



Experience Magical Morocco



HOLIDAY TYPE: Flexible Dates

VISITING:

BROCHURE CODE: 5580

DURATION: 7 nights

In Brief

This fantastic seven-night itinerary will allow you to experience the essence of Morocco and its rich culture. You will get the chance to try out amazing activities on both the sand and the sea while travelling from serene Berber villages to bustling city souks. Along the journey, you'll also get a taste of the local cuisine and culture!



What's included?

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- **Transfers:** all transfers included
- **Accommodation:** 3 nights in a double room at Riad Nyla, 1 night in a double tent at Scarabeo Camp and 3 nights in a Sea View Suite at Kasbah d'Eau
- **Meals:** 7 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 1 dinner
- **The following activities are included in the holiday:** Atlas Mountains day, Marrakech souk tour (order subject to change)*
- Fully qualified guides and instructors during activities with all equipment provided

* Please note that we do not include activities at Kasbah d'Eau although there is an extensive range of options that can be booked locally. You can go through these after checking in at this wonderfully relaxing resort. That way, you can decide exactly how busy or how laid-back your time there will be. If you would like to indulge your sense of adventure you can try camel trekking, horse riding, surfing, quad biking, an Essaouira souk visit and cookery lessons.

Trip Overview

Starting in Marrakech, you will spend your three nights at Riad Nyla, where you can dwell in the tranquility and enjoy a relaxing swim in their rooftop pool.

On a tour of the fascinating souks, you will discover a variety of sights, sounds, and smells as well as learn about the locals way of life. You will also travel to Morocco's breath-taking Atlas Mountains, which are a must see on any visit to this country.

Next up is a night under the stars. Spend a night in a luxury bivouac in the Agafay Desert and tick off another bucket list activity.

The second part of your trip takes you to the area of the historic harbour city of Essaouira. At the magnificent Kasbah d'Eau hotel, a stunning location with a typical Moroccan design.

The attentive and accommodating staff will give you the chance to sit down, talk, and plan your own schedule here. You can choose your own activities (payable locally) and set your own pace. A variety of cultural, culinary, and adventurous options are available.

You should absolutely take advantage of the hotel's amenities when you have free time. Relax in a classic hammam steam room, splash around in the pool, or enjoy an immersive cookery class.

Agenda

Please note the order of activities is subject to change

DAY
1

ARRIVAL AND WELCOME

Upon arrival in Marrakech, your transfer vehicle will take you to your accommodation at Riad Nyla, approximately 20 minutes away.

Once you have checked in, you can make yourselves at home in your accommodation for the night. Why not try the hotel restaurant for dinner or you can ask them for a recommendation in the local area.

Included Meals: None

DAY
2

DAY IN THE ATLAS MOUNTAINS

Fill up at breakfast in preparation for a lovely excursion exploring the Atlas Mountains.

A two-hour transfer will take you to your starting point, the village of Imlil, from where you will spend the day trekking in this scenic region with a mountain guide.

Mount Toubkal, the highest peak in the Atlas Mountains, looms in the background as you take to the trail. You will walk through small hamlets and woods filled with walnut trees, weaving up to higher ground along the mountain track.

The views are incredible and this is a marvellous way to show off the natural side of Morocco, which is easily missed when just sticking to popular urban attractions.

There will be the chance to visit at least one village in the area for a sense of life in these rural parts of the country, and lunch will be provided. The trip can be tailored to the needs and abilities of the group also.

You will return to Riad Nyla in the late afternoon.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

DAY
3

THREE HOUR SOUK TOUR

You will all be whisked away for a fabulous tour of Marrakech's impressive souks. Potters, olive-sellers, tanners, dancers, magicians...the list of people and stalls you will encounter here is endless.

Cameras should always be at the ready, and given the wild mix of life, every photo opportunity is likely to be as remarkable as the next.

After this bustling day, you can sit back and relax during your last evening at Riad Nyla.

Included Meals: Breakfast

DAY
4

SLEEP UNDER THE STARS

Experience the magic of the Agafay desert with a unique stay at either Inara or Scarabeo Camp. You'll stay in a luxury glamping suite with panoramic views of the stunning Atlas Mountains and sleep under the star-studded sky.

Included Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

DAYS
5 TO 7

SET YOUR OWN ITINERARY

At Kasbah d'Eau, you can sit down with your hosts and discuss the activities you would like to schedule during your stay. We do not include these so you have complete control over what you would like to do and how active you would like to be.

The Activities available are: Camel trekking, Quad biking, Berber lunch, Farm tour and argan oil, Surfing (also wind-surfing and kite-surfing), horse riding and cookery lessons. For more details on these and an indication of local prices, please speak to one of our travel experts.

Included Meals: Breakfast

DAY
8

DEPARTURE

Tuck into your last Moroccan breakfast before being transferred to Marrakech Airport for your journey home. Please note that the transfer time is around 3 hours.

Included Meals: Breakfast

Personalise this tour

Our pick



Spend a night in The Enchanting Marrakech Medina

If you would like to extend your trip and spend a night or two in the ancient heart of this vibrant city, please speak to one of our Travel Experts about your requirements and we will come back with the perfect riad for you! Many riads also have rooftop terraces with stunning views of the city. These are great places to relax and enjoy the sunset or people-watch.

The medina itself is a maze of narrow streets and alleyways, and it is easy to get lost. However, this is part of the charm of the medina and that extends to your arrival. Your transfer will drop you and your luggage off at the gates of the medina. One of the knowledgeable porters will put your luggage on their trolley and will take you straight to your riad. It is useful to pay attention to the route as it will help you get your bearings but your hosts will also be able to provide you with maps and directions once you are checked in.

Included Accommodation

Riad Nyla (Nights: 1-3)



A fabulous riad restored by an Italian architect, with unparalleled attention to detail. Out of all the small riads, this one likely boasts the finest spa in the medina, inclusive of an indoor pool. The roof terrace offers a plunge pool and plenty of space for relaxation. Please note that Riad Nyla is an adults only accommodation.

Room Type

Double Room

The double rooms at Riad Nyla are beautifully decorated with traditional Moroccan design elements, featuring vibrant textiles, intricately carved woodwork, and elegant tadelakt walls. Each room includes a comfortable double bed, an en-suite bathroom, and air-conditioning to ensure a restful stay. Some rooms also offer direct access to the serene courtyard or a private seating area, perfect for relaxing after a day exploring Marrakech.

Facilities at Riad Nyla, Marrakech

- Rooftop Terrace: Panoramic views over the medina, with comfortable seating areas
- Plunge Pool: Refreshing plunge pool in the central courtyard for cooling off
- Onsite Dining: Traditional Moroccan meals served in the dining area or courtyard
- Lounge Areas: Elegant lounges with Moroccan decor, perfect for relaxation
- Spa Services: Hammam and massage services available on request
- Library: Small collection of books and travel guides
- Complimentary WiFi: Available throughout the riad
- 24Hour Concierge: Assistance with bookings, recommendations, and local insights
- Airport Transfers: Available upon request

Inara or Scarabeo Camp (Nights: 4)



Enjoy a night under a star-studded sky in the Agafay Desert. You will spend an evening at either the Inara or Scarabeo Camp. Both sites offer a luxurious and intimate camping experience set against the breathtaking backdrop of the canyons of the majestic Marrakech desert of Agafay.

Please note that the camp you are booked into will depend on availability.

Inara Camp facilities

- Sixth luxury camp designed and created by **Vincent Jaquet**
- 21-hectare plot
- On-site restaurant offering a delicious breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- 8 private dining tents offering authentic Moroccan cuisine and include entertainment with duo gnaoua, fire eater and henna tattoo each night
- 18 glamping tents, each measuring from 25 to 36m²
- Bio-designed heated swimming pool
- 24 hour night guard
- All excursions and activities are organised in partnership with local companies that respect a strict and rigorous code of ethics
- Animals are monitored by veterinary (vaccines, treatments, insurance) and perfectly fed

Inara Camp Glamping Suites

Your private glamping suite consists of a metal structure fixed on a wooden terrace and three layers of fabric for ultimate comfort.

The Glamping suites have the following facilities:

- King-size bed
- Lounge area
- En-suite facilities
- 24-hour electricity
- Orange blossom 'Les Sens de Marrakech' welcome products and Argan oil soap
- Hairdryer
- Fire extinguisher

Some suites also include a private terrace with sun lounger, double or twin bed, extra bed and cot and a wood stove

Scarabeo Camp facilities

- 360° views of the Agafay's barren grandeur and beyond to the snow-capped Atlas mountains
- Meals are served around a candlelit communal table
- 10 private rooms/suites/tents
- Swimming pool
- All excursions and activities are organised in partnership with local companies that respect a strict and rigorous code of ethics
- Animals are monitored by veterinary (vaccines, treatments, insurance) and perfectly fed

Scarabeo Camp Glamping Suites

Your private glamping suite consists of a metal structure fixed on a wooden terrace and three layers of fabric for ultimate comfort.

The Glamping suites have the following facilities:

- Thick white cotton tent
- Authentic décor, furnishings and lanterns
- Double or twin beds
- Lounge area
- Writing desk and facilities
- En-suite facilities housing western toilets and Berber shower facilities with one hot and one cold bucket of water
- Traditional black soap
- Two shower/tents with a "real shower" are available at the camp for everyone

Kasbah d'Eau (Nights: 5-7)



Kasbah d'Eau, a boutique hotel near Essaouira in Sidi Kaouki, offers luxury rooms and suites with stunning ocean or mountain views. Highlights include an 18-meter heated infinity pool, spa, gym, and access to surfing, horseback riding, and quad-biking along the scenic beach. Rooms feature elegant tadelakt bathrooms and individual climate control, while a striking atrium opens to a terrace with ocean views. Designed with eco-friendly principles, Kasbah d'Eau uses solar power, recycled water,

and local materials. Guests can enjoy Sidi Kaouki's charming cafes or visit Essaouira's vibrant medina and historic ramparts nearby.

Room Type

Sea View Suite

The Sea View Suites at Kasbah d'Eau offer breathtaking views of the Atlantic Ocean, with private terraces where guests can enjoy the stunning sunsets over the rolling dunes. Each suite is designed with traditional Moroccan elements, featuring polished tadelakt walls, artisanal decor, and luxurious bathrooms equipped with carved baths, double basins, and spacious walk-in showers. These suites also include individually controlled air-conditioning and heating, ensuring a comfortable stay year-round while immersing guests in the serene coastal ambiance.

Facilities at Kasbah d'Eau

- Heated Infinity Pool: 18m x 5m pool with ocean views
- Central Atrium: Doubleheight atrium leading to a sun terrace with loungers
- Dining Options: Onsite bar and restaurant with meals available in the atrium
- Library & Lounge: Cozy indoor spaces for relaxation
- Games Room: Includes a pool table for entertainment
- Spa & Gym: Subterranean facility with two treatment rooms and a traditional hammam
- Tennis Court Access: Complimentary use of the tennis court at sister property, Rebal Riads

The Specifics

Group Size

We always try to provide an approximation of the group size you can expect to be with for the duration of each of our holidays. It may be that you are joined by others for parts of your holiday (such as transfers and particular activities) but the above number reflects those you can normally expect to be with from beginning to end. If group size is something which is particularly important to you, please speak to our Travel Experts and they can suggest the best holidays for you.

Tailor-made holiday group sizes will vary for all activities as will the group size for any additional activities you book.

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Itinerary amendments

The order of activities listed in this agenda is provided for guidance only, your final and detailed itinerary will be provided either with your final travel documents (which are uploaded into your online account around a week prior to departure) or upon arrival.

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