



MOSCOW – THE CAPITAL OF RUSSIA 7 days/6 nights

1st day

- Meeting at the airport
- Transfer to the hotel and accommodation (check-out time – 12.00, check-in after 14.00)
- Free time.



2nd day

- **Breakfast at the hotel.** Meeting with the guide in the hotel lobby.

- Departure on the sightseeing tour of Moscow and visit the main sights of the Russian capital: panorama of the city from Vorob'yovy hills, and the trade-pedestrian bridge "Bagration", Moscow-city, some of Stalin's skyscrapers, getting acquainted with memorial complex on Poklonnaya hill and the most famous squares and streets of the capital.

- **Walking tour in the center of Moscow:** Red square, the main shopping centre on red square - GUM, Vasilevsky descent, the magnificent St. Basil's Cathedral, Theatre square, Okhotny Ryad, visit the Temple of Christ the Savior.

- **Excursion to the Moscow Kremlin (territory + Cathedral):** in the center of Kremlin is situated the main Cathedral square. Also you will see the Tsar Bell and Tsar Cannon.

For extra charge: excursion to the Armoury chamber of the Moscow Kremlin (the cost please specify when booking).

- Transfer to the hotel. Free time.



3rd day

- **Breakfast at the hotel.** Meeting with the guide in the hotel lobby. Check-out.

- **Travel on the metro and tour of the best stations of the Moscow metro "Underground Palaces of Moscow":** during the excursion you will get acquainted with some of the most famous stations. Some of them look like real castles or palaces, telling about the victims of the Soviet people, for example, the station "Komsomolskaya-ring". At the station Novoslobodskaya You'll admire the mosaics and glowing stained glass Windows; at the station Novokuznetskaya – reliefs, sculpted panels and a Central shield, which tells of the victories of the defenders of the Motherland at the front during the great Patriotic war and in the rear; for article. Revolution square - the stunning realism of the sculptural composition depicting the fighters for the Soviet government and people of peaceful occupations. Thus you will see the whole city under the ground – because none of the metro in Moscow is not like another!

- **Exit at the metro station Tretyakovskaya.**

- **Excursion to the Tretyakov gallery,** founded in 1865 by the merchant Pavel Tretyakov, and having one of the world's largest collections of Russian art: a panoramic tour of the halls of the Museum is the best opportunity to get acquainted with the works of many great artists gathered in one place.

- Transfer to the hotel. Free time.

(In addition, we offer OR visit one of the Moscow circus OR Bolshoi theatre OR one of the folkloric shows. Cost please specify when booking!)



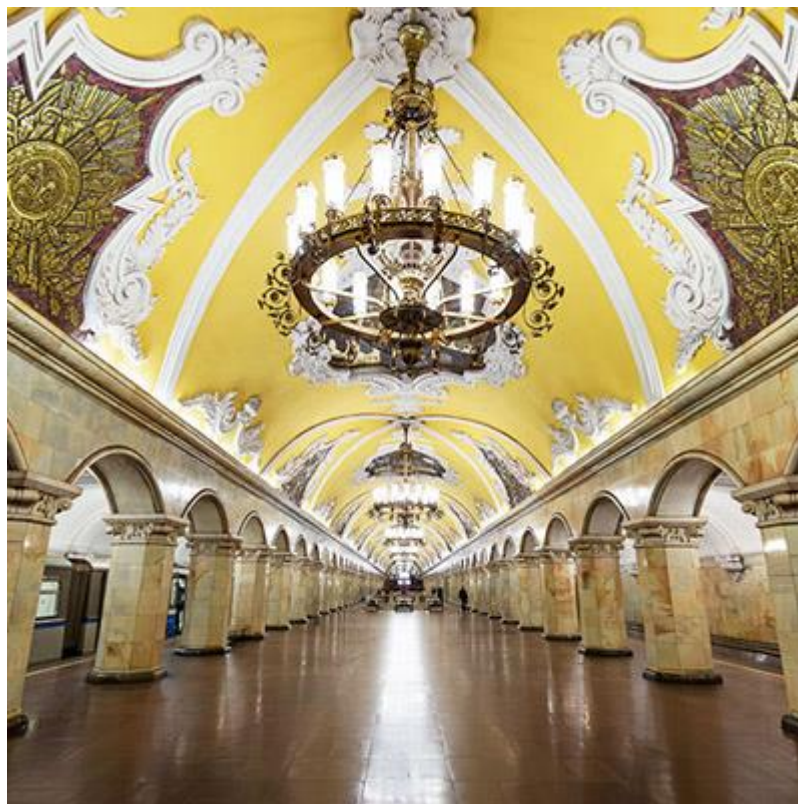
4th day

- **Breakfast** at the hotel. Meeting with the guide.

- **Departure** to Sergiev Posad. Sergiev Posad, a town based around the Holy places – the Holy Trinity-St. Sergius Lavra. The complex was founded in 1337 by St. Sergiy Radonezhskiy. During the tour You will visit the Trinity-Sergius Lavra and see the white-stone Trinity Cathedral, above the ancient iconostasis which was still working Andrei Rublev and his disciples, the assumption Cathedral and Trapeze house with interiors in the style of Moscow Baroque. For extra cost: master class of painting Russian nesting dolls or other wooden toys that you can pick up a souvenir!

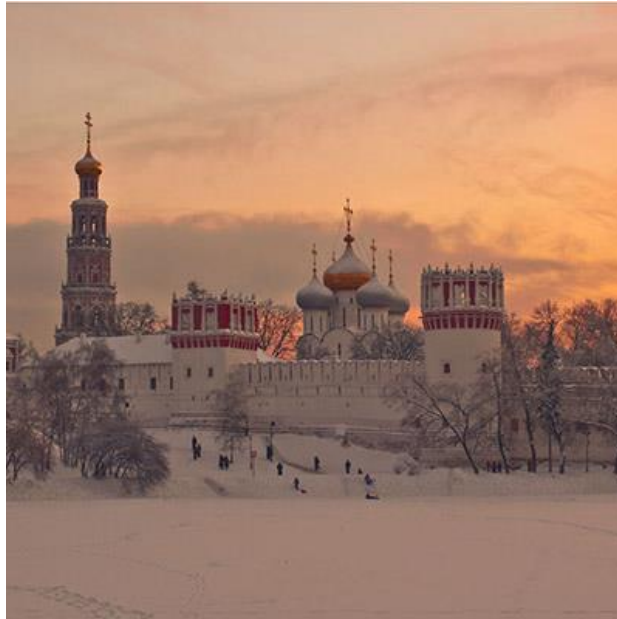
- **Near the Trinity-St. Sergius Lavra**, You can always buy authentic Russian Souvenirs – nesting dolls, carved wooden toys, jewelry boxes, scarves and much more!

- **Return to Moscow** to the hotel. Free time. (Transportation 8 hours).



5th day

- **Breakfast** at the hotel. Meeting with the guide in the hotel lobby.
- **Departure** for excursion.
- **Tour of the Old Arbat** monument to Alexander Pushkin and N. Goncharova, the fountain-monument "Golden Turandot" at the theater. Vakhtangov, "Spaso house" - the house of merchant Vtorov, which is now the residence of the US Ambassador and much more.
- **Purchase Souvenirs** at the most famous Pedestrian Street of Moscow.
- **Transfer to Novodevichy monastery.** A trip to one of the oldest working nunnery, which was founded by Grand Prince Vasili III in 1524 in honor of the victory over Smolensk. Now this architectural monument included in the world heritage List of UNESCO.
- **Return to the hotel.** Free time. (Bus 7 hours).



6th day

- **Breakfast** at the hotel. Meeting with the guide.
- **Exit the subway to the Museum-estate Kolomenskoye.** Tour to the Palace of Tsar Alexei Mikhailovich. During the tour guests will visit the ceremonial rooms of the Palace, as well as the private chambers of the towers and the towers of princes and get acquainted with the history of construction and reconstruction of the Palace, its layout and "rank" (order) of the sovereign life in the seventeenth century. For an additional fee, you can take photos in costumes of the Russian tsars and tsarinas!
- **Tour of "Milestones in the history of Kolomenskoye".** Thematic excursion will introduce to guests with bright pages in the history of the Park. The tour includes acquaintance with the architectural monuments of the Tsar's court of Tsar Alexei Mikhailovich and the square of the ascension, and also visit the exhibition complex of the Front gate.
- **Transfer to the hotel.** Free time. (Bus – 7 hours)



7th day

- **Breakfast at the hotel.** Check-out. Meeting with the guide in the hotel lobby.
- **Transfer to the airport.** (Transport – on transfer).

The cost of a program Dollar per person (NET RATE):

Hotel	Group 20 pax.	Extra payment for 1-bed accommodation
Maxima Zarya Hotel, Maxima Irbis Hotel *** , 2-bed accommodation, BB	600\$	135\$

The price includes:

- Accommodation in selected hotel 6 nights. Check-out time 12.00. Accommodation from 14.00 PM;
- Food – 6 Breakfast buffet;
- work accompanying English-speaking guide according the program;
- transport services by bus, they also for 44 seats;
- Entrance tickets and excursions to the museums mentioned on the program.

The price does not include:

All the additional services and activities (cost, please specify when booking!)
every tourist lunch and dinner for each person – from 10 Dollar/person.

- Additional transport – 30 Dollar/hour.
- Additional work of a guide is from 20 Euro per hour
- 2-hour boat trip along the Moscow River – cost from 15 Dollar per person (year-round).
- Visit to the "Izmailovo Kremlin" - a reference to the website: <http://www.kremlin-izmailovo.com>;
- visit to folklore show, for example, "Amazing Russia", OR "Party like in Russia", OR "Gzhel" and others. Tickets must be ordered and purchased in advance – cost please specify!!!!
- Tickets to one of Moscow circuses – price from 12 to 100 dollar per person depending on the place and sector.

ALL ADDITIONAL SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES WE RECOMMEND YOU TO ORDER AND PAY IN ADVANCE!

Attention!

Also in the autumn and winter, you can visit different parks and walking and hiking places in the capital absolutely for free. Gorky, the Hermitage garden, Neskuchniy garden, VDNKH, Sokolniki Park, the Park at Tsaritsyno (without visiting museums and palaces!). During the winter holidays in these parks and recreational areas are equipped skating rinks, snow castles and a variety of light installations on the New Year theme that will allow our guests to do photos!

The firm reserves the right to make changes in the order of visits of excursion sites, saving the program as a whole.

