



## Self Drive - Mayan World - 10 Days (#20182)

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### Trip Highlights

Cancun-Valladolid-Mérida-Campeche-Xpujil-Bacalar-Playa del Carmen

### Detailed Itinerary

#### Day 01

#### Day 1: Cancun

Arrival at Cancun International Airport. Pick-up of our car and check-in at the selected hotel.

**Meal:** No Meal

#### Day 02

#### Day 2: Cancun - Valladolid



By car, go from Cancun to the Magic Town of Valladolid. Day at the Selva Maya cenote. Cenotes are freshwater natural “swimming-pools”, having several shapes, whose formation remains a mystery. Places of Mayan sacrifices and ceremonies, they are today widely visited by locals and tourists looking for a unique and refreshing experience. This cenote is of the well type. Buffet meal on site.

**Meal:** Breakfast

#### Day 03

#### Day 3: Valladolid - Mérida

This day, you will meet your guide at Chichén Itzá entrance (guided visit included).

Considered one of the Seven Wonders of the Modern World and listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, Chichén Itzá is undoubtedly the best-known archaeological site in the Mayan world. Among its constructions, discovery of the Ball Game, where it is possible to decipher certain rules of this sacred ritual on its walls, and of the Castillo de Kukulcán, the pyramid where, every year, a rare phenomenon occurs for the equinox of summer.

Then, we recommend you to visit Izamal (visit not included), a small town where all the facades of the historic centre were painted yellow to receive Pope John Paul II. Finally, arrive to Mérida and check-in at your hotel.

**Meal:** Breakfast

#### Day 04

#### Day 4: Mérida

3-hour gastronomic tour to discover the flavors of the Yucatan. You will first discover two specialized taco restaurants that will surprise you (2 tacos of your choice to taste in each restaurant). Then, head to Santa Ana Market where another tasting awaits you. Finally, at Santiago Park, you will discover “street” gastronomy.

Free afternoon in Mérida.

**Meal:** Breakfast

#### Day 05

#### Day 5: Mérida



Free day. Our recommendation (not included): visit the Ría Celestún Biosphere Reserve by boat, a place of incredible beauty where it is possible to observe colonies of pink flamingos and a wide variety of birds in their natural habitat (in season). Enjoy this day to connect with the local nature.

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 06

#### Day 6: Mérida - Campeche

Free morning in Mérida. In the afternoon, departure towards Uxmal where you will meet your local guide. Enjoy a visit of Uxmal, one of the most impressive Mayan archaeological site. Legend says that this beautiful city was built by a fortune teller in one night. The elegant architecture of the city, the majestic masks representing the god Chaac which adorn the facades of the buildings, the Ball Game as well as its imposing public squares. Then, drive to Campeche.

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 07

#### Day 7: Campeche - Xpujil

Before leaving towards Xpujil, enjoy some free time in Campeche. The city is part of the UNESCO World Heritage.

On the way, you can also visit the Santa Barbara cenotes for a fresh stop. Then, arrival in Xpujil and check-in at the hotel.

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 08

#### Day 8: Xpujil - Bacalar

Departure towards Bacalar, the 7 colours lagoon and free time.

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 09

#### Day 9: Bacalar - Tulum - Playa del Carmen



Drive from Bacalar to Tulum where you will meet your local guide. Discover Tulum, an archaeological area by the sea located in the Magical Village of the same name, in the Riviera Maya. It is a spectacular site due to its location, at the top of a cliff, overlooking the turquoise waters of the Caribbean Sea. Drive to Playa del Carmen and free time.

**Meal:** Breakfast

#### Day 10

#### Day 10: Playa del Carmen - Cancun

At the appropriate time, drive to Cancun Airport to take your return flight. You will leave your car at the airport directly.

**Meal:** Breakfast

## Inclusions

Cancun: 1 night in hotel Rey del Caribe (standard room).

Valladolid: 1 night in hotel Fundadores (standard room).

Mérida: 3 nights in hotel Caribe (standard room).

Campeche: 1 night in Hotel Castelmar (standard room).

Xpujil: 1 night in Hotel Chicanna Ecovillage (standard room).

Bacalar: 1 night in hotel Aire Bacalar (standard room).

Playa del Carmen: 1 night in Hotel Mariachi (standard room).

Daily breakfast.

Car rental with Hertz, LDW insurance:

Chevrolet Cavalier or similar for 2 pax.

Mitsubishi Expander or similar for 4 and 6 pax.

Visits and entrance fees as described with English Speaking guide. Included: Selva Maya cenote, Chchén Itzá private guided visit, Street food tour in Mérida in shared services, Uxmal private guided visit, Tulum private guided visit.

Taxes.

## Exclusions

Flight tickets

Meals not described

Visits not described



Tips

Personal expenses

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BLACK-OUT DATES: 15/12/2025 - 31/12/2025

## Program Touring / Guide

Private touring

## Periodic Departure



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