



Tour "Introduction to Uzbekistan"

2 days / 1 night

"TASHKENT"

Beautiful cities – the pearls of the Great Silk Road – Tashkent and Samarkand, recognized by UNESCO as part of the World Heritage, are now presented in the context of a sightseeing ART-gastronomic paradise.

Day 1

00:05 – Arrival in Tashkent from Shymkent.

8:00 – Meeting at the "Zhibek Zholu" checkpoint.

Sightseeing program in Tashkent:

- Visit to the holy sites of Tashkent:
 - Khast-Imam Square, the religious center of Tashkent and one of the shrines of the Muslim world. The Khast-Imam complex includes the Barak-Khan Madrasah (16th century), the Mausoleum of Saint Abu Bakr Kaffal Shashi (16th century), the Tilla Sheikh Mosque (19th century), the Al-Bukhari Islamic Institute, and a library of oriental manuscripts containing the precious Quran of Caliph Uthman.
 - Kukeldash Madrasah – the largest of Tashkent's 23 madrasahs, with a main portal 197 meters high.
 - Mui-Mubarak Madrasah (19th century), home to the unique artifact – the oldest Quran of Uthman.
 - "Tule Biy" Mausoleum
 - "White Mosque"

Lunch at the "Beshkazan" Plov Center – a unique place where you can taste any of the 6 types of plov prepared here. More than 4 tons of plov are cooked daily in 13 cauldrons, the largest of which can hold over 2 tons of rice.

Visit to the "Zangi-ata" complex (a disciple of Ahmed Yasawi and the third caliph).

Architectural complex "Suzuk-ata" (grandson of Ahmed Yasawi).

Optional visit to the Magic City amusement park with fountain shows and an aquarium.

Accommodation in the hotel.

Overnight in Tashkent.

***Day 2* 00:05 – Tashkent**

Breakfast.

Full-day sightseeing program in Tashkent: "Squares and Parks of Tashkent":

- Amir Timur Square
- Visit to "Istiqlol" Square and Alisher Navoi Park.
- Monument of Courage
- Tashkent TV Tower (ticket for the observation deck is not included)
- Ride on the Tashkent Metro
- Eastern Bazaar "Chorsu" – the oldest bazaar in Central Asia. "Chorsu" means "Four Corners."

We will also visit Tashkent Venice and take a gondola ride. "Anhor-Venice" (ticket not included).

Lunch (or dinner by choice) at the "Gijduvan" cafe, where you can try A'lat samsa and "Balaza" shurpa.

Farewell at the "Zhibek Zholu" checkpoint.

End of the tour.