

Nasca Lines & Paracas Tour Idea: 3 day / 2 night Private Tour

This tour can be extended to include some extra time in the area to continue exploring or for relaxation.

Hotel choices range from the Las Dunas Hotel in the desert to a range of beach front hotels along the Paracas Coast which include the Libertador Paracas Hotel, the Double tree Hotel & the Hacienda Bahia Paracas Hotel.

Day 1

Today you depart Lima with a private driver & guide to travel south down the coast to the town of **Pisco**. This is a private 3 day 2 night tour to the southern coastal region of Peru. A three hour drive south on the Pan-American Motorway takes you to **Pisco** - home to the potent Pisco Sour cocktail!! From here you will enjoy a 1:30 hour flight on a high-wing light aircraft over the desert and the mysterious **Nasca Lines** (also known as Nasca markings), which can only be appreciated from the air. Even though they are centuries old, how were they made and their purpose are still a mystery. You will also overfly **Palpa Lines** - identical to Nasca Lines- and the new discoveries in Pisco, Ocucaje and Cahuachi, ending with a well known drawing, "El Candelabro", scratched on the highest point of a Cliffside overlooking the bay of Paracas. After this, continue to the Paracas peninsula. The guide & driver @ at your disposal for each day should you wish to visit other local areas not included within the program. Entrance fees to extra visits will be payable locally.

After the flight you will continue to the coast are of Paracas for 2 nights @ your preferred hotel BB. Remember that the driver & guide are at your disposal all day so you could stop en route for lunch or get to the hotel, check-in & then either just relax or use the guide & driver to go off exploring. It is entirely up to you..

Day 2

Breakfast at the hotel. Morning transfer to the embarkation point for the boat ride, with your private guide accompanying you, to the **Ballestas Islands**, inhabited by boobies, pelicans, sea lions and Humboldt penguins. The Candelabra Lines, whose purpose remains unexplained, can be viewed during the trip. Today you take the 8am boat trip to the Ballestas Islands. The Islands are inhabited by boobies, pelicans, sea lions and Humboldt penguins. You then have the afternoon @ leisure or go out & about with your driver & guide. Return along the Pacific coast to Lima and your selected hotel. (B)

Day 3

Private guided transfer to Lima to either the airport to fly to another city, take the International flight home (if KLM or Iberia) or check-in to a Lima Hotel. (B)