

Itinerary

Route: 7-Day Tour of Baltic Sea (Estonia + Lithuania + Latvia)

Countries: Estonia Latvia Lithuania

Departure:

 D1 Helsinki Departure: 9:30 Meeting Point: Helsinki West Harbor Terminal 2

 D1 Tallinn Departure: 12:30 Meeting Point: Tallinn D Terminal (Uus-Sadama 24, 10151 Tallinn, Estonia)

End:

 D6 Riga Estimated Arrival: 14:00 Drop Off: Attractions in Riga

 D7 Tallinn Estimated Arrival: 15:30 Drop Off: Tallinn Pier

 D7 Helsinki Estimated Arrival: 18:30 Drop Off: Helsinki West Harbor

Accommodation: 3-Star Hotel Accommodation

Guide: Chinese Speaking Guide

Itinerary: Helsinki-Tallinn-Pärnu-Cesis-Sigulda-Vilnius-Trakai-Kaunas-Šiauliai-Rundale Palace-Riga-Tallinn-Helsinki



Day 1 Helsinki Tallinn



Tour Overview

In the morning, we will set sail on a cruise to Tallinn, the capital of Estonia, which is one of Northern Europe's best-preserved medieval cities and was added to UNESCO's World Heritage list in 1997. As part of the influential Hanseatic League, Tallinn was home to wealthy merchants who left their mark on the city's architecture. The city's iconic skyline is dotted with church spires and red-roofed towers. Visit [Town Hall Square], [Toompea Castle],[Alexander Nevsky Cathedral],[Viru Gate] and [Niguliste Museum]. Overnight in Tallinn or nearby.



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Central Market Square



Wrocław City Hall



Dwarf statue

[Central Market Square]

The centre of Wrocław is one of the largest urban squares in Europe, with unique buildings from different eras.

[Wrocław City Hall]

The Gothic-style town hall, located in the heart of the city's central market square, lasted from the end of the 13th century to the mid-16th century and eventually has its current picture. Originally it was a single-storey building that gradually expanded with the development of various uses. In the 1830s it was changed to a museum. There was damage during World War II, and the reconstruction project continued from the 1950s to the end of the 20th century, including the clock on the east facade. Today, it is used to open museums and hold cultural events such as concerts. There is a restaurant in the basement, a 16th-century city map in the civic hall, and a lobby in the second half of the 15th century for formal ceremonies.

[Dwarf statue]

The budding dwarfs of Wrocław are actually used to commemorate the "orange movement" against tyranny in Polish history. After the dramatic changes in Eastern Europe, more and more dwarfs appeared in the streets of Wrocław, and then the enthusiasm for the dwarfs was soaring, and spontaneously produced a variety of dwarfs of various shapes. According to statistics, there are more than 300 dwarfs in Wrocław. Some people have drawn maps of dwarfs and then traced the traces of the dwarves to feel the beauty of the city.



Meal: Not Included



Accommodation: Tallinn or nearby



Day 2 Tallinn  Pärnu  Cesis  Sigulda



Tour Overview

Following breakfast, we will proceed to Pärnu. Being a small town with narrow streets, wooden buildings and cozy cafes and restaurants, Pärnu is one of the most famous resorts in Estonia. You can start your acquaintance with Pärnu from the [Old Town]. Head to the [Red Tower], a former prison which is now hosting a wine restaurant. Then visit the [Pärnu Elizabeth's Church], a representation of the kingdom of God in the heart of Pärnu. Afterward, go to Cēsis, which has a history of more than 800 years and is one of the best-preserved medieval cities in the Baltics. [Cēsis Castle] is located in the very centre of the city. More than ten centuries of Latvian cultural history meets here, each with its own time, aura and message for today and the future. Overnight in Sigulda or nearby.

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St. Mary's Church



Jagiellon University



**Auschwitz
concentration camp**

[St. Mary's Church]

Built in the 14th century, a brick Gothic church in the Polish city of Krakow is known for its Gothic wooden altar.

[Jagiellon University]

The Neo-Gothic building, built at the end of the 19th century, is not only sleek, but also has an intrinsic structure. The multi-pleated arched doors and the geometrically aggregated ceilings are full of fun and beauty. Jagiellonian University is one of the oldest universities in Poland. The famous alumni are the astronomers Copernicus, Pope Paul II and the famous Polish poet Sinboska. The Nobel trophy of Sinboska is still in the school library.

[Auschwitz concentration camp]

The Auschwitz concentration camp is located in Auschwitz, southwest of Krakow. It was one of the German labor camps and extermination camps established in Poland during World War II. It has now become a famous memorial and museum. There are two camps in the area, a larger Auschwitz concentration camp and a smaller Auschwitz-Birkenau second camp. The two places are about 3 km away. There is a free shuttle bus to and from the two camps every hour. between.



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Sigulda or nearby



Day 3 Sigulda 🏰 Vilnius



Tour Overview

After breakfast, we will proceed to Sigulda, is home to a number of well-preserved medieval castles and parks, which contribute to the overall romantic ambience. Subsequently, proceed to Vilnius, the capital of Lithuania, a palace of architectural art, boasting a plethora of churches, towers, fortresses, medieval courtyards, and narrow streets, which exemplify a rich tapestry of Gothic, Renaissance, and classical styles. However, the most prevalent style is undoubtedly the Baroque. Visit [Vilnius Cathedral], [Gate of Dawn], [Town Hall Square], [Vilnius University] and other attractions. Overnight in Vilnius or nearby.

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Warsaw Old Town

[Warsaw Old Town]

It has gathered a variety of historical monuments, places of interest, especially magnificent palaces, huge churches, various kinds of arrow towers, castles and so on. The Old Town Market Square is the heart of Warsaw's Old Town. It is surrounded by Gothic buildings. There is a fountain for the mermaid statue in the middle. The mermaid with the sharp edge and shield is the symbol of Warsaw.

[Royal palace castle]

Built at the end of the 13th century, it is also known as the Warsaw Castle, which was originally a civil structure. The Warsaw Palace is a symbol of the historical traditions of Poland and a witness to the rise and fall of the nation.

[Chopin Park]

Originally known as Wajinji Park, Chopin Park is the largest park in Warsaw. It is also known as Chopin Park because of the statue of Chopin. The name is literally translated as Royal Baths Park. By name we can feel its atmosphere. There is a Roman theater stage in the middle of the park, and occasionally there are performance shows from all over the world.



Royal palace castle



Chopin Park



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Vilnius or nearby



Day 4 Vilnius 🚗 Trakai 🚗 Kaunas



Tour Overview

After breakfast, depart for Trakai to visit [Trakai Castle], a stunning Gothic structure situated on an island in Lake Galvė, offering beautiful views and a rich history. Following lunch, proceed to Kaunas, the second largest city in Lithuania. Explore the city and visit notable landmarks such as [Kaunas Castle] and the [Basilica of the Resurrection of Christ]. Overnight in Kaunas or nearby.

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Trakai Castle



Vilnius Cathedral

[Trakai Castle]

The most famous sights of the small Lithuanian city of Trakai. Built in 1409, the castle is the only water castle in the Baltic region. It is made of orange-red masonry, surrounded by a conical spire with a medieval knight style and a moat in the city. The castle in the sunset stands on the water, bringing a dreamlike beauty.

[Vilnius Cathedral]

Vilnius Cathedral is situated on the wide church square at the foot of the Gediminas Mountain. It and the 57-meter-high clock tower occupy the main position of the square. The church was built in 1387-1388 and was the first Gothic wooden church that was later restored several times. The St. Casimir's Chapel in the church is of the Baroque style, with frescoes depicting the life of the Lithuanian saint and his silver plaque.



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Kaunas or nearby



Day 5 Kaunas 🚗 Šiauliai 🚗 Rundāle Palace 🚗 Riga



Tour Overview

After breakfast, proceed to Šiauliai to visit [The Hill of Crosses], a sacred place, where people not only from Lithuania have put crosses for couple centuries, witnesses faithfulness and trust of a Christian community to Christ and his Cross. Next, head to [Rundāle Palace]. The name of Rundāle comes from the German place-name Ruhenthal (Valley of Peace). Rundāle Palace is one of the two major baroque palaces built for the Dukes of Courland in what is now Latvia. The palace was built in two periods, from 1736 until 1740 and from 1764 until 1768. It is set amidst the fertile Zemgale Plains in the south of Latvia. Overnight in Riga or nearby.

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Riga Old Town



House of the Blackheads

[Riga Old Town]

The old town of Riga, on the right bank of the Daugava River, is small in size and surrounded by canals. The old city has the characteristics of a medieval city. The houses are low, the streets are narrow, the roof is covered with red tiles, and each roof has a shiny metal cock, Fengxin Chicken. According to legend, at the end of the 13th century, Fengxin chicken was considered by the local residents to be an evil-avoiding thing. Later, people applied gold and black to the sides of the chicken to distinguish the wind direction. Now the Fengxin chicken is only a unique symbol of the city. Although Riga has been destroyed by war, many old buildings in the old town are still preserved. They are beautifully constructed and beautiful in appearance. A shimmering metal rooster stands on the spire of several 13th-century cathedrals.

[House of the Blackheads]

Built in 1344, the House of the Blackheads is a building in the old town of Riga, Latvia. It is next to the Old Town Square in Riga and belongs to the Blackhead Brotherhood. The building was bombed by German aircraft in 1941 and became a ruin. The current building was rebuilt in 1995. The Blackhead Palace is one of the most magnificent buildings in the Old City. Every day, it attracts countless people to stop and take photos.



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Riga or nearby



Day 6 Riga



Tour Overview

We will spend our day in Riga, the capital of Latvia, known for its beautiful and diverse architecture. Old Town Riga is a popular entertainment district located in the historical and geographical heart of the city, featuring cobblestone streets and an abundance of architectural gems. A walk through the streets will be an exciting experience for anyone visiting Riga. Explore ancient medieval buildings, such as [St. Peter's Church], [Three Brothers House] and the [Riga Cathedral]. Overnight in Riga.



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

D6 Riga Estimated Arrival: 14:00 Drop Off: Attractions in Riga

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**Alexander Nevsky
Cathedral**

[Alexander Nevsky Cathedral]

Tallinn's largest and highest dome Orthodox Church. Located in the upper city of Tallinn, the cathedral is a 19th-century Russian Orthodox church named after Alexander Nevsky, who invaded the Teutonic Knights in the 13th century. From here you can overlook the entire Old Town of Tallinn and the city of Tallinn.



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Riga or nearby



Day 7 Riga Tallinn Helsinki



Tour Overview

In the morning, we will head to Tallinn and take a cruise back to Helsinki, where the trip ends.



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Helsinki Old Town



Cathedral Square



Underground rock church



Sibelius Park

[Helsinki Old Town]

A city where classical beauty and modern civilization are integrated, not only reflects the romantic atmosphere of the ancient European city, but also the charm of an international metropolis. At the same time, she is a garden city that combines urban architecture with natural scenery. The city's buildings are mostly built with light-colored granite and are known as the "Northern White City" .

[Cathedral Square]

The cathedral is the most famous building in Helsinki, located on the Parliament Square, a Lutheran church. Built in 1852, the Helsinki Cathedral is an exquisite structure with extraordinary ambience and is the essence of Finnish architectural art. On the square in front of the cathedral stands a bronze statue of Tsar Alexander II, built in 1894, to commemorate his extensive autonomy in Finland.

[Underground rock church]

The rock church was carved out of a whole rock. Standing outside the church, it was a huge rock. The roof of the church is supported by 100 radial beams and columns, and is inlaid with clear glass, so you don't feel underground. Because the hall is ring-shaped, the sound is very good, suitable for small bands and a cappella ensemble performances.

[Sibelius Park]

Sibelius Park is located in the north-west of the city centre of Helsinki, Finland. The park is green and verdant. In this memorable park, there are two statues, in addition to an abstract figure resembling an organ composed of 600 steel pipes, and a master's head sculpture. These two romantic statues are the works of the famous Finnish female sculptor Eila Hiltunen (born 1922).



Meal: Breakfast Included



Accommodation: Not Included

Price Explanation

What's included

(1)Accommodation: 3-star hotel (shared twin/double room)

(2)Vehicle:coach or car (Note: depending on the number of applicants)

(3)Driver/Guide: driver + tour guide (Note: If a car with 9 seats or less, there will be only driver)

(4)Meals: breakfast

(5)Luggage: 1 piece of luggage weighing 23 kg and 1 piece of carry-on luggage

What's Excluded

(1)Entrance Tickets: Guests can choose whether or not to participate according to their own wishes. The tour guide will arrange the tickets during the tour.

(2)Lunch and Dinner

(3)Tips to driver and guide

(4)Single room Supplement

(5)Additional costs due to force majeure such as traffic delays, strikes, weather, aircraft, machine failure, flight cancellation or change time.

(6)In-house laundry, hairdressing, telephone, fax, pay TV, drinks, alcohol and other personal consumption.

(7)Other items not included in the above "What's included".

Good to Know

(1)Special price for children:

2 adults with a child under 6 years old sharing a double room, children can get 35% off on the bed. Children occupy the bed at the same price as adults. An adult has a child who is the same price as an adult.

(2)Bus front-row seat reservation, first come, first served:

There are only 16 seats in the front five rows of buses and 6 seats in the front two rows of minibuses. If we change to a 9-seat car, the fee will be refunded.

Recommended activity reference (at your own expense)

Attraction tickets	
Riga St. Peter's Church	9,00 €/adult Free (< 7 years old)
Riga Cathedral	5,00 €

Lunch and dinner fee	
Chinese Lunch (Group Standard: 6 dishes and 1 soup)	15,00-20,00 €
Chinese Dinner (Group Standard: 6 dishes and 1 soup)	15,00-20,00 €
specialty meal	30,00-40,00 €
Driver and guide tip	
Tips per person per day for Guide	3 € From May 5€
Tips per person per day for Driver	3 € From May 5€
<p>The above is only the reference price, if the price is adjusted, it will be subject to the announcement at that time. For self-funded projects, please cooperate with and obey the tour guide's itinerary.</p>	