



Explora
JOURNEYS

A JOURNEY TO THE FORGOTTEN WORLDS OF THE RIVIERA MAYA



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Dates: Tue, 04 Feb 2025 - Fri, 14 Feb 2025

Duration: 10 Nights / 11 days

Ship: EXPLORA II





📍 DAY UNITED STATES

1 Quintessential Miami

Port: Miami

Arrival Method: DOCK

Departure: 17:00

Welcome to Miami and the sweep of South Beach - backdrop to every iconic Miami movie, and forefront of Latin American culture. Stroll through pastel-hued geometric buildings in the art deco district, to graffiti mural masterpieces at Wynwood Walls. Watch Latino life unfold in Little Havana - the heartbeat of this great city - where walk-up windows sell café cortadito, sweet sugarcane juice, hatuey beer and guava ice-cream. Watch passionate locals discuss politics, play dominoes and smoke cigars. Shimmy at a salsa class, shop designer boutiques and race marlin and sharks by speedboat. Then slow your pace to uncover rare and endangered species at the Everglades National Park outdoor oasis. You'll find the Miami dream is real – and it's not just Cuban heels that will give you a spring in your step.



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2 Casual Key West

Port: Key West

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 08:00

Departure: 17:00

Key West might end at Florida's most southern point, but here is the start of real laid-back life. Nearer Cuba than Miami, this last in line of small coral reefered islands is famed for history, culture, fishing, cuisine, and candy-coloured homes. Surf, snorkel, shop by appointment and attend a private seafood tasting. Hop aboard the Old Town Trolley tour, visit Hemingway's quirky former house, study over 50 different butterflies at the Butterfly & Nature Conservatory and watch leggy flamingos strut their stuff. Key West is not just a deep tan Floridan beach town, it's a way of life, with the only rule being to come as you please.



📍 DAY

3 At sea



📍 CAYMAN ISLANDS

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Cayman Brac: The Other Cayman Island

Port: Cayman Brac

Arrival Method: TENDER

Arrival: 08:00

Departure: 16:00

Seabirds, marine life and buccaneers have long admired Cayman Brac, a sliver of limestone that rises from the Caribbean at the far-flung edge of the Cayman Islands. The cliffs of Brac — Gaelic for bluff — are studded with deep caves pummelled by time and tides, home to lost treasure and colonies of Jamaican fruit bats. Shoals of rainbow-coloured fish inhabit the surrounding waters and dive sites, furrowed with coral walls and deep canyons, where reefs and wrecks remain undisturbed. Look out for Cayman parrots and red-legged thrush as you hike coastal forests and wetlands, tap into history at Heritage House or gear up for rock climbing and kayaking adventures.



📍 DAY MEXICO

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Culture and Colour in Cozumel

Port: Cozumel

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 18:00

Off the coast of the Yucatan Peninsula and off the charts in charm, Cozumel, once sacred to the Mayan Moon Goddess Ixchel, now is a wealth of natural beauty. Dive into the kaleidoscopic Caribbean waters that lap her beaches, follow dive guides to the Mesoamerican reef, or swim in sacred cenotes. Take a walk on the Wild East side, sink into hammocks and sip Mezcalitos cocktails and nosh on the freshest fish tacos. Kayak the mangroves or hike trails around the marshland and pay homage to Ixchel at her temple ruins of San Gervasio.



📍 DAY MEXICO

6 Culture and Colour in Cozumel

Port: Cozumel

Arrival Method: DOCK

Departure: 20:00

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📍 DAY MEXICO

7 Costa Maya's Miraculous Pyramids

Port: Costa Maya

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 08:00

Departure: 20:00

Swirling blue seas give way to the tangled tendrils of emerald jungle along the coast of Quintana Roo, where Mayan pyramids and enigmatic cenotes lay hidden. Time slows down and languid days turn into unforgettable nights around Puerto Costa Maya, a portal to indigenous culture and natural abundance. Enchanting and Bacalar and her Lagoon of the Seven Colours show off nature's artistic essence and star-shaped Fort of San Felipe transports you to a world of European pirates and Spanish conquistadors. Snooze beneath droopy palms and snorkel the mesmerising reefs of Xcalak National Reef Park or explore the crumbling Mayan temples at Chacchoben, reclaimed by the jungle over millennia, then feast on fresh Mexican flavours in cosmopolitan Chetumal.



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8 At sea



📍 DAY MEXICO

9 Mayan Marvels in Progreso

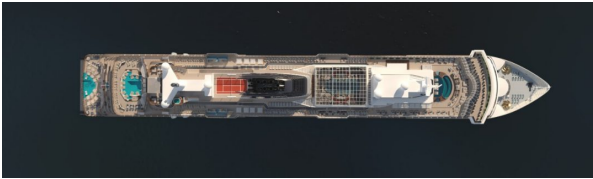
Port: Merida (Progreso)

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 08:00

Departure: 18:00

Head into the port of Progreso, gateway to some true Yucatan treats. Learn about the history, customs and culture of the ancient Maya. Seek out elegant architecture, well-preserved Mayan exhibits and a drop of mezcal in charming Mérida. Head out to visit the impressive sights at one of the new Wonders of the World; Chichen Itza. Visit the archaeological ruins of mythical Uxmal, explore the Temple of the Seven Dolls and cool off in the sacred waters of a secret cenote. A marvel of the wonders of Mayan myths.



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10 At sea



📍 DAY UNITED STATES

11 Quintessential Miami

Port: Miami

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 07:00

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EXCLUSIVE EXPERIENCES

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CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Everglades Airboat Adventure (ending at Miami International Airport MIA)

Discover the sprawling Florida Everglades, the largest wetlands in the continental USA. Begin your adventure with a guided drive to the Everglades National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and immerse yourself in the territory's history and natural wonders. Then, embark on a thrilling 40-minute airboat ride led by an expert captain, who will introduce you to the diverse wildlife and vegetation. Observe fish, turtles, birds and the iconic American alligator in their natural environment. Back on land, view exhibits featuring endangered species that thrive in the 'River of Grass' before returning to Miami International Airport (MIA).

Port: Miami

Price From: €160.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Wonderful Nature, Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

A Taste of Cuba: Little Havana Food Exploration (ending at Miami International Airport MIA)

Explore the vibrant heart of the Little Havana neighbourhood, on an experience that fuses cuisine, culture and history. Sip rich Cuban coffee at a charming *ventanita* and watch expert cigar-rolling, then taste a fine Cuban sandwich, an authentic *mojito* and a juicy *picadillo empanada*. Indulge in a *pastelito de guayaba*, a freshly pressed *guarapo* juice, and a crispy *churro*.

Port: Miami

Price From: €240.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Gastronomic Experience, Arts & Culture, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Cultural and Architectural Miami Adventure

Embark on a cultural and architectural adventure in Miami, passing iconic sights like Miami Arena—now called Kaseya Center—and the vibrant Bayside Marketplace. Follow the Orange Bowl Parade route to Brickell Avenue's bustling financial district and the eclectic Coconut Grove, known for its dining and shopping opportunities. Stop at Miami City Hall at Dinner Key Marina for dazzling Biscayne Bay views. Meander through Coral Gables, admiring themed villages and architecture, such as the Biltmore Hotel, before returning to the ship.

Port: Miami

Price From: €130.00

Activity Level:  Effortless

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience, History & Heritage, Architecture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Cultural and Architectural Miami Adventure (ending at Miami International Airport MIA)

Embark on a journey to Miami's cultural wonders and architectural landmarks, such as the Miami Arena—now called Kaseya Center—and the vibrant Bayside Marketplace with its Biscayne Bay views. Trace the Orange Bowl Parade route to Brickell Avenue's financial hub and charming Coconut Grove, known for its diverse dining and shopping. There, pause at Miami City Hall, situated at Dinner Key Marina with breathtaking Biscayne Bay views. Explore Coral Gables' historic streets, with architectural gems like the Biltmore Hotel and Hotel Colonnade.

Port: Miami

Price From: €130.00

Activity Level:  Effortless

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience, History & Heritage, Architecture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Cove Snorkelling and Mayan Jungle 4X4 ATV Adventure

Take a ferry to reach a pristine cove nestled in turquoise waters, and encounter colourful reefs teeming with life. Snorkel amongst sparkling fish darting through thriving underwater gardens of corals, sea fans and sponges. Back on land, strap on a helmet and bounce along a network of jungle trails on a 4x4 ATV. Enjoy the abundance of lush flora and fascinating fauna as you work your way through the jungly forest.

Port: Cozumel **Price From:** €200.00

Activity Level: High-energy **Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Available In:** English

Features: Action, Meal Included, Wonderful Nature



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Cultural and Architectural Miami Adventure (ending at Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport FLL)

Take an unforgettable journey through Miami’s vibrant soul, passing the Miami Arena—now called Kaseya Center—to explore the lively Bayside Marketplace. Follow the Orange Bowl Parade route to the Brickell Avenue financial hub, then unwind in Coconut Grove, known for its eclectic dining and shopping. Visit Miami City Hall at Dinner Key Marina for enticing Biscayne Bay views before wandering the historic streets of Coral Gables and discovering the Biltmore Hotel and Hotel Colonnade.

Port: Miami **Price From:** €130.00

Activity Level: Effortless **Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Available In:** English

Features: Must-See Experience, History & Heritage, Architecture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

A Taste of Cuba: Little Havana Food Exploration

Discover the vibrant soul of Little Havana on an immersive gastronomic journey. Breathe in the rich aroma of Cuban coffee from a welcoming *ventanita*, then savour the legendary Cubano sandwich, freshly mixed *mojitos*, a succulent *picadillo empanada* and a sweet *pastelito de guayaba*. Refresh with fresh-pressed *guarapo* juice and tuck into a fluffy *churro*. Explore the art, history and colourful culture of Miami's Cuban community, and even watch a *torcedor* rolling world-renowned cigars.

Port: Miami

Price From: €240.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Gastronomic Experience, Arts & Culture, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Tulum Ruins and Playa del Carmen

Ride the ocean ferry to Playa del Carmen to take a scenic coastal drive to the Mayan ruins at Tulum, a 13th-century walled city above the sparkling Caribbean. Wander ancient streets with a guide and see homes, temples, and palaces, as well as meticulously restored buildings and frescos. Finally, gaze in awe at the mighty El Castillo, a Mayan temple considered to be quite important in the area. Return to Playa Del Carmen with time to spend strolling and browsing the lively La Quinta Avenida waterfront shopping street.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €185.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 8.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, Meal Included, Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Tulum Mayan Ruins and Swimming in an Underground Lake

Visit the breathtaking ruins of Tulum, perched on a limestone cliff overhanging the sparkling Caribbean. Discover vivid, centuries-old murals depicting Mayan life and culture. Follow the thick city walls to find the mighty El Castillo ruins, once a bustling centre of the turquoise and jade trade. Venture to Casa Tortuga, a sacred *cenote* sinkhole set in the dense jungle, and take a refreshing swim in its cool, crystalline waters.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €190.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 8.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, Meal Included, Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Exclusive Flight to Chichén Itzá

Visit Chichén Itzá with ease, avoiding crowds and midday heat, on an exclusive morning flight to the ancient city, once a thriving centre of the Mayan world. After a pilot's briefing, buckle in for a 45-minute hop over the Caribbean Sea and Yucatán Jungle to Chichén Itzá airport, just ten minutes from the iconic ruins. A bilingual guide will take you on an edifying journey through Chichén Itzá's remarkable history and structures, including the mighty Kukulcan pyramid—one of the New Seven Wonders of the World—the Observatory, Mayan ballcourt and the famous Temple of Warriors. A UNESCO World Heritage Site of soaring archaeological importance, Chichén Itzá offers an unmatched glimpse into the fascinating Mayan civilisation.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €1,205.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 7.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, History & Heritage, Arts & Culture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Visit the San Gervasio Mayan Ruins

Embark on a journey to the heart of the Cozumel jungle to encounter the famous Mayan site of San Gervasio. These ruins exude ancient mystique, which your guide will elucidate by explaining the rich history, symbolism and cultural significance of this historic site. Next, you'll head to The Mayan Cacao Company to discover the art of authentic Mayan chocolate, highly prized around the world. See the time-honoured cacao preparation methods, have a taste of the chocolate, and buy some to enjoy later.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €110.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Gastronomic Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

A Classic Cozumel Beach Barbecue

Experience Cozumel through all the senses as you sample classic Yucatán cuisine on an idyllic stretch of coastline. At Barracuda Beach Club, which overlooks calm, blue waters and a stretch of golden sand, discover local flavours during an immersive cooking class. Spice and grill freshly caught fish in a plantain leaf, *Tikin Xic* style, as refreshing margaritas and sparkling water flow. Once your appetite is sated, explore the shoreline, sink your toes into the sand, or paddle in the tranquil sea.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €105.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Beachside Experience, Gastronomic Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Voyage to Snorkel at El Cielo and Colombia Reef

Sail across the shimmering azure sea towards El Cielo, one of Mexico's most stunning dive sites. Travelling in a sleek catamaran from the Cozumel coast, you'll stop at Colombia Reef to snorkel amongst spectacular marine life, from starfish and stingrays to placid sea turtles. A powerboat will then take you on to beautiful El Cielo, where you'll once again snorkel, spotting sea stars scattered along the ocean floor. Before the day is out, savour some local delights, including ceviche, guacamole, and shrimp salad, before returning to Cozumel.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €270.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Wonderful Nature



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Mesmerising Mayan History at Chichén Itzá

Gaze at the incredible Chichén Itzá ruins, where the air carries tropical scents and the soothing music of birds and wildlife. Using a special tablet with virtual and augmented-reality features, explore Chichén Itzá as it was centuries ago, the centre of the proud and vibrant Mayan civilisation. Visit sites such as El Castillo, also known as the Temple of Kukulcán, a tribute to Mayan astronomy that towers over the site, and the immense Great Ball Court, preserved for centuries and famed for its staggering acoustics.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €230.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 9.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, Meal Included, Memorable Moment



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Sweet Key West: City Walk and Cookery Class

Experience the colour and bustle of island life on a guided walk around Key West. Stroll along old streets and soak up ocean views from the waterfront. Discover the fascinating history behind famous landmarks like the Little White House, the Mel Fisher Maritime Museum, and the Custom House. You'll visit the famous cocktail bar Sloppy Joe's, once patronised by Ernest Hemingway. Then, take part in a delicious interactive cookery class. Prepare and bake your own mini Key lime pie from local fruit and take it with you to savour the zesty taste of the tropics.

Port: Key West

Price From: €100.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 2.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Gastronomic Experience, History & Heritage, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Key West Cycling Adventure

Pedal your way around historic Key West on an exhilarating cycling exploration. You'll be kitted out with a beach cruiser bicycle and helmet before embarking on a leisurely ride through town. Weave your way along scenic streets and discover sights like the Little White House, the Ernest Hemingway Home and Museum, and Mile Marker 0 (zero). Soak up the buzz of local life and admire tropical foliage and characterful homes. At Truman Waterfront Park, near the island's southernmost point, pause to enjoy beautiful views of the Gulf of Mexico and eat a slice of delicious Key lime pie.

Port: Key West

Price From: €60.00

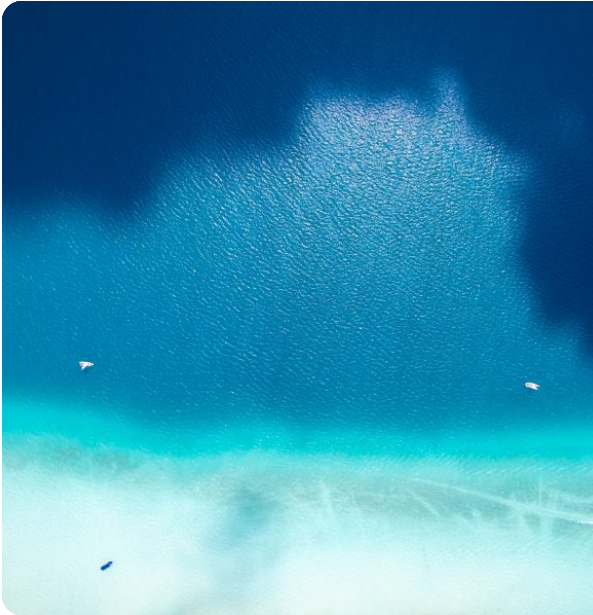
Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 2.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Action, History & Heritage, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

River Tubing at the Bacalar Lagoon of Seven Colors

Feel your worries melt away as you glide along the azure waters of Bacalar Lagoon on a buoyant, modified inner tube. Spot fish sparkling below the surface and lizards darting through the lush mangroves. You'll be gently pulled towards the lagoon's river, whose light current will carry you; as you float, listen to birdsong and lapping water. Back on land, bask in the sun and dine on richly spiced chicken fajitas, flavourful rice and decadent local chocolate.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €130.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 6.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Wonderful Nature, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Buggy Adventure to Mahahual

Jump aboard a customised buggy and explore some of Costa Maya's remotest towns, starting at the charming fishing village of Mahahual, with its glorious beaches and views of the Caribbean. This secluded settlement provides an excellent introduction to the local hospitality and delicious cuisine. Surrender to the mouthwatering tastes and smells of a Mexican beach restaurant, the best way to round off this sensorial adventure before returning to the ship.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €255.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, Beachside Experience, History & Heritage



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Ancestral Culture and Cuisine of Costa Maya

Immerse yourself in the cultural soul of Costa Maya, starting with a Nahuatl ceremony welcoming you to the land and connecting you to the freedom of your soul. Then, join a cooking class all about corn, an essential and versatile staple of Mexican cuisine. Collect fresh ingredients before creating your own *esquites* and tortilla-based treats to savour. Finally, take an invigorating swim in the *Cenote* natural swimming pool, whose waters are considered beneficial by local people.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €95.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Arts & Culture, Gastronomic Experience, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Glass-Bottom Boat and Reef Snorkelling at Mahahual

Take a glass-bottom boat ride over a Caribbean reef teeming with technicolour life. Perched beside the crystal-clear Caribbean, the colourful shacks of Mahahual village echo the rainbow of marine life living offshore. Once aboard the glass-bottom boat, you'll sail out to view shimmering fish and corals from above, before getting even closer on a guided snorkelling tour of the reef.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €70.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 2.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Action, Wonderful Nature



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Art and Culture in Barrio de Santa Ana

Immerse yourself in Mérida's vibrant art district, *el barrio de Santa Ana* (the neighbourhood of Santa Ana). On leafy Paseo de Montejo boulevard, see the Twin Houses and Beaux-Arts buildings that have hosted guests including Grace Kelly and Jackie Onassis. At the heart of the neighbourhood, visit Santa Ana church, explore galleries of international artworks, and gain insights into the artistic process at Nahualli Casa de los Artistas. After a pause for ice cream, the experience continues at El Pinar, a vast, pink Neo-Renaissance mansion. Enjoy a glass of wine and a guided visit of the treasures within.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €100.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 5.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Arts & Culture, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Discover Ancient Maya at Uxmal

Journey to the ancient Mayan city and UNESCO World Heritage Site of Uxmal, where lavish stone structures soar above the dense jungle. Stand in awe at the foot of the vast Magician's Pyramid and wander around the serene courtyard of the Nunnery Quadrangle, a millennia-old complex. Admire intricate carvings, including the lifelike turtles adorning the Casa de las Tortugas (meaning 'house of the turtles'). As you explore these extraordinary ruins, which date from between 200 and 900 AD, you'll experience the mystique and artistry of the Mayan civilisation.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €255.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 6.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Light Snacks And Refreshments, History & Heritage, Arts & Culture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

An Unforgettable Journey to Uxmal and Hacienda Xocnaceh

Step back in time and explore the ancient Mayan city of Uxmal, celebrated for its beguiling Puuc-style architecture and celestial alignments. Marvel at the Pyramid of the Soothsayer and the Palace of the Governor, key architectural oeuvres of the pre-Hispanic world. Later, enjoy an exclusive lunch at Hacienda Xocnaceh, a historic estate overlooking an important archaeological site. Savour regional specialities in the open air of the former hacienda church that bears colonial-era murals. In an exclusive cultural highlight, participate in an authentic Mayan purification ceremony within the natural beauty of Xocnaceh. This unique experience will allow you to connect with ancient Mayan rites and traditions.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €390.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 6.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Meal Included, Memorable Moment



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Exploring Mayan Ruins and River Tubing

Penetrate deep into the Yucatán jungle to explore the magnificent Mayan ruins at the Aké archaeological site. With fewer visitors than other Mayan temples, Aké is one of few where you can clamber to the top and appreciate the stunning views that the ancient people who built it would have seen. Next, discover an underground waterway system on a relaxing river tube ride, before taking a refreshing dip or snorkel in the crystal-clear water. Finally, sit down to a delicious lunch of corn tortilla, chicken and vegetables before returning to the ship.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €120.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 7.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, Wonderful Nature, History & Heritage



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Discover Hemingway's Key West

Honour the spirit of Ernest Hemingway as you discover the island that inspired him. The experience starts at the Hemingway Home and Museum, where the author lived with his wife, Pauline. Explore Hemingway's rooms, studio, and collection of rare artefacts as you immerse yourself in his life, work, and love of the Florida Key. Then, continue to a nearby rum distillery to take part in a guided exploration and tasting. Enjoy a reading of an excerpt from *The Old Man and the Sea*. You'll receive a copy of the novella to take home as a souvenir of an edifying day.

Port: Key West

Price From: €170.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Memorable Moment, History & Heritage, Architecture, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Discover the Mayan Ruins of Kohunlich

Marvel at the awesome Mayan structures known as the Kohunlich Ruins, a world-famous sight that exudes splendour. From the pier, embark on an exploration of the surrounding area, learning about the deep history of the region, before arriving at Kohunlich. Guided through the archaeological site, you'll discover the sunken palace, ancient acropolis and courtyard. You can clamber up the structure and soak up the panoramas around you. Before leaving, make sure to see the vast, ancient masks on the inside of the structure.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €140.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 7.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Refreshments Included, Architecture, History & Heritage



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Guacamole, Salsa, and Beach

Encounter some of Mexico's best-loved snacks and dance steps before soaking up golden sunshine on the beach. Your day begins with a lesson in authentic salsa and guacamole, before pairing this delicious dish with a refreshing drink of your choice. Then it's time to learn the dance steps to the other world-famous salsa—dancing—and sway your way through the afternoon. Finally, to cool off, head to the beach to swim and sunbathe before returning to the ship.

Port: Costa Maya

Price From: €105.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 3.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Refreshments Included, Beachside Experience, Gastronomic Experience, Arts & Culture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Sample the Delicious Street Food of Mérida

Explore the enchanting city of Mérida, where ancient charm and modern Mexico exist side-by-side. Follow your guide along lively Paseo de Montejo, where the air is rich with the mouthwatering scents of street food. At a local market, try some of the finest *empanadas*, *polcanes*, *panuchos* and *salbutes*, before the legendary Yucatán tacos with *cochinita pibil* and *lechón*. Later, head to Mérida's historic main square to admire its spectacular architecture.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €90.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 5.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, Gastronomic Experience, Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Day of the Dead in Dzemul

Explore the charming town of Dzemul during one of Mexico's most famous festivals, the *Día de los Muertos*, or Day of the Dead. Where else to start but at a cemetery, to encounter the celebrated customs of this day, before heading into town. Visit the enchanting plaza and church where you can partake in the day's celebrations. Your hosts will offer you an authentic Mexican bread traditionally baked for this holiday and show you how to prepare delicious hot chocolate. Have your face painted in a traditional design and decorate your own ornate *calaverita* skull to take away as a souvenir.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €95.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Refreshments Included, History & Heritage, Gastronomic Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Flamingo Watching and a Mangrove Boat Ride

Encounter the magnificent wildlife of the Yucatán Peninsula at the Ría Celestun Biosphere Reserve, where you'll get close to some of the region's most recognisable birds. Wander through this natural refuge as a guide enriches your knowledge of the diverse array of species, including cormorants, pelicans, and show-stopping flamingos. Later, board a boat and glide through the sultry mangrove forests on your way to a local beach where a delicious local meal will be waiting for you.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €120.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 6.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, Beachside Experience, Wonderful Nature



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Dolphin Watching and Mangrove Kayaking

Sail on a catamaran in the Gulf of Mexico to admire bottlenose dolphins frolicking in the ocean. Know that responsible practices are followed as you watch these intelligent creatures play and feed. Later, sail through Lakes Passage, a narrow channel bordered by dense mangroves, to a remote marine sanctuary. With an experienced guide, paddle a kayak through the clear shallows, spotting sea urchins and sponges. A delicious lunch and a cool drink await at a natural sandbar, where you can sink your toes into velvety sand as you bask in the surrounding beauty.

Port: Key West

Price From: €190.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Wonderful Nature, Must-See Experience, Memorable Moment, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Phone Photography and Cocktail Tasting

Capture Key West memories to treasure using just your phone's camera. Our experts will guide you in composition, posing, and lighting as you explore the sights of Key West. Join the lively bustle in waterfront Mallory Square and take pictures bathed in golden sunlight. Then, explore iconic sights, from the Little White House (the winter residence of Harry Truman, the 33rd president of the United States), to the famous Highway Route 1 Mile 0 sign and Tropic Cinema. It's a short stroll to a rum distillery where you'll sample a zingy martini made with local limes (Key limes).

Port: Key West

Price From: €125.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 3.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Mexican Wrestling Unmasked

Go behind the curtain and learn the backstage secrets of *lucha libre*, Mexico's flamboyant mix of wrestling and pantomime. After a welcome tequila, settle in and watch two sides of masked *rudos y técnicos* (bad and good) wrestlers throw, contort, and buffet each other around the ring. After the final bell, you'll have a chance to meet the wrestlers and snap a memento of this thrillingly entertaining experience.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €80.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 2.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Arts & Culture



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Journey into the Yucatán Jungle for a Subterranean Swim

Embark on an exciting journey into ancient Mayan folklore amid breathtaking cave formations. Begin your adventure by ferry and road, through the lush green Yucatán jungle with its towering ceiba trees, known in English-speaking countries as kapok trees. Follow rugged limestone paths to a concealed *cenote*—a water-filled sinkhole—then slip into the subterranean lake for a reinvigorating swim. End your day with a wander along Playa del Carmen's vibrant La Quinta Avenida for a spot of retail therapy.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €205.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 6.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Action, Wonderful Nature, Meal Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Honey, Chocolate and Tequila Tasting in Cozumel

Enjoy a sweet taste of Mexican culture and scenery during a discovery of Cozumel's natural treasures. First, meet docile, stingless *Melipona* bees at the Mayan Bee Sanctuary, and learn how their golden nectar, and the area's *cenotes* (freshwater sinkholes), were used by Mayans. Then, visit The Mayan Cacao Company, where rich cacao beans are transformed into decadent chocolate. Let it melt on your tongue as you learn about its history. You'll bring the day to a close at Barriecito, where tequila tasting will get the evening's fiesta underway.

Port: Cozumel

Price From: €85.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Arts & Culture, Wonderful Nature, Refreshments Included



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Everglades Airboat Adventure

Immerse yourself in the wild beauty of the Florida Everglades, the continental USA's largest wetlands. After a guided drive to Everglades National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, you'll board an airboat and head into this unique landscape as an expert skipper shares insights and stories about this prolific ecosystem. See fish, turtles, birds and the iconic American alligator thriving in their natural habitat. Returning to solid ground, explore exhibits featuring endangered species that call the 'River of Grass' home, and hunt for a souvenir.

Port: Miami

Price From: €160.00

Activity Level:  Moderate

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Wonderful Nature, Must-See Experience



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CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Five-Hour Key West Self Exploration in a Six-Guest Golf Cart

Journey around Key West in a smooth and simple golf cart, a lightweight vehicle that's fun to drive. After a short walk to reach the golf cart pickup point, begin your eco-friendly jaunt zipping between sights and down narrow streets in open-air comfort. With room for six people, share the experience with friends as you admire the sights of Key West. Cruise down Duval Street in the heart of the city, spotting local haunts such as Sloppy Joe's Bar and Hog's Breath Saloon, and enjoy an ocean breeze at Mallory Square on the waterfront.

Port: Key West

Price From: €230.00

Activity Level:  Effortless

Experiences: Tailored Experiences

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Five-Hour Key West Self Exploration in a Four-Guest Golf Cart

Journey around Key West in a smooth and simple golf cart, a lightweight vehicle that's fun to drive. After a short walk to reach the golf cart pickup point, begin your eco-friendly jaunt zipping between sights and down narrow streets in open-air comfort. With room for four people, share the experience with friends as you admire the sights of Key West. Cruise down Duval Street in the heart of the city, spotting local haunts such as Sloppy Joe's Bar and Hog's Breath Saloon, and enjoy an ocean breeze at Mallory Square on the waterfront.

Port: Key West

Price From: €195.00

Activity Level:  Effortless

Experiences: Tailored Experiences

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience



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CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Three-Hour Key West Self Exploration in a Six-Guest Golf Cart

Journey around Key West in a smooth and simple golf cart, a lightweight vehicle that's fun to drive. After a short walk to reach the golf cart pickup point, begin your eco-friendly jaunt zipping between sights and down narrow streets in open-air comfort. With room for six people, share the experience with friends as you admire the sights of Key West. Cruise down Duval Street in the heart of the city, spotting local haunts such as Sloppy Joe's Bar and Hog's Breath Saloon, and enjoy an ocean breeze at Mallory Square on the waterfront.

Port: Key West

Price From: €200.00

Activity Level:  Effortless

Experiences: Tailored Experiences

Duration: 3.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience



CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Into the Heart of Mayan Civilisation at Chichén Itzá

Journey through history to the ancient city of Chichén Itzá, a standing testament to the greatness of the Mayan-Toltec civilisation. Traverse the Yucatán Peninsula, where the air is thick with historical intrigue, and gaze in awe at the Temple of Kukulcan, a 25-metre (82-ft) pyramid that exudes ancient mystique. Marvel at the stone columns of the Warriors' Temple, each a silent sentinel of this lost civilisation. Later, reflect on an edifying day of adventure over a sumptuous Mexican buffet.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €235.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 8.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, Arts & Culture, History & Heritage



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Chichén Itzá, El Castillo, Swim in a Cenote and an Authentic Mayan Dinner

Encounter ancient and modern Mayan civilisation at the Chichén Itzá archaeological site, and gaze upon the El Castillo pyramid, whose ruins echo with ancient sacrality. In a verdant clearing, you'll find Tsukán, a water-filled *cenote*, or sinkhole, concealed in the ruins of a grand old estate. Cool off in the clear water, then sit in the shade of ancient trees filled with chirruping birds. Later, enjoy a delicious, three-course meal cooked on-site according to Mayan recipes.

Port: Progreso (Merida)

Price From: €270.00

Activity Level:  High-energy

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 8.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Meal Included, History & Heritage, Wonderful Nature

CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Coastal Segway Adventure and Beach Relaxation

Glide with ease along the sun-kissed coast of Costa Maya on a smooth, fun and eco-friendly Segway. After a brief orientation, you'll head out and cruise effortlessly along the shoreside, absorbing the vibrant local culture and revivifying sea air. Pause for refreshments and admire breathtaking sea views, as golden sands contrast the azure ocean. The adventure concludes with a relaxing beach break, where you can unwind with a cool drink, take a refreshing swim, or simply bask in the sun.

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Independent Explorations: Private Vehicle with Guide - Half Day

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Hop On Hop Off - Freedom to Roam Vibrant Miami

In a city as diverse as Miami, it's a challenge to decide what to see first, but a hop-on-hop-off bus ticket and freedom to roam makes your route a breezy adventure. Explore Miami's palm-lined streets from aboard an open-top bus with an audio guide, calling at the famous South Beach, its iconic sand and lifeguard chairs a dazzling strip between upscale Art Deco streets and turquoise ocean. Then, perhaps visit the welcoming, vibrant streets of Little Havana, where you can refresh with a potent *cafecito*. Why not end the day at another of Miami's diverse cultural centres, Wynwood, home to a terrific variety of galleries, murals and acclaimed eateries.