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**CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE** 

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# **CROSSING THE IRON CURTAIN**

7 days in Budapest, Krakow, and Warsaw



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Arrival transfer from Budapest airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Warsaw airport on day 7
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 7DBUDWAW**

WD - Welcome Dinner | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Thursday - Arrive in Budapest

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

#### Day 2: Friday - in Budapest

Today, the sightseeing tour views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, Fisherman's Bastion, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore this exciting city. (B)

#### Day 3: Saturday - to Krakow

The road to Krakow winds through the hills and countryside of Slovakia, past the Tatras Mountains, and into the rolling plains of Poland. (B)

#### Day 4: Sunday - in Krakow

A morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the **Royal Castle** and visiting the Royal Cathedral. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit **St. Mary's Church**. The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)

#### Day 5: Monday - to Warsaw

This morning join us for a tour to **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the notorious concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Late afternoon arrival to Warsaw, Poland's capital. Dinner this evening at your hotel. (B,D)

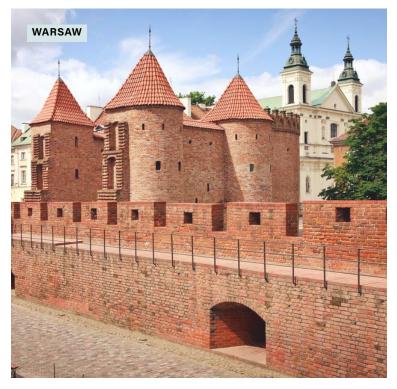
#### Day 6: Tuesday - in Warsaw

This 700-year-old capital is a symbol of Polish nationhood and the will to survive against great odds. Your sightseeing tour here includes a drive along the famous Royal Route from magnificent Castle Square to Lazienki Park and Palace, the summer residence of the last king of Poland. Pass by the Palace of Science and Culture (known as the "wedding cake"), the Saxon Gardens, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Monument to the Heroes of the Warsaw Ghetto, and Barbican. Continue with a walking tour of the Old Town, Old Market Square and St. John's Cathedral. The rest of the day is free for shopping, a stroll through the city, relaxing in one of the many parks or gardens.

Optional: late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 7: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)







# HOTELS

- Budapest: Hotel Radisson Blu
- Krakow: Hotel NH Budapest City
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

# NOTES

Kompas reserves the right to substitute hotels of similar standards at our discretion, and if such change occurs, it is not grounds for the cancellation of the trip.

Because of the narrow and cobbled streets, walking is the primary way of getting around. Please make sure you pack comfortable walking shoes.

# DATES & PRICES

#### 2025 - 7DBUDWAW

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 10	Apr 16	\$1,694
May 8	May 14	\$1,759
Jun 5	Jun 11	\$1,699
Jul 24	Jul 30	\$1,644
Aug 21	Aug 27	\$1,644
Sep 4	Sep 10	\$1,699
Sep 25	Oct 1	\$1,699
Oct 16	Oct 22	\$1,699
Single Room Supplement: \$629		







# THE BEST OF CENTRAL EUROPE

9 days in Berlin, Dresden, Prague, Vienna, and Budapest



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Berlin airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Budapest airport on day 9
- · Breakfast daily and one dinner
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Berlin
- Dresden
- Prague
- Vienna
- Budapest

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 9DBERBUD**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Friday - Arrive in Berlin

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Saturday - in Berlin

Your morning sightseeing tour features views of the impressive Reichstag and lovely Schloss Charlottenburg. Continue through the city to see famous sights such as the Opera, Schiller Theater and Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church. The afternoon is free to explore this once divided city on your own. (B)

#### Day 3: Sunday - to Prague

After breakfast, we take you to Dresden, the beautiful Saxony Baroque city. Stop for an orientation tour, viewing Zwinger Palace and Semper Opera House. Then, on to Prague, the capital of Czech Republic. (B)

#### Day 4: Monday - in Prague

After breakfast, we cross the Vltava River to see the Royal Castle of Hradcany and visit the Cathedral of St. Vitus, the Old Royal Palace, St. George's Basilica, and the Golden Lane with the Daliborka Tower. On to view the Old Town Square, the famous Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, St. Nicholas Church, the Charles Bridge, and more. The balance of the day is at leisure. (B)

#### Day 5: Tuesday - to Vienna

We travel by motorcoach to Vienna, the "City of Waltz." There is free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architecture to pastries. (B)

#### Day 6: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's Cathedral** and the **Hofburg Palace**; then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. In the evening enjoy the classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music. (B)

#### Day 7: Thursday - to Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, visiting Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia and Esztergom on the way. Dinner in your hotel. (B,D)

#### Day 8: Friday - in Budapest

The sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, **Fisherman's Bastion**, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore the "Paris of the East", shop along the Vaci Utca, nibble a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip some Hungarian wine, or perhaps join the optional excursion. (B)

#### Day 9: Saturday - Depart Budapest

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport. (B)







# HOTELS

- Berlin: Hotel ABBA
- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City

# NOTES

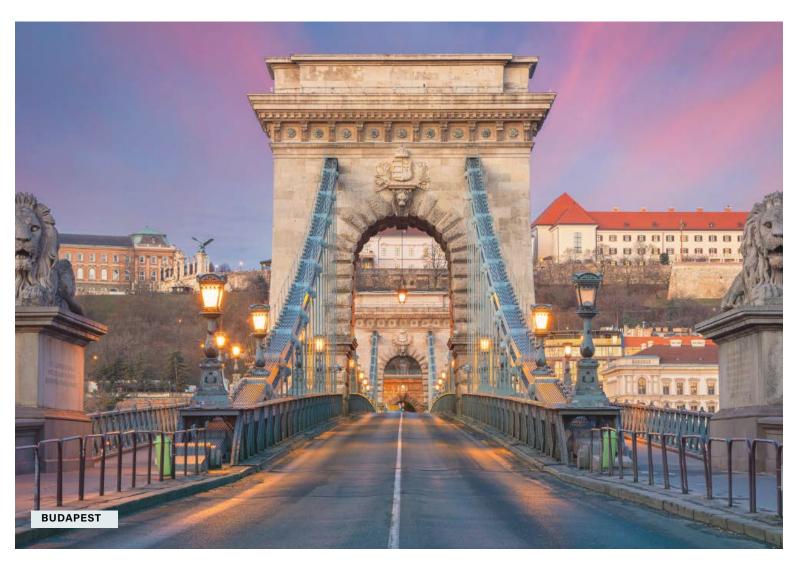
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# **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 9DBERBUD

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 4	Apr 12	\$2,999
May 2	May 10	\$2,959
May 30	Jun 7	\$2,959
Jul 18	Jul 26	\$2,889
Aug 15	Aug 23	\$2,889
Aug 29	Sep 6	\$2,959
Sep 19	Sep 27	\$3,069
Oct 10	Oct 18	\$3,069
Single Room Supplement: \$1,249		







# **CAPITALS OF HABSBURG EMPIRE**

7 days in Prague, Vienna, and Budapest



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Prague airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Budapest airport on day 7
- Breakfast daily and 1 dinner
- Welcome drink in Prague
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- · Service charges and hotel taxes

- Prague
- Vienna
- Budapest

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 7DPRGBUD**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Sunday - Arrive in Prague

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director for a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Monday - in Prague

After breakfast. we cross the Vltava River to see the **Royal Castle of Hradcany** and visit the **Cathedral of St. Vitus, the Old Royal Palace, St. George's Basilica**, and the Golden Lane with the Daliborka Tower. On to view the Old Town Square, the famous Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, St. Nicholas Church, the Charles Bridge, and more. The balance of the day is at leisure. (B)

#### Day 3: Tuesday - to Vienna

We travel by motorcoach to Vienna, the "City of Waltz." There is free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architecture to pastries. Overnight. (B)

#### Day 4: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's** Cathedral and the Hofburg Palace; then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. (B)

Optional: Evening classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music.

#### Day 5: Thursday - to Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, visiting Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia and Esztergom on the way. Dinner in your hotel. (B,D)

#### Day 6: Friday - in Budapest

The sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the

Castle Hill area, **Fisherman's Bastion**, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore the "Paris of the East", shop along the Vaci Utca, nibble a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip some Hungarian wine, or perhaps join the optional excursion. (B)

#### Day 7: Saturday - Depart Budapest

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport. (B)





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# HOTELS

- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City

### NOTES

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### **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 7DPRGBUD

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 6	Apr 12	\$1,699
May 4	May 10	\$1,599
Jun 1	Jun 7	\$1,599
Jul 20	Jul 26	\$1,699
Aug 17	Aug 23	\$1,699
Aug 31	Sep 6	\$1,799
Sep 21	Sep 27	\$1,799
Oct 12	Oct 18	\$1,799
Single Room Supplement: \$649		







# AMBER ROAD FROM WARSAW TO THE BALTIC STATES

9 days in Warsaw, Vilnius, Riga, and Tallinn



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Warsaw airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Tallinn airport on day 9
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Warsaw
- Vilnius
- Riga
- Tallinn

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 9DWAWTLL**

WD - Welcome Dinner | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Monday – Arrive in Warsaw

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

#### Day 2: Tuesday - in Warsaw

This 700-year-old capital is a symbol of Polish nationhood and the will to survive against great odds. Your sightseeing tour here includes a drive along the famous Royal Route from magnificent Castle Square to Lazienki Park and Palace, the summer residence of the last king of Poland. Pass by the Palace of Science and Culture (known as the "wedding cake"), the Saxon Gardens, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Monument to the Heroes of the Warsaw Ghetto, and Barbican. Continue with a walking tour of the Old Town, Old Market Square and St. John's Cathedral. The rest of the day is free for shopping, a stroll through the city, relaxing in one of the many parks or gardens. (B) Optional: late afternoon Chopin concert.

#### Day 3: Wednesday - to Vilnius

Drive across the Polish countryside, cities, and towns as you head to the border of Lithuania on your way to Vilnius, arriving at the day's end. (B)

#### Day 4: Thursday - in Vilnius

Vilnius is located on the confluence of the Neris and Velnele Rivers. In Old Vilnius, visit baroque **St. Peter and St. Paul's Church** and striking St. Anne's Church. View Vilnius University, dating back to 1570, famous Gediminas' Tower and Vilnius Castle. The afternoon is free to continue exploring. (B) Optional: Town of Trakai, beautifully set on three lakes.

#### Day 5: Friday - to Riga

Depart this morning for Riga, the capital of Latvia. The balance of the day is at leisure to begin exploring the city with its interesting architecture, do some shopping, or go for a walk through the city. (B)

#### Day 6: Saturday - in Riga

See Riga Castle on the banks of the Daugava River, the magnificent Dome Cathedral, St. Jacobs Cathedral, St. Peter's Church, the Parliament building, Liberty Monument, and the district of Art Nouveau houses on a morning sightseeing tour. The rest of the day is free to explore more, shop, or maybe sample Latvian crepes. (B)

#### Day 7: Sunday - to Tallinn

Today journey will take us to Tallinn, Estonia's capital, situated on the southern coast of the Gulf of Finland. (B)

#### Day 8: Monday - in Tallinn

On a walking tour of Tallinn's Upper and Lower Old Town, view the Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Next, see Toompea Castle and see the 14th-century gothic Town Hall. Afternoon free. Farewell dinner this evening with your Tour director and fellow traveling companions. (B,D)

#### Day 9: Tuesday - Departure Tallinn

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Tallinn airport. (B)



# HOTELS

- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum
- Vilnius: Hotel Radisson/ Novotel Centre
- Riga: Hotel Radisson Latvia
- Tallinn: Hotel Park Inn Meriton

# NOTES

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# **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 9DWAWTLL

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 14	Apr 22	\$1,949
May 12	May 20	\$1,949
Jun 9	Jun 17	\$1,899
Jul 28	Aug 5	\$1,899
Aug 25	Sep 2	\$1,899
Sep 8	Sep 16	\$1,899
Sep 29	Oct 7	\$1,899
Oct 20	Oct 28	\$1,899
Single Room Supplement: \$629		



# 13DBUDTLL



# **TREASURES OF EASTERN EUROPE**

13 days in Budapest, Krakow, Warsaw, Vilnius, Riga, and Tallinn



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Arrival transfer Budapest airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Tallinn airport on day 13
- Breakfast daily and 3 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw
- Vilnius
- Riga
- Tallinn

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 13DBUDTLL**

WD - Welcome Dinner | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Thursday - Arrive in Budapest

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

#### Day 2: Friday - in Budapest

Today, after breakfast, the sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, Fisherman's Bastion, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore this exciting city. (B)

#### Day 3: Saturday - to Krakow

The road to Krakow winds through the hills and countryside of Slovakia, past the Tatras Mountains, and into the rolling plains of Poland. (B)

#### Day 4: Sunday - in Krakow

A morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the Royal Castle and visiting the **Royal Cathedral**. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit St. Mary's Church. The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)

#### Day 5: Monday - to Warsaw

This morning join us on a tour to Auschwitz-**Birkenau**, the notorious concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. In the late afternoon, arrive in Warsaw, Poland's capital. Dinner this evening. (B,D)

#### Day 6: Tuesday - in Warsaw

This 700-year-old capital is a symbol of Polish nationhood and the will to survive against great odds. Your sightseeing tour here includes a drive along the famous Royal Route from magnificent Castle Square Lazienki Park and Palace, the summer residence of the last king of Poland. Pass by the Palace of Science and Culture (known as the "wedding cake"), the Saxon Gardens, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Monument to the Heroes of the Warsaw Ghetto, and Barbican. Continue with a walking tour of the Old Town, Old Market Square and St. John's Cathedral. The rest of the day is free for shopping, a stroll through the city, relaxing in one of the many parks or gardens. Optional: Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 7: Wednesday - to Vilnius

Drive across the Polish countryside, cities, and towns as you head to the border of Lithuania on your way to Vilnius, arriving at the day's end. (B)

#### Day 8: Thursday - In Vilnius

Vilnius is located on the confluence of the Neris and Velnele Rivers. In Old Vilnius, visit baroque St. Peter and St. Paul's Church and striking St. Anne's Church. View Vilnius University, dating back to 1570, famous Gediminas' Tower and Vilnius Castle. The afternoon is free to continue exploring on your own. Optional: Town of Trakai, beautifully set on three lakes. (B)

#### Day 9: Friday - to Riga

Depart this morning for Riga, the capital of Latvia. The balance of the day is at leisure to begin exploring the city with its interesting architecture, do some shopping, or go for a walk through the city. (B)



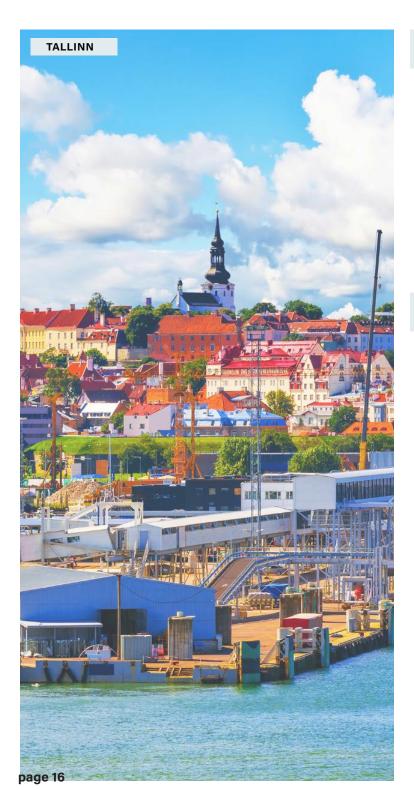


#### Day 12: Monday - in Tallinn

On a walking tour of Tallinn's Upper and Lower Old Town, view the Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Next, see Toompea Castle and see the 14th-century gothic Town Hall. The afternoon is free. This evening enjoy a Farewell dinner with your fellow travelers. (B,D)

#### Day 13: Tuesday - Depart Tallinn

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Tallinn airport. (B)



# HOTELS

- Budapest: NH Budapest City
- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum
- Vilnius: Hotel Radisson or Novotel Centre
- Riga: Hotel Radisson Latvia
- Tallinn: Hotel Park Inn Meriton

# NOTES

Kompas reserves the right to substitute hotels of similar standards at our discretion, and if such change occurs, it is not grounds for the cancellation of the trip.

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# **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 13DBUDTLL

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 10	Apr 22	\$2,839
May 8	May 20	\$2,899
Jun 5	Jun 17	\$2,857
Jul 24	Aug 5	\$2,789
Aug 21	Sep 2	\$2,789
Sep 4	Sep 16	\$2,857
Sep 25	Oct 7	\$2,857
Oct 16	Oct 28	\$2,857
Single Room Supplement: \$999		





# KALEDISCOPE OF THE HABSBURG EMPIRE

11 days in Prague, Vienna, Budapest, Krakow, and Warsaw



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Prague airport to hotel
  on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Warsaw airport on day 11
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Welcome drink in Prague
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Prague
- Vienna
- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 11DPRGWAW**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in **bold** 

#### Day 1: Sunday - Arrive in Prague

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Monday - in Prague

After breakfast, we cross the Vltava River to see the Royal Castle of Hradcany and visit the Cathedral of St. Vitus, the Old Royal Palace, St. George's Basilica, and the Golden Lane with the Daliborka Tower. On to view the Old Town Square, the famous Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, St. Nicholas Church, the Charles Bridge, and more. The balance of the day is at leisure. (B)

#### Day 3: Tuesday - to Vienna

We travel by motorcoach to Vienna, the "City of Waltz." There is free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architecture to pastries. (B)

#### Day 4: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's Cathedral** and the **Hofburg Palace**; then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. In the evening optional classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music. (B)

#### Day 5: Thursday - to Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, visiting Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia and Esztergom on the way. Dinner in your hotel. (B,D)

#### Day 6: Friday - in Budapest

The sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, **Fisherman's Bastion**, the Matthias

Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore the "Paris of the East", shop along the Vaci Utca, nibble a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip some Hungarian wine, or perhaps join the optional excursion. (B)

#### Day 7: Saturday - to Krakow

The road to Krakow winds through the hills and countryside of Slovakia, past the Tatras Mountains, and into the rolling plains of Poland. (B)

#### Day 8: Sunday - in Krakow

Our morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the Royal Castle and visiting the **Royal Cathedra**l. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit **St. Mary's Church**. The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)





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#### Day 9: Monday - to Warsaw

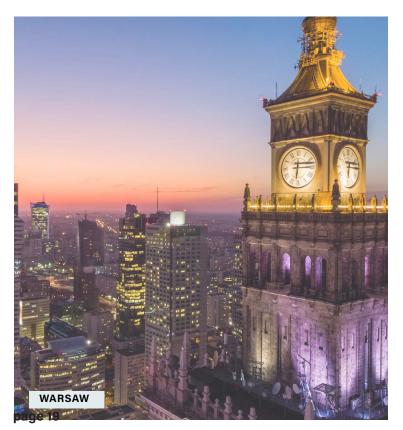
This morning join us for a tour to **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the notorious concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Late afternoon arrival to Warsaw, Poland's capital. Dinner and overnight. (B,D)

#### Day 10: Tuesday - in Warsaw

This 700-year-old capital is a symbol of Polish nationhood and the will to survive against great odds. Your sightseeing tour here includes a drive along the famous Royal Route from magnificent Castle Square to Lazienki Park and Palace, the summer residence of the last king of Poland. Pass by the Palace of Science and Culture (known as the "wedding cake"), the Saxon Gardens, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Monument to the Heroes of the Warsaw Ghetto, and Barbican. Continue with a walking tour of the Old Town, Old Market Square and St. John's Cathedral. The rest of the day is free for shopping, a stroll through the city, relaxing in one of the many parks or gardens. Optional: Late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 11: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)



# HOTELS

- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City
- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

### NOTES

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### **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 11PRGWAW

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 6	Apr 16	\$2,694
May 4	May 14	\$2,599
Jun 1	Jun 11	\$2,599
Jul 20	Jul 30	\$2,644
Aug 17	Aug 27	\$2,644
Aug 31	Sep 10	\$2,759
Sep 21	Oct 1	\$2,759
Oct 12	Oct 22	\$2,759
Single Room Supplement: \$998		



# **9DVIEWAW**



# ON THE WINGS OF CLASSICAL MUSIC

9 days in Vienna, Budapest, Krakow, and Warsaw



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Vienna airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Warsaw airport on day 9
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Vienna
- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 9DVIEWAW**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in **bold** 

#### Day 1: Tuesday - Arrive in Vienna

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's Cathedral and the Hofburg Palace;** then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. In the evening enjoy the classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music. (B)

#### Day 3: Thursday - to Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, visiting Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia and Esztergom on the way. Dinner, in your hotel. (B,D)

#### Day 4: Friday - in Budapest

The sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, **Fisherman's Bastion**, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore the "Paris of the East", shop along the Vaci Utca, nibble a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip some Hungarian wine, or perhaps join the optional excursion. (B)

#### Day 5: Saturday - to Krakow

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#### Day 6: Sunday - in Krakow

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Optional: late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 9: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)



# HOTELS

- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City
- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

# NOTES

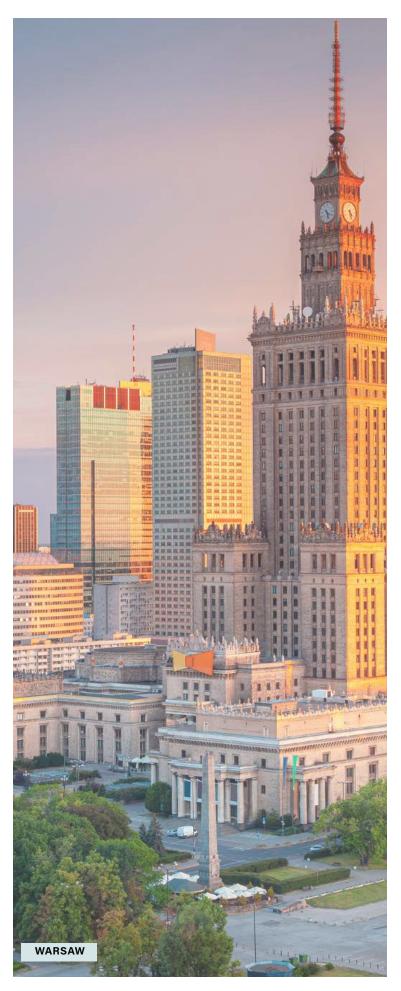
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DATES & PRICES

#### 2025 - 9DVIEWAW

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 8	Apr 16	\$2,244
May 6	May 14	\$1,999
Jun 3	Jun 11	\$1,999
Jul 22	Jul 30	\$2,244
Aug 19	Aug 27	\$2,244
Sep 2	Sep 10	\$2,999
Sep 23	Oct 1	\$2,999
Oct 14	Oct 22	\$2,999
Single Room Supplement: \$899		







# THE SOUL OF POLAND

6 days in Krakow and Warsaw



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Krakow airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Warsaw airport on day 6
- Breakfast daily and one dinner
- Welcome drink in Krakow
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Krakow
- Warsaw

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 6DKRKWAW**

W - Weclome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Friday - Arrive in Krakow

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers & Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Saturday - in Krakow

After breakfast, we take you to visit the **Wieliczka salt mine** is over 700 years old and is one of the largest and oldest working salt mines in Europe. It is on the UNESCO list of the 12 most priceless monuments in the world. An elevator will take you to the first level of the mine where you will be able to see the 180-foot chapel made from salt rock and lit with salt-crystal chandeliers. There are many other chambers carved out of a huge block of salt, underground museums, and even tennis and volleyball courts. Return to Krakow for some free time before we continue our exploration and visit the Jewish quarter of the city. (B)

#### Day 3: Sunday - in Krakow

A morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the Royal Castle and visiting the **Royal Cathedral**. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit **St. Mary's Church**. The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)

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#### Day 6: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)





# HOTELS

- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

# NOTES

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# **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 6DKRKWAW

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 11	Apr 16	\$1,299
May 9	May 14	\$1,299
Jun 6	Jun 11	\$1,299
Jul 25	Jul 30	\$1,299
Aug 22	Aug 27	\$1,299
Sep 5	Sep 10	\$1,299
Sep 26	Oct 1	\$1,299
Oct 17	Oct 22	\$1,299
Single Room Supplement: \$425		







# **CENTRAL EUROPEAN CULTURE**

7 days in Berlin, Dresden, Prague, and Vienna



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Berlin airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Vienna airport on day 7
- · Breakfast daily
- Welcome drink in Berlin
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Berlin
- Dresden
- Prague
- Vienna

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 7DBERVIE**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Friday - Arrive in Berlin

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Saturday - in Berlin

Your morning sightseeing tour features views of the impressive Reichstag and lovely Schloss Charlottenburg. Continue through the city to see famous sights such as the Opera, Schiller Theater and Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church. The afternoon is free to explore this once divided city on your own. (B)

#### Day 3: Sunday - to Prague

After breakfast, we take you to Dresden, the beautiful Saxony Baroque city. Stop for an orientation tour, viewing Zwinger Palace and Semper Opera House. Then, on to Prague, the capital of Czech Republic. (B)

#### Day 4: Monday - in Prague

After breakfast, we cross the Vltava River to see the Royal Castle of Hradcany and visit the Cathedral of St. Vitus, the Old Royal Palace, St. George's Basilica, and the Golden Lane with the Daliborka Tower. On to view the Old Town Square, the famous Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, St. Nicholas Church, the Charles Bridge, and more. The balance of the day is at leisure. (B)

#### Day 5: Tuesday - to Vienna

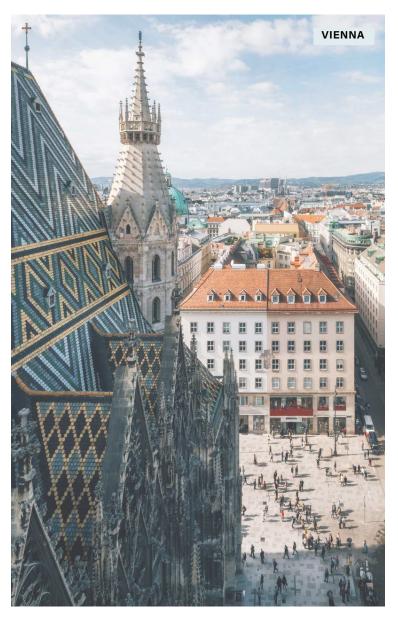
We travel by motorcoach to Vienna, the "City of Waltz." There is free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architecture to pastries. (B)

#### Day 6: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's Cathedral** and the **Hofburg Palace**; then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. Optional: Evening classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music. (B)

#### Day 7: Thursday - Depart Vienna

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport. (B)







# HOTELS

- Berlin: Hotel ABBA
- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City

# NOTES

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# **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 7DBERVIE

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 4	Apr 10	\$1,699
May 2	May 8	\$1,599
May 30	Jun 5	\$1,599
Jul 18	Jul 24	\$1,599
Aug 15	Aug 21	\$1,599
Aug 29	Sep 4	\$1,599
Sep 19	Sep 25	\$1,699
Oct 10	Oct 16	\$1,699
Single Room Supplement: \$669		







# **DISCOVERING THE BALTIC STATES**

7 days in Vilnius, Riga, and Tallinn



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Vilnius airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Tallinn airport on day 7
- · Breakfast daily and one dinner
- Welcome drink in Vilnius
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Vilnius
- Riga
- Tallinn

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 7DVILTLL**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Wednesday - Arrive Vilnius

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a welcome drink. (W)

#### Day 2: Thursday - in Vilnius

Vilnius is located on the confluence of the Neris and Velnele Rivers. In Old Vilnius, visit baroque **St. Peter and St. Paul's Church** and striking **St. Anne's Church**. View Vilnius University, dating back to 1570, famous Gediminas' Tower and Vilnius Castle. The afternoon is free to continue exploring. (B)

Optional: Town of Trakai, beautifully set on three lakes.

#### Day 3: Friday - to Riga

Depart this morning for Riga, the capital of Latvia. The balance of the day is at leisure to begin exploring the city with its interesting architecture, do some shopping, or go for a walk through the city. (B)

#### Day 4: Saturday - in Riga

See Riga Castle on the banks of the Daugava River, the magnificent Dome Cathedral, St. Jacobs Cathedral, St. Peter's Church, the Parliament building, Liberty Monument, and the district of Art Nouveau houses on a morning sightseeing tour. The rest of the day is free to explore more, shop, or maybe sample Latvian crepes. (B)

#### Day 5: Sunday - to Tallinn

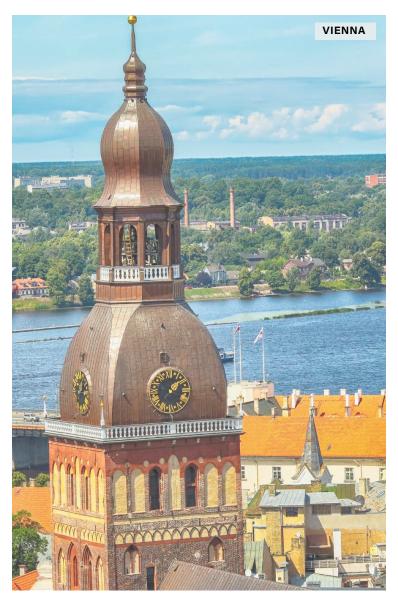
Today journey will take us to Tallinn, Estonia's capital, situated on the southern coast of the Gulf of Finland. (B)

#### Day 6: Monday - in Tallinn

On a walking tour of Tallinn's Upper and Lower Old Town, view the Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Next, see Toompea Castle and see the 14th-century gothic Town Hall. Afternoon is free. This evening, enjoy a Farewell dinner with your Tour Director and other traveling companions. (B,D)

#### Day 7: Tuesday - Depart Tallinn

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Tallinn airport. (B)





# HOTELS

- Vilnius: Hotel Radisson or Novotel Centre
- Riga: Hotel Radisson Latvia
- Tallinn: Hotel Park Inn Meriton

# NOTES

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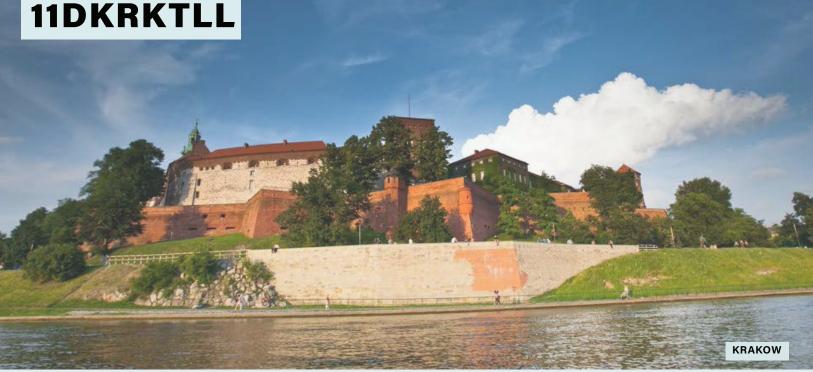
#### 2025 - 7DVILTLL

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:
Apr 16	Apr 22	\$1,549
May 14	May 20	\$1,549
Jun 11	Jun 17	\$1,499
Jul 30	Aug 5	\$1,499
Aug 27	Sep 2	\$1,499
Sep 10	Sep 16	\$1,499
Oct 1	Oct 7	\$1,499
Oct 22	Oct 28	\$1,499
Single Room Supplement: \$437		





# **11DKRKTLL**



# **AMBER ROAD FROM KRAKOW TO** THE BALTIC STATES

11 days in Krakow, Warsaw, Vilnius, Riga, and Tallinn



#### **FEATURES INCLUDED:**

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Krakow airport to hotel • on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Tallinn airport on day 11
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor • coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout •
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Vilnius
- Riga
- Tallinn

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 11DKRKTLL**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Saturday - Arrive in Krakow

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director over a Welcome reception. (WD)

#### Day 2: Sunday - in Krakow

A morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the Royal Castle and visiting the **Royal Cathedral**. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit St. Mary's Church. The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)

#### Day 3: Monday - to Warsaw

This morning join on a tour to **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the notorious concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. In the late afternoon, arrive in Poland's capital city, Warsaw. Dinner, overnight. (B,D)

#### Day 4: Tuesday - in Warsaw

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#### Day 5: Wednesday - to Vilnius

Drive across the Polish countryside, cities, and towns as you head to the border of Lithuania on your way to Vilnius, arriving at the day's end. (B)

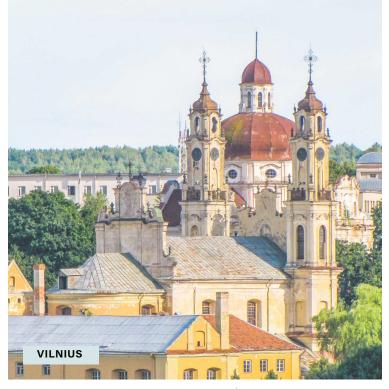
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Optional: Town of Trakai, beautifully set on three lakes. (B)

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Depart this morning for Riga, the capital of Latvia. The balance of the day is at leisure to begin exploring the city with its interesting architecture, do some shopping, or go for a walk through the city. (B)





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See Riga Castle on the banks of the Daugava River, the magnificent Dome Cathedral, St. Jacobs Cathedral, St. Peter's Church, the Parliament building, Liberty Monument, and the district of Art Nouveau houses on a morning sightseeing tour. The rest of the day is free to explore more, shop, or maybe sample Latvian crepes. (B)

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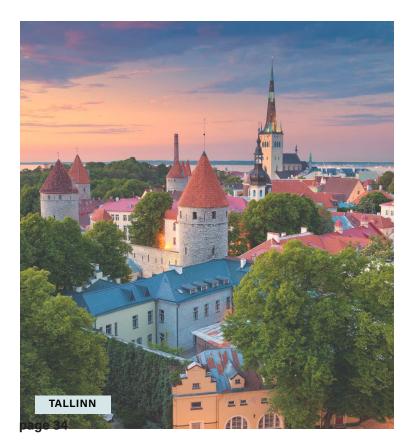
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#### Day 11: Tuesday - Depart Tallinn, Estonia

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Tallinn airport. (B)



# HOTELS

- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum
- Vilnius: Hotel Radisson or Novotel Centre
- Riga: Hotel Radisson Latvia
- Tallinn: Hotel Park Inn Meriton

### NOTES

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### **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 11DKRKTLL

Apr 22	<b>*0</b> 100	
	\$2,199	
May 20	\$2,199	
Jun 17	\$2,199	
Aug 5	\$2,199	
Sep 2	\$2,199	
Sep 16	\$2,199	
Oct 7	\$2,199	
Oct 28	\$2,199	
Single Room Supplement: \$789		
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# **ROYAL ROADS OF THE PAST**

13 days in Berlin, Dresden, Prague, Vienna, Budapest, Kakow, and Warsaw



#### FEATURES INCLUDED:

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Berlin airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Warsaw airport on day 13
- Breakfast daily and 2 dinners
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Berlin
- Dresden
- Prague
- Vienna
- Budapest
- Krakow
- Warsaw

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 13DBERWAW**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Friday - Arrive in Berlin

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director. (W)

#### Day 2: Saturday - in Berlin

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#### Day 3: Sunday - to Prague

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#### Day 4: Monday - in Prague

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We travel by motorcoach to Vienna, the "City of Waltz." There is free time to start discovering the city's delights, from shopping to architecture to pastries. (B)

#### Day 6: Wednesday - in Vienna

We start the day with a visit to **St. Stephen's Cathedral** and the **Hofburg Palace**; then on to view Belvedere Palace, Prater Amusement Park, and the UN Buildings. Afternoon free. In the evening optional classical Concert of Strauss's & Mozart's music. (B)

#### Day 7: Thursday - to Budapest

Today, we depart for Budapest, visiting Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia and Esztergom on the way. Dinner in your hotel. (B,D)

#### Day 8: Friday - in Budapest

The sightseeing tour includes views of all the main attractions: The Parliament, the Royal Palace, the Castle Hill area, **Fisherman's Bastion**, the Matthias Church, Heroes' Square, and Gellert Hill with its Citadel. The rest of the day is free to explore the "Paris of the East", shop along the Vaci Utca, nibble a delicious slice of apple strudel, sip some Hungarian wine, or perhaps join the optional excursion. This evening dinner at your hotel. (B)

#### Day 9: Saturday - to Krakow

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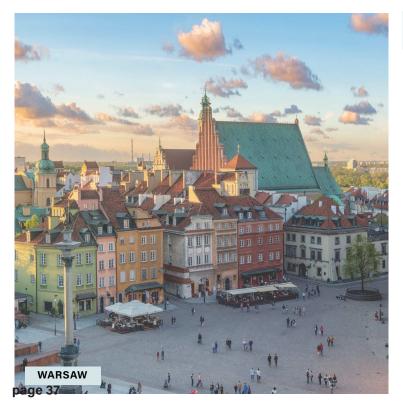
#### Day 12: Tuesday - in Warsaw

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Optional: late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 13: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)



### HOTELS

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- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City
- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

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### **DATES & PRICES**

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Apr 4	Apr 16	\$3,235
May 2	May 14	\$3,099
May 30	Jun 11	\$3,099
Jul 18	Jul 30	\$2,999
Aug 15	Aug 27	\$2,999
Aug 29	Sep 10	\$3,099
Sep 19	Oct 1	\$3,279
Oct 10	Oct 22	\$3,279
Single Room Supplement: \$1,199		





# WHERE WEST MEETS EAST

19 days in Berlin, Dresden, Prague, Vienna, Budapest, Krakow, Warsaw, Vilnius, Riga, and Tallinn



#### **FEATURES INCLUDED:**

- First class hotels
- Airport arrival transfer Berlin airport to hotel on day 1
- Departure transfer hotel to Tallinn airport on day 19
- Breakfast daily and 3 dinners
- Welcome drink in Berlin
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Professional Tour Director throughout
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Whisper technology enhanced touring
- Service charges and hotel taxes

- Berlin
- Warsaw Vilnius
- Dresden
- Riga
- Prague Tallinn Vienna
- Budapest
- Krakow

# **TRIP ITINERARY FOR 19DBERTLL**

W - Welcome Drink | B - Breakfast | L - Lunch | D - Dinner | F - First Class Hotel | Adminssions in bold

#### Day 1: Friday - Arrive in Berlin

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. There's time to relax before meeting your fellow travelers and Tour Director. (W)

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#### Day 9: Saturday - to Krakow

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#### Day 10: Sunday - in Krakow

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#### Day 13: Wednesday - to Vilnius

Drive across the Polish countryside, cities, and towns as you head to the border of Lithuania on your way to Vilnius, arriving at the day's end. (B)

#### Day 14: Thursday - Vilnius

Vilnius is located on the confluence of the Neris and Velnele Rivers. In Old Vilnius, visit baroque St. Peter and St. Paul's Church and striking St. Anne's Church. View Vilnius University, dating back to 1570, famous Gediminas' Tower and Vilnius Castle. The afternoon is free to continue exploring on your own. Optional: Town of Trakai, beautifully set on three lakes. (B)

#### Day 15: Friday - to Riga

Depart this morning for Riga, the capital of Latvia. The balance of the day is at leisure to begin exploring the city with its interesting architecture, do some shopping, or go for a walk through the city. (B)

#### Day 16: Saturday - Riga

See Riga Castle on the banks of the Daugava River, the magnificent Dome Cathedral, St. Jacobs Cathedral, St. Peter's Church, the Parliament building, Liberty Monument, and the district of Art Nouveau houses on a morning sightseeing tour. The rest of the day is free to explore more, shop, or maybe sample some Latvian crepes. (B)

#### Day 17: Sunday - to Tallinn

Today journey will take us to Tallinn, Estonia's capital, situated on the southern coast of the Gulf of Finland. (B)

#### Day 18: Monday - Tallinn

On a walking tour of Tallinn's Upper and Lower Old Town, view the Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Next, see Toompea

Castle and the 14th-century gothic Town Hall. Afternoon free. Enjoy a Farewell dinner this evening with your Tour Director and fellow traveling companions. (B,D)

#### Day 19: Tuesday - Depart Tallinn

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Tallinn airport. (B)



#### Day 9: Saturday - to Krakow

The road to Krakow winds through the hills and countryside of Slovakia, past the Tatras Mountains, and into the rolling plains of Poland. (B)

#### Day 10: Sunday - in Krakow

A morning sightseeing tour starts with a visit to Wawel Hill, a viewing of the Royal Castle and visiting the **Royal Cathedral**. Next, take a walking tour of the Old Town where you will see the Main Market Square and Renaissance Cloth Hall, and visit **St. Mary's Church.** The afternoon is free to go for a stroll, browse through the shops, sample some "sernik" or "szarlotka", or simply relax. (B)

#### Day 11: Monday - to Warsaw

This morning join us for a tour to **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the notorious concentration camp from World War II and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Late afternoon arrival to Warsaw, Poland's capital. Dinner & overnight. (B,D)

#### Day 12: Tuesday - in Warsaw

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Optional: late afternoon Chopin concert. (B)

#### Day 13: Wednesday - Depart Warsaw

Check out from your hotel. Departure transfer to Warsaw airport. (B)

### HOTELS

- Berlin: Hotel ABBA
- Prague: Hotel Adria
- Vienna: Hotel NH Wien City
- Budapest: Hotel NH Budapest City
- Krakow: Hotel Radisson Red
- Warsaw: Hotel Mercure Centrum

# NOTES

Kompas reserves the right to substitute hotels of similar standards atour discretion, and if such change occurs, it is not grounds for the cancellation of the trip.

Because of the narrow and cobbled streets, walking is the primary way of getting around. Please make sure you pack comfortable walking shoes.

### **DATES & PRICES**

#### 2025 - 19DBERTLL

Start Date:	End Date:	Per Person in Twin:	
Apr 4	Apr 22	\$4,344	
May 2	May 20	\$4,369	
May 30	Jun 17	\$4,369	
Jul 18	Aug 5	\$4,244	
Aug 15	Sep 2	\$4,244	
Aug 29	Sep 16	\$4,369	
Sep 19	Oct 7	\$4,399	
Oct 10	Oct 28	\$4,399	
Single Room Supplement: \$1,650			



# **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**



#### HOW TO MAKE A RESERVATION

Please contact your travel agent for assistance, or call Kompas at 800-233-6422, or send an e-mail to contact@ kompas.net

#### PAYMENT

A non-refundable deposit of \$300 per person is required at the time of booking. Final payment is due 45 days prior to departure.

If we do not receive final payment by the specified date, we reserve the right to cancel the reservation. In the case of billing errors, we reserve the right to re-invoice with correct pricing.

#### **CREDIT CARDS**

We accept major credit cards (American Express, Visa, Discover and Master Card). Credit card payments may require a completed Kompas Credit Card Authorization Form.

#### CANCELLATIONS AND CANCELLATION FEES

Cancellations must be advised to Kompas in writing. Per person cancellation fees apply as follows: 46+ days prior to departure day: non-refundable deposit 45-21 days prior: 50% of total price 20-0 day(s) prior: 100% of total price

'Departure day is considered as the date Kompas' services begin. Additional cancellation charges apply for cancelled extra nights prior to/ and or after the tour. Repurchased Optional tours are non-refundable.

If Kompas cancels a tour, we will re-book passengers on the same tour with a different departure date or a similar tour. All re-bookings are subject to availability. If that tour is unacceptable, Kompas will refund the entire amount paid to Kompas with no additional liability. Kompas cannot assume responsibility for any additional costs or fees relating to the issuance and/or cancellation of air tickets or other travel arrangements not made through Kompas.

#### CHILDREN

The minimum age for children on Escorted tours is 8 and need to be accompanied by adult.

#### INSURANCE

Kompas strongly recommends insurance to cover cancellation charges, trip interruption, accident, and/or baggage loss. Kompas accepts no responsibility for damage or loss of baggage or other personal property.

#### **TOUR MEMBERSHIP**

To ensure congenial membership, Kompas reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a tour participant and to expel from the tour any participant whose conduct is deemed incompatible with the interests of the tour group. All Kompas' programs are conducted in English language.

#### TOUR PARTICIPANT OBLIGATION

Tour participants must comply with all regional, national, and local health directives and requirements. It is solely your, and not Kompas', responsibility to prepare, and comply with all health requirements and directives. Kompas cannot and will not accept any liability for your failure to prepare and comply with those. If you encounter a medical issue, you must seek care. Kompas may quarantine or remove ill passengers from the tour if there is a risk or a threat to the safety and health of other passengers. Kompas cannot and will not accept responsibility or liability for quarantining or removal of ill passengers.

#### HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

Tour members should check with the consulates and/or the local health boards for the latest health requirements.

#### TRAVELERS WHO NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE

Any disability requiring special attention must be reported to Kompas at the time of booking. Kompas will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of disabled tour participants but is not responsible for any denial of services by carriers, hotels, lodges, restaurants, or other independent suppliers, nor any



additional expenses incurred. Motor coaches and minibuses are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. We regret we cannot provide individual assistance to a tour member for walking, dining, getting on/off motor coaches and other transportation vehicles, or other personal needs. Travelers who need assistance must be accompanied by a qualified and physically able companion. Motorized scooters are not suitable for touring.

#### **REFUNDS FOR UNUSED SERVICES**

No refunds will be made for unused services once travel arrangements have commenced.

#### SERVICE INQUIRIES AFTER THE TOUR

If after returning from the tour you wish to inquire about any tour services provided, please ensure that all correspondence relating to those services is received by Kompas within 30 days after the tour completion date.

#### **PASSPORTS & VISAS**

A valid passport is required for all tour participants and must be valid at least six months after the end of the tour. Your travel agent can help you obtain the necessary forms for passport application.

All passengers, regardless of the passport they hold, should check with the appropriate consulates to determine if any visas are needed. Securing any needed visas is the responsibility of the tour participant.

#### **PROGRAM PRICES**

Program prices are per person, based on two people sharing a room. Single room supplements are listed where applicable. All prices are based on rates (including foreign exchange rates) known at the time of printing and expected to be in effect at departure. Prices, including taxes and fees, are subject to increase without notice if such rates change prior to departure.

#### ACCOMMODATIONS

The hotels listed in this brochure will be used on almost all departures. If a change becomes necessary for any reason, hotels substituted will be similar to those shown. While every effort is made to reserve only twin-bedded rooms, it may occasionally happen that a hotel provides some double-bedded rooms instead. These rooms will be allocated to couples. Please note it is standard policy that hotel rooms are available for check-in after 3 p.m. Early hotel check-in requires a pre-night be booked and paid.

#### **MEALS ON TOUR**

As specified in each itinerary. Meals are based on the hotel's or restaurant's buffet or set menu. In general, beverages are not included, unless specifically stated. Dietary and allergy requests must be submitted to Kompas at the time of making your reservation. And while Kompas will transmit those requests to the hotels, restaurants, and other service providers, they are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed.

#### TRANSFERS

Transfers are provided as indicated for each tour by car, minibus, or motor coach. Your arrival transfer is guaranteed for up to one hour from your scheduled arrival time to compensate for minor delays. Kompas or the transfer company will not be responsible for flight delays, for any reason, beyond one hour from your originally scheduled arrival time. In case of a delay, please contact the emergency number provided in your travel document. If not, whether due to flight delay or time spent reporting baggage damage or loss, it will be your responsibility to make other transfer arrangements such as a taxi. Transfer costs are non-refundable, and any additional expenses will be your responsibility.

#### HOLIDAYS

During local or national holidays, certain facilities such as museums, restaurants, sightseeing tours and shopping malls may be limited or not available. Alternatives will be offered whenever possible.

#### NOT INCLUDED IN PROGRAM PRICE

Passports; visas; tips to your Tour Director, tour driver, and local city guides; laundry, beverages, food not on the regular table d'hote menu (these extra items will be billed to you before leaving the hotel or restaurant); optional excursions; and other expenses of a personal nature.

#### **PHOTOGRAPHS & MAPS**

Photographs show places in geographic areas but are not necessarily included in the tour. Maps shown on the tour pages are for general information and may not accurately reflect actual routes.

#### SAFETY

Please be aware that during your participation in tours operated by Kompas, certain risks and dangers may arise beyond our control including, but not limited to, the hazards of traveling in undeveloped areas; travel by boat, train, automobile, aircraft, or other means of transportation; the forces of nature, political unrest and accident or illness in remote regions without means of rapid evacuation or medical facilities. Kompas will not have liability regarding provision of medical care or the adequacy of any care that may be rendered. It is understood that Kompas will use its best efforts to ensure that adequate measures are taken.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY \* IMPORTANT \***

