



## Al Ula Drive and Stay (#20987)

**Note:** Price printed on this PDF is valid until **16-05-2025** and is subject to change without notice due to Partner changes and currency fluctuations

### Trip Highlights

Al Ula

### Detailed Itinerary

#### Day 01

#### Day 01: Al Ula Arrival

Arrival at AL ULA airport, after formalities, you will be able to direct yourself to the BUDGET car rental representative waiting for you. After the car formalities are done , you will receive the keys , and you will be ready to discover the region. Drive to your hotel. Check in at hotel . Overnight in AL ULA.

**Meal:** No Meal



### Day 02

### Day 02: Al Ula and Dedan

Breakfast at the hotel. This morning we propose to discover Al-Ula which is an ancient oasis that is inhabited for the last 7000 years. During the 1st millennium BCE the city of Dedan develops thanks to its strategic location on the frankincense trade road to become one of the oldest Arabian kingdoms that ruled over most of what is today Tabuk and Madinah provinces. Continue to Jebel Ikma that, with its amazing and numerous rock inscriptions, looks an open-air museum. We continue then to the Old city of Al-Ula that became at the beginning of the Islamic era an important staging post along the pilgrimage route to Mecca. Then we will visit the ancient sites of Ekma and Abu 'Aoud where the people of the oasis wrote texts in ancient scripts that we will decipher for you. We can finish this special day on top of the Harrat Al-Uwayrid for an amazing viewpoint of the oasis of Al-Ula. At the end of the afternoon, drive to hotel. Accommodation in Al-Ula.

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 03

### Day 03: Hegra, The Iconic Archeological Gem of Arabia: HEGRA - AL ULA (Departure)

Breakfast at the hotel. Today we can start our journey with the visit of the famous Hegra (Madain Saleh) which is the first site of Saudi Arabia that was listed as UNESCO World Heritage site. Madain Saleh, whose original name was Al-Hijr or Hegra in Greek, is the southernmost important city of the Nabatean Kingdom that flourished thanks to the caravan trade between the 2nd century BCE until the Roman conquest in 106 CE. It is the second richest Nabatean city in terms of monumental tombs with 94 decorated funeral monuments including some of the most vibrant and well conserved architectural prowess of the Nabateans builders. You can lead through this fascinating site and reveal to you the secrets of its tombs, ancient inscriptions, stone structures, and many others. Then you can head towards Jibal Al-Rukab & Leopard trail. You can also visit Jebel Al-Fil for a relaxing time next to the "Elephant rock". Depending of your flight schedule, you will drive back to the airport for your departure. You can return the car in the airport of AL ULA ,go to the car rental RETURN parking , handover your car to the BUDGET team , and direct yourself to the departure area.

**Meal:** Breakfast

## Inclusions

Personalized meet & assist upon arrival at AL ULA airport in English.

3 days car rental in AL ULA including CDW insurance and 300km / day.

Car category C – Toyota Corolla or similar.

Road Book: what to do in AL ULA.



Assistance 24 / 24 of our staff.

Accommodation in the above-mentioned hotels or same hotel category according to the periods mentioned.

Daily Buffet breakfast at the hotel.

Local taxes.

## **Exclusions**

Flights

Excess Mileage

Additional Insurance

Optional excursions

Porterage & Personal expenses

Visa fees if needed

## **Note**

Hotel Used or Similar

3 star

Al Ula - Sahary

4 star

Al Ula - Shaden Resort

Supplement for 4x4 Toyota Prado or similar (Per car for all pax) AUD 781

Arrival dates - Every day until further notice.

RAMADAN 27/02/2025 – 29/03/2025 (Subject to change depending on moon siting).

Supplement for New Year (with Gala Dinner) AUD 659 PP (29 Dec to 02 Jan)

## **Program Touring / Guide**

Private touring



## Periodic Departure

01 May, 2025 to 31 Dec, 2025

3 Star

AUD 994 P P twin share

AVAILABLE

4 Star

AUD 1,699 P P twin share

AVAILABLE

