

Inca Jungle Trek

Number of People

Minimum of 5 people

Duration

6:00am Departure on First Day, (4 Days, 3 Nights)

Brief Description

Day 1: Cusco - Abra Malaga - Santa Maria: After Pickup we'll head towards the sacred valley of the Incas, arriving at Ollantaytambo at about 08:00 AM. Here you will have a chance to get some breakfast. Then we will head towards Abra Malaga which is the point of departure on our bikes, we will descend for 3 hrs until we reach the town of Huamanmarca. We will have lunch at a buffet restaurant which mainly uses local ingredients and prepares unique dishes. Then we'll head towards Santa Maria where you can enjoy rafting. Then we will start the hike towards La Choza. La Choza is a unique chance to enjoy the pure jungle. We will stop for a night with a host family in bunk beds, accompanied by an orchestra of jungle sounds.

Includes: lunch – dinner **Optional:** Rafting

Day 2: Pispitayoc – Cocalmayo – Santa Teresa
We will have breakfast and then around 8:00AM we'll start walking along the banks of the river and start climbing for 30 min. toward an original Inca path. On our way we will see wild fruits, like: pineapple, pacay, avocado and many more. The area is surrounded by many types of birds and orchids; this ecosystem belongs to the high forest and is one of the richest in terms of biodiversity of the Inca jungle. The group will walk down the mountain for approx. 2.30 hrs. until arriving at the village of Qellomayo, to have lunch and regain some energy.. After a break we continue walking for 3 hrs, crossing farms, waterfalls, and rivers (one river you will have to cross with a cable car). At around 4PM the group arrives at Cocalmayo, better known as the hot water springs of Santa Teresa. After the hot springs the group will continue to walk for about 40 min. (or take a bus if you'd prefer) until reaching the town of Santa Teresa where you will check in to a nice comfortable hotel. After the dinner you all are invited to visit one of the bars to hang out with the other members of the group.

Includes: breakfast – lunch – dinner



Day 3: Santa Teresa – Hidro Electrica - Aguas Calientes:
Around 7am, after a typical breakfast we will get ready to continue our trek. The next journey will start in Santa Teresa. Then you can enjoy a thrilling zipline through the forest. After we will enjoy a great lunch, then we will continue walking along the great Inca jungle tour for 3 hrs., enjoying beautiful waterfalls, going through coca and coffee farms along the railway until arriving at the town of Aguas Calientes. Here the group will spend the night in a hostel. At night we all will get together in a local restaurant to enjoy a great dinner.

Includes: breakfast – lunch – dinner

Day 4: Aguas Calientes – Machu Picchu–Cusco
Finally on the last day of our Inca jungle tour we get up around 4:00 AM. After which we'll get ready to head to Machu Picchu. Our trek will follow an ascending path through the high forest, after registering in the control entrance around 6:00 AM. We will have a private guide leading us within the Inca citadel for about 1.5 hours. The travelers that booked the hiking to Huayna Picchu or Machu Picchu Mountain will be able to start this journey, the climbing lasts around 45 min. For Huayna Picchu, the way up is very steep at some points but it's worth it because the view from the top is absolutely breathtaking. For Machu Picchu, it'll last you about 2hrs to go up, and it's not as steep as Huayna Picchu, and even higher! Please note that you have to go before a certain time, so don't forget to ask your guide which time you have been issued. You will have until 5:00 PM time to explore Machu Picchu on your own, because then the guards will ask you to leave. In the afternoon, according to the departure of the train ticket, you will descend walking on your own to the town of Aguas Calientes to get the train back to Ollantaytambo, where the group will be picked up and transferred to Cusco city. Remember to be at least 30 min. at the train station before departure. The journey ends in the Plaza San Francisco.

Includes: breakfast