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Key to Activity Levels and Tour Feature Icons

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Tour Descriptions for Cartagena, Spain

BEST OF MURCIA & CARTAGENA

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_01

Discover Murcia, the capital of the province and Cartagena - a crossroad of cultures with a fascinating history dating back 3,000 years. An approximate 1-hour journey through the foothills of the Sierra Carrascoy takes you to Murcia. Settled by the Moors in the 9th century and conquered by the Christians in the 13th century, this bustling city offers an array of architectural delights. Stop at the Monastery of the Virgin of Fuensanta and enjoy a panoramic view of the orchards, one of the most productive in the Mediterranean.

Stop at Cathedral Square, where you'll see the beautiful Baroque style facade of the cathedral, next to the Episcopal Palace. Visit the Royal Casino of Murcia dating back from 1847, it is one of the most historic buildings. Although this is still an active private club, the ground floor is open to the public. After a period of decline in the second half of the 20th century, the building was completely refurbished and many of the rooms were restored to their original splendor. You'll also pass through the Squares of Santo Domingo and Romeo and enjoy free time for lunch on your own before returning to Cartagena for an orientation tour of the city.

In Cartagena, you'll visit the Castle of Conception, built over the remains of the Moorish Alcazar. From this vantage point, enjoy superb views of the city and harbor. Due to the natural protection of the mountains surrounding it, it was chosen as one of the three main naval bases in Spain during the 18th century. The remarkable remains of the Roman Theatre were only discovered back in the late 1980's, it is believed to have accommodated up to 6,000 spectators.

Note: Tour involves approximately 2 1/2 hours of walking over even and cobblestoned streets with approximately 50 steps.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
2	\$135*	\$72*	6½ hours	 German

MURCIA HIGHLIGHTS

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_02

Travel to Murcia, the capital of the province, a bustling city with the charm of a small town. An approximate 1-hour journey through the foothills of the Sierra Carrascoy takes you to Murcia. Settled by the Moors in the 9th century and conquered by the Christians in the 13th century, this bustling city offers an array of architectural delights. Stop at the Monastery of the Virgin of Fuensanta and enjoy a panoramic view of the Murcian orchards, one of the most productive in the Mediterranean.

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Although this is still an active private club, the ground floor is open to the public. After a period of decline in the second half of the 20th century, the building was completely refurbished and many of the rooms were restored to their original splendor. You'll also pass through the Squares of Santo Domingo and Romeo and enjoy some free time for a stroll on your own or shopping.

Note: Tour involves approximately 2 hours of walking over even and cobblestoned streets and approximately 30 steps.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	2	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
		\$62*	\$30*	4 hours	—

JUMILLA'S WINE REGION

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_03

Savor the wines of the province's most important wine-producing region when you visit two of the leading wineries and enjoy the scenic landscapes of the countryside. Jumilla is a small town and the name of the province's most important wine-producing region. Located in an area of wide valleys separated by a chain of mountains, wine has been produced here for centuries. The region began to receive international acclaim for its Monastrell based wines, which accounts for more than 80% of the vines grown here.

You'll visit the BSI winery, the first wine producer of the Jumilla vineyards. You'll learn the history and characteristics of the different wines, followed by a tasting. You'll also visit Vina Elena, founded in 1948, with a long family tradition of winemaking. The bodega invites visitors to take a step back in time and witness the evolution of the business over three generations. Their home-grown range of olive oil and almonds, recently included in its product list, constitutes a new era for the business and pays homage to the three traditional crops of the high-plains of Murcia - vineyards, almond orchards and olive groves. You'll have the opportunity to taste some of their special wines.

Note: Tour involves approximately 1 hour of walking over mostly flat and paved ground with a few steps.


ACTIVITY LEVEL	1	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
		\$93*	\$51*	5½ hours	

A TASTE OF SPAIN – HORSES & FLAVORS

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_04

Enjoy this taste of Spain with the best of Spain presented in dancing, horses and food. This is a show not to be missed! Spanish horses are pure breed and gifted with an ability to learn the intricate steps of Spanish dressage. Schooling of the Lipizzaner and Andalusian dancing horses requires much time and patience on the part of their professional trainers. You'll enjoy fantastic local produce here served with a selection of typical Spanish tapas with wine, offering the best ingredients of the region in a beautiful garden setting. An orientation tour of Cartagena

complements your experience.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
1	\$156*	\$83*	4 hours	

ELCHE'S PALM FOREST – UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE


Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_05

Explore Elche and enjoy the serene beauty of its palm groves, one of the largest in the world and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. You'll also visit the Priest's Garden, housing a wide variety of tropical plants and ponds created to provide an atmosphere of tranquility and repose.

The municipality of Elche has the highest concentration of palm trees in Europe, and your drive into town takes you through part of the palm groves to visit the enchanting Priest's Garden. Admire the abundant variety of Mediterranean plant species as you stroll the serene winding pathways. There's a rock garden, with a superb collection of cacti and succulents. A highlight of the garden is an eight-trunk Imperial Palm - a botanical rarity. You'll be treated to a tasting of locally produced delicacies such as dates, fig bread and date liqueur.

You'll see the beautiful exterior of the Basilica of St. Mary, famous for their annual reenactment of the life of the Virgin Mary. Stroll through the Municipal Park to admire the palm trees and other varieties of plants such as bougainvillea, fig trees, magnolias, bananas and more. The park is dotted with fountains and ponds and offers a spacious cafeteria style restaurant. Enjoy some free time here to explore the beauty of the park, grab a bite or relax and admire your surroundings.

Note: Tour involves approximately 1 1/2 hours of walking over mostly flat, packed sand and paved ground and approximately 30 steps.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
2	\$72*	\$41*	6 hours	

CARTAGENA ON FOOT

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_06

Join your local guide on a walking tour of this fascinating city, inhabited by several cultures since Carthaginian times which have left their mark on its artistic and maritime heritage. Follow your guide to the Panoramic Lift to the Castle of Conception, built over the remains of the Moorish Alcazar. From this vantage point, enjoy superb views of the city and harbor. It was chosen as one of three main naval bases in Spain during the 18th century. The incredible remains of the Roman Theatre were only discovered back in the late 1980's, it is believed to have accommodated up to 6,000 spectators.

Continue your walking tour in the heart of Cartagena and learn why it was a crossroad of cultures and one of the most important cities in the Mediterranean for nearly 3,000 years. In the old quarter you'll find several modernist town houses built between the second half of the 19th century and the first decades of the 20th century. The entrance to the city center, dominated by the Town Hall, is a gem of modernist architecture.

Note: Tour involves approximately 3.5 hours of walking over mostly even terrain, cobblestones, compacted dirt/sand and approximately 30 steps.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	2	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
		\$51*	\$25*	4 hours	—

LA MANGA & ROMAN THEATER

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_07

Enjoy the sights and contrasts of the city of Cartagena and its beautiful coast. Discover ancient Roman remains and white sand beaches. Leaving the city, you'll drive to La Manga Del Mar Menor, The Sleeve of the Little Sea, that has an interesting geographical layout – a chain that stretches along approximately nearly 15 miles/24 km from Cabo de Palos to Punta del Mojón. It is the natural boundary of the salt water lake known as Mar Menor - Little Sea.

Stop at the fishing village of Cabo de Palos and pause to take in the views and snap a few photographs. Of specific interest here is the grey stoned lighthouse, its construction began in 1863 and it was lit for the first time in 1865. The monument stands proudly at the southernmost tip of La Manga. From your coach you'll see the 13 mile long beach and only a thousand feet wide, a popular destination for beach combers and sun worshipers.

Travel back in time when you visit the Roman Theatre Museum, the achievement of architect Rafael Moneo. It was commissioned in 1999 and opened to the public in 2008. Start with the exhibition rooms holding treasures offering more than 2,000 years of history discovered. The theater, discovered in the late 1980's is one of the largest Roman theaters of Hispania, played a very important role during Roman times with an estimated capacity of 6,000 spectators. You'll stand in awe as you exit the museum step into the open space of this magnificent theater. Enjoy some free time in the main pedestrian area of Cartagena.

Note: Tour involves approximately 2 hours of walking over mostly even and cobblestoned terrain and approximately 30 steps.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	2	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
		\$62*	\$30*	4 hours	—


EASY CARTAGENA & LICOR 43 FACTORY

Cartagena, Spain Tour Code: CAR_08

Get acquainted with the highlights of the area with minimal walking and discover one of Spain's most famous liquors which has gained international recognition. Leaving the city, you drive to La Manga Del Mar Menor, The Sleeve of the Little Sea, that has an interesting geographical layout – a chain that stretches along approximately 15 miles/24 km from Cabo de Palos to Punta del Mojón. It is the natural boundary of the salt water lake known as the Mar Menor - Little Sea.

Stop at the fishing village of Cabo de Palos and pause to take in the views and snap a few photographs. Of specific interest here is the grey stoned lighthouse, its construction began in 1863 and it was lit for the first time in 1865. The monument stands proudly at the southernmost tip of La Manga. From your coach you'll see the 13 mile long beach and only a thousand feet wide, a popular destination for beach combers and sun worshipers.

Visit the Licor 43 Museum and Factory and learn the history of this famous liqueur and the legend behind it, with a short video and numerous exhibits. You'll learn about the manufacturing process and have a taste at the chill-out bar. With its light body, and characteristic vanilla and citric sweet flavor, it is one of the most popular liquors in Europe. You'll also see Experiencia 43, an area dedicated to the past, present and future of this brand with memorabilia including all the versions of bottles and promotional items such as posters and ads. You might want to take advantage of their onsite shop and take something back home.

ACTIVITY LEVEL	1	Adults from	Children from	Approximate Duration	Tour Features
		\$72*	\$41*	4 hours	

Activity Levels

- ACTIVITY LEVEL 1** Involves walking over relatively level terrain, possibly some cobblestone, gravel or a few steps. Comfortable shoes are recommended.
- ACTIVITY LEVEL 2** Involves a considerable amount of physical activity such as substantial walking over cobblestone streets, climbing stairs or steep terrain. They're not recommended for guests with walking difficulties. Comfortable, sturdy shoes are recommended.
- ACTIVITY LEVEL 3** Involves physical exertion for extended periods. The terrain may be uneven or steep. It can also indicate a need for swimming in a light current, biking or horseback riding. Recommended only for physically fit and adventurous travelers.

Tour Features Icon Legend



Age Requirement - This tour has specific age requirements.



C-Card - Must present a nationally recognized Scuba certification card, logged a dive within the past 12 months and bring a physician's note if you have a medical condition or are taking medication at the time of cruising.



Debark - Tour will conclude at the airport, a Norwegian Cruise Line program hotel or an assigned central location for your convenience. Guests are responsible for ensuring their debarkation tour is compatible with their departure flight times. Please allow extra time in case of unforeseen delays, and note that the tour will still run in it's entirety. Refer to the details section of the selected tour for more information.



Family Recommended - This tour is great for families.



Flightseeing Tours - Due to aircraft weight and balance limitations, the flight company charges an additional rate for passengers that weigh 250 lbs. or more. Space is capacity controlled, please call 1.866.625.1167 for assistance.



Guests with Disabilities - This tour accommodates guests that are full-time wheelchair users. Guests can remain in their wheelchair for the duration of the Excursion. Please contact the Shore Excursion staff upon boarding to ensure that your needs can be accommodated.



Height Requirement - This tour has specific height requirements.



Hiking - Sturdy walking shoes required.



Limited Mobility - This tour requires guests to transfer from their wheelchair to board the motorcoach (wheelchairs must be collapsible). Guests must be self-sufficient or if assistance is required, they should travel with a companion who can provide this.



Meal - A meal and beverage is provided on this tour.



Outerwear - Outerwear/speciality equipment as noted will be provided by the Tour Operator.



Passport - This excursion crosses an international border so you'll need a valid passport. Some guests from certain countries may also need a visitor's visa.



Shopping - Time permitting, shopping is available on this tour.



Snack - A light snack or refreshment is served on this tour.



Ultimate Tour - With Norwegian's Ultimate Touring, experience custom adventures like yacht charters, VIP tours and small group touring.



Weight Requirement - This tour has specific weight requirements.

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