



**CANCUN  
TRAVEL  
GROUP**

OPERADOR RECEPTIVO, MAYORISTA & DMC

CANCÚN - MÉXICO

# MAYAN ROUTE

## 10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS

**Departure: Monday / Service: Regular / Minimum: 2 PAX**

**CANCUN / EK BALAM / CHICHEN ITZA / MERIDA / UXMAL  
CAMPECHE / PALENQUE / YAXCHILAN / PETEN / TIKAL  
GUATEMALA CITY / CHICHICASTENANGO / ATITLAN  
SANTIAGO / LA ANTIGUA**

A route with the most important attractions that the Mayan World has to offer, starting in Mexico, passing through Petén and concluding with the living culture of the pueblos and markets of the Guatemalan Highlands.

### **DAY 1 (MON) CANCUN – EK BALAM – CHICHEN-ITZA – MERIDA**

In the morning we depart and head in the direction of the archeological site of Ek Balam, which judging from the size and quality of its constructions, was a political entity of great riches and prosperity. At the conclusion of the visit, we can indulge in a refreshing dive into one of the cenotes of the region. We continue onwards to the colonial city of Valladolid, take a panoramic visit to then reach the archeological site of Chichén Itzá, an enigmatic destination, declared Patrimony of Humanity and recognized as one of the new seven wonders of the modern world. Following lunch, we continue onwards toward Merida, capital of the state of Yucatán known as "The White City," we will take an excursion along the Paseo de Montejo, the Monument to the Patria, the Main Plaza, the Cathedral and the Palaces of Government Lodging.

### **DAY 2 (TUE) MERIDA – UXMAL – CAMPECHE**

Breakfast. Today we will visit the archeological center of Uxmal, one of the most beautiful archeological zones of the Puuc Route. The grandeur of the Diviner's Pyramid, The magnificent friezes of the Nunnery Quadrangle, the hull of the House of Turtles, the ball game and the panoramic views from the top of the Governor's Temple speak to us of the importance of this Mayan architectural compound. In the afternoon, we take the road toward Campeche and will enjoy the rest of the evening off. Lodging.

### **DAY 3 (WED) CAMPECHE – PALENQUE**

Breakfast. In the morning we will take a panoramic excursion of this beautiful historic city, we will pass through the heart of this colorful ancient helm, with its ancient pastel-colored colonial homes, bell-gable churches fortresses and museums. We will be able to appreciate the walls of this old city with its plaza, the fortress and traditional neighborhoods. At the conclusion, we will direct ourselves to Palenque, the Mayan village located in the state of Chiapas. Lodging.

### **DAY 4 (THUR) PALENQUE**

Breakfast. Today we will visit the archeological site of Palenque, one of the most important deposits of the Mayan World, we will know the famous Pyramid of Inscriptions where the sarcophagus of King Pakal was found, with a lid recorded in relief, the temple of the Foliated Cross, the Temple of the Sun and the Palace. Return to the hotel. Lodging.



CHICHEN ITZA, MEXICO



PUNTA CANCÚN, MÉXICO



MÉRIDA, MÉXICO



CAMPECHE, MÉXICO

### DAY 5 (FRI) PALENQUE – YAXCHILAN – PETEN

Breakfast. Very early in the morning, departure toward the Corozal border, to then take a vessel and visit Yaxchilan, known for its great number of architectural structures and inscriptions, return to Corozal for lunch and then following the necessary migratory customs we continue onward to the jungle of Peten. Lodging.

### DAY 6 (SAT) PETEN – TIKAL – GUATEMALA CITY

Breakfast. Today we will visit the Mayan city of Tikal, the jewel of the classic Mayan world. Country lunch inside the archeological enclosure. Transfer to the airport of Flores to take a flight destined for Guatemala City. Transfer to hotel. Lodging.

### DAY 7 (SUN) GUATEMALA CITY – CHICHICASTENANGO – ATITLAN

Breakfast. Departure toward the Guatemalan Highlands destined for the village of Chichicastenango, where we will experience the most famous indigenous markets of Latin America. On this day we will have hands-on experience in a corn workshop, preparing the basic staple of Guatemala, alongside the women of the community. Following the visit we continue onwards towards Lake Atitlan, of which Huxley spoke of as the most beautiful in the world. Lodging.

### DAY 8 (MON) ATITLAN – SANTIAGO – LA ANTIGUA

Breakfast. We will take a boat to visit the village of Tzutuhiil of Santiago Atitlan. Following the excursion, we will continue onwards toward La Antigua, the colonial city declared a Historic place. Lodging.

### DAY 9 (TUE) LA ANTIGUA

Breakfast. We will have the day off to enjoy La Antigua and the hotel facilities. As an optional activity, during the morning we will be able to take a cultural excursion of the city, excursion to the Pacaya Volcano or the Coffee Plantation. Lodging.

### DAY 10 (WED) LA ANTIGUA – GUATEMALA AIRPORT

Breakfast. At the convened time, we will transfer you to the airport of Guatemala City and conclusion of our services.



CHICHICASTENANGO, GUATEMALA



EK BALAM, MEXICO



PALENQUE, MEXICO



YAXCHILAN, MEXICO



**INCLUDES:**

- Lodging for indicated hotels or similar.
- Assigned standard room.
- Breakfast or Box-breakfast (when required by the logistics of the program).
- Country lunches in: Chichen-Itza, Yaxchilan and Tikal.
- Beverages not included.
- Entrance to the sites on the included visits.
- Professional authorized guides.
- Air-conditioned transportation.
- Boat-fare for the following tracts: Corozal – Yaxchilan – Bethel and visit to Santiago Atitlan.
- Tips and local taxes.
- Services (Regular).
- Net rates for a minimum of 2 PAX.

**NOT INCLUDED:**

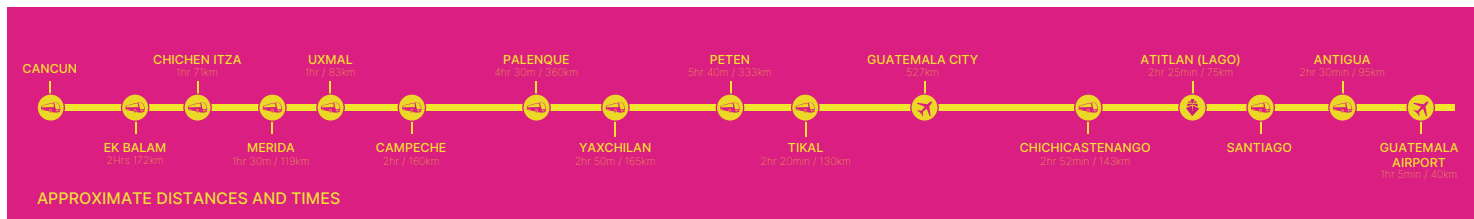
- Arrival transfer nor lodging in Cancun.
- Border taxes between Mexico – Guatemala (\$5 USD per PAX, approx).
- Taxes for local flight at the airport of Peten Mayan World” (\$3 USD per PAX).
- Visits indicated as optional.
- Lunches or dinners not indicated in the itinerary.
- Services that were not specified

**HOTEL OPTIONS FOR THE PROGRAM**

LOCATION	OPTION A	OPTION B	OPTION C
Merida	Holiday Inn Merida	Holiday Inn Express or similar	Holiday Inn Express or similar
Campeche	Gamma Campeche or similar	Mision Campeche or similar	Mision Campeche or similar
Palenque	Villa Mercedes or similar	Tulija Express or similar	Tulija Express or similar
Peten	Camino Real Tikal	Villa Maya	Villa Maya
Guatemala Ciudad	Westin Camino Real	Barceló	Radisson
Lago Atitlan	Atitlan	Porta del Lago	Villa Santa Catarina
La Antigua	Casa Santo Domingo	Camino Real Antigua	Villa Colonial

**\*\*Does not apply for the Semana Santa Holiday nor End of Year celebrations.**

**DISTANCE TABLE**



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