



## Colombia Classic

**Note:** Price printed on this PDF is valid until **20-12-2025** and is subject to change without notice based on availability and currency fluctuations.

### Private Touring

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**Visit:** Bogotá - Coffee Region - Cartagena

## Detailed Itinerary

**Day 01: Bogotá**

Arrival to El Dorado airport in Bogotá with an intercontinental flight. Reception and transfer to the hotel. Overnight stay.

### Meal Plan

No Meal

## Day 02: Bogotá – Half Day City Tour

After breakfast, enjoy a half day visit to the historic centre of Bogota known as La Candelaria. This archaic suburb has great significance in the country's history due to its cultural heritage and is also a great example of Spanish colonial time architecture. Visit the main square Plaza de Bolivar, where a statue of the great emancipator Simon Bolivar is located. The plaza, originally called the Plaza Mayor, was used for civil and military purposes such as a marketplace, a bullring and it was also the place where many executions were held. The Cathedral, on the eastern side of the plaza, is constructed on the same spot where the first church was built in Bogotá in 1539 and houses an important collection of religious artifacts such as textiles and artworks, collection that has been built over four centuries. The Capilla del Sagrario is located just beside the Cathedral and is a gem of religious architecture, it houses valuable pieces of colonial religious art by Gregorio Vasquez de Arcey Ceballos.

The Capitol, built between 1847 and 1926, shows its renaissance and neoclassical influences with its carved stonework and tall columns and, it was the first example of republican civil architecture. The central area of the Capitol, known as the Elliptic Hall, is where congress meets and is the actual chamber for politicians and the Senate. In the internal squares are busts of former presidents such as General Tomás Cipriano Mosquera, president over four terms, and Rafael Núñez, the composer of the Colombian National Anthem. Around the Plaza de Bolivar are buildings such as the Palacio de Justicia, the Mayor of Bogotá's offices called the Edificio Liévano, the oldest school in the county called San Bartolome and the Casa de los Comuneros, named after the leaders that participated towards the end of the XVII Century in some of the first movements towards independence from Spain and the formation of the Republic. The visit continues with the Botero Museum, a colonial house exhibiting some of Fernando Botero's works of art and in addition pieces from his own personal collection that includes works by Picasso, Renoir, Dalí Matisse, Monet and Giacometti. Next is the Gold Museum which has a permanent exhibition of some 32,000 pieces of gold, 20,000 stones, ceramics and textiles all precious to the Quimbaya, Calima, Tayrona, Sinu, Muisca, Tolima, Tumaco and Magdalena cultures. The Gold Museum is considered one of the most important museums of its type internationally and it has been operating since 1939. In 2007 it underwent a complete renovation making it possible for visitors to enjoy an interactive experience. The Museum belongs to the International Network of Museums (ICOM). Free afternoon for individual activities. Overnight stay.

NOTE: The Gold Museum is closed on Mondays & the Botero Museum is closed on Tuesday.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

## Day 03: Bogotá – Pereira – Half Day Coffee Process Finca del Café

After breakfast, transfer to El Dorado Airport in Bogotá for departure flight to Pereira. Upon arrival, transfer to Finca del Café, a place where coffee tastes better when you live the experience of the farm. Once you reach the farm, enjoy half day visiting the Finca del Café, a place where coffee tastes better when you live the experience of the farm. Once you reach the farm, the tour begins with an expert who will take you through the coffee plantations, showing you how is the process from planting, manual picking and pulping. After this, you will toast the beans of special coffee in a wood stove in the typical kitchen of the country house, here you can have an authentic coffee experience. During the tour, you will have several stations with viewpoints made in bamboo where you will appreciate the coffee landscape and the natural environment of the place. Finally, you will go to the innovative drying process of the coffee bean and then to the coffee processing center. Transfer to the hotel and check-in. Overnight stay. **RECOMMENDATION:** It is recommended to use sunscreen and comfortable closed-toe shoes such as tennis shoes.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

## Day 04: Pereira - Valle del Cocora & Filandia - Pereira

In the morning leave for the Valle de Cocora which is located in the central mountains of the department of Quindío. This makes part of the Parque Nacional de los Nevados and is the ideal place to marvel at the “Quindian wax palm” (*Ceroxylon quincense*), the national tree of Colombia. This tree can reach a staggering height of 60m. Around here a great number of species of birds live, in particular some types of hummingbird and the orejamarillo or the palm parrot (*Ognorhynchus icteroti*) which is endangered. Upon arrival in the valley, either hiking or on horseback (not included), head into the cloud forest to enjoy the biodiversity of flora and fauna. On the return journey, cross the River Quindío while walking along an ecological pathway which takes one past the tallest wax palms in the world. Learn why the indigenous people here worshipped this tree. Then you can have a typical lunch (not included) and enjoy some free time here.

In the afternoon, continue 10km towards the traditional town of Salento to enjoy a city tour that visits the Plaza de Bolívar with its colorful balconies, the calle real, the handicrafts shops and the Cocora viewpoint.

Then, transfer to the traditional village of Filandia to enjoy a city tour that includes the viewpoint, the colonial homes, the Plaza de Bolivar and the coffee shops. Here, enjoy some time soaking up the regional atmosphere and perhaps some local spirits before returning to the hotel. Overnight stay.

**NOTE:** We suggest bringing rain jacket and walking boots.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast and Lunch

## Day 05: Pereira – Cartagena

Breakfast. Transfer to Pereira airport for departure by flight to Cartagena. Upon arrival, transfer, and hotel check-in. Overnight stay.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

### Day 06: Cartagena - Half Day Panoramic City Tour

After breakfast, start with a panoramic view of the city from the Monasterio and Iglesia de La Popa. Formerly known as the “Popa del Galeon” and famous for resembling the stern of a galleon. Constructed in 1606 this church and monastery are located at a height of 140masl from where one can enjoy 360° views of the city and the sea as well as the port zone, one of the most important in the Caribbean. Continuing to the San Felipe Fortress, erected in honor of the poet from Cartagena, Don Luis Carlos López, made famous for his sonnet “A mi ciudad nativa” It was built on San Lázaro hill to defend the city from pirate attacks. Walk around the fortress and learn how the castle was constructed, the engineering feats, the tunnels, underground galleries and passageways. Then continue on to the Ciudad Vieja (old city) to visit the Convent and Church of San Pedro Claver which was built in the middle of the XVII century and owes its name to the “apóstol de los esclavos”. Lastly, continue to the handicrafts zone of the Bovedas, a collection of archways built into the city wall of Cartagena and that were used until the end of the 1700s to house armaments and then later as a prison in the XIX century. Nowadays it’s an artisan center where one can appreciate local handcraft. Free afternoon for individual activities. Overnight stay.

NOTE: The San Pedro Church is temporarily closed on Mondays.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

### Day 07: Cartagena

Day at leisure.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

### Day 08: Cartagena

Breakfast and transfer to the airport for taking the departure flight.

### Meal Plan

Breakfast

### Inclusion

Meals detailed in the quotation

Private transfers & excursions with English speaking guide.

Transfers: Our transfer rate includes transportation for one suitcase per person up to 23 kg (50 pounds) plus one hand luggage. If you plan to travel with additional luggage, please notify us in advance to assign a vehicle with sufficient capacity for the transfer. Bear in mind that this change may generate additional costs.

Accommodation in 4\* properties. In all hotels, check-in time is from 3:00 pm and check-out between 11:00 am-1:00pm. Early check-in or late check-out are not included, unless specified in the quote

### Exclusion

Extra expenses not indicated in description.

Domestic & International Flights

Airport Tax

Additional expenses not specified.

Tips.

Please note that services in Bogota booked at night (20:00 - 6:00) will have an increase in the cost.

Please ask for supplement. Please note that land services in Cartagena booked at night (21:00 - 6:00) will have a 20% increase in the cost.

### Note

#### Hotels Used Or Similar

Bogotá - Novotel Parque 93 \*\*\*\*

Pereira - Sazagua Hotel Boutique \*\*\*\*\*SUP

Cartagena - Anandá Hotel Boutique \*\*\*\*

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#### High Season

In Pereira Sazagua Hotel Boutique - The rate is NOT valid for the following dates: 01.01.26 - 15.01.26 / 27.03.26 - 05.04.26 / 01.07.26 -31.08.26 / 02.10.26 -12.10.26 / 15.12.26 -31.12.26.

In Cartagena Hotel Boutique Ananda - The rate is not valid during the following periods: 03.01.26 - 15.01.26 / 28.03.26 - 04.04.26 / 27.12.26 - 02.01.27. Note: Twin accommodation is only allowed in Deluxe room. A supplement per night per person will apply for twin accommodation.

This is a quotation only. Bookings are not being held.

Availability and rates are subject to change at the moment of booking confirmation.

The itineraries are planned with great detail, although for operational reasons it may be necessary to change the order of activities in the itinerary.

Some services may be interrupted or canceled due to weather conditions, force majeure, strikes, etc., or others beyond the control of hotels, airlines, local suppliers.

## Tour Dates & Pricing

**15 Jan 2026 to 15 Dec 2026**

### Pricing

AU\$5,190.08 Per Single

AU\$3,576.45 Per Twin

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