

INDEPENDENT TRIPS

Mongolia Adventure 10D/9N

Nature & Adventure 10 Days / 1 Country Mongolia

Departure city: **Ulaan Baatar, Mongolia** End city: **Ulaan Baatar**

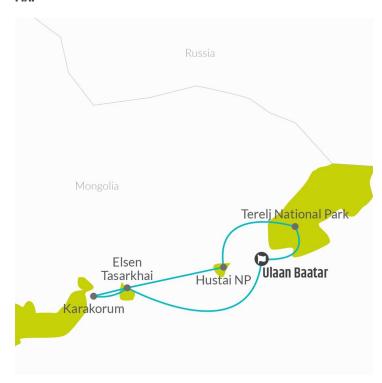


HIGHLIGHTS

- Go biking and rafting in Terelj National Park
- Experience the fascinating nomadic lifestlyle
- Ride a camel through unique sand dunes
- Visit ancient cities and hot springs

Discover the incredible nature, wildlife, and culture of Mongolia on this 10-day adventure with river rafting, mountain biking, horseback riding, a camel ride through sand dunes, and unique cultural experiences with local nomad communities.

MAP



What is included

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Independent Trips

Include all of your accommodation, transport and experiences on a pre-set trip that you can customize to perfectly suit your travel needs.

Accommodation: 9

• 9 nights accommodation: 3N in tourist camp

• 5N in nomad family homestays 1N in 4-star hotel dorm room

Transport: 2

• Airport Transfers & Drang; Van

All transfers by private AC vehicle

• Ulaan Baatar airport pick-up & Dop-off

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Meals: 24

• 8 Breakfast(s), 8 Lunch(es), 8 Dinner(s),



Guides:

• English-speaking guide throughout trip

What is not included

• *Other meals/drinks

*Personal expenses

• *Optional activities

*Tips

• *Sleeping bag

*Travel insurance

^{*}Prices for optional activities are subject to change at any time without prior notice. Please confirm these prices before departing on your trip.

Itinerary

Day 1: Ulaan Baatar - Terelj National Park, Mongolia

Ulaan Baatar Airport Pick-Up & Terelj National Park Hike (D)

Start your trip with an Ulaan Baatar airport pick-up and transfer to the city's iconic Genghis Khan statue, standing 40m high. Next you will be transferred to Terelj National Park where you will meet the local Mongolian nomad family you will stay with.

Day 2: Terelj National Park, Mongolia

Terelj National Park Mountain Biking (B/L/D)

After breakfast, we will embark on a mountain biking experience around breathtaking Terelj National park, which incorporates parts of the Khentii Mountain Range. Explore extraordinary, towering rock formations, one of which is famous for resembling a giant turtle, as we explore the park by bicycle. Overnight in nomad family homestay.

Day 3: Terelj National Park, Mongolia

Terelj River Rafting Trip (B/L/D)

Today, after breakfast, we will head to the pristine Terelj River for a full-day river rafting experience. In the beginning, the terrain will be wide open valleys, changing slowly into much more mountainous and forested landscapes. The river is category 1, with calm waters and opportunities to jump in for a refreshing swim. Overnight in tourist ger camp.

Day 4: Terelj National Park - Hustai National Park, Mongolia

Hustai National Park & Horseback Riding (B/L/D)

Early in the morning, we will drive to Hustai National Park. Enjoy a half-day horseback riding in pristine landscapes to see Takhi, Asian wild horses. With some luck, you may also see wolves, argali sheep, and deer. Enjoy a short hike to appreciate the rugged landscape and abundant wildlife. Overnight in tourist camp.

Day 5: Hustai National Park, Mongolia

Nomad Family Visit & Horseback Riding to Ungut Monument (B/L/D)

Early this morning we will visit a local nomad family, where you have an opportunity to experience their way of life, culture and traditions that span back centuries. See how closely they live with their livestock and how they handmake everything according to traditional methods, including their homes.

Next we will ride horseback to Ungut monument, a complex of stone carvings of humans, animals, and tombs dating back to 6-8th centuries AD. Overnight in nomad family homestay.

Day 6: Hustai National Park - Elsen Tasarkhai, Mongolia

Elsen Tasarkhai Sand Dune and Camel Ride (B/L/D)

In the early morning, drive to Elsen Tasarkhai, a unique area of forest and sand dunes. After having lunch in the tourist camp, we will have the opportunity to take a camel ride trial through the sand dunes. We will visit a local nomad family to enjoy an authentic Mongolian barbecue, prepared in the traditional style with hot stones. Overnight in nomad family homestay.

Day 7: Elsen Tasarlhai - Tsenkher Hot Springs, Mongolia

Tsenkher Hot Springs (B/L/D)

Today, we'll drive to Arkhangai Province for a lunch in a tourist camp. After lunch, we'll continue our drive to the incredible waters of Tsenkher Hot Springs. These natural sulphur hot springs emerge from aquifers 300m below ground and are a toasty 70 degrees Celsius. Take some time to soak in the relaxing outdoor baths followed by a short hike into the mountains. Overnight in tourist camp.

Day 8: Tsenkher Hot Springs - Karakorum, Mongolia

Karakorum and Erdene Zuu Monastery (B/L/D)

After breakfast we will drive to Karakorum, the symbolic ruins of the 13th century capital of the Mongol Empire. Visit Erdene Zuu, Mongolia's oldest Buddhist monastery, with 108 stupas, built in 1586. Then visit Karakorum museum in the historical capital of the Mongol Empire and see the impressive Great Mongol, Stone Age, Bronze Age, and Ancient state period halls. Overnight in tent camping.

Day 9: Karakorum - Ulaan Baatar, Mongolia

Private Transfer to Ulaan Baatar (B/L/D)

Today we will drive back to Ulaan Baatar to visit Zaisan Hill and Sukhbatar Square. Later, you will have the chance to attend a national folklore concert. Overnight in a 4* hotels shares

Day 10: Ulaan Baatar, Mongolia

Ulaan Baatar Airport Drop-Off

Today your trip will end with a drop-off at the airport in Ulaan Baatar. We wish you happiness and health for your journey onward!

