



KAZAKHSTAN

(ALMATY – SATY VILLAGE)

ALMATY (5 Nights – 6 days)

INFORMATION	
TOUR NAME: KAZAKHSTAN TOUR	GUEST NAME: FAMILY & FRIENDS
TRAVEL DATE: MARCH - SEPTEMBER	TOUR TYPE: PRIVATE:
NO. OF GUESTS: SMALL GROUP	TOUR CODE:
NATIONALITY: INDIAN	EMAIL:

BRIEF ITINERARY			
DAYS	DESCRIPTION	MEALS	DESTINATION
DAY 1	ALMATY ARRIVAL – HOTEL CHECK IN		ALMATY
DAY 2	ALMATY CITY & KOK TOBE TOUR	B	ALMATY
DAY 3	SHYMBULAK SKI RESORT & MOUNTAIN TOUR	B	ALMATY
DAY 4	ISSYK LAKE TOUR - GREEN MARKET SHOPPING	B	ALMATY
DAY 5	CANYON TOURS	B, D	SATY VILLAGE
DAY 6	KOLSAI & KAINDY LAKE TOUR - FLIGHT TO INDIA	B	
Total Meals: Breakfast: 5, Dinner: 1			
Accommodation Details: ALMATY: 4 Night(s), SATY VILLAGE: 1 NIGHT			

DETAILED ITINERARY

DAY 1 - WELCOME TO ALMATY

- ➔ Arrival at Airport.
- 🚗 Transfer from Airport to the Hotel.
- 🛏 Accommodation in hotel. Free time. **Overnight at Almaty**

DAY 2 – ALMATY CITY & KOK TOBE TOUR

- 🍽 Breakfast in Hotel
- 🚗 Start your morning with the city tour of Almaty. You will know more about history and development of the southern capital of Kazakhstan and see its major attractions. Start with your visit to the outside of the President's Palace, **The Republic Square** and the **Monument of Independence**.
- 🚗 Visit the iconic **Panfilov Park** – a green oasis in the heart of Almaty. Named after the Panfilov Heroes who bravely defended USSR during World War II, the park is known for its beautiful flower-beds and historical monuments
- 🚗 Walk your way through the park to the breathtaking **Zenkov Cathedral** – one of Almaty's most cherished landmarks. A.Zaenkov had supervised the construction of this cathedral in the early 19th century and legend goes that it was built without a single nail. The architectural masterpiece showcases stunning

Russian Orthodox design. Marvel at the intricate details and vibrant colors of the cathedral as you spend time exploring both the interior and the exterior of the wonderful Church.

☘ Break for Lunch

🚗 Visit **Kok Tobe Hill**. It is the highest point in the city standing on a 110m hill and perhaps the best place to experience the mesmerizing sun set over the Almaty City. The place is designed in the form of an amusement park and has many activities to offer. The journey to the **Kok Tobe Hill Top** is through Cable Car which gives you a panoramic view of the beautiful city of Almaty.

🚗 **Back to hotel. Overnight at Almaty**



DAY 3 – SHYMBULAK SKI RESORT & MOUNTAIN TOUR – CHOCOLATE FACTORY TOUR

☘ Breakfast in Hotel

🚗 Start the thrilling day trip to the **Shymbulak Ski resort** – nestled in the **Tian Shan Mountains**.

“Shymbulak Ski Resort” is located in the beautiful Zailiyskiy Alatau mountain at 2260 m above sea level. It is 25 Km from the city centre of Almaty city and has an average temperature of +25C in the summer & -7C in the winter months. The average snowfall is around 1.5M. It is usually very sunny as the average number of sunny days a year can reach 90%. Ski season is normally begins in December and can run into April. The ski slopes are served by Gondola Cable cars from “Medeu” to the base of Shymbulak, 2260 m above sea level. This Gondola is the world’s third-longest Gondola with a length of 4.5 KM. The Gondola has 114 comfortable cabins for all guests of the resort and has the capacity of 2,000 people per hour.

🚗 The first stop of the tour awaits you in the **Medeo Gorge**, where in the wonderful mountains of Trans-Ili Ala-Tau the highest skating rink in the world is located as well as the huge dam, protecting the city from destructive mudflows formed on the tops of the western Tien Shan

🚗 Next destination is **Shymbulak ski resort**, located at an altitude of 2260 meters above sea level. It is very popular for its mild climate, large quantity of sunny days and snow through the winter and remarkable scenery of mountain ranges. Located in the resort is a hotel, restaurants, café and coffee shop with a variety of cuisine to suit all taste.

🚗 Spend the whole day at the Shymbulak Ski Resort and return to Almaty by evening. On your way back, visit the **Rakhat Chocolate Factory**. Rakhat which means pleasure in Kazakh is the oldest manufactures of chocolates dating back to almost 70 years. Around 3500 workers work in basically 2 factories, one located in Almaty and one in Shymkent city. They also make chocolates for people suffering from diabetes and their low-calorie products like candies, cookies and waffles are a range among the people and tourists.

🚗 **Back to hotel. Overnight at Bali.**



DAY 4 – ISSYK LAKE TOUR – OSTRICH/TROUT FARM VISIT – EVENING SHOPPING

- 🍷 Breakfast in Hotel.
- 🚌 Start your day to one of the most beautiful lake near Almaty region. The Issyk or Isik is a picturesque lake located at the height of 1760 metres in the **Issyk gorge of Trans-Ili Alatau**, around 70 km east of Almaty among beautiful and thick forests along with vast flower fields. The Lake was formed due to a massive rock avalanche some 8000 years ago, which in turn resulted in a 300m high dam. In 1939, development along the lake was heightened only to be destroyed in 1963 by a glacial mudflow. Today the lake has been restored to its full glory and is loved by all, especially by the adventurous hikers and people who love to just have a picnic on a lazy weekend. Reach **Issyk Lake** and spend time there enjoying the scenery, walking and photographing.
- 🚌 Depart from the Lake and visit an Ostrich Farm. Surrounded by the exotic birds, you can take beautiful pictures and try dishes made from ostrich eggs. (Depending on the season, we may replace the Ostrich Farm Tour with a visit to the Trout Fishing Farm).
- 🍷 Lunch Break. (on your own)
- 🚌 Visit the **Golden Man Museum** (an archeological site of the Bronze Age)
- 🚌 End your day by shopping at the popular Green Market Area of Almaty where you can shop from a lot of exciting items from clothes, shoes, sunglasses to a delectable choice of fresh and dry fruits.
- 🚌 **Back to hotel. Overnight at Almaty.**



DAY 5 – ALMATY TO CHARYN CANYON

- 🍷 Breakfast in Hotel.
- 🚌 Leave the Almaty city limits and a drive of about 3 hours will bring you the Charyn Canyon. Fully experience the magic of the Charyn River canyons! You will immerse yourself in the amazing landscapes of Kazakhstan's Grand Canyon and feel the powerful energy of this amazing place. A visit to the Valley of

Castles, which was formed as a result of millions of years of water and wind, will be an unforgettable experience. This unique natural monument will leave an unforgettable mark on your soul.

- 🚗 Moon (Yellow) Canyon is less known and therefore less visited than the Valley of the Castles, but it is the same natural masterpiece. The slopes of the canyon are composed of yellow sediment, that's why it is also called Yellow canyon
- 🚗 After the tiring day, retire at the guest house at Saty village. Enjoy the traditional Kazakh village living and enjoy the traditional Kazakh dinner before resting for the night.
- 🍽️ Dinner at Guest House
- 🚗 **Overnight at Saty Village.**



DAY 6 – KOLSAI AND KAINDY LAKE TOUR – RETURN TO ALMATY – FLIGHT TO INDIA

- 🍽️ Breakfast in Hotel.
- 🚗 Visit one of the most beautiful lakes of Almaty - **The Kolsai Lake**. The speciality of these places is it's untouched nature. We will visit Nizhny Kolsai (The Fist Lake). You can rent a boat and cruise at the beautiful lake
- 🚗 Continue your journey further to the **Kaindy Lake**. We will leave the car on the way to the lake and take a nice walk through Kungei Alatau mountains (around 3 km each way – you will have option to take a horse ride to the lake as well). Unusual and mysterious **Kaindy Lake (Birch lake)** is located at the altitude of 2000 meters above sea level. The lake was formed as the result of a huge landslide after the powerful earthquake in 1911. The landslide blocked the river and the water has flooded the valley. That is how the lake with Tien Shan fir trees in the middle appeared. The water of the lake is very cold, that is why the needles of the flooded trees are well preserved and clearly visible through the transparent surface of the water, and dry stems of fir trees overlook the water surface. It is impossible to describe in words all this mystical splendor of the lake – it is necessary to go there and see everything with own eyes.
- 🚗 Later in the afternoon, start your return journey for Almaty.
- 🚗 Depending on your flight timing, transfer to the airport to take return flight to India
- ✈️ Return Flight to India

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TOUR COST (INR PER PERSON)		
CATEGORY	3 STAR ★★★	4 STAR ★★★★★
Price per Adult	Rs. 69,000/-	Rs. 75,000/-
■ Tipping for guide and driver in tours (in cash) - exclude from the tour price		
Tipping is a traveling culture, tipping for guides, drivers, and other services are expected for private tours. Kindly prepare it in advance in cash and give it directly to the guides and drivers.		
<u>ACCOMMODATIONS</u>	3 STAR ★★★	4 STAR ★★★★★
ALMATY	ASTRA HOTEL OR SIMILAR	HOTEL KAZAKHSTAN OR SIMILAR
SATY VILLAGE	BUDGET GUEST HOUSE	BUDGET GUEST HOUSE
Depending on availability at the time of confirmation, either same or similar category hotels will be provided		

INCLUSIONS	EXCLUSIONS
- Total Meals: Breakfast: 5; Dinner: 1 - Hotel in double/twin sharing room basis with daily breakfast - Private transfer with comfortable temperature controlled Vehicle as per program - Complimentary Mineral Water on tour (01 bottles/guest/day based on tour) - Entrance fees and excursions as mentioned - Local English-speaking guide cum driver	- Flight Tickets - GST @5%, TCS @ 2% - Meals not mentioned in the program - Beverage, Personal expenses - Travel Insurance - Tipping for tour guide and driver, servers, porters... - Single Supplement, Early check-in and Late check-out, Hotel/room upgrade. - Any increase in flight price during the time of booking - Entry Fees to Sightseeing Places not mentioned - Any Pony Ride, local union vehicle ride, boat ride etc. - Anything not mentioned in inclusions

TERMS & CONDITION
Payment Term: ☒ Deposit: 50% of tour cost at the time of confirmation, the balance will be transferred to our bank account a minimum of 7 days before the travel date. Cancellations will be charged as below: All flights are non-refundable ☒ 60 days before arrival date: No cancellation charge. We Guarantee 100% Money Back. (Except flights are non-refundable) ☒ 59 - 30 days before arrival date: 20% cancellation charge + Flight Cancellation as per actual ☒ 29 - 10 days before arrival date: 50% cancellation charge + Flight Cancellation as per actual ☒ 10 days before arrival date: 100 % cancellation charge ☒ No show: 100%

OTHER IMPORTANT NOTES

Hotel/ Accommodation:

- Official hotel check-in is 2.00 pm and checkout time is 12.00 noon. A surcharge for early check-in or late check-out will be applied.
- For some hotels: A deposit for incidental charges: guests' credit card imprint OR cash **is required** upon check-in from 50 - 200 USD/room/night and it is refunded after deducting any consumption at checkout.

Food/Meals:

If any meals are included in the tour, our arrangement:

- Breakfast in hotels
- Lunches wherever included are local food. (Indian food for Indian travelers but based on the availability of each place).
- Dinners are at Indian Restaurant. You can request for special dinner with drinks at extra supplement. If Dinners are included in the tour. Dinner time is in 2 hours from 07:00 – 09:00 pm including pick up/drop off from/to hotel. Overtime charges will be surcharged for each overtime hour.

Tipping (exclude from tour price):

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Rates and Conditions

- All the above services and tours have not yet been booked before we receive your confirmation. Prices are subject to change based on the availability at the time of booking.
- Reservations during peak times (Christmas, New Year, and National Holidays) and other local special events may be subject to supplementary charges.
- If the proposed service(s) is (are) not available at the booking time, alternative options will be advised.

Should you have any further inquiries, please feel free to contact us at any time!