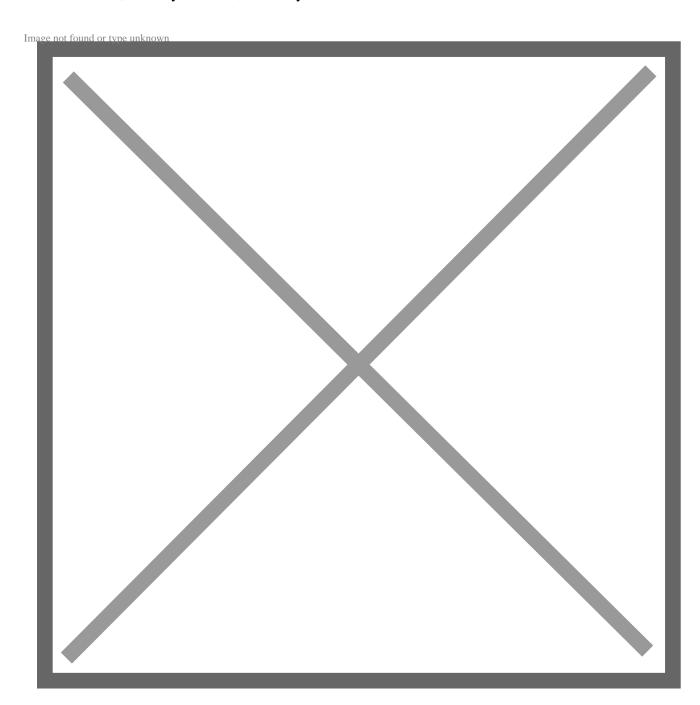


Full Itinerary & Trip Details

Daily Konya City Heritage Tour

Museumof Mevlana, Karatay Madrasa, Catalhoyuk



TOUR ID

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Day 1: Daily Konya City Heritage Tour

Pick up between 8:30 am - 9:30 am from your hotel. We will visit the MUSEUM OF MEVLANA. Mevlana Celadin-i Rumi is a 13th century Muslim saint and Anatatolian Mystic known throughout the world for his exquisite poems and word of wisdom, which have been translated into many languages. Rumi, as he is known in the west, is the best selling poet in USA. The United Nations declared 2007 The Year of Rumi and celebrations were held world wide. The museum was the dervish lodge (tekke) of the Mevlevi order, better known as the Whirling Dervishes, here you will different sections like Matbah (Kitchen), tombs, Tilavet Chamber (Quran Reading And Chanting), Semâ-Hâne (Ritual Hall). After the museum we will visit KARATAY MADRASA (Tiles Museum) The madrasa was founded in 1251 by Seljuklu Turks as a thelogical school where ?slamic education was given. Inside the building is decorated by beautiful Seljuklu tiles and also some ceramic artefacts are also being exhibited which were discovered in excavations in Konya. Next stop will be ALEADDIN MOSQUE from 13th century. Unlike relatively new mosques this mosque has multiple coloumn style, 42 columns and a wooden ceiling are the interesting features of the structure. You have free timefor lunch aftwerwards. After lunch break we will drive about 1 hour to CATALHOYUK. This archealogical site is one of the most important archaeological sites in the world. Since the 1960s, excavations have uncovered a densely packed Neolithic (New Stone Age) settlement which dates back 9000 years. After Catalhoyuk we will drive back to Konya to visit Archaeological Museum which has an excellent collection of ancient artifacts ranging from the Bronze Age to the Byzantine Era like inscriptions, mosaics, sarcohagips and such.

After the tour, transfer back to your hotel.

We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another our Turkey Tour. Thank you for choosing us.

Includes

- Professional English speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air-conditioned, non-smoking coach
- Guided Konya City Tour
- Pick up from your hotel in Konya
- Return Transfer to your hotel in Konya

Excludes

- Insurance: All types
- Personal expenses: Lunches, extras at hotel or additional meals
- Tipping: Tips for guides and driversInternational and Domestic flights

Routes

Available On Dates

7 December, 2020 - 31 March, 2022 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday