



## Treasures of Morocco - 10 nights - 11 days

Day	Destination
1 night	Casablanca
2 nights	Fes
2 nights	Erfoud
1 night	Ouarzazate
2 nights	Marrakesh
1 night	El Jadida
1 night	Casablanca

### Day 1: DAY 1: CASABLANCA

Join your Travel Director and fellow guests for dinner, enjoying an evening of good food and great company.

### Day 2: DAY 2: CASABLANCA – RABAT – MEKNES - FES

Begin your day by viewing the **Hassan II Mosque** in Casablanca, one of the largest in the world, dramatically set on the Atlantic shore. **Drive along the Corniche** before travelling to Rabat. See the **Royal Palace**, then visit the **Mausoleum of King Mohammed V**, a masterpiece of Alaouite architecture housing the tombs of the king and his two sons. Nearby, view the **Hassan Tower**, the incomplete minaret of a 12th-century mosque. **Continue to Meknes**, one of Morocco's imperial cities.



(The magnificent Bab Mansour Gate in Meknes is one of Morocco's most iconic historic landmarks, renowned for its ornate zellij tilework and grand Moorish design.)

Pause at **Bab el-Mansour**, the monumental city gate currently under restoration, its intricate tilework and scale still impress. **Arrive in Fes** for a **traditional Moroccan dinner** in an ancient palace near the Medina, accompanied by live music and folkloric entertainment.

### Day 3: DAY 3: FES

Led by your Local Expert, join an experience at the non-profit **American Fondouk**, and speak with the volunteer veterinarians who care so passionately for the welfare of the animals. **Wander the maze of streets** that make up one of the **largest thriving ancient Medina's in the world**, here you can admire traditional Moroccan handiwork during a **visit to a carpet cooperative**. Pass one of the world's oldest universities and **visit Medersa El Attarine**, founded in 1325, located at the heart of the medina.



(Al-Attarine Madrasa in Fes is celebrated for its exquisite Islamic craftsmanship, intricate carvings, and beautifully preserved Moroccan architectural details.)

Continue through the souks where an array of vendors sell food, clothes, leather goods, and beautiful lights.

#### Optional Experiences:

1. Excursion to Bhalil

### Day 4: DAY 4: FES – MIDELT - ERFOUD

Leave the bustle of the city behind as you journey into the **snowcapped High Atlas Mountains**, passing alpine Ifrane and the cedar forests of Azrou, home to Barbary macaques.



(The majestic High Atlas Mountains, forming the backbone of Morocco.)

(The majestic High Atlas Mountains, forming the backbone of Morocco.)

Enjoy **lunch in Midelt** before continuing through the dramatic Ziz Gorges and palm-fringed towns to Errachidia, once a strategic French outpost. **Arrive in Erfoud**, where red-earth buildings meet desert and oasis.

This evening, choose between two experiences:

1. Enjoy stargazing beneath unpolluted Sahara skies.
2. Unwind in a traditional hammam with a centuries-old Beldi Black Soap ritual rooted in Moroccan and Berber traditions.

## **Day 5: DAY 5: ERFOUD – RISSANI - ERFOUD**

Today, discover the authentic **desert town of Rissani**. See the **Tomb of Moulay Ali Cherif**, one of the founders of the Alaouite family who reigned during the second half of the 17th century. Next, a visit to the quarries of marine fossils with an antiquity of 360 million years.



(Ksar Oulad Abdelhalim near Rissani showcases authentic Saharan architecture and Morocco's historic desert fortress heritage.)

Stop at the famous **Ksar Oulad Abdelhalim**. This **afternoon, experience a traditional lunch of Madfouna**, also known as 'Berber Pizza'. This dish is a delight for the senses with seasonal fillings and spices. The rest of the **afternoon will be free time to relax** and enjoy the hotel facilities.

In the evening, there is an Optional Experience to marvel at the glorious Sahara sunset on a four-wheel drive vehicle.

Dinner will be served at the hotel.

### **Optional Experiences:**

## 1. Sunset in The Sahara

### Day 6: DAY 6: ERFOUD – TODRA RIVER – DADES VALLEY - OUARZAZATE

Venture towards the **oasis of Tinehir** and explore the **Todra Gorge**, often called the Grand Canyon of the Sahara. Stop at a traditional farm to learn how local produce is cultivated using time-honored methods. Then, enjoy a **Farm-to-Table lunch of traditional Moroccan cuisine** at Restaurant Yasmine.



(Ancient kasbahs and dramatic desert landscapes in the breathtaking Dadès Valley of Morocco.)

At Boumalne du Dadès, take in the stark beauty of the **Dadès Valley**, where oases of figs, olives, and date palms punctuate the slopes, dotted with castellated mudbrick houses. Later, meet the locals as you visit a **traditional Nomad house** and share authentic Berber tea. The Road of a Thousand Kasbahs concludes in Ouarzazate, Morocco's film capital, where epics like Lawrence of Arabia and Star Wars were filmed.

### Day 7: DAY 7: OUARZAZATE - MARRAKESH

Marvel at and photograph the architectural wonder of **Ksar of Aït Benhaddou**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Your journey continues via the spectacular **Tizi n'Tichka Pass**, before descending past charming mountain villages, dense woods, and green fields to the ochre-colored city of Marrakesh.



(The scenic roads of Tizi n'Tichka wind through the breathtaking High Atlas Mountains of Morocco.)

With the rest of the day at your leisure, why not relax and enjoy the immaculate facilities of your hotel?

## Day 8: DAY 8: MARRAKESH

In the morning, **visit Dar El Bacha** – an iconic landmark in the city of Marrakesh.



(Beautiful Moroccan craftsmanship and colorful zellige tiles inside the historic Dar el Bacha Palace.)

Meet your Local Expert and wander the maze of the Medina and see the **Koutoubia Mosque**, with its minaret dominating the Marrakesh skyline. Next, to the bustling **Jemaa el-Fnaa Square**, where you can take a moment to watch the dancers, snake charmers, and storytellers.

With **time at leisure**, you are free to continue exploring: enjoy the sensory experience of strolling through the souks, or maybe visit a museum.

In the **evening**, perhaps choose to join fellow guests at a **vibrant restaurant on Jemaa el-Fnaa Square**. Here, you will enjoy a slew of **classic Moroccan dishes** as you absorb the ambience and watch twirling belly dancers balance plates of lit candles on their heads.

### Optional Experiences:

1. The Square at Night and Traditional Dinner
2. Majorelle Gardens and The Berber Museum

## Day 9: DAY 9: MARRAKESH – ESSAOUIRA - EL JADIDA

Venture to the west coast of Africa to reach the laid-back **fishing town of Essaouira**. After an **orientation with your Travel Director**, explore the busy fishing port where you could sample the local seafood and wine at a waterside restaurant.



(The iconic blue fishing boats of Essaouira create a vibrant coastal scene along Morocco's Atlantic shoreline.)

Continue to the port city of El Jadida, with its unique architectural blend of Moorish, Portuguese, and French influences.

## Day 10: DAY 10: EL JADIDA - CASABLANCA

Once you've experienced the traditional charms of the country, **Casablanca** is a fascinating place to return to and offers a unique insight into modern Morocco. Perhaps visit the magnificent **Hassan II Mosque**, famous for its intricate Islamic architecture and one of the largest in the world. In the evening of all the gin joints, in all the towns, in all the world, there really is only one place to be.



(The majestic Hassan II Mosque, one of the largest mosques in the world, overlooking the Atlantic Ocean)

Join your Travel Director at **Rick's Cafe**, recreated from the famous movie. Enjoy a hearty dinner with drinks and no doubt a rendition of 'As Time Goes by'. Here's looking at you, kid!

### Optional Experiences:

1. Hassan II Mosque

## Day 11: DAY 11: CASABLANCA

Today, bid farewell to your journey through Morocco as you transfer to the airport.

### Highlights

Discover the spectacular sites of [Morocco](#) on this **11-day guided tour**. View Morocco's largest mosque in Casablanca and indulge in a feast of aromatic tagines and exotic fruits inside the ancient palace in Fes. Then take time to watch the enticing art of belly dancing. Be awed by the rugged red mountains of Dades Valley, then sip wild-herb tea alongside local nomads. Before you reach Marrakesh, walk around one of Morocco's most impressive kasbahs at the gate of the Sahara, an earthen clay fortress and UNESCO World Heritage Site. And of course, you won't leave Morocco without seeing the snake charmers, storytellers, and acrobats in Marrakesh's markets and souks, where you can buy anything from a cashmere scarf to a woven rug.

**Price in INR (USD 3,450) (RoE: 1 USD = 95 INR)**

STARTING FROM INR 3,28,299 PER PERSON ON TWIN BASIS

## Departure Dates

Departure Dates:

### ~~Months~~

~~Apr.26~~

~~May.26~~

~~Jun.26~~

~~Sep.26~~

~~Oct.26~~

~~Nov.26~~

~~Dec.26~~

## Tour Includes

- 10 nights' accommodation at the selected hotel category
- Daily breakfast at the hotel
- Round-trip airport transfers
- All tours and transfers on a Private Basis (Depends on pax size)
- Services of an English-speaking guide
- Sightseeing specified as per the itinerary

## Tour Excludes

- Airfares/Airlines taxes
- Visa
- Travel Insurance
- Meals (unless specified)
- Peak/festival period surcharge
- Beverages NOT included in the quotation
- Entrance Fee (unless specified)
- Driver & Guide Tipping
- Room service
- Early Check-in/ Late Check-out
- Luggage truck & Porter
- 5% GST & 2% TCS (The 2% TCS can be claimed by the guest while filing their ITR.)