

## Philippines Manila Cebu - 8 Days - 7 Nights

Day	Destination
4 Nights	Cebu
3 Nights	Manila

## Day 1: Day (1): Cebu

Scheduled tour guests, 'Mumbai to Mumbai' will report at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport, Mumbai, as per the respective flight departure time to proceed to Cebu – popularly known as the queen city of south Philippines it's an idyllic island getaway offering thrilling eco-adventures, extreme sports, white-sand beaches, an exciting nightlife scene and much more!. Upon arrival at the airport, our Veena World Tour Manager will guide all guests with airport formalities and lead the way into the city.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

# Day 2: Day (2): Cebu (B,L,D)

Today we visit Taoist Temple Complex – located in Beverly Hills subdivision in Lahung, this temple was built by Cebu's Chinese community in 1972. The main temple which is open to worshippers and non-worshippers has replica of the Great Wall of China at the entrance. The temple includes a chapel, library, souvenir shop, and a wishing well. It also has a spacious balcony that has an access to the scenic of the city.

Another temple is Phu Sian Temple built by another Chinese community which is not accessible by general public. Then we visit Fort San Pedro – a military defense structure built to repel Muslim

raiders, we take a photo stop at Magellan's Cross Pavilion – a stone kiosk structure situated in the Plaza Sugbo that houses a Christian cross that was planted by explorers of the Spanish expedition led by Ferdinand Magellan. We see Minor Basilica of the holy child of Cebu.

Then we proceed to Lapu Lapu city and see Statue of Lapu Lapu – Chief of Mactan Island, Magellan Shrine – a site where Lapu lapu defeated Portuguese explorer Ferdinand Magellan. Then we have free time at Vano beach.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

## Day 3: Day (3): Cebu – Bhol - Cebu (B,L,D)

Today we proceed to Bohol by ferry. Upon arrival at island we proceed to see the Chocolate Hills a unique geological formation of over 1000 cone-shaped hills that change in color depending on the season. We get on observation deck to get an 360° stunning views of surroundings.

Then we proceed to Tarsier conservation area in Loboc to see one of world's smallest primates called as Tarsier. When visiting the tarsiers, remember that they are nocturnal and are asleep during the day. You'll find them perched on branches around the sanctuaries. Make sure to keep the noise down because they're sensitive to sound.

Later we take a most popular Loboc River Cruise Tour. Here we get to see a spectacular cultural show of song and dance. Feel free to dance with the locals.

On our return journey to port we drive past Bilar Man made forest.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

## Day 4: Day (4): Cebu – Moalboal – Kawasan Falls – Cebu

Today early in the morning we proceed to Moalboal – a city located on southern part Visayas Island known for its underwater treasure of millions sardines swimming and circling just off shore. We reach Panagsama Beach to experience the famous Sardine Run. We need to wear snorkeling gears and then we immerse ourselves in swirling schools of over a million sardines.

Then we proceed to visit Kawasan Falls – a three stage cascade of clear turquoise water from mountain springs located in the jungles.

Later we return to Cebu.

[Note: Moalboal's sardine run is a natural phenomenon that started in 2014. Ever since, it is there almost every day. But since it's a natural phenomenon we really cannot guarantee the same.]

Overnight stay at the Hotel

## Day 5: Day (5): Cebu - Manilla (B,L,D)

Today we fly to Manila.

Upon arrival we proceed to Binodo – recognized as world's oldest China town established in 1594. Here we see Seng guan Temple and then we have free time to explore streets of Chinatown flanked with shops of goldsmiths, tea houses, herbalists, bakeries, incense sticks etc.

Then we have free time for shopping.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

## **Day 6: Day (6): Manila (B,L,D)**

Today after breakfast, entire day is at leisure. You can explore the city on own or can opt for any of the below mentioned optional tours at an additional price. Overnight in Busan.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

**Note:** Optional: Day trip to Gyeongju: Gyeongju is commonly known as "the museum without walls". In Gyeongju visit Daereungwon Bulguksa Temple Gyochon Traditional Village and Donggung Palace. At night back to Busan.

## **Day 7: Day (7): Manila (B,L,D)**

Today we visit Intramuros – historic walled city of Manila dating back to the Spanish occupation. Upon arrival, we explore the old world charm of Intramuros with cobbled streets lined with old Spanish houses. We visit Fort Santiago – located at the mouth of the Pasig River this fort was a premier defense fortress of the Spanish government during their reign, Manila Cathedral – highest seat of the archbishop in the country, Casa Manila – a stately museum that boasts several huge rooms adorned with period furniture and antique furnishings to give the authentic look and feel of a 19th-century mansion, spacious hallways, huge archways, and beautiful fountains.

Then we visit National Museum of Philippines which houses ethnographic, anthropological, archaeological, and visual arts collections.

Later we visit Manila Ocean Park – one of the premiere marine-themed parks that houses more than 3000 sea creatures from 277 species. Here we walk through 25-meter-long glass tunnel.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

# Day 8: Day (8): Breakfast (B)

It's time now to say goodbye—Phir Milenge!

Let's stay connected through email, phone, WhatsApp, Facebook, Instagram, etc., and look forward to meeting again on yet another memorable Veena World tour. See you all!

Tour guests will proceed to the airport as per their scheduled group flight departure time to start their journey back home.

Joining and Leaving (J&L) tour guests will leave the group after the scheduled program. If these guests have flight timing and airport same as per the schedule group, they can avail the airport transfers with the group. If not then, any transfer charges to reach their respective airport, cruise, rail, or bus terminal will be borne by the J&L guests.

Tour concludes.

## **Highlights**

This 8-day tour takes you through the vibrant cities and islands of the Philippines. Start in Cebu, visiting the Taoist Temple, Fort San Pedro, Magellan's Cross, and Lapu Lapu city, with free time at Vano Beach. Then, take a ferry to Bohol to see the Chocolate Hills, Tarsier conservation area, and enjoy a cultural Loboc River Cruise. Experience the famous Sardine Run in Moalboal and visit the stunning Kawasan Falls. Fly to Manila, explore Chinatown and Intramuros, visit Fort Santiago and Manila Cathedral, and enjoy Manila Ocean Park. End the tour with leisure time and departure from Manila.

#### **Price**

From INR 2,01,000\* per person

#### **Tour Includes**

- To and fro economy class air travel for 'Mumbai to Mumbai Tour' guests as mentioned in the itinerary
- Airfare, Airport taxes and Visa Fees
- Baggage Allowance as per the airline policy
- Tour Manager Services throughout the tour
- Entrance fees of all sightseeing places to be visited from inside
- Accommodation in comfortable and convenient hotels on twin sharing basis
- All Meals Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner (set menu) as mentioned in the itinerary
- All Tips Guide, Driver & Restaurants
- Cost of internal airfare as mentioned in the itinerary

#### **Tour Excludes**

- GST 5%
- Tax Collected at Source (TCS) at 5% or 20% as applicable (Can be claimed on filing the Income Tax Returns).
- Any Increase in Airfare, Visa Fees, Airport Taxes, Govt. Taxes, Fuel Surcharges and Any Applicability of New Taxes from Govt.
- Airfare / Visa / Insurance.
- Any increase in the Rate of Exchange leading to an increase in the overall cost.
- Any Extra Expense Such as Route Change, Airline Change, Date Change, Accommodation Facilities, Etc. Incurred Due to The Unforeseen, Unavoidable Forced Majeure Circumstances During the Tour.
- Porterage, Laundry, Telephone Charges, Shopping, Wines & Alcoholic Beverages, Items of Personal Nature and Food or Drink.
- Any Extra Cost Incurred On Behalf of an Individual Due to Illness, Accident, Hospitalization, or Any Personal Emergency.
- Any Services or Activity Charges Other Than Those Included in The Group Tour Itinerary.
- Anything Specifically Not Mentioned in The 'Tour Price Includes' Column
- The conversion rate on the date of actual payment will be based on the rate of the Euro /USD on Xe.Com + INR 1.50
- Airfare to be calculated at the time of booking as per actual.
- City Tax, if any.
- Entrance & Guide charges other than those mentioned in inclusions.

#### **REMARK:**

- Bank charges through payment by Telegraphic transfer will be strictly born by payer.
- Credit card: Master Card/Visa is accepted with a 3.0% merchant fee respectively
- Standard time: check in: 14:00PM Check out: 12:00PM

