train to Aswan.

***Breakfast & dinner included, lunch included in optional full day excursion.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, dinner

Day  
03

## Day 3 Monday - Aswan/Abu Simbel optional/Nile cruise

Today, you will have choice to visit Abu Simbel in our optional excursion including round trip air for \$299. Abu Simbel is considered to be one of the most impressive sites in Egypt. Here you will visit the two temples built by Ramses II as a high-architect before he became a Pharaoh.

**Note:** Clients taking the Abu Simbel excursion will spend Tuesday night in Cairo and fly from Cairo early morning to Abu Simbel then to Aswan to join the Cruise (Round Trip local Egypt flights are not included).

The 100 foot high Great Temple is world famous, which features 4 statues of Ramses II and his wife Queen Nefertari, each 65 feet high. Next to that Great Temple is the temple dedicated to Queen Nefertari. Both temples were originally carved in a mountain. In 1965 they were moved 600 feet and raised 65 feet, thanks to an international project to save them from the flooding caused by the construction of the High Dam.

Transfer to Aswan for an unforgettable 3 night Nile Cruise.

Upon arrival, you can stay and relax on the boat, or if you purchased our optional

excursion package visit the Aswan Philae Temple, Aswan Dam; unfinished Obelisk and sail around Elephantine Island.

***Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, lunch, dinner

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04

## **Day 4 Tuesday - Nile cruise (Kom Ombo/Edfu/Esna)**

After breakfast we will continue our cruise the Nile to Kom Ombo, if you purchased our optional excursion package \$299 PP you get guided visits to the temples at Kom Ombo.

Continue sailing to Edfu, upon arrival, if you purchased our optional excursions package visit the Temples of Isis and Osiris a fun excursion begins in Edfu visiting the Edfu Temples.

Later in the afternoon, we will cross the locks on the Nile in Esna providing a fun and small scale canal crossing experience. Dinner and lunch on board the cruise boat.

In the evening continue to sail north to Luxor.

***Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, lunch, dinner

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05

## **Day 5 Wednesday - Nile cruise (Luxor)**

In Luxor, if you purchased optional excursion package transfer to the West Bank of the

Nile with Thebes, Valley of Kings, Hatsheput Temple.

Dinner and overnight on board cruise at Luxor.

***Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, lunch, dinner

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06

## Day 6 Thursday - Nile cruise (Luxor & Hurghada)

If you purchased the optional excursion package transfer to Luxor & Karnak Temples.

In the afternoon, you leave the cruise and transfer by car to Hotel AMC Royal Resort in Hurghada.

***Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, lunch, dinner

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Day  
07

## Day 7 Friday - Hurghada

Optional submarine reef exploration \$80 per person. A fantastic underwater trip for 90 minutes to discover the wonderful marine life of the Red Sea.

***Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.***

✓ Meal: breakfast, lunch, dinner

Day  
08

## Day 8 Saturday - Hurghada & Cairo

Check out and transfer to the airport for your flight to Cairo (flight not included). Upon arrival transfer to Oasis Hotel in Cairo.

Rest of the day is handled at your leisure.

✓ *Meal: breakfast*

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Day  
09

## Day 9 Sunday - depart Cairo

Transfer to Cairo airport for flight back home to the U.S.

✓ *Meal: breakfast*

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