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# **JOURNEY DOWN UNDER**

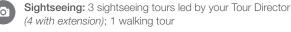
12 or 15 days | New Zealand | Australia | Extension to Hawaii

From afar, New Zealand and Australia may seem similar. An up-close look reveals distinct cultures and personalities. Both descend from the same British colonial family tree, so you may struggle to tell the accents apart in the streets of Auckland and Sydney. But as you dig deeper in the Māori culture in Rotorua and Aboriginal roots along the Great Barrier Reef in Cairns, each country's individual identity becomes clear.

#### **EVERYTHING YOU GET:**



Full-time Tour Director



**Entrances:** Rotorua geothermal area; Māori village; Skyline gondola; "Introduction to Jade in New Zealand" experience; Rotorua duck tour; Agrodome; Great Barrier Reef; Sydney Tower; "Introduction to Opal in Australia" experience; harbor cruise; Hyde Park Barracks Museum; *with extension: lei greeting; USS Arizona Memorial; Waimea Valley* 



**Personalized learning guide:** Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.



All of the details are covered: Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; internal flights; ferry; 9 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (11 with extension); breakfast daily; 9 dinners (12 with extension)



#### Anyone can see the world.

## YOU'RE GOING TO EXPERIENCE IT.

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 personalized learning experience, 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 on 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

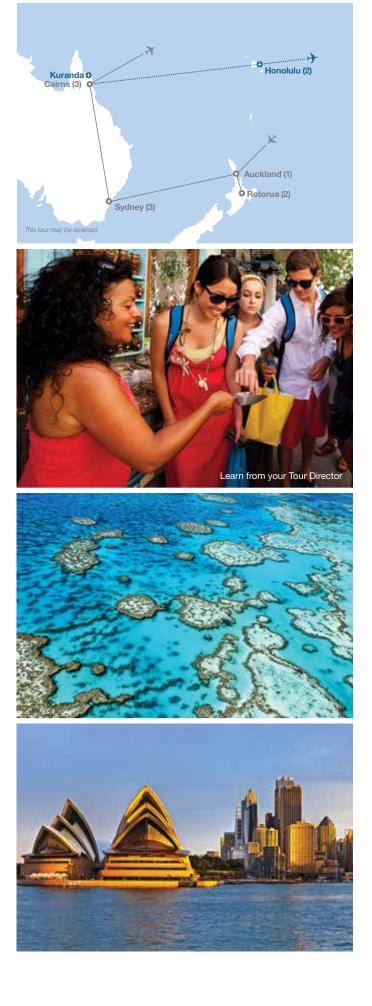




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#### Days 1-2: Fly to New Zealand

- Cross the International Date Line.

#### Day 3: Auckland | Rotorua

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in Auckland.
- Travel to Rotorua, where geothermal activity and Māori culture have made the city a major travel destination.
- Visit the Agrodome for a sheep-shearing demonstration.

#### Day 4: Rotorua

- During your Rotorua duck tour, hop on board an amphibious duck boat and explore Rotorua's historic landmarks and natural wonders.
- Visit Rotorua geothermal area, where you can marvel at bubbling pools of mud, crystal springs of hot mineral water, geysers, and richly colored craters.
- Visit a Māori village to learn about local legends and tribal customs.
- Enjoy Māori song and dance during a traditional *hāngi* dinner.

#### Day 5: Rotorua | Auckland

- Ride the Skyline gondola.
  Participate in an "Introduction to Jade in New Zealand" experience.
- Travel to Auckland.
- Take a tour of Auckland.

#### Day 6: Auckland | Sydney

 Fly to Sydney, a stunning, cosmopolitan city of 4.6 million people that boasts world-class beaches, iconic architecture, and breathtaking natural wonders.

#### Day 7: Sydney

- Arrive in Sydney.
- Visit Sydney Tower to enjoy a bird's-eye view of the city from the observation deck. At 1,063 feet, it's the second-tallest building south of the equator.
- Enjoy an "Introduction to Opal in Australia" experience.
- Take a tour of Sydney.
- Take a boat tour of Sydney Harbour to see the skyline from a different angle and snap a picture of the world-famous Sydney Opera House.
- Explore the Hyde Park Barracks Museum, a UNESCO Heritage Site, on a unique tour that brings students face-to-face with Australia's convict heritage.
- Take a walking tour of The Rocks, a historic neighborhood. Situated in the shadow of the Sydney Harbour Bridge, this well-preserved colonial neighborhood marks the spot where Australia's first fleet of European settlers landed in 1788.

#### Day 8: Sydney

 Full day free to see more of Sydney or
 visit the Taronga Zoo and the Sydney Opera House.

#### Day 9: Cairns

Fly to Cairns.

#### Day 10: Cairns

- Visit Australia's magnificent Great Barrier Reef, one of the natural wonders of the world. Stretching 1,240 miles along the Queensland coast, the reef is nature's largest living organism. It is home to 400 kinds of coral, 1,500 species of fish, and 4,000 types of mollusk. Cruise from Cairns via speedy, airconditioned catamaran to the Outer Barrier Reef and be amazed by the dazzling blue of the ocean around you. After arriving at the pontoon, you can opt to swim, snorkel, or take a glass-bottomed boat ride to view the incredible scenery of this watery world: the electric colors of tropical fish, swaying plants, and exquisite corals.
- See more of the Great Barrier Reef or
  go snorkeling with a marine biologist.

#### Day 11: Cairns

- Full day free to see more of Cairns or
- take an excursion to Kuranda: Skyrail train and Tjapukai Aboriginial Cultural Center.

Day 12: Depart for home

#### **©** 3-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

#### Day 12: Honolulu

- Fly to Honolulu.
- Re-cross the International Date Line.
- Participate in a lei greeting.
- See the Dole Plantation.
- Visit the Waimea Valley.

#### Day 13: Honolulu

- Enjoy a free day to relax on the beach.
- Have dinner at your own pace or
  attend a luau.

#### Day 14: Honolulu

- Tour Honolulu with an expert local guide.
- Visit the USS Arizona Memorial.
- Depart for your overnight flight home.

#### Day 15: Arrive home



### *My first stamp in my passport* :) *#eftours*

– ILIANA, TRAVELER

Via Instagram



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- AUDREY, TRAVELER



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-CHARLOTTE, PARENT OF TRAVELER



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