

Best of Portugal

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Experience Portugal

Embark on a captivating journey through the Best of Portugal. Begin your adventure in Lisbon, where you'll spend four nights immersed in the city's vibrant atmosphere, exploring historic neighborhoods, scenic viewpoints, and rich cultural heritage through carefully curated excursions. From charming streets to iconic landmarks, Lisbon offers the perfect introduction to Portugal's soul.

Continue to Porto, a picturesque riverside city known for its colorful architecture and timeless charm. Stroll along the Douro River, uncover historic treasures, and experience the unique character of northern Portugal. This tour offers the perfect blend of cultural discovery, guided exploration, and unforgettable moments.

Itinerary overview

Day 1
Departure Flight

Board your international flight from the USA to Portugal, where your tour begins.

Day 2
Lisbon & Alfama

Arrive in Lisbon and explore Alfama before enjoying a Portuguese Welcome Dinner and settling into your centrally located hotel.

Day 3
Lisbon Sightseeing

Explore Lisbon's landmarks and art scene before enjoying dinner with a live Fado show and returning to your hotel for a restful night.

Day 4
Sintra Palaces & Cabo da Roca

Visit Sintra's Pena Palace and park, and visit Cabo da Roca for spectacular ocean views, then return to Lisbon for an evening at leisure and dinner.

Day 5
A Day at Cascais

Enjoy a Tour manager led day trip to Cascais, seaside town. Free time and dinner back in Lisbon.

Day 6
Porto Sightseeing

Explore Porto's maritime past and baroque beauty on a guided tour, then enjoy a traditional Portuguese dinner in this majestic city.

Day 7
Douro Cruise

Cruise the Douro River and explore Porto's charming streets before enjoying dinner in the Old Town and a peaceful night in this riverside city.

Day 8
Braga & Guimarães

Today we visit the historic cities of Braga and Guimarães with an entrance at the Guimarães Castle. Dinner in Lisbon at night.

Day 9
Return Flights

Transfer to the airport, reflecting on unforgettable memories of your tour as you travel back to the USA.

Tour Inclusions

- Round Trip Flights from USA to destination with return.
- Tour Manager from arrival to departure day
- Private high-quality motor coach for transfers and excursions
- Speed train from Lisbon to Porto
- Transportation for all scheduled activities
- Daily dinners, quality three-course meals
- Central hotels with a full, warm breakfast (4-star quality)
- Local Expert Guides for guided sightseeing in Lisbon and Porto
- Smartphone app for all travelers and private tour web page
- Entrances/Excursion included to:
 - Fado Dinner - Lisbon
 - St. George Castle
 - Sintra Park and National Palace of Pena
 - Cabo da Roca visit and Sintra-Cascais Nature Park
 - Day trip to Cascais
 - Braga and Guimarães Castle entrance
 - Duoro River Cruise - Porto

Other:

- 9 Days
- Minimum 29 travelers

Prepare for tour: <https://rb.gy/8twszo>

Money on tour: <https://rb.gy/8twszo>

Rates & Enrollment

Starting rates, depending on season and departure hub

All rates are per person

STUDENT ROOM RATE: \$ 3,987

3 PERSONS SHARING ONE ROOM (SEPARATE BEDS)

DOUBLE / TWIN ROOM RATE: \$ 4,158

2 PERSONS SHARING ONE ROOM (SEPARATE BEDS OR KING SIZE CHOICE AT ENROLLMENT)

SINGLE ROOM RATE: \$ 4,795

1 PERSON IN PRIVATE ROOM

Above rates may have a supplement added depending on your departure airport hub and travel season. Adults cannot enroll in a student room. Students can upgrade to twin room. A family of 3 can request a triple room at a discount. Supplements and optional extras can be added to a standard tour.

Enrollment:

Tour Page: [www.lingo-tours.com/\[TOUR CODE\]](http://www.lingo-tours.com/[TOUR CODE])

T&C: www.lingo-tours.com/termsandconditions/

- \$150 REGISTRATION PAYMENT – Due upon enrollment.
- \$500 PAYMENT – Due within 30 days of your registration online.
- ENROLLMENT DEADLINE – Ten (10) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 20% PAID BY – Eight (8) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 30% PAID BY – Seven (7) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 40% PAID BY – Six (6) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 50% PAID BY – Five (5) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 75% PAID BY – Four (4) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE 85% PAID BY – Three (3) months prior to your tour departure date.
- TOUR MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY – Two (2) months prior to your tour departure date.

Day 1

Departure Flight



Board your international flight from the USA to Portugal, where your tour begins.

Departure Flight

Our adventure begins as you board your international flight from the USA to your first destination on tour. Get ready to explore the world and its dynamic sights, where history, culture, and modern charm come together seamlessly. Iconic landmarks, bustling streets, and rich heritage await, promising unforgettable experiences. Sit back, relax, and prepare for the journey ahead!



Inflight Meals



Overnight Flight

Day 2

Lisbon & Alfama



Arrive in Lisbon and explore Alfama before enjoying a Portuguese Welcome Dinner and settling into your centrally located hotel.

Lisbon & Alfama

Arrive in Lisbon and meet your Tour Manager at the airport before heading to your centrally located hotel. After checking in and settling down, begin your journey with a guided stroll through the Alfama district with a visit to St. George Castle. With its narrow cobbled streets and authentic charm, Alfama offers a glimpse into Lisbon's oldest and most historic neighborhood, setting the tone for your adventure ahead. This relaxed walk is also a great way to stretch your legs and ease into the local rhythm after a day of travel.

As evening arrives, gather with your group for a delicious Welcome Dinner. Enjoy a taste of traditional Portuguese cuisine and get to know your fellow travelers over shared stories and local dishes. After dinner, return to your hotel for a well-earned night of rest. With your first day complete, the spirit of Lisbon will already have begun to leave its mark on your journey.



Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Lisbon

Day 3

Lisbon Sightseeing



Explore Lisbon's landmarks and art scene before enjoying dinner with a live Fado show and returning to your hotel for a restful night.

Lisbon Sightseeing

Begin your day with a guided tour through Lisbon, where your expert guide will lead you across the city's most iconic landmarks, such as the Belem Tower, Jerónimos Monastery, the Museum of Art, Architecture and Technology and Discoveries Monument. As you walk through centuries of history and culture, you'll gain deeper insight into what makes Lisbon such a captivating capital. From architectural highlights to charming streets, this tour offers a well-rounded introduction to the city's unique identity.

In the evening, sit down to a special dinner accompanied by a live Fado performance. This soulful music, deeply rooted in Portuguese tradition, brings emotion and cultural depth to your meal. After a full day of discovery, return to your hotel to relax and prepare for the journey ahead.



Breakfast & Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Lisbon

Day 4

Sintra Palaces & Cabo da Roca



Visit Sintra's Pena Palace and park, and visit Cabo da Roca for spectacular ocean views, then return to Lisbon for an evening at leisure and dinner.

Sintra Palaces & Cabo da Roca

Travel from Lisbon into the lush hills of Sintra, a UNESCO World Heritage-listed town renowned for its fairy-tale palaces and romantic landscapes. Begin with a guided visit to Pena Palace, perched high above the valley with its vibrant colors, sweeping terraces, and eclectic architecture. Stroll through the surrounding park, where winding paths, exotic trees, and hidden viewpoints create a truly magical atmosphere.

Continue your journey through the rolling hills and forests of the Sintra-Cascais Natural Park to Cabo da Roca, the westernmost point of continental Europe. Take in breathtaking views of the Atlantic Ocean as the dramatic cliffs meet the waves below. In the afternoon, travel back to Lisbon, where the day concludes with a delightful dinner together.



**Breakfast & Dinner in
Lisbon**



**4 Star Hotel in
Lisbon**

Day 5

A Day at Cascais



Enjoy a Tour manager led day trip to Cascais, seaside town. Free time and dinner back in Lisbon.

A Day at Cascais

Get out and about today on a Tour Manager–led excursion to Cascais, a charming coastal resort town just west of Lisbon. Once a humble fishing village, Cascais has evolved into one of Portugal’s most elegant seaside destinations, known for its golden sandy beaches, lively marina, and relaxed yet sophisticated atmosphere. Stroll along the scenic waterfront, browse boutique shops, or unwind at a café while soaking in views of the Atlantic Ocean.

You’ll have free time to explore at your own pace, whether that means discovering hidden corners of the historic center, enjoying fresh seafood, or simply relaxing by the sea. Later, return to Lisbon, where you’ll have additional time to continue exploring the city independently or alongside your Tour Manager. In the evening, come together to enjoy a delicious dinner and reflect on the day’s experiences.



Breakfast & Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Lisbon

Day 6

Porto Sightseeing



Explore Porto's maritime past and baroque beauty on a guided tour, then enjoy a traditional Portuguese dinner in this majestic city.

Porto Sightseeing

Journey north to Porto by speed-train, a city known for its maritime roots, distinctive architecture, and vibrant culture. Upon arrival, embark on a guided tour that takes you through Porto's historic quarters and along its iconic riverside district. With your expert guide leading the way, uncover stories of the city's baroque landmarks, bustling port, and longstanding traditions that have shaped its unique identity.

As you explore, Porto's charm reveals itself through colorful façades, historic churches, and lively squares. The tour offers a well-rounded glimpse into a city that balances old-world beauty with modern spirit. In the evening, sit down to a traditional Portuguese dinner, where regional dishes offer a flavorful introduction to the north's culinary heritage. After a day of cultural discovery and delicious food, retreat to your hotel for a restful night, surrounded by the cozy and captivating atmosphere of Porto.



Breakfast & Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Porto

Day 7

Douro Cruise



Cruise the Douro River and explore Porto's charming streets before enjoying dinner in the Old Town and a peaceful night in this riverside city.

Douro Cruise

Begin your day with a serene cruise along the Douro River, offering sweeping views of Porto's historic waterfront and its famous bridges. As you glide past colorful buildings and architectural landmarks, take in the peaceful beauty that defines this iconic part of the city. It's the perfect way to start the day at a relaxed pace while appreciating Porto from a unique vantage point.

After the cruise, join your Tour Manager for a walking tour through the heart of the city. Wander cobbled streets framed by traditional merchants' houses and soak up the lively atmosphere along the riverbank. This stroll brings you closer to Porto's everyday charm and hidden corners. In the evening, enjoy a delicious dinner in the historic Old Town, surrounded by the city's timeless character. End the day with a restful night in Porto, still wrapped in the magic of its riverside views and vibrant culture.



Breakfast & Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Porto

Day 8

Braga & Guimarães



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Braga & Guimarães

Set out on a day excursion from Porto to the historic cities of Braga and Guimarães, accompanied by your Tour Manager. Begin in Braga, one of Portugal's oldest cities, often called the "Portuguese Rome" for its rich religious heritage and impressive collection of churches. Stroll through its charming streets, admire the ornate façades of the Cathedral of Braga, and learn about the city's history as a center of faith and culture dating back to Roman times.

Continue to Guimarães, widely regarded as the birthplace of Portugal, where you'll visit the Guimarães Castle with entrance included. Explore the medieval fortress, walk through its stone battlements, and imagine the events that shaped the nation's early history. The city's charming squares and historic architecture provide the perfect backdrop for a leisurely stroll.

After a day steeped in history and culture, return to Lisbon in the evening, where a delicious farewell dinner awaits, giving you time to reflect on the tour's discoveries and enjoy the lively Portuguese capital at night.



Breakfast & Dinner



4 Star Hotel in Porto

Day 9

Return Flights



Transfer to the airport, reflecting on unforgettable memories of your tour as you travel back to the USA.

Return Flights

On your final day, you'll transfer to the airport for your return flight to the USA, reflecting on the incredible journey you've just experienced. You'll carry with you memories of stunning landmarks and unforgettable moments. This adventure through fascinating destinations will stay with you long after your flight home. Safe travels, and we look forward to welcoming you again on another unforgettable journey. Thank you for traveling with Lingo Tours.



Inflight Meals



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