



10 Day tour of Mauritanie and Mali

Day 01 : Arrival in Nouakchott

Meet your guide and transfer to the hotel. (Overnight in Nouakchott, Hotel Azalai Marhaba)

Day 02 : Terjit

We will drive to Terjit visiting the historic city of Aoujeft on the way there and make a picknick in the canyon and guelta of Terjit. (Overnight in Terjit, Campement Jamal)

Day 03 : Chinguity

After breakfast, we will explore the beauty of the palm trees in the mountain areas of Terjit and drive to the ancient town of Chinguity. Upon arrival in the afternoon we will visit the sacred mosque dating from 7th century, manuscripts library and the old town of Chinguity. After the visit we will have a camel trip. (diner and Overnight in the desert)

Day 04 : Attar

Today we will drive to Ouadane, arriving in the late morning. We will visit the old houses, walking in the street of the 40 wise men and drive to Attar. Upon arrival in the afternoon we will make a short visit to the town including the regional museum. (Overnight in attar, Hotel EL Waha).

Day 05 : Nouakchott

After breakfast, we will drive to Naouckchott, arriving in the afternoon. After checking in the hotel, we will visit to the coloful market, the national museum and the fishing market. (Overnight in Nouakchott, Hotel Azalai Marhaba)

Day 06 : Bamako

After breakfast, transfer to the airport will be organised to catch your flighth for Bamako. Upon arrival around noon and checking in to your hotel we will drive to Point-G for sunset with an amazing view of Bamako. (Overnight in Bamako, hotel Tamana)

Day 07: Djenne

After breakfast we will drive to Djenne, the twin sister of Timbuktu and a UNESCO World Heritage site. We will make a stop in San to visit the old mud mosque and mud fishing lake

and have lunch before continue to Djenne, arriving in the afternoon. (Overnight in Djenne, Hotel Wellingare)

Day 08: Djenne-Mopti

The morning is used to visit the grand mosque, the world's largest mud brick structure, the ancient manuscripts library, koranic schools and the old house dating from 12th century. Late morning we will drive to Mopti, the melting pot of Mali, where we will visit the Komoguel mosque and the Centre for Earth Architecture. We will see the fishing port where wooden boats are being made by hand, and the bustling market where many of Mali's ethnic groups come to trade. (Overnight in Mopti, Hotel La Venice du Mali)

Day 09: Segou

We will travel to Segou, the second largest city of Mali which was the colonial centre. Arriving in the afternoon, we will visit the mud-cloth bogolan workshop and see the colonial buildings. (Overnight in Segou, Hotel Hambe)

Day 10 : Bamako

After breakfast, we will visit the village of Segou Koro, the former residence of the Bambara kingdoms and meet the chief of the village before heading to Bamako. Last shopping at the artisan market and a relaxing day at the hotel.

Transfer to the airport for your onward flight.

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Included

Flight: from Nouakchott to Bamako

Transport: Round trip airport/hotel transfers, private air-conditioned bus for all the trip

Accommodation: Hotel accommodation in the listed properties, based on 6 double rooms with air-conditioning

Guide: Experienced English speaking guides and assistants

Meals included: All breakfast.

Entrance Fees: For all sites mentioned in the itinerary

Group size: 12

Excluded

International flights, travel insurance and cost of visa. However, we can assist with a letter of invitation.

