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Cuba & its People

Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

Arrive, transfer to your Havana hotel and check in to this Casa particular hotel. Tonight, gather for a Welcome Dinner at a paladar.

Day 1 | Havana

Enrichment:
- Visit the Museum of the Revolution to learn about the Cuban Revolution, the struggle for independence, and the fight for social justice that continues to this day.

Day 2 | Havana

Enrichment:
- Visit the National Museum of Fine Arts to view Cuban impressionist, Greek and Roman art.

Day 3 | Matanzas, Cienfuegos, Trinidad

Enrichment:
- Visit the National Tobacco Museum in Havana to learn about the history of tobacco in Cuba.

Day 4 | Havana

Enrichment:
- Visit Ernest Hemingway’s La Finca Vigía for a glimpse into the writer’s life in Cuba.

Day 5 | Havana

Enrichment:
- La Casa de la Cultura & Afro-Cuban Dance. Visit the Foundation for the Arts to explore the world of music, dance, theater, and other cultural productions in Cuba.

Day 6 | Havana

Enrichment:
- Visit the La Casa de la Cultura & Afro-Cuban Dance to learn more about the rich cultural heritage of Cuba.

Day 7 | Havana

Enrichment:
- Visit the La Casa de la Cultura & Afro-Cuban Dance to learn about their experiences with starting a fashion business.

Note About Activity Levels
- Unsuitable for those with mobility issues or walking on cobblestones, unpaved paths or uneven surfaces.
- Must walk and stand for the return flight to Miami, Florida.

Accommodations
- Twin bedroom in a hotel or in a private home.
- All deluxe motor coach transfers during the program.
- All guided visits and/or uneven surfaces.

AHI Sustainability Promise:
- All-inclusive stay for the return flight to Miami, Florida.
- All-inclusive meals, 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 4 dinners, including Welcome and Farewell Dinners; beverages with dinner.
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Day 1 | Miami, Florida
Arrive in Miami and check in to a Casa Habana hotel. Tonight, gather for a Welcome Dinner at a family-owned paladar. Share your insights and thoughts of the day engaging with choir members.

Day 2 | Havana
Black Surroundings: Experiencing Cuban Women. Jessica Center in Cuba: Visit the Haitian Jewish Women Center where a member of Jewish Heritage Cuba will guide you through the center and the museum on the cultural themes of the Jewish Diaspora. You then continue to El Sitio, an engaging community-owned neighborhood and home to a cultural center. Later today, visit the Cuba Foundation. Meet local artists and crafters, learn about their desires to pursue artistic ventures. Then, visit the HABS Gallery for an insight into Cuban art and culture. Share your thoughts and the day’s observations with a group. 

Day 3 | Matanzas
Matanzas, the Cultural Capital of Cuba. Visit the National Museum of Fine Arts to view Cuban Impressionist, Greek and Roman art. Visit the Ludwig Foundation, Jewish Center & Cuban Dance. This is a great way to witness daily life in this city center and La Libertad Park, and enjoy a rich array of produce, meats and grains. A Cuban social psychologist and author of books on psychology, writing and feminism.

Day 4 | Havana
Join Wilfredo Benítez, founder and first on UNESCO’s Whirlwind LMS-Listed Site, Old Havana, to tour an artist’s studio and see artwork. Visit the most historic district of Havana, La Habana Vieja, and the Church of Havana. See the San Francisco, Latin American, and French styles of architecture. Pass by the neoclassical Sauto Theatre and Cuba’s most historic theaters. On your walk, tour the Old Havana from the inside and a Local’s Perspective, and enjoy a Cuban tango show at a local Paladar.

Day 5 | Matanzas
Visit the National Museum of Fine Arts to view Cuban Impressionist, Greek and Roman art. Enjoy your first look at a Paladar. A privately owned and operated restaurant. Tonight, gather for a Welcome Dinner at a Paladar. Share your insights and thoughts of the day engaging with chef members.

Day 6 | Havana
Havana: The Rhythms of Cuban Music. Meet independent local artists and learn more about their desires to pursue artistic ventures. Then, visit the HABS Gallery for an insight into Cuban art and culture. Share your thoughts and the day’s observations with a group. 

Day 7 | Havana
Cuba’s & Its People's
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Day 8 | Havana
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Cuba’s & Its People’s
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Day 21 | Havana
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Day 22 | Havana
Cuba’s & Its People’s
Day 23 | Havana
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Day 1 | Miami, Florida
Havana, Cuba
Arrive in Havana and check in to the Casa Italia hotel. Today, take a one-hour drive to the colonial city of Trinidad, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Day 2 | Havana
Enjoy a full day exploring Havana. Begin with a visit to the National Museum of Fine Arts to view Cuban impressionist, Greek and Roman art. Later today, visit the Ludwig Foundation, home to the most comprehensive collection of African and Latin American art in Latin America. Visit the National Museum of Natural History to view a significant collection of Cuban animal and botanical life. Dine tonight at a paladar.

Day 3 | Havana
Discover the Cuban Experience. Sightseeing and shopping in Old Havana. Enjoy a vintage car ride, before enjoying the Malecón sea drive. Peek beneath the hood and chat with your friendly driver about the challenges of owning a female-led business in Cuba. Visit the National Museum of Natural History to view a significant collection of Cuban animal and botanical life. Dine tonight at a paladar.

Day 5 | Havana
Discover the Cuban Experience. Visit the Habana Vieja neighborhood in Havana. Learn about the lives and experiences of Cubans during meaningful encounters and conversations. Interact with Cuban art world professionals and see a Cuban dance performance. Enjoy a Cuban home-cooked meal and cultural exchange. Dine tonight at a paladar.

Day 6 | Havana
Enjoy a full day in Matanzas. Discover its history and culture with a visit to the Malecón, a scenic drive along the waterfront. Take a stroll through the Parque Vidal, a vibrant neighborhood in Matanzas. Visit the Carmenelito House, a traditional Cuban house, stop at an artist’s studio, and savor local food and culture. Dine tonight at a paladar.

Day 7 | Havana
Spend the day in Trinidad. Explore the historic center and neighborhood of Trinidad, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Day 8 | Havana
Depart Havana in the morning and begin your journey back to Miami. Enjoy a farewell dinner at a local restaurant in historic Havana.

Accommodations

- Day 1-3: Casa Italia Hotel
- Day 4-8: Granma Hotel

Note: This itinerary is subject to change. If an event must be canceled, it will be replaced with another offering.

A personal VOX headset to hear perspectives. AHI Sustainability Promise: We strive to make a positive impact wherever we travel.

Included Features
- Accommodations
- Transfers
- Meals: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 4 dinners
- Sightseeing by expert speakers enhances your insight into Cuba’s history, heritage and culture
- Shopping excursions provide meaningful connections with small business owners and individual Cuban artists who share their personal stories and unique perspectives
- AHI Headed to hear your Spanish-speaking guide clearly.
- Tipping of services and gratuities
- All-Inclusive Promises: All-inclusive is your positive impact whenever we travel
Day 1 | Miami, Florida

Your arrival in Miami, Florida, is met with warm hospitality and an exciting introduction to Cuba. Make your way to the historic French-inspired neighborhood of Coconut Grove, a must-see destination for anyone visiting Miami. Here, you can enjoy a relaxed evening or indulge in a delicious dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 2 | Havana

Begin your day in Havana with a visit to Bacardi Factory, a distillery that has been producing rum for over 150 years. Learn about the history of rum-making and the various types of Bacardi, including their famous Dark & Stormy cocktail. Then, take a walking tour of Old Havana, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and explore the vibrant streets and alleys of this world-renowned city.

Day 3 | Matanzas

Your morning will be spent exploring the art scene of Havana as you visit the National Museum of Fine Arts to view Cuban Impressionist, Greek and Roman art. Later, you'll visit the Ludwig Foundation for a discussion with an expert speaker about female volunteers who taught more than 700,000 Cubans to read and write during the Cuban Literacy Campaign. Guillard has also released articles about natural and humanistic engagement in discussions, with questions about these important topics in Cuba today.

Day 4 | Havana

Start your day with a visit to Casa Fuster, the studio of Cuban painter and sculptor Jose Fuster, to view his vibrant mosaics. Then, head outside of Havana to visit Las Terrazas, a model socialist community and Cuba's first eco-friendly village. Visit the staff and children. Next, enjoy an intimate tour of Havana's Jewish Community, to engage with residents and learn about their experiences of starting a business. Enjoy a farewell dinner at a family-owned paladar, a privately owned and operated restaurant, to indulge in a delicious Cuban meal as you share your insights and thoughts of the day with a lively performance by a local choir and a farewell drink.

Day 5 | Havana

Your Cuba adventure concludes with breakfast at your boutique hotel in Havana, and check-in to your flight home. Your journey concludes with a memorable experience of Cuba during an intriguing encounter and immersion. Interact with Cuba's vibrant arts community along with others, where you can enjoy the world of Cuban visual arts, music, cinema, and literature. Join Wilfredo Benítez in Havana, Cuba, for a lively performance by a local choir and a farewell drink.

Note: This itinerary is subject to change. If an event or excursion is cancelled due to weather, your guide will make every effort to substitute an alternative event or excursion. Excursions on this itinerary require: Walking on cobblestones, unpaved paths, climbing, getting off/on motorcoach. Note About Activity Levels: A1 = All-Sustainability Priority. LIFE is a positive impact whenever we travel.
Day 1: Miami, Florida | Havana, Cuba
Arrive and check in to the Casa Italia hotel. Tonight, go for a stroll in Old Havana as a local guide presents a private and owned establishment. Meet and mingle with local entrepreneurs on your first night in Cuba.

Day 2: Havana
Embark on a luxurious, old-style electric train to UNESCO-listed La Havana Vieja. Visit the Plaza de Armas, Plaza de la Catedral and Havana’s Haymarket. Join in the local culture by dancing in a salsa studio, then meet dancers and learn about their commitment to their art and training. Later today, visit the Vinales Foundation, Cuba’s foundation whose purpose is to protect and preserve Cuban art. You will be greeted by a local guide who will provide you with insights about their desire to pursue artistic ventures. Then, visit the Havana’s house museum to experience the life of the family followed by dinner at a paladar.

Day 3: Matanzas
Matanzas | Travel to Matanzas today by motor coach, iconic vintage car or a carriage ride. As you explore the city, stop at the National Museum of Fine Arts to view contemporary Cuban artists and their work. Investigate the cultural riches of this “City of Bridges,” respect for the families who populate the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Take a panoramic tour of the city, See colonial architecture, pass by the neoclassical Santa Clara Theatre and drive through the National Railway Park. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers. Visit the Yumuri Valley, the Yumuri, San Juan and Canimar rivers.

Day 4: Havana
Havana | Experience Cuba's history and culture.

Day 5: Havana
Havana | Travel to Havana today by motor coach and enjoy an evening of entertainment.

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