



# COACH TOUR - WONDERS OF ST.PETERSBURG & MOSCOW - 7N/8D





### **ITINERARY**

Wonders of St..Petersburg & Moscow: 8days Tour (Trafalgar)

Russia's two sides come face to face on this 'twin city' break. Starting in St. Petersburg and ending in the metropolis of Moscow, linked by high-speed train, it unites classic and modern. You'll enjoy Insider moments like... exploring the sights of iconic St Petersburg with an expert local historian, who'll reveal the secrets stories behind the city's most memorable monuments - from the Tsar's Winter Palace to St Isaac's Cathedral.

Day 1 : ARRIVE ST. PETERSBURG (4 NIGHTS)

Welcome to the magnificent city of St. Petersburg. Relax and unwind after your journey. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers this evening for a Welcome Reception with a light dinner at your hotel. Then a short evening orientation drive will be the perfect introduction to this magnificent city.

Meal(s)

Welcome Reception

Hotel: Sokos Vasilievsky





Day 2: ST. PETERSBURG SIGHTSEEING AND AT LEISURE Admire the landmarks of St. Petersburg during your sightseeing tour with a Local Specialist. View the Tsar's Winter Palace, Nevsky Prospekt, St. Isaac's Cathedral and the statue of Peter the Great. Explore the Peter and Paul Fortress on your included visit. Later enjoy drinks and canapés at the St. Petersburg Theatre of Youth during your Be My Guest experience.

Meal(s)

Buffet Breakfast Be My Guest Dining



### Day 3 : HERMITAGE MUSEUM VISIT AND ST. PETERSBURG AT LEISURE

Today enjoy a Small Group Sightseeing visit to the Hermitage Museum with a Local Specialist to see one of the world's largest and most valuable art collections. The museum occupies five impressive buildings on the banks of the River Neva in the heart of St. Petersburg. Featuring over 3 million artefacts, the collection represents the development of world culture and art from the stone age to the 20th century. The rest of the day is yours to explore the city. This evening, perhaps visit a theatre to see a Russian Folklore show.

Meal(s)

**Buffet Breakfast** 



### Day 4: ST. PETERSBURG AT LEISURE

Consider joining an Optional Experience to visit the fabulous gardens and spectacular fountains of Peter the Great's summer residence at Petrodvorets.

Meal(s)

**Buffet Breakfast** 



## Day 5 : ST. PETERSBURG - HIGH SPEED TRAIN - MOSCOW (3 NIGHTS)

After a hearty Russian breakfast enjoy some free time before taking a train trip towards the Russian capital. Arrive later in Moscow, your home for the next three nights. An ancient city full of remarkable architecture and monuments to fallen heroes and victorious battles, Moscow is a cauldron of creativity and culture. Located on the Moskva River, the city is the country's political, economic, religious and financial hub, and home to the largest number of billionaires in the world.

Meal(s)

**Buffet Breakfast** 

Hotel: Marriott Tverskaya







Marvel at Red Square, St. Basil's Cathedral and the Kremlin Walls during your guided sightseeing with a Local Specialist. Afterwards there is plenty of time to shop for souvenirs and explore the city on your own.

Meal(s)

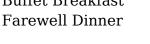
**Buffet Breakfast** 



Today is a full day at leisure to explore the city further. Consider visiting one of the city's museums or take an Optional Experience to Zagorsk, the largest religious and cultural centre in Russia. Tonight celebrate with your Travel Director and companions at a Farewell Dinner in a local restaurant.

Meal(s)

**Buffet Breakfast** 





Say goodbye to this unique country at the end of a remarkable trip of discovery. Airport transfers are available. Conditions apply.

Meal(s)

**Buffet Breakfast** 



#### **INCLUSIONS:**

Sightseeing Highlights:

City tour in St. Petersburg and Moscow

Visit the Hermitage Museum for a sightseeing tour and the St. Peter and Paul Fortress

View the Tsar's Winter Palace, Nevsky Prospekt, St. Isaac's Cathedral and the statue of Peter the Great while in St. Petersburg. In Moscow view Red Square, St. Basil's Cathedral and the Walls of the Kremlin

Dining

7 hot buffet breakfasts.

1 lunch (Be My Guest).

2 dinners.





Travel Highlights:
$\square$ Luxury air-conditioned coach with WiFi in most countries or
alternative transportation (such as rail journeys)
☐ Hand-picked 4 and 5 star accommodation
☐ Hand-picked Insider Experiences
□Optional Experiences and free time
☐All porterage and restaurant gratuities
☐Must-see sightseeing and surprise extras
□An expert Travel Director and separate Driver
□All hotel tips, charges and local taxes
□VIP entry to many sights
☐Audio Headsets for flexible sightseeing
Airport Transfers