



CULTURE & NATURE
BULGARIA & MACEDONIA

10 days from Sofia or Skopje
 Tour Code 602

This is a draft program offered for closed groups and tour operators only. Further changes are possible according to the client's wishes and requirements

Day 1 Welcome

After arrival you will be met by the guide and transferred to the hotel in Sofia. O/N in Sofia.

Day 2 Osogovo monastery

After breakfast leaving Sofia and head for next destination - Macedonia. Crossing the Bulgarian-Macedonian border and arrival at the Monastery of St Joakim Osogovski. Drive towards Macedonian capital Skopje for O/N.

Day 3 Skopje and its surrounding

Skopje sightseeing and short drive to magnificent Matka gorge and the Canyon of Treska River. Afternoon visit of St. Panteleimon monastery in nearby mountain Vodno. O/N in Skopje.

Day 4 The sights of West Macedonia

Departure to Tetovo and visit of the unique "Sharena" (painted) mosque. After a short stop in Mavrovo NP, arrival in Bigorski monastery. Afternoon drive along Radika river canyon and both lakes made by Black Drim River. Arrival in Ohrid and accommodation. O/N in Ohrid.

Day 5 Ohrid and Ohrid lake

Sightseeing Ohrid tour in a morning with time at leisure in the Old city. Afternoon drive along the lake coast to St. Naum monastery complex. Back to Ohrid for O/N. Optional in the evening - dinner at national restaurant with folklore show and traditional dances.

Day 6 Galichica & Prespa lake

Drive towards Galichica National park to the second largest Macedonian lake Prespa. Time at leisure in city of Bitola and later on visit of Heraclea Lynkestis ancient site. Drive towards Stip for O/N.

Day 7 Bulgaria landmarks

Crossing Macedonia - Bulgaria border and arrival in the holly landmark - the famous Rila monastery, UNESCO World Heritage Site. Afternoon departure to Bansko, the most famous winter resort in Bulgaria. O/N in Bansko

Day 8 Pirin mountain

A day to relax in Bansko area, many possibilities at the hotel SPA center or some outdoor activities, with optional dinner in traditional restaurant "mehana" with local specialities. O/N in Bansko.

Day 9 Sofia - Bulgarian capital

Departure to Sofia, the Bulgarian capital and time for Sofia sightseeing in the afternoon. Sightseeing tour will be done on walking, visiting the most significant Sofia sights. You will be invited to a farewell dinner in local restaurant (optional). O/N in Sofia.

Day 10 Departure

Depending of flight schedule transfer to Sofia airport.



TOUR INFORMATION:

Possible arrival / departure city / APT :

Skopje (Macedonia) or Sofia (Bulgaria)

What is included:

- 9 nights accommodation at chosen by you hotels according the itinerary,
- Bed & breakfast base;
- English speaking local professional tour guide for all itinerary;
- All entrance fees according the program, marked in bold;
- "Visit Macedonia" organization and maps

Not included:

- Single room supplement;
- Half board supplement;
- transportation according the itinerary (coach, minibus, van - depending on the number of participants and further requirements);
- visits, meals and excursions described as optional
- Guide on other language than English (Supplement may apply)

Tour price

depends on the number of participants. Confidential prices apply only for tour operators and will be provided upon request.

Tour modifications (extension or reduction of tour duration, upgrade to higher class hotels, additional meals, visits and services) are possible.

For more information about this tour, exact prices for proposed services or tailor made tour according your requirements, please contact us on booking@visitmacedonia.mk