

Oaxaca Tour Itinerary – web version

Price: \$13,800 pesos per person, including travel, accommodation, breakfasts and guide. **Single person supplement: \$1,800 pesos.** **Price does not include:** lunches, evening meals, entry fees or tips for hotels, restaurants or guides.

The order/timing of this itinerary maybe subject to change due to issues such as traffic, weather conditions etc.

Day 1: Travel to Oaxaca City, with orientation and free time in evening in Oaxaca City. Times will be confirmed upon booking flights. Flights depart from Manzanillo and Puerto Vallarta to Mexico City, followed by bus from Mexico City to Oaxaca City (approximately 6 hours).

Day 2: Monte Alban and Oaxaca City Centre

8am: Breakfast in hotel followed by departure to the impressive Zapotec ruins of Monte Albán, one of the earliest cities in Mesoamerica (approximately 30 minutes by bus). Afternoon walking tour of Oaxaca City's historic centre.

Day 3: Rugs, Mezcal and the Arbol del Tule

8am: Breakfast in hotel followed by departure to Teotitlán del Valle and Tlacolula, famous for the production of traditional Zapotec style rugs and mezcal respectively. We learn about the history and tradition behind both products, as well as giving you the opportunity to purchase. We also visit the famous 'Arbol del Tule', the widest tree in the world.

Day 4: Mitla and Herve el Agua

7am: Breakfast followed by travel to the Zapotec ruins of Mitla and the beautiful site of Herve el Agua, where the minerals in the water springs have created an interesting rock formation resembling water boiling over the cliff edge. The water is cold, but you are able to go in for a dip! (Approximately 3 hours travel to furthest point).

Day 5: Black Pottery and Alebrijes

8am: Breakfast in hotel before heading to a traditional family workshop in San Bartolo Coyotepec to learn about the production of Oaxaca's famous black pottery, followed by a demonstration on how to make Oaxaca's famous Alebrijes in San Martin Tilcajete. (Approximately 1 hour to furthest destination).

Day 6: Return travel

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