



CULINARY BRAZIL

A GOURMET JOURNEY FROM RIO TO SALVADOR

Brazil is famous for its impressive sights like the Sugar Loaf or the Iguassú waterfalls and, of course, Carnival. But it also has lots to offer in the culinary department. Churrasco, feijoada, brigadeiros and cachaca - the variety of Brazilian gastronomy is impressive!

Day 01 Rio de Janeiro

Arrival in Rio de Janeiro. Half day city tour for a first glimpse of this marvellous place. For lunch, typical Brazilian Feijoada balls will be served at a local restaurant. Today's highlight is a welcome caipirinha at the Sugar Loaf with one of the most spectacular views over Rio. Overnight at Miramar Hotel by Windsor.

Day 02 Rio de Janeiro

Board the cog-wheel train through the Tijuca Forest up to the top of Corcovado mountain, with its iconic statue of Christ the Redeemer. Visit the historical Santa Teresa district for lunch at a restaurant created to praise the Brazilian cuisine and very aptly named Espirito Santo.

Day 03 Rio de Janeiro

Visit a typical street market to discover the amazing variety of produce followed by a cooking class to learn a mixture of Brazil's favourite recipes and discover exotic ingredients, techniques and flavours. Visit to one of the most famous Samba Schools to marvel at the elaborate costumes and join a workshop of percussion and dance (Afro & Samba).

Day 04 Rio de Janeiro - Iguassú

Flight to Iguassú, where you will see the Brazilian side of the waterfalls for a magnificent view of the cascades. At night enjoy a Barbecue dinner and folklore show with Samba, Tango and Paraguayan music. Overnight at the Wish Resort Golf Convention.

Day 05 Iguassú

Visit to the Argentine Iguassú National Park, including the Devil's Throat with the highest continuous fall.

Day 06 Iguassú - Manaus

Flight to Manaus. Overnight at Villa Amazônia Hotel.

Day 07 Manaus

Today explore the historical center of Manaus with its cathedral and famous opera house, followed by a visit of the municipal market to enjoy the amazing display of exotic Amazonian fruits and vegetables.

Day 08 Manaus - Amazon

Transfer to the pier to start the jungle experience at Amazon Ecopark Lodge, located at Rio Tarumã, in the middle of the Amazon Forest. Full board is included during the whole Lodge stay.

Day 09/10 Amazon

Enjoy the daily tours offered by your lodge to explore the variety of the flora and fauna of the Amazon region and the legendary Meeting of the waters.

Day 11 Amazon - Salvador da Bahia

Flight from Manaus to Salvador, famous for its cuisine, music and architecture. Overnight at Hotel Villa Bahia.

Day 12 Salvador da Bahia

City tour of Salvador, visiting the modern suburb of Barra with its famous lighthouse and the historical part of town, Pelourinho. Lunch is included.

Day 13 Salvador da Bahia

Free day. Optional day excursions: visit to the several traditional markets of Salvador, explore the Museum Jorge Amado or enjoy an Acajaré tasting, a famous Bahian delicacy.

Day 14 Salvador da Bahia

Transfer to the airport for homebound flight.

