# **Itinerary**

Route: 7-Day Tour of Morocco Circular Group

**Countries:** Morocco

# **Departure:**

D1 Casablanca Departure: 08:15 Meeting Point: Le Nouveau Dragon Chinese Restaurant (8-10 Rue Chaouia Casablanca)

D1 Marrakech Departure: 14:30 Meeting Point: McDonald's Centre Avenue Mohammed V-,
 Marrakech (Jardin 16 Novembre)

© D2 Marrakech Departure: 09:00 Meeting Point: McDonald's Centre Avenue Mohammed V-, Marrakech (Jardin 16 Novembre)

#### End:

 D6 Casablanca Estimated Arrival: 19:30 Drop Off: Le Nouveau Dragon Chinese Restaurant (8-10 Rue Chaouia Casablanca)

• D7 Casablanca Estimated Arrival: 10:00 Drop Off: Casablanca city center

D7 Marrakech Estimated Arrival: 17:00 Drop Off: Marrakech city center (If you choose not to visit Marrakech, the tour will end at 14:00.)

**Accommodation:** 3/4-Star Hotel or Guesthouse

**Guide:** Chinese Speaking Guide

**Itinerary:** Casablanca - Marrakech - Ait Ben Haddou - Ouarzazat - Todra Gorge - Merzouga- Ifrane - Fez - Meknes - Chefchaouen (or Tetouan) - Casablanca - Marrakech



# Day 1 Casablanca ■ Marrakesh

Meet at 8:15 AM at the entrance of Le Nouveau Dragon Chinese Restaurant i n Casablanca, then proceed to visit the exterior of the [Hassan II Mosque]. A masterpiece of Arab-Muslim architecture, the Hassan II Mosque stands out f or its unique architecture and size. With its minaret that rises to 200 m in hei ght and has a 30km laser directed towards Mecca, it is considered to be the highest religious building in the world. Then, drive to The Red City--Marrakech. Upon arrival, visit the exterior of the [Koutoubia Mosque], the lar gest mosque in Marrakech, which serves as a landmark of the city. Explore th e [Yves Saint Laurent Private Garden (Jardin Majorelle)], a beautifully designe d botanical garden featuring vibrant blue buildings, exotic plants, and a peac eful atmosphere, once owned by the famous fashion designer Yves Saint Lau rent. Continue to [Bahia Palace], a 19th-century masterpiece showcasing exq uisite Moroccan architecture, intricate woodwork, and stunning courtyards th at once housed the grand vizier's harem. In the evening, visit [Jemaa el-Fna a Square], the heart of Marrakech, famous for its lively atmosphere, street per formances, bustling markets, and traditional Moroccan food stalls. After dinn er, check in to the hotel and rest.



# **Meeting Point**

<ul><li>D1 Casabla nca</li></ul>	Departure: 08:15	Meeting Point: Le Nouveau Dragon Ch inese Restaurant (8-10 Rue Chaouia Ca sablanca)
<ul><li>D1 Marrake</li><li>ch</li></ul>	Departure: 14:30	Meeting Point: McDonald's Centre Ave nue Mohammed V-, Marrakech (Jardi n 16 Novembre)

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# **Kind Reminder:**

- 1) Marrakech YSL Private Garden (Jardin Majorelle) only accepts online reservations in advance and tickets are tight during peak season. It is highly recommended to purchase as early as possible. Please confirm your reservation time with customer service as soon as possible and purchase tickets directly at <a href="https://www.jardinmajorelle.com/">https://www.jardinmajorelle.com/</a>.
- 2) When signing up, please include your name in Chinese in the remarks section to assist the tour guide with arrangements. Thank you for your cooperation!



**Brazilian Palace** 



**Sleepless square** 



**Koutoubia Mosque** 

#### [Brazilian Palace]

The Brazilian Royal Palace is characterized by a very large wall. After entering, there are many narrow corridors and arches. Walking through the corridor arches and many large and small rooms, it is like a labyrinth. Tall carved wooden doors, hollow windows, ground and walls are covered with Muslim-style mosaics and fine stone carvings. Oil lamps are lit in the dark room, and the lights are swaying, feeling the mystery and confusion of the thousand and one nights.

# [Sleepless square]

From sunrise to late night, you can see Indian snake snakes, Arabs who sell spice tea, Moroccan old people who tell stories and fortune tellers, performers, and countless buy and sell food, drinks, clothing, carpets. It is a small stall of furnishings, leather and handicrafts. It is like Lan Kwai Fong in Hong Kong and Xintiandi in Shanghai. Because of this square, Marrakech has endless vitality.

# [Koutoubia Mosque]

Koutoubia Mosque This is one of the most beautiful mosques in North Africa. It was built in the 11th century and has 17 colonnades perpendicular to the pilgrimage to Mecca. There are light-grooves in the sacred alcove and the two spans of its wings. The wooden structure "Mukenas" honeycomb-shaped three-dimensional carvings can be located in a lower position. This unique and wonderful setting is in the future building. It has not appeared.

Meal: Dinner Included

**Accommodation:** Diwane marrakech 4\* or similar

Day 2 Marrakech 

Ait Ben Haddou 

Ouarzazate

After breakfast, head to [The Ksar of Aït Ben Haddou]. Crossing the Atlas Mo untains at an altitude of approximately 2,260 meters, the winding road weav es through valleys and steep peaks, offering breathtaking views of the untou ched natural landscape. After several short breaks along the journey, arrive at [The Ksar of Aït Ben Haddou] (Note: If the river suddenly rises, please stop ta king photos on the hill.). Listed as World Heritage by UNESCO in 1987, is an i conic adobe and raw brick pre-Saharan architecture example located in sout hern Morocco. Next, continue to Ouarzazate, known as the "Hollywood of M orocco," to visit the [Atlas Film Studios]. This is one of the world's largest film studios, where famous productions such as Lawrence of Arabia, The Mummy, and Kingdom of Heaven were filmed. After dinner, check in to the hotel and rest.



# **Meeting Point**

D2 Marrake Departure: 09:00 Mch n

Meeting Point: McDonald's Centre Ave nue Mohammed V-, Marrakech (Jardi n 16 Novembre)

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Kind Reminder: This day's winding mountain road takes more than 4 hours. If you are prone to motion sickness, please prepare motion sickness medication in advance.



**Moroccan Film Base** 



Ay Ben Haddou

#### [Moroccan Film Base]

Ouarzazate is known as the Hollywood of Africa. Many famous movies are filmed here: "Gladiator", "Four Feathers", "Looking for Gems", "Cleopatra", "Saharan Love", "Nile Gem", "Lawrence of Arabia, Spy Game, etc.

# [Ay Ben Haddou]

The village of Ait Ben Haddou refers to a group of earthen buildings surrounded by high walls, a typical former Sahara residential area. There are many houses built in the defensive wall, and there are also an arrow tower for auxiliary defense. Ait Ben Haddou, located in the province of Ouarzazate, is a classic example of architecture in southern Morocco. This magnificent ancient city, which has been listed as a historical and cultural relic, is not only attractive to the castle, but also has its own characteristics. It rides across the moat and can also visit the indigenous people living inside.

Meal: Breakfast & Dinner Included

**Accommodation:** Club Hanane 4\* or similar

# Day 3 Ouarzazate □ Todra Gorge □ Merzouga

#### **Tour Overview**

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After breakfast, drive towards Merzouga, passing through the [Todra Gorge], a stunning natural wonder, with towering cliffs of orange and pink rock that rise over 300 meters high, creating a dramatic canyon that is popular for hiking and photography. In the afternoon, arrive at [Merzouga] (please bring sun screen and sunglasses), which is one of the gates of the Sahara which is a small village located in the middle of the sands, known for its vast sand dunes, including the famous Erg Chebbi dunes. After dinner, check in to the hotel and rest.

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#### Kind Reminder:

Tonight, you have the option to upgrade to a luxury tent in the Sahara Desert at your own expense [with a private bathroom, 50 euros per person per night (minimum 2 people)]. This upgrade allows you to experience a unique accommodation in the heart of the desert, where you can enjoy the unparalleled natural beauty, including a clear starry sky and breathtaking sunrises and sunsets: Royal Oasis Camp or Sarah Garden or Azawad Luxury Desert Camp or similar



Merzouga Desert

# [Merzouga Desert]

Merzouga is a small village in southeastern Morocco. There is no violent sandstorm, it is the most peaceful and peaceful side of the Sahara, so it has become a must for many tourists to visit the Sahara. During the day, the view of the sand dunes in Mezuka is a stunning sight. When the night falls, I find even greater surprises. The sky without the black Meizuka is full of stars, and you can't imagine the life in the city. Another surprise for Merzouga is the "Sahara's Elf" - the ear fox, these little guys sprout your heart with a large ear, of course, this little guy is also the prototype of the protagonist fox in "Little Prince".

Meal: Breakfast & Dinner Included

**Accommodation:** Kasbah Mohayut or similar

Day 4 Merzouga ☐ Ifrane ☐ Fez

**Tour Overview** 

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After breakfast, pass through [Ifrane] (approximately 15 minutes for a visit), a charming town known for its Swiss-like architecture, lush greenery, and cool er climate, often referred to as "Little Switzerland" of Morocco. Then drive to wards the Imperial Pearl --[Fez], which is one of Morocco's most historic citie s, known for its medieval architecture, vibrant souks, and the ancient Fes el-B ali medina, a UNESCO World Heritage site. It was once the capital of Morocc o and remains an important cultural and spiritual hub. After dinner, check in to the hotel and rest.

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Ifrane

#### [Ifrane]

Ivlan is a city in the middle of the Atlas Mountains in Morocco, located in the southern part of the ancient city of Fez, 63 km (39 miles) from Fez. This small town of only 13,000 is a famous ski resort and is known as the "Little Switzerland".

Meal: Breakfast & Dinner Included

**Accommodation:** Hotel volubilis 4\* or similar

Day 5 Fez ■ Meknes ■ Chefchaouen (or Tetouan )

After breakfast, explore the ancient city of Fes, home to a well-preserved me dieval medina that was designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1981. Visit the [Bou Inania Medersa], a stunning 14th-century Islamic school. Stop by the [Nejjarine Fountain], an iconic historical water source, and admire the [Moulay Idriss II Mausoleum], the resting place of the founder of Fes. See the exterior of the [University of Al Quaraouiyine], recognized as the world's olde st continuously operating university. Also, marvel at the [Blue Gate (Bab Bou Jeloud)], the grand entrance to the old medina. Wander through Fes' world-f amous artisan workshops, where craftsmen produce traditional copperware, carpets, and dyed fabrics. The city's buildings, interiors, and handicrafts often feature exquisite blue mosaic tilework, a signature element of Fes' artistic h eritage. Next, travel to Meknes, one of Morocco' s four imperial cities, know n for its grand ancient walls. Visit the [Bab Mansour], the city's most famous gate, renowned for its impressive size and intricate zellij tilework. Afterward, continue to Chefchaouen (or Tetouan) for an overnight stay at the hotel.

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#### **Kind Reminder:**

(1)Bab Mansour Gate is currently under renovation. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause during your visit.

(2)The Fes medina is home to numerous shops, including traditional mosaic, copperware, carpet, and leather workshops, which showcase some of the city's oldest crafts. These are not designated tourist shopping stores. If local guides promote products or suggest shopping stops, guests may choose to purchase at their own discretion. Our company does not enforce any mandatory shopping visits.

(3)Due to limited hotel availability in Chefchaouen, accommodations may be adjusted to Tetouan instead.



Médina de fes



Meknes



**Warrubilis City** 

#### [Médina de fes]

It seems that back to a thousand years ago, the donkey is still the main means of transportation for the people. Visit the Attaline and Bou Inania medersas (the Qur'anic Institute), the Nejjarine Springs, and the Moulay Idriss Zaouia (the ancient capital built in the 1981 UNESCO World Heritage Site) And the appearance of the world's first university, the Qaqouiyyin University.

## [Meknes]

The ancient city walls are majestic and famous for their triumphant and triumphant Bab Mansour.

# [Warrubilis City]

Ancient Roman ruins in North Africa - Warrubilis City, according to records, in the 1st century AD, it used to be a bustling city, and the whole city showed a thriving scene. There is now a well-preserved Arc de Triomphe and a white stone column in the theater. Even the ancient city streets, residential houses, oil mills, public baths, markets, etc. are still clearly visible, and there are many mosaic murals.

Meal: Breakfast Included

**Accommodation:** Atlas Chefchaouen or Hotel Madrid or Tetouen: Hotel A

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# Day 6 Chefchaouen ☐ Casablanca



After breakfast, visit the charming Blue Diamond - [Chefchaouen]. Built on a mountainside, Chefchaouen is a city with a special vibes. It unique charm gives an impression of unreality. With its blue-rinsed houses, the whole city seems to be bathed in azure. You walk around as if you were in a dream. Then drive to Casablanca

Drop Off \*For reference only, the actual arrangement is subject to the to ur guide

D6 Casabla Estimated Arrival: 19:30
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Drop Off: Le Nouveau Dragon C hinese Restaurant (8-10 Rue Ch aouia Casablanca) the whole day 0

If you book the 6-day, 5-night tour + an additional night in Casablanca on Day 6, you will be transferred to the hotel for your extra stay on the evening of Day 6, marking the end of the tour. There will be no itinerary on Day 7.



chefchaouen Ras Elma

# [chefchaouen Ras Elma]

As a tourist destination in Morocco, the pure and refreshing air and the sky that seems to be always blue, complement the patchwork of the Arab city, and outline a natural blue picture. Along the famous Plaza Uta el-Hammam, you will feel like you are on the irregular cobblestone road. The castle with mottled signs on the square, surrounded by red walls, and the striking Grand Mosque, all attract visitors to observe, worship, and even have the urge to kiss it.

Meal: Breakfast Included

**Accommodation:** hotel Diwan 4\* or similar

Today's itinerary is the same as the first day After breakfast, visit the exterior of the [Hassan II Mosque]. A masterpiece of Arab-Muslim architecture, the H assan II Mosque stands out for its unique architecture and size. With its mina ret that rises to 200 m in height and has a 30km laser directed towards Mecc a, it is considered to be the highest religious building in the world. Then, driv e to The Red City--Marrakech. Upon arrival, visit the exterior of the [Koutoub ia Mosque], the largest mosque in Marrakech, which serves as a landmark of the city. Explore the [Yves Saint Laurent Private Garden (Jardin Majorelle)], a beautifully designed botanical garden featuring vibrant blue buildings, exotic plants, and a peaceful atmosphere, once owned by the famous fashion desig ner Yves Saint Laurent. Continue to [Bahia Palace], a 19th-century masterpiec e showcasing exquisite Moroccan architecture, intricate woodwork, and stun ning courtyards that once housed the grand vizier's harem. In the evening, visit [Jemaa el-Fnaa Square], the heart of Marrakech, famous for its lively atm osphere, street performances, bustling markets, and traditional Moroccan fo od stalls.



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• D7 C	asabla	Estimated Arrival: 10:00	Drop Off: Casablanca city center
• D7 M	larrake	Estimated Arrival: 17:00	Drop Off: Marrakech city center (If you choose not to visit Marrakech, the tour will end at 14:00.)

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#### **Kind Reminder:**

\*\*\*This day is an additional itinerary. If you have joined the tour from Day 1, it is recommended that you do not participate in this day's activities.

\*\*\*On this day, if there are guests visiting Marrakech, the Casablanca itinerary will be limited to a visit to the mosque, with the main focus on Marrakech. However, if there are no guests visiting Marrakech, a half-day tour of Casablanca will be available, along with the option to join or add other activities.



**Palais Royal** 



**Tower Hassan** 

## [Palais Royal]

The official name of the Monaco Palace is the Grand Duke of Monaco, the main palace of the Grand Duchy of Monaco. Built in 1191, the fortress that was originally built for a Genoese has experienced countless foreign sieges and artillery in its long history.

#### [Tower Hassan]

Hassan Tower was built in 1196 AD by the Almerhad dynasty. At that time, the Sudan had a great wish to build the world's largest mosque, so that all the troops would pray here, but there was no shortage of funds and earthquakes. The project was Suddenly interrupted, leaving only a hundred unfinished spires, the entire building is majestic and elegant, reflecting the beautiful architectural crafts of Arabian Muslims and the architectural style and decorative arts of Mot.

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Meal: Breakfast Included

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Accommodation: Not Included

# **Price Explanation**

Tips:

- 1)Due to limited availability of rooms in Chefchaouen, acco线路mmodations may be adjusted to Tetouan.
- 2)During the annual Meknes Agricultural Fair in April, if accommodations are tight, adjustments may be made to stay in Ifrane, the suburbs of Fez, or Fez guesthouses.
- 3)Access to Ifrane may be restricted due to seasonal snowfall.
- 4)Desert camel riding is a complimentary activity. Participation is optional based on personal physical conditions. Camel riding involves risks and is considered a personal activity unrelated to the company. It is recommended that children and elderly individuals participate with caution.
- 5)If traveling in June, July, August, or September, bringing swimwear is recommended.
- 6)Regulations on carrying cash in and out of the country:

Dear guests, according to Moroccan immigration and foreign exchange management regulations, individuals carrying more than €4,000 (inclusive) in foreign currency cash when entering or leaving Morocco must present their entry declaration or relevant documents issued by local banks. Otherwise, customs may seize the cash or take corresponding measures. We kindly remind all groups to strictly comply with Moroccan regulations.

7)Marrakech Jemaa el-Fnaa Square Reminder: The square is crowded; please keep your personal belongings secure. Additionally, there are many vendors and stall owners selling items in the square. Shopping is a personal activity, so visitors should verify the authenticity of products themselves. The square also features fee-based activities, such as painting by Moroccans. Visitors should be aware of these charges.

8)Shopping Reminder: Local guides in Morocco may promote products, but the authenticity of these items cannot be guaranteed. Purchasing is entirely voluntary for visitors. Particularly in Fez's old city, there are many shops and workshops showcasing traditional crafts, such as mosaics, bronze, carpets, and leather. These do not belong to typical tourist shopping stores. If local guides promote shopping or visits to stores, visitors should decide voluntarily based on their preferences. Our company does not enforce shopping or store visits.

9)Please ensure you obtain overseas travel precautions from us before the group departs. Kindly confirm the specific itinerary details again before leaving. Due to the characteristics of African countries, temporary cancellations of meals, transportation, or hotel arrangements abroad are non-refundable.

#### What's Included:

- Accommodation: 4-star hotel accommodation (Western-style breakfast included). (The accommodations in the desert and Chefchaouen are 3- to 4-star hotels or guesthouses. In the desert, you have the option to upgrade to a luxury tent)
- Transportation: depending on the number of applicants
- Professional Drivers: Services of a professional foreign driver, including their meals and accommodations.
- Chinese Tour Escort: Accompaniment by a Chinese-speaking guide, including their meals and accommodations (arranged for groups of 4 pax or more).
- Complimentary Camel Riding in the Desert: A risky activity offered at no additional charge; participation is voluntary.
- Complimentary Hotel Dinners: Includes dinners at hotels in Fez, Ouarzazate, Merzouga, and Marrakech. (Unused meals are non-refundable.)
  - If hotel stays coincide with special dates such as December 24, December 31, or February 14, dinners may be adjusted to another city.
  - The number of complimentary dinners provided is determined based on the length of the tour and is only applicable to dinners specified in the tour itinerary.

# **Additional Notes:**

1) Special Instructions for Child Pricing: For two adults traveling with one child: Children under

3 years old (without a bed or seat) are free of charge. Children aged 3–9 years sharing a bed are eligible for a 35% discount. Children aged 10 and above are charged at the full adult price. For one adult traveling with one child: The child will be charged the full price.

2) Single Room: A single room supplement is mandatory.

#### What's Excluded:

- 1. **Flight:** Does not include airfare from China or other regions to Morocco.
- 2. **Single Room Supplement:** Additional cost for single-room occupancy.
- 3. **Meals Not Included:** All lunches and dinners not specified in the itinerary.
- 4. Final Night "Drop-off Point" Hotel: If required, must be booked in advance.
- 5. Water Throughout the Trip: Not included in the package.
- 6. Admission Fees for All Attractions: Refer to the itinerary for specific ticket prices.
- 7. **Optional Activities:** Any additional self-funded projects.
- 8. Beverages During Meals: Includes alcohol and other drinks.
- 9. **Driver and Guide Tips:** €5 per person per day (or equivalent in Moroccan Dirhams, US Dollars, Pounds, etc.).
- 10. **Additional Vehicle and Guide Costs:** Any transportation or guide services requested outside the standard daily itinerary (09:00–21:00). If the guide and driver are separate, overtime charges are €50 per hour in total for the driver, guide, and vehicle.
- 11. **Luggage Fees:** Includes fees for luggage storage and excess baggage charges.
- 12. **Personal Expenses:** Any costs not specified in the package.
- 13. **Seasonal Hotel Surcharges:** Extra costs due to seasonal price increases, local exhibitions, or festivals.
- 14. **Force Majeure Costs:** Additional expenses caused by unforeseeable circumstances such as strikes, strong winds, heavy fog, flight cancellations, or heavy snowfall leading to itinerary or schedule changes.
- 15. Other items not included in the above "What's included".

# Recommended activity reference (at your own expense)

Self-pay item description					
Please note: The following items are for reference only, and the price is subject to change at					
the time.					
Attraction tickets					
Except for the Hassan II Mosque, other mosques are forbidden to visit. If you need tickets for the					
following attractions, please pay in local currency (Dirham) as needed.					
Yves Saint Laurent Private Garden	170 dirhams / person				
Bahia Palace	100 dirhams / person				
Atlas Studio	80 dirhams / person				
Bou Inania medersas	30 dirhams / person				
Hassan II Mosque	140 dirhams / person				
Luxumitantungrada	50 €/person/night (when 2 people stay in the				
Luxury tent upgrade	double standard room)				
Lunch and dinner fee (reference)					
lunch(from 6 pax)	12 € / person / meal				
dinner(from 6 pax)	12 € / person / meal				
Driver and guide tip					
Guide, driver and restaurant tips total (guided tour)	5 € / person / day				