

It's a city's unique characteristics that give it its personality. Venice is known for its canals. The Florence Duomo and Pisa's Leaning Tower show that architectural icons come in many shapes and sizes. Monaco is all about glitz, with its palace and casino, while Paris reveals itself in many ways, from the Tuileries gardens to the cafés on the Champs-Élysées.

EVERYTHING YOU GET:













All of the details are covered: Round-trip flights on major carriers; Comfortable motorcoach; TGV high-speed train; Eurostar high-speed train with extension; 8 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (10 with extension); European breakfast and dinner daily





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As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your *Tour Director* in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our online learning platform, *weShare*, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. *Expert local guides* will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views of history, art, architecture or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

@EFtours I attribute my college semester abroad to the love for travel I discovered on an EF Tour in high school **#traveltuesday**

– MELISSA, TRAVELER





CHECK OUT WHAT A TOUR IS ALL ABOUT











What you'll experience on your tour

Day 1: Fly overnight to Italy

Day 2: Milan | Venice

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport
- Travel to Venice, the Floating City crisscrossed with romantic bridges, laced with history and boasting some of the world's finest art and architecture. During your stay you will see gondolas glide down the Grand Canal before stopping in St. Mark's Square. Look for the golden weathervane, which resembles archangel Gabriel, atop the 323-foot Campanile (Bell Tower). At the pink-and-white Doge's Palace, see where mighty Venetian dukes once ruled. Stroll over the Bridge of Sighs, which links the palace to a prison. As they crossed the bridge, prisoners supposedly sighed with perfect sadness as they regarded their beautiful city for the last time.

Day 3: Venice

- Take an expertly guided tour of Venice:
 St. Mark's Square
- Visit the Doge's Palace: Museo Corner; the National Archaeological Museum
- See a glass-blowing demonstration

Day 4: Florence

- Travel to Florence, the birthplace of the Italian language, opera and the Renaissance, and where works of art like Michelangelo's statue of David and Botticelli's The Birth of Venus still reside today. As you stroll through the city, pass by classical statues at the Piazza della Signoria. See the domed cap of the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, better known as the Duomo, which dominates the skyline. Opposite the Duomo, look for the bronzed doors of Ghiberti's Gates of Paradise at the Baptistry. Walk across the Ponte Vecchio, a Medieval bridge where many of Florence's famed leather and gold artisans keep shop. Then, visit a leather workshop, the perfect place to find Florentine souvenirs.
- Take an expertly guided tour of Florence
- Visit the Duomo

Day 5: Florence

Full day to see more of Florence or
 Visit Siena and San Gimignano

Day 6: Pisa | French Riviera

- Travel to Pisa
- Visit the Pisa Baptistery
- Visit the Pisa Cathedral
- See the Leaning Tower of Pisa
- Continue on to the French Riviera

Day 7: French Riviera

- Visit the principality of Monaco: Prince's Palace; Monaco Cathedral
- Tour a French perfume factory in Eze
- Take a walking tour of Nice: Vieille Ville;
 Promenade des Anglais

Day 8: Paris

- Travel by TGV train to Paris, the City of Light. During your stay you'll get a taste of Parisian style as you ride down the Champs-Élysées, an elegant boulevard packed with high-fashion boutiques. Pass the Place de la Concorde and the Arc de Triomphe and strike a pose in front of the Eiffel Tower. At the École Militaire, see where a promising young Napoleon launched his rise to power. I.M. Pei's iconic glass pyramid marks the entrance to the renowned Louvre, home to treasures like Leonardo da Vinci's Mona Lisa. Then, admire the Notre Dame Cathedral's sculptured façade, stained-glass rose windows and seemingly weightless vaulted ceilings.
- Take a walking tour of Paris: Latin Quarter
- Visit Notre Dame Cathedral

Day 9: Paris

- Take an expertly guided tour of Paris: Place de la Concorde; Champs-Élysées; Arc de Triomphe; Les Invalides; Eiffel Tower
- Time to see more of Paris or
 Visit Versailles

Day 10: Depart for home

9 2-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

Day 10: Paris | London

- Travel by Eurostar train to London
- Take a walking tour of London: The Strand; Trafalgar Square; Leicester Square; Covent Garden

Day 11: London

 Take an expertly guided tour of London: Big Ben and Parliament; Piccadilly Circus; St. Paul's Cathedral; Westminster Abbey

Day 12: Depart for home



Take me back #italy #pisa #leaningtowerofpisa #touristmoment #europe #vacation #eftours #gotcha #takemeback #partthree

- MICHELLE, TRAVELER



Via Instagram

I had an amazing time in Italy and France. The tour director was so nice and informational. The whole tour was planned to include and understand the trip. I made so many new friends and customs. I will never forget my once in a lifetime trip to Europe! It was my first trip out of the country, but it won't be my last.

– DAVID, TRAVELER



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-CHARLOTTE, DAUGHTER TRAVELED JUNE 2014



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