

Extend Your Cruise with 3 Nights in Brussels

Overview

Revel in the spirit of the holidays as you explore the intriguing Belgian cities of Brussels, Bruges and Antwerp. View iconic landmarks and stroll historic UNESCO World Heritage Sites, then celebrate the season as you immerse yourself in the festive atmosphere of traditional Christmas markets.

ALL THIS IS INCLUDED:

- 3 hotel nights in Brussels (as shown or similar)
- 4 meals: 3 breakfasts (B); 1 lunch (L)
- 3 guided tours: Panoramic Brussels & Christmas Market; Christmas in Bruges; Antwerp at Christmas
- Fully escorted by your Viking Tour Director
- All transfers

Itinerary

Day 1 – Brussels, Belgium

Arrive in Brussels, where you will be met by your Viking Representative and transfer to your hotel. Depending upon your arrival time, you will have an opportunity to join a guided orientation walk or explore the Belgian capital on your own. Your Viking Tour Director is available to help you plan your time in Brussels so you can make the most of your visit.

Day 2 – Brussels, Belgium

This morning, discover Brussels during a panoramic drive past iconic sights such as the Atomium, the Royal Palace, European Parliament and the Palace of Justice. Cap your tour with a walk through the Old Town to Grand Place and then the Christmas market at Beursplein, where you will enjoy free time to explore the many stalls displaying seasonal handicrafts and more. Browse for the perfect memento, perhaps while sipping on a warm mug of aromatic mulled wine, before returning to your hotel. (B)

Day 3 – Brussels & Bruges, Belgium

Today, enjoy the morning at your leisure, before traveling this afternoon to the charming city of Bruges. Explore the stunning medieval architecture of Bruges's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and admire the bustling Christmas market at Market Square. You will have free time to peruse the different market stalls and perhaps enjoy a delicious Belgian waffle topped with powdered sugar. This evening, you will return to your hotel. (B)

Day 4 – Antwerp, Belgium & Amsterdam, The Netherlands

After breakfast, check out of your hotel and begin your journey to your ship. Along the way, stop in Antwerp for a guided walking tour of its historic Old Town and time to immerse yourself in the festive atmosphere of its Christmas markets. After lunch, continue to Amsterdam, where you will transfer to your awaiting ship. (B, L)

Hotels

First-Class Brussels Hotel

All Viking hotels are selected for their proximity to local sites, English-speaking staff, and overall value for the money. All also include an on-site Viking Host to assist you (during business hours). At the time you book, a hotel room will be reserved for you, with the exact hotel confirmed 6 months prior to your departure (premium hotels are fully confirmed at the time of booking). In Brussels, we use the NH Collection Grand Sablon Hotel or similar.

NOTE:

Optional Shore Excursions: a selection of additional excursions may be available to enhance your extension experience. Optional excursions will be bookable in MyVikingJourney.com when your cruise shore excursions open for sale.

Extension is not available on all departure dates; confirm availability & seasonal pricing when booking. Pricing may vary by departure or activity date. Activity order may vary. Accommodations are subject to change depending on availability; if advertised hotel is not available, a similar hotel will be confirmed. Any included flights are economy class. Luggage restrictions may apply on intra-country flights. Specific details will be provided once program is confirmed. Shore excursions are subject to change and may vary by departure.

The following meals are included for all days as listed: B = Breakfast; L = Lunch; D = Dinner