



# 19 Days Greek Isles & Miracles of Turkey– 2026

**Suggested Travel Date: Sep 09<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

## **Suggested Flight:**

- Sep 09 TS694 YYZATH 19:45 12:20 +1
- Sep 27 TS215 ISTYYZ 16:40 21:00

## **Day 1 sep 09: Canada - Athens**

Fly overnight from Toronto to Athen, Greece.

## **Day 2 sep 10: Athens**

**(D)**

Meet in the arrival's hall at **Athens** airport and transfer to the city centre. Free time for shopping in **Plaka area** and **Syntagma square**.

Dinner at a local restaurant. Transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Athens hotel.

## **Day 3 sep 11: Athens**

**(B, L)**

Breakfast in the hotel. With an official English-Speaking Guide proceed on your Full Day City Tour. Pass by Syntagma Square, the House of Parliament, the Memorial to the Unknown Soldier, the Athens Academy, the University, the National Library, Hadrian's Arch, the Temple of Olympian Zeus and the Panathenaic Stadium where the first Olympic Games of the modern era were held in 1896. On the **Acropolis** visit the architectural masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens: the Propylaea, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and finally "the harmony between material and spirit", the Parthenon. Continue and visit the place where at last the statues found their home and admire the wonders of the classical era, the **museum of Acropolis**. Lunch at a local restaurant (starters, salad, main course, dessert). At the end of the tour transfer back and overnight in Athens Hotel.

## **Day 4 sep 12: Athens – Santorini (By Speed Ferry: 5-6 hours)**

**(B)**

Breakfast in the hotel. Transfer to Athens port and take the High-Speed ferry to the island of **Santorini**. Meet your guide at Santorini port and transfer to the hotel. Proceed on your Half Day Oia Tour. Visit the traditional settlement of Oia which is located on the northern tip of the island, high on the cliff top. Oia hosts the most magnificent views on Santorini and a picturesque road with cliffs on one side and sea on the other leads to this attractive town. Walk around and discover the typical Santorinian architecture. Transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Santorini Hotel.

## **Day 5 sep 13: Santorini**

**(B)**

Free day of leisure.



### Day 6 sep 14: Santorini - Athens(By Speed Ferry: 5-6 hours)

(B,D)

Breakfast in the hotel. Transfer to Santorini port and take the High-speed ferry to **Athens**. Meet your guide at Athens port and proceed on your Athens by Night tour. Dinner with folk music and dancers (Greek buffet). Transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Athens Hotel.

### Day 7 sep 15:Athen – Istanbul (By Flight)

(B,D)

After breakfast, transfer to airport and fly to Istanbul.

Upon the arrival at Istanbul airport, you will meet your local tour guide. Then you will be transferred to the hotel and finish check-in. The rest of day will be at your own leisure. Dinner at hotel.

Overnight in Istanbul.

### Day 8 sep 16:Istanbul

(B)

Spend your day delving into Istanbul, the only city that straddles two continents, where modern and ancient coexist. Your tour includes a short briefing, and the picture stop at the courtyard of the **Blue Mosque**, a 17th century Ottoman Mosque famous for its six minarets and magnificent interior made of blue tiles. Continue to the **Hippodrome**, an ancient Grecian stadium for horse racing and chariot racing during the Roman period. Then, gain insights into the Ottoman Empire's power during your guided tour of the **Topkapi Palace** and see the 4th century Egyptian obelisk.

#### [Half Day Istanbul with St. Sophia & Underground Cistern.](#)

This tour's highlights include the Underground Cistern - water source of the Byzantine and Ottoman periods. Then visit St. Sophia, the great Byzantine Basilica built in the 6th century, which remained the largest cathedral in the world for almost a thousand years, it was later converted to a mosque.

### Day 9 sep 17:Istanbul – Troy – Canakkale

(B, D)

This morning, proceed to the legendary **Archaeological Site of Troy**. Step back in time among its ancient ruins and relive the epic saga of the Trojan War, immortalized in Homer's Iliad. Afterward, continue to Çanakkale, a historic city straddling both sides of the Dardanelles Strait. Here, explore fascinating museums and landmarks that reflect its strategic importance through the centuries. Conclude the day with a transfer to your hotel, followed by dinner and an overnight stay in Çanakkale. Overnight in Canakkale.

### Day 10 sep 18:Canakkale – Pergamum –Kusadasi

(B, D)

This morning, drive to Pergamum, a powerful kingdom during the ancient Hellenistic period. You will discover the **Ancient City of Pergamon**, an important cultural centre and the east capital of the Roman Empire. Then visit **Asklepion**, the ancient Roman spa center. In the afternoon, travel to Kusadasi, set on the stunning Aegean coast, is renowned for its vast archaeological treasures. Conclude the day with dinner and an overnight stay at your hotel.



### Day 11 sep 19:Kusadasi

(B, D)

This morning, drive to Kusadasi. Visit **House of Virgin Mary**, the belief that the Virgin Mary had spent her last days in the vicinity of Ephesus and that she had died there, focused attention on a nun named Anna Katherina Emmerich who had lived in late 18th century (1774/1820). The efforts to find the house were greatly influenced by her detailed description of the Virgin Mary's coming to Ephesus, her life and her last home there and the characteristics of the city although she had never been to Ephesus. Visit **The Basilica of St. John**, it was constructed by Justinian in the 6th century. It stands over the believed burial site of John the Apostle. It was modeled after the now lost Church of the Holy Apostles in Constantinople. Transfer back to hotel and the rest of the day will be at your own leisure.

### Day 12 sep 20: Kusadasi - Pamukkale

(B, D)

Breakfast at the hotel. Begin the day with a journey into the region's rich spiritual and cultural heritage. Visit **Ancient City of Ephesus**, once the capital of Asia Minor and among the best-preserved Greco-Roman cities. Walk through its storied streets and admire iconic landmarks such as the Temple of Hadrian, the **Temple of Trajan**, the impressive Theatre, and the grand **Library of Celsus**. Next, stop by a traditional artisan **leather workshop** to witness the craftsmanship and skill of local makers. Then transfer to Pamukkale, where history and nature come together in spectacular fashion. You may relax and enjoy the blissful thermal pools at your hotel before dinner.

Overnight in Pamukkale.

### Day 13 sep 21:Pamukkale – Konya

(B, D)

Breakfast at the hotel. Begin with a guided visit to the **Ancient City of Hierapolis**, a Hellenistic settlement renowned for its remarkable ruins and sacred hot springs.

Continue to the breathtaking **Cotton Castle**, a dazzling natural wonder of cascading white terraces, mineral-rich pools, and striking stalactites—an otherworldly landscape shaped over centuries by flowing thermal waters. It's an ideal spot to capture unforgettable photos. Before heading to your hotel, enjoy a stop at a local **textile workshop** to see traditional craftsmanship. Conclude the day with dinner.

Overnight stay in Konya.

### Day 14 sep 22:Konya – Cappadocia

(B, D)

After breakfast continue to Cappadocia. A region of surreal rock formations and incredible cultural heritage, Cappadocia is home to rock cut temples, ancient underground cities, and unparalleled landscapes. Visit "**Fairy Chimney**"- its iconic volcanic cones. The thick clusters of rosy rock take on peculiar shapes-look for a dolphin, Napoleon's hat, or the Virgin Mary as you gaze upon them. Your guide explains how the formations were naturally carved. You may also see the remarkable mushroom-shaped, chimney like rock formations that monks used as shelters, and get the chance to climb inside one to visit the quarters within. Visit a ceramic workshop and a stone atelier to witness timeless artistry.



[Optional Jeep Safari and Sunset in Cappadocia \(US\\$100p.p. Min 4 pax\)](#)- Tour through the deep valleys of Cappadocia in a 4X4 jeep, taking an exciting off-road ride that will get your blood pumping.

[Turkish Night in Cappadocia](#)- **Experience** a lively evening of traditional entertainment, featuring folk dances from across Turkey and the iconic **belly dance** performance. Immerse yourself in the vibrant atmosphere, enjoy the colorful costumes and music, and celebrate the region's rich cultural heritage. The show includes **unlimited alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages** throughout the night. Overnight in Cappadocia.

### Day 15 sep23:Cappadocia

(B)

Breakfast at the hotel. By mid-morning, set out to explore the dramatic landscapes of Cappadocia, sculpted over three million years by volcanic eruptions. Visit the Göreme Open-Air Museum, a Byzantine monastic complex adorned with vivid frescoes, before heading to the enchanting valleys of Avclar, Paşabağı, and Güvercinlik, famous for their surreal "Fairy Chimneys." The afternoon will be at your own leisure.

[Early Morning Optional: Hot Air Balloon Flight \(US\\$330p.p. min 4 pax\)](#): Float for about one hour over Cappadocia's magical terrain, celebrate with a non-alcoholic drink, and receive a personalized flight certificate. Minimum age: 6 years. Flight is weather-dependent and confirmed the day before; refunds are provided if canceled.

[visit the Kaymakli Underground City](#). The city has many strata made up of volcanic granite. Its larger areas are connected to each other by tunnels. Underground city had a built-in communication system of pipes on each of its levels, which have no such systems. Each carved out room had ventilation provided by holes when the city was closed against enemies. Round out the afternoon with a stop at a local carpet workshop, where the region's rich weaving traditions come to life. Return to your hotel for dinner and an overnight stay in Cappadocia.

### Day 16 sep 24: Cappadocia – Safranbolu

(B, D)

Travel through the **majestic Mountains** en route to **Safranbolu**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Stroll through its charming Old Town, where cobblestone lanes wind past tightly packed, timber-framed Ottoman mansions—many now restored as boutique hotels and restaurants. In **September and October**, experience the **Safranbolu Saffron Flower Festival**, a unique celebration of the world's most precious spice. Witness the saffron harvest firsthand while admiring the town's exquisite Ottoman architecture. Festival is weather-dependent; if canceled, no alternative activity will be provided. Overnight in Safranbolu.

### Day 17 sep 25:Safranbolu – Istanbul

(B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Arrived Istanbul and the rest of the will be at your own leisure. [Spice Bazaar visit & dinner show on the Bosphorus](#): the best way to enjoy a traditional Turkish dinner on an evening cruise down the Bosphorus! See the suspension bridges of Istanbul as they



twinkle in the evening light. Enjoy exciting dance shows (belly dance and dervish), Turkish music, a delicious dinner and two drinks per person. in Üsküdar.  
Overnight in Istanbul.

**Day 18 sep 26: Istanbul**

**(B)**

Free Day of leisure.

**Day 19 sep 27: Istanbul – Departure**

**(B)**

Breakfast\* at the hotel. It's time to bring your adventure through Turkey to an end.

At the indicated time, transfer to the airport for a flight back to home.

\*Depending on the return flight schedule and the hotel breakfast service, you may not be able to enjoy the included breakfast on the last day.

<b>Cad 6995.00</b>	<b>Based on double occupancy</b>
<b>Cad 2200.00</b>	<b>Single supplement</b>

**Price Includes:**

- International airfare
- Intra Flight: Athens to Istanbul
- Round TripSpeed Ferry in Economy seats: Athen – Santorini - Athens
- Services of English-speaking tour guides in each country
- Sightseeing per itinerary in modern air-conditioned motor coach
- All transportation mentioned in the destination
- Meals and reginal delights as per indicated above itinerary.
- Entrance fees (stated as admission is included in the itinerary)
- Local hotel taxes

**Price Does Not Include:**

- Visa fees
- Prepaid Tipping:US\$255



- Optional programs
- Insurance of any kind
- Meals, Transfers, Tours, Services Not Shown in the Program.

### **Booking Procedure:**

- Initial Deposit: \$1000 per person (Nonrefundable) due at acceptance .
- First Deposit: \$450 per person (Nonrefundable), due 150 days prior to departure.
- Balance due 30 april 2026.

### **Payment Method:**

Cash / Cheque / Direct Deposit/Credit card (4% surcharge applys)