

Portugal Coastal Charms: Lisbon Tram 28, Sintra Pena Palace & Porto Douro River

Portugal | 6 days / 5 nights | From AED 4,190 per person

Sun-drenched Atlantic charm: vintage yellow trams clattering up Lisbon's hills, the pastel-colored fantasy of Sintra's Pena Palace, and riverside wine cellars in Porto.

ROUTE

Lisbon > Belm > Sintra > Porto > Douro River > Lisbon

HIGHLIGHTS

- Historic Tram 28 ride through the narrow cobblestone alleys of Alfama
- Guided tour of Belm Tower, Jernimos Monastery, and Pastis de Belm tasting
- Excursion to Sintra UNESCO fairy-tale Pena National Palace and Cabo da Roca (Europe's westernmost point)
- High-speed Alfa Pendular train from Lisbon to Porto
- Six Bridges river cruise along the Douro River in Porto
- Stroll the vibrant Ribeira waterfront and visit Livraria Lello bookstore
- 5-star boutique hotels with daily Portuguese breakfast

DAY BY DAY (6 DAYS)

Day 1: Arrival in Sunny Lisbon & Baixa District

Arrive at Humberto Delgado Airport, private transfer to hotel, orientation walk.

- Arrive at Lisbon Airport (LIS). Private Mercedes pickup and transfer to your luxury hotel in Chiado or Avenida da Liberdade.
- Take an orientation stroll through grand Praa do Comrcio overlooking the Tagus River.
- Enjoy a welcome dinner in the Bairro Alto with fresh Atlantic seafood.

Meals: Dinner included

Transport: Included private airport transfer

Day 2: Historic Alfama, Tram 28 & Belm Discoveries

Ride Tram 28, visit So Jorge Castle, Belm Tower, and Jernimos Monastery.

- Ride the famous yellow Tram 28 up the winding cobbled hills of Alfama.
- Admire panoramic views from the Miradouro de Santa Luzia viewpoint.
- Drive to Belm: visit the 16th-century fortress Belm Tower and UNESCO Jernimos Monastery.
- Taste the original warm custard tarts at Fbrica de Pastis de Belm.

Meals: Breakfast included

Transport: Included private transport with guide

Day 3: Day Excursion to Sintra Fairytale Palaces & Cascais

Pena Palace vibrant colors, Quinta da Regaleira mystery wells, and Cabo da Roca cliffs.

- Drive to the forested hills of romantic Sintra to tour the eccentric, colorful Pena National Palace perched high on the mountain.
- Explore the mystical initiation wells and secret tunnels of Quinta da Regaleira.
- Stand at Cabo da Roca, the westernmost point of continental Europe ('where the land ends and the sea begins').
- Scenic seaside drive back via the glamorous beach resort town of Cascais.

Meals: Breakfast & lunch included

Transport: Included private vehicle

Day 4: Express Train to Porto & Historic Ribeira

Fast train to Porto, check in, walk the Ribeira waterfront and Dom Lus I Bridge.

- Board the comfortable Alfa Pendular express train to Porto So Bento station (famed for its 20,000 blue azulejo tiles).
- Check in to your hotel overlooking the Douro River.
- Walk across the top deck of the double-decker iron Dom Lus I Bridge engineered by Gustave Eiffel's disciple.
- Explore the vibrant UNESCO Ribeira waterfront district.

Meals: Breakfast included

Transport: Express train & private transfers included

Day 5: Douro Six Bridges Cruise & Livraria Lello

Traditional Rabelo boat cruise on Douro, visit iconic bookstore, return to Lisbon.

- Board a traditional wooden Rabelo boat for a scenic 50-minute Six Bridges Cruise along the Douro River.
- Visit the neo-Gothic Livraria Lello, one of the world's most beautiful bookstores that inspired J.K. Rowling.
- Afternoon express train back to Lisbon for your farewell evening.

Meals: Breakfast & dinner included

Transport: Boat cruise & express train included

Day 6: Departure from Lisbon to UAE

Morning coffee and shopping, private transfer to Lisbon Airport.

- Enjoy a leisurely breakfast and last-minute shopping for Portuguese cork crafts and ceramics.
- Private transfer to Lisbon Airport for your flight back to Dubai DXB.

Meals: Breakfast included

Transport: Included private airport transfer

INCLUDED

- 3 nights in Lisbon & 2 nights in Porto at 4/5-star central heritage hotels
- Daily breakfast buffet & traditional Portuguese Fado dinner show
- First-Class Alfa Pendular train tickets Lisbon - Porto - Lisbon
- Pena Palace and Park skip-the-line entrance tickets
- Douro River 6 Bridges boat cruise ticket in Porto
- All private airport, station and excursion transfers in luxury AC vehicle
- English-speaking private licensed guide

NOT INCLUDED

- International flights to/from Lisbon (LIS)
- Schengen visa fees
- City tourist taxes
- Travel insurance

FLIGHTS, AND CHANGING ANYTHING ON THIS ITINERARY

Flights are quoted on request. We hold IATA accreditation and can ticket any airline from Dubai alongside this itinerary.

Every itinerary here is a starting point. We rebuild any of it around your own dates, hotels, pace and budget, for couples, families or groups.

Prices are a lead-in fare and move with the season, the airline and the hotel chosen. Tell us your dates and we will

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