

TEMPLE BETH EL EXTENSION TO BARCELONA

LED BY RABBI ASHER KNIGHT

Nov 11, 2024 - Nov 13, 2024





REGISTRATION DATES JAN 16, 2024 - AUG 4, 2024

Program is tentative and subject to change. Connect with our Customer Care Team by calling: (888) 230-6008 Mon.-Thur. from 8:00 a.m.

YOUR JOURNEY

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IMPORTANT Please register for the post-trip **after** registering for the main-trip.



PROGRAM ITINERARY

DAY 1

ONTO BARCELONA

Mon. Nov 11, 2024

- Check out of the hotel and transfer to Madrid train station.
- Travel by AVE (high-speed) train to Barcelona.
- Arrive in Barcelona and begin with a panoramic tour of the city, including:
 - Plaza España and the mountain of Montjuic, site of the Olympic Ring, the main stadium of the 1992
 Summer Olympics.
 - Passeig Maritim with its Columbus monument, the world-famous Las Ramblas, Passeig de Gracia,
 Barcelona's main avenue and its Modernist houses designed by Antoni Gaudí.
- Lunch on own at the Boqueria Market.
- 2000 Years of Jewish Life: A walk through the Gothic Quarter. According to archaeological evidence, there was a sizable Jewish community in Catalonia as early as the beginning of the Common Era. For centuries thereafter, the Jews of Barcelona managed their own local affairs and lived relatively well in their own Quarter.
- Visit the Medieval Synagogue discovered in the Call Quarter.
- Check into the hotel.

DAY 2

JEWISH LIFE AGAINST ALL ODDS IN GIRONA & BESALU

Tue. Nov 12, 2024

- Depart the hotel for Girona, one of the most important Jewish historical sites in Spain. Visit the Jewish Quarter, which dates back to the 12th century.
- Tour medieval Girona which was famous for its Kabbalists. It was also the home of the great sage Nachmanides, who defended the Jewish faith in the 13th-century Disputation of Barcelona.
- Visit the Jewish Museum.
- Stop at Besalu, a picturesque medieval town that features one of the best preserved Mikvaot (ritual bath) in all of Europe.
- Return to Barcelona.
- Dinner with members of the local Jewish Community ATID.

DAY 3

UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN

Wed. Nov 13, 2024

Check out of the hotel and transfer to Barcelona Airport for your return flight to the US.

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≜ Meals: Breakfast





RATES & LODGING

PARTICIPANTS

COST P/P IN DOUBLE ROOM

COST P/P IN SINGLE ROOM

10+

\$1,775

\$2,010

BARCELONA: HOTEL BALMORAL

Room Category: Standard



WHAT TO EXPECT

Included

- □ 2 nights' accommodations.
- □ 2 days of touring with a J² Expert Educator and a local guide, in a luxury, air-conditioned bus.
- □ 1 AVE speed train ticket from Madrid to Barcelona.
- Daily breakfast & 1 dinner.
- □ The J² adventures App available on the App Store & on Google Play (active 7 days before your departure and throughout your trip).
- Water on the bus.
- Porterage at the hotels.
- □ All site entrance fees & program fees as per your final program.

Excluded

- Credit card fees.
- □ Flights to & from Spain.
- COVID related expenses, including tests.
- Evening transportation when dinner is not included.
- Amendments to the program: In the event that any sites, programs or meals etc. are added to the program, an additional fee may be required.
- □ Personal extras: Items of personal nature such as laundry, wines, mineral water, beverages, coffee, tea, food other than the table d'hotel menu, passport and visa fees, insurance, and foreign port taxes, unless otherwise specified.
- □ Gratuities are excluded. For groups of 10 and more participants traveling to Spain: We recommend the following guidelines for tipping (amounts are in US dollars): J² Expert Educator: \$14 | Local Guide: \$12 | Driver: \$6. Amounts are per day per person.
- $\hfill \square$ US and foreign airport taxes, Q fuel surcharge and border taxes when applicable.

- □ Please review our terms & conditions (T&C's) or request that we send you our full T&C's. Until you do that, here is the small print, and other stuff you may want to know:
- □ Validity | All prices quoted are based on exchange rates as of the proposal date and are subject to change without notice. Rates are per person and are based on shared twin room occupancy.
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- □ For any assistance with this registration process or other trip-related queries, please email Customer Care: customercare@j2adventures.com.
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