

“A TASTE OF NICE AND THE COTE D’AZUR” 4 NIGHTS



A 4 night package to allow you to visit some of the magical places you have only read about: Monaco by night, hilltop villages, amazing views. Included is a three hour tour where you will learn about the history of Nice and its food from a local and taste goodies from the market.

DAY 1:

You'll be met at the airport or train station. Arrive and settle into your chosen 4 star hotel. Check in is generally after 3pm.

At 7pm depart for dinner and a night out in Monaco. Drive along the coast road with its medieval villages, marinas and panoramic viewpoints. Continue through Monaco and stop at the palace where you'll have some free time to stroll around. Continue onto Monte Carlo, view the Grand Prix Circuit before continuing onto enjoy a 3 course dinner on the terrace of Le Bistroquet restaurant, beside Casino Square. You'll have a choice of dishes from the "Gourmet" menu. Half a bottle of wine per person and coffee included. Later you'll have time to visit the casino or to admire the town. Return to Nice around midnight.

DAY 2:

Pick-up after breakfast at 9am for a full day tour. A drive through the beautiful countryside and medieval villages of the Loup Valley will bring you to the hilltop medieval village of St. Paul de Vence: stepped streets, ramparts and art galleries. View the Alps, valleys and coastline from Gourdon (weather permitting). Guided tour of a perfumerie in Grasse, world capital of the perfume industry or free time to visit the old town and perfume museum. Brief stop at Mougins a beautiful old Provencal village adopted by Picasso. Discover Cannes: the old Port, La Croisette, the Palais des Festivals. Return to Nice around 5pm. Evening free.

DAY 3:

Departing at 9.30am, today you will learn about Nice from a local. On a fascinating 3 hour tour you will learn about the history of Nice and its food. Visiting the market of the old town where snacks are sold at street stands, the type of things farmers would have eaten in the fields to calm their hunger pangs. You will also get to taste such unexpected delicacies as “pissaladerie” (caramelized onion tart), “Socca” (chick pea pancake), “Fougasse” (Provençal flatbread) and “tourte de blettes” (a sweet pie with a surprise ingredient). You will also sample a selection of Provençal olive oils, taste flavoured vinegars, discover the secrets of French cheese and visit an artisan pork butcher. All tastings are included.

The rest of the day is free

DAY 4:



Pick up at 2pm for a half day tour to view some of the great houses of today and days gone past. First stop will be Mt. Alban which affords a panoramic view overlooking the bay of Villefranche. Drive around Cap Ferrat, the chosen holiday home of the rich and famous: kings, movie stars, business magnates. Visit the Renaissance style Rothschild Villa with its impeccably laid out French gardens. Continue to Beaulieu to visit the reconstituted 5th century BC Greek Villa Kerylos. Return to Nice by the

Middle Corniche road and to Nice around 6pm. The rest of the evening is free.

DAY 5: After Breakfast transfer to airport or rail station.

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Private return transfers from the airport or station.
- 4 Nights accommodation in a 4 star hotel
- Breakfast daily
- Monaco Dinner Tour inclusions as per itinerary
- 3 Hour Taste of Nice Market tour with private guide including tastings
- Full day Cannes and St. Paul de Vence tour
- Half day Great Houses tour
- Entrance to houses as per itinerary

*Note tours are conducted in a share minibus with driver/guide
Market tour for a maximum of 6 participants*

HOTEL WESTMNSTER A TASTE OF NICE & COTE D'AZUR	SINGLE SHARE Per Person	TWIN SHARE Per Person
CITY VIEW ROOM	E1210	E790
SEA VIEW ROOM	E1410	E890

Prices subject to availability

Other 4 star hotels available on request.