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## **Uzbekistan- The Ancient Silk Route**

**Dates: 25 April to 02 May 2025**

**(Duration- 7 N / 8 D )**

### **Tour Highlights :**

#### **Destinations:**

3 N-Tashkent,1N-Samarkand,1N-Bukhara,1N-Khiva

#### **Activities:**

**Tashkent**- City tour including Hazrati Imam complex, Independence and memory square, Monement of courage, Temur square, TV Tower, Metro Station,Visit to Chimgan Mountains and Charwak Lake, Shopping tour at Alay Bazaar,Samarkand Darwaza mall and Mega Planet Mall, **Samarkand**-Afrasiyab train from Tashkent to Samarkand, city tour: Bukhari Mausoleum, Guri Emir Mausoleum,Siyab Bazaar, **Bukhara**-Afrasiyab train from Samarkand to Bukhara,city tour: Samanids mausoleum, Chhashma Ayyub complex, Bolo Hauz Mosque, Bukhara Carpet showroom, Chor Bakr, Memorial Complex, Folklore Show Dress up in Uzbek dress & Dance with folklore dancers, Lunch at local home **Khiva**- City tour in Icchan Kala, Arabhana Madrassa, Abdullah Khan Madrassa, Dinner at local homes with interaction with Uzbek people

#### **Accommodation:**

**Tashkent**-3 N at 4\* **Royal Stay** or similar,  
**Samarkand**-1N at 4\* **Asia Samarkand Hotel** or similar,  
**Bukhara**-1 N at 4\* **Annur Hotel** or similar,  
**Khiva**-1N at 4\* **Asia Khiva Hotel** or similar

**Meals:** 7 Breakfast, 2 Lunch , 5 Dinner

#### **Travel:**

**2 Bullet Train Tickets, 1 Fast train Ticket,**  
**2 way cable car ticket for Chimgan Mountains**  
**Travel Insurance upto 65 Years, Transport by AC Coach**

**Services:** English Speaking Bilingual Guide, PnF Buddy,



### What makes you choose Uzbekistan as your 'ME' time destination!

*Discover the timeless allure of Uzbekistan, where ancient history and vibrant culture converge to create a captivating tapestry of experiences. From the majestic peaks of the Tien Shan mountains to the historic Silk Road cities of Samarkand, Bukhara, and Khiva, each step unveils a new facet of this enchanting land. Immerse yourself in the rich traditions, architectural wonders, and warm hospitality that define Uzbekistan, promising an unforgettable journey through its storied past and vibrant present.*



## **Day 1- Friday,25<sup>th</sup> April 2025: TASHKENT Arrival – Gateway to the Ancient Silk Route Experience**

Upon your arrival in Tashkent at 23:30 Hrs from India, anticipate about 01 Hour for customs clearance and collecting your luggage. Rest assured, our Airport Executive will be awaiting you outside the airport to assist with your transfer to the hotel. Once checked in, enjoy a well-deserved overnight rest in Tashkent.

**Accommodation:** Royal Stay 4\*or similar



## **Day 2- Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025: Explore Tashkent's Rich Heritage -**

07:00-09:00: Start your day with a delightful buffet breakfast at your hotel's coffee shop. 11:00: Begin your city tour with an excursion through the old part of the city. Visit the **Tashkent metro stations**, marveling at their unique architecture and design. Explore the **Monument of Courage**, a symbol of resilience and strength erected in 1976.

After lunch, continue your exploration with a visit to the **religious complex, Khasti Imam**. Discover the **Kaffal Shashi Mausoleum**, dating back to the 15th century, and the **Barak Khan Madrassah** from the 16th century. Admire the **Muy-Mubarak Mosque**, a revered site housing the well-known **Koran of Khalif Osman** from the 7th century. Conclude your tour with a visit to the **Charsu Bazaar**, a bustling market with a rich history dating back to the 10th century. Enjoy your first dinner in Uzbek local restaurant. Overnight in Tashkent, where history and culture intertwine to create a memorable experience.

**Accommodation:** Royal Stay 4\*or similar    **Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner



### **Day 3- Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025: Experience the Ancient Charms of Khiva:-**

05:00: Check out from your hotel. Enjoy a lunchbox breakfast and proceed to Tashkent domestic airport to catch your Tashkent-Urgench flight (HY051 -06:00-07:15 am).07:30: Arrival in **Urgench**. Transfer to Khiva, where you will arrive at your hotel by 9:00 am. Enjoy your breakfast and take a well-deserved rest in your rooms. (Free early check-in shall be provided).

After refreshing rest, by 11 am embark on a full-day city tour. Explore the rich heritage of this ancient city, visiting iconic landmarks such as the **Ichon Kala**, inner town of old Khiva. Visit: **Ichon-Qala Gates & Walls, Mohammed Amin Khan Medressa - 1850s, Kalta Minor minaret, Kukhna Ark, Mohamed Rakhim Khan Medressa, Sayid Alauddin Mausoleum & Music Museum, Juma Mosque & around. Mosque is interesting for the 218 wooden columns supporting its roof. The few finely decorated columns are from 10th century mosque. Continue city tour & Arabhana Medressa - 17th c., Dost Alyam Medressa, Abdulla Khan Medressa - 1855, Aq Mosque - 1657, Anusha Khan baths, Alloquli Khan Medressa - 1835, Kutlimurodinok Medressa - 1809, Caravansarai, Tosh-Kholy Palace - 1832, Islom-Huja Medressa 1910. Pahlavon Mohammed Mausoleum & Sherghozi Khan Medressa - 1326, Dishon-Qala. Enjoy your first dinner in Uzbekistani local restaurant. Overnight in Khiva, where the echoes of history resonate in every corner, promising an unforgettable experience.**

**Accommodation:** Asia Khiva 4\* or similar

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner



### **Day 4 - Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025: Enjoy First Train ride-Khiva to Bukhara-**

Enjoy early buffet breakfast at your hotel's coffee shop then Check out. 08.00. Check out & transfer to Khiva railway station to take Khiva-Bukhara fast train (08:57 am-14:50pm). On the Way enjoy view of deserts, agricultural fields, rivers, lakes, gardens and life of local people. Arrival Bukhara. After having Lunch at Local restaurant (at your Own) & transfer to the hotel for check in & take some rest. Around 5:30 PM we will meet again at the lobby to proceed for **Mederesh Nodir Devanbagi Madrasa**, dress up in traditional Uzbek dresses, enjoy **Folklore dance show** & dance with folklore dancers. Dinner at Local restaurant. Free time to explore **Bukhara** markets at your own. Visit **old bazaars with domes** which are on the way of tour route for buying traditional handicraft souvenirs. Back to the Hotel for overnight.

**Accommodation:** Hotel Annur 4\* or similar

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner



**Day 5- Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2025: Experience the Timeless Charms of Bukhara & Samarkand Transfers by Bullet Train-**

07:00-09:00 am: Begin your day with a delightful buffet breakfast at your hotel's coffee shop, setting the perfect tone for the adventures ahead. Check out 09:00: Embark on a full-day city tour in Bukhara, immersing yourself in its rich history and cultural heritage. Visit **Bolo-Hauz Mosque** (beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> Bc.), **Samanides Mausoleum** (9-10<sup>th</sup> Bc.), **Chashma Ayub Complex** (14<sup>th</sup> Bc). Then visit **Citadel Ark** (4<sup>th</sup> Bc), **Minaret Kalon** (12<sup>th</sup> Bc.), **Kalyan Mosque** (12<sup>th</sup> Bc.), **Medreseh Miri Arab** (16<sup>th</sup> Bc.). Later visit **Coumpol bazaar**, Continue tour and visit **Minarai Kalon, Masjidi Kalon**. Visit **Chor Bakr, Bahovuddin Naqshbandi Mausoleum, Memorial complex**.

For lunch, indulge in an authentic Uzbek dining experience at a **local traditional guest house**. Enjoy the famed Uzbek rice dish, **Plov** (vegetarian), and engage in a cooking demonstration with the Uzbek family, fostering cultural connections and culinary delights.

14:30: Resume your city tour with visits to the iconic **Minorai Kalon, Masjidi Kalon**, and the exterior of the majestic **Madrasah Mir Arab**. Conclude your tour with a visit to the picturesque **Lyabi Hauz Complex**.

Later, transfer to the Bukhara railway station to board the Bukhara-Samarkand **Afrosiyob train** (15:50-17:20 pm). Upon arrival in Samarkand, transfer to your hotel for check-in and some well-deserved rest.

In the evening, savor a delectable dinner accompanied by traditional Uzbek music at a local restaurant, creating unforgettable memories of your time in Samarkand. Overnight in Samarkand, where the echoes of history blend seamlessly with modern comforts.

**Accommodation:** Asia Samarkand Hotel 4\* or similar

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner



**Day 6- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025: Immerse Yourself in the Rich History of Samarkand: Samarkand to Tashkent by Bullet Train-**

07:00-09:00: Start your day with an early buffet breakfast at the hotel's coffee shop, fueling up for a day of exploration.

09:00: Complete check-out formalities and embark on a captivating half-day city tour of Samarkand. Begin with a visit to the awe-inspiring **Guri Emir Mausoleum**, the final resting place of the **great conqueror Timur**. Explore the **Afrasiyab Museum**, delving into the ancient history of the region, before marveling at the grandeur of **Registan Square**, adorned with three magnificent madrassahs: **Ulughbek, Tillakori, and Sherdar**.

13:30: Indulge in a delectable lunch at the Mubarak Guesthouse restaurant, savoring local flavors and culinary delights. After lunch, continue your exploration with visits to the enchanting **Shahi Zindah Complex**, the historic **Ulughbek Observatory**, and a glimpse of the majestic **Bibi Khanum Mosque** from the outside. Take some time to browse and shop at the bustling **Siyab Bazaar**, where you can find an array of local goods and souvenirs.

Later, transfer to the Samarkand Railway Station to board the Sam-Tash Afrasiyab bullet train (17:30-19:40 am). Along the way, soak in the scenic views of mountains, agricultural fields, rivers, lakes, and the vibrant life of local communities.

Upon arrival in Tashkent, transfer to the hotel for check-in and some well-deserved rest.

Overnight in Tashkent, where the echoes of ancient civilizations blend harmoniously with modernity.

**Accommodation:** Royal Stay 4\* or similar

**Meals:** Breakfast & Lunch



**Day 7- Thursday 01<sup>st</sup> May 2025: Embark on a Scenic Adventure: Chimgan Mountains & Charvak Lake & Departures to India**

**Indulge in a Leisurely Morning:** After enjoying a sumptuous breakfast and some leisurely moments, prepare to check out from your hotel at 10:00 AM. Your next destination awaits as you embark on an excursion to the Charvak and Chimgan mountains, fondly referred to as the Switzerland of Uzbekistan.

**Explore the Scenic Beauty:** Experience the breathtaking vistas as you ascend the mountains via chairlift, capturing mesmerizing photographs along the way. At the summit, immerse yourself in the panoramic views that stretch before you, offering a glimpse of the natural splendor that defines this picturesque region.

**Leisure Time at Charvak Artificial Reservoir:** Spend your afternoon leisurely exploring the Charvak Artificial Reservoir, a haven where locals seek respite from the summer heat with activities like fishing, swimming, and canoeing. Take in the serene surroundings and embrace the tranquility of this idyllic setting.

**Return to Tashkent:** As the day draws to a close, depart from the mountains and embark on the journey back to Tashkent, reflecting on the memorable experiences of the day. If time permits go for last shopping spree in Tashkent. Conclude your adventure with a delicious dinner at an Indian restaurant, savouring the flavours of the local cuisine.

**Departure:** Bid farewell to Uzbekistan as you're transferred to Tashkent International Airport to catch early morning flight on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024 for India, marking the end of your unforgettable journey through the scenic wonders of this captivating destination.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner



### **Accommodation:**

- **Tashkent**- 3 Nights Regal Stay 4\* or similar
- **Samarkand**- 1Night Emir Han 4\* or Similar
- **Bukhara** – 1 Nights Hotel Annur 4\* or similar
- **Khiva**- 1 Night Hotel Asia Khiva 4\* or similar

### **Inclusions:**

- 5% GST
- Accommodation on Twin sharing
- Tashkent to Samarkand and Samarkand to Bukhara economy class Bullet train tickets
- Khiva- Bukhara Economy class fast train Tickets
- 2 way Cable car tickets at Chimang Mountain
- Travel Insurance up to 65 Yrs (Extra supplement applicable above 65 Yrs)
- Meals as per the itinerary
- 2 Water bottle, 0.5Lt everyday
- All sightseeing as per the itinerary
- English speaking guide
- PnF buddy

### **Exclusion:**

- 5% TCS (T&C apply)
- Visa
- Domestic/International Flight Tickets
- Tashkent to Urgench domestic flight tickets
- Meals not mentioned in itinerary
- Extra transfers
- Mandatory Tips of \$ 60 for Guide and Drivers
- Any expenses of personal nature such as tips to drivers, guides, representative laundry expenses, wines, mineral water, food and drinks not in the regular menus provided by us.
- Surcharges if any
- Anything not mentioned in the inclusions
- Early check in and late check out

### **SPECIAL NOTE ABOUT FLIGHTS:**

Please **DO NOT book your flights** till you get a confirmation and a go ahead from our end. Please note that closer to date, airlines may change flight number as well as flight timing, so please consult with your PnF Buddy beforehand.  
NOTE: Confirmed Internal flight details are yet to be published

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## TRIP PRICE

Price on Twin Sharing – **Early Bird- Rs. 105,500/-** per person on twin sharing basis

(Early bird offer available for first 3 bookings or for limited period)

**Regular- Rs. 107,500/-** per person on twin sharing basis

(Single Occupancy Upgrade - **Rs. 30,000+ TCS**) extra

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Look forward to transparent pricing, when you book with us as we mention everything clearly in our sent trip details.

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