

**PREMIUM**

# 13D10N ITALY, SWITZERLAND AND FRANCE

TOUR CODE: ECERPW

Revel in the rich history and culture Europe as you catch a glimpse of ancient Rome as you wander on the streets of Italy, immerse yourself in the natural beauty of Switzerland, and bask in France's art and culture.



CANAL GRANDE WITH BASILICA DI SANTA MARIA DELLA SALUTE IN VENICE, ITALY



## HIGHLIGHTS

### ITALY

#### ROME

- Vatican City
- St. Peter's Basilica
- Sistine Chapel / Vatican Museum (Entrance included)

#### COLLOSSEUM

- Trevi Fountain

#### SIENA

- Chiantishire
- Historic Centre

#### PISA

- Piazza del Miracoli
- Leaning Tower of Pisa

#### TUSCANY

- The Mall
- Factory Outlet

#### VENICE ISLANDS

- St. Mark's Square
- Doge's Palace
- Bridge of Sighs
- Glass blowing factory

#### MILAN

- Sforza Castle
- Milan Cathedral
- La Scala Opera House
- Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II

### GERMANY

#### BADEN-WÜRTTEMBERG

- Lake Titisee in Black Forest

### SWITZERLAND

#### SWISS RIVIERA

- Montreux
- Marché de Noël Christmas Market

#### INTERLAKEN

- Lake Thun & the Alps
- View overlooking the Jungfrau

#### LUCERNE

- Old Chapel Bridge
- Old Town
- Bucherer
- Lion Monument

### FRANCE

#### PARIS

- Champs-Élysées
- Arc de Triomphe
- Place de la Concorde
- Louvre Museum
- Louvre Pyramid
- Eiffel Tower (Entrance Included)
- Galeries Lafayette Rhône-Alpes
- Évian-les-Bains



## EXCLUSIVES

- Sledging activity on Europe longest sledge run - Mt Bussalp
- Stay 5★ hotel in Venice Islands
- Stay 2 nights 5★ hotel in Paris City Centre
- Sistine Chapel and Vatican Museum visit

### DAY 1 HOME ▶ ROME

#### Meals on Board

Assemble at Singapore Changi Airport and take-off to **Rome**.

### DAY 2 ROME

#### Lunch – Local Fare, Chinese Dinner

Start the day with a **guided tour of Rome**, with the first stop at **Vatican City**. Revel at the masterpiece of the **Sistine Chapel**, whose stunning frescoed ceiling was painted by the renowned sculptor Michelangelo himself. See the immense collections of artworks in the Vatican Museums, and feast your eyes upon the intricate details of **St. Peter's Basilica**. Wonder at the magnificent sight of the **Colosseum** on a tour in the largest amphitheatre ever built with its capacity of up to 80,000. Pass by the **Roman Forum**, the heart of ancient Rome, with its archaic buildings and shrines including the ancient former royal residence. **Piazza Venezia** is located a short walk away with a massive monument dedicated to the first King of Italy. Then, marvel at the masterpiece of **Trevi Fountain**, the city's largest Baroque fountain.

*Note: Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel may be replaced with Colosseum without notice.*

### DAY 3 ROME ▶ SIENA ▶ THE MALL ▶ TUSCANY

#### Breakfast, Tuscan Florentine Steak dinner with wine

Escape from the city and make your way to the picturesque **Medieval Village in Chiantishire**, a delightful stretch of countryside located in **Sienna**. Explore the winding streets in the **historic centre of Sienna**, a well-preserved city that was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Stop by the **Sienna Cathedral**, one of Italy's top Gothic cathedrals decorated with intricate carvings and statues. Capture stunning photos at the **Piazza del Campo**, known for its architectural beauty as one of Europe's greatest medieval squares and see the **Palazzo del Comune**, a Renaissance town hall. In the afternoon, spend some time in shopping heaven at the **The Mall Factory Outlet** with over 100 brand boutiques selling everything from clothes and cosmetics to appliances and shoes. With great buys of up to 70% discount from prominent brands like Prada, D&G, Furla, Lacoste, Polo Ralph Lauren and Calvin Klein, no one is likely to leave empty-handed.

#### Overnight in Tuscany Region

## DELICACIES

### Meal Plan

10 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 4 Dinners

### Specialities

- 3-course Tuscan Florentine Steak dinner with wine
- 4-course Swiss fondue combo dinner
- 3-course French dinner
- 3-course German Pork Knuckle with Black Forest Cake

## 4-5★ HOTELS

**ROME** Novotel - 4★

**TUSCANY** Art Miro - 4★

**VENICE** Hilton Molino Stucky - 5★

**MILAN** Hilton/Radisson Blu - 4★

**FRENCH RIVIERA** Hilton - 4★

**INTERLAKEN** Lindner Grand Hotel Beau Rivage - 5★

**LUCERNE** Lakeside Hotel - 4★

**LORRAINE** Novotel/Mercure - 4★

**PARIS** Renaissance - 5★

*\*Note: Hotels subject to final confirmation. Should there be changes, customers will be offered similar accommodations as stated in this list.*

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## DAY 4

### TUSCANY > PISA > VENICE ISLANDS

#### Breakfast

After breakfast, head into **Pisa's Piazza dei Miracoli** to kickstart your day with their iconic attractions: the **Leaning Tower of Pisa, the Baptistery**, and the **Cathedral**. In the afternoon, have the opportunity to visit **Florence** by joining an optional tour that brings you to the **Basilica of Santa Croce, Ponte Vecchio, Palazzo Vecchio**, and **Piazzale Michelangelo**. Spend the night in a luxurious 5-star Hilton hotel on **Venice's Islands**.

*Note: A 2-way potorage service will be provided to Hilton Molino Stucky on Venice's Islands.*

*Optional: Florence City Tour*

## DAY 5

### VENICE ISLANDS > MILAN

#### Breakfast, Lunch - Local Fare

Board a unique water taxi that will take you to Venice's city centre and set of on a tour of **St. Mark's Square** and the famous **St. Mark's Basilica** – nicknamed the 'church of gold' due to its opulent design and gold mosaics. Swing by the **Doge's Palace** and the **Bridge of Sighs**, two of Venice's main landmarks, for some momentous pictures. Lastly, visit a glass blowing factory to learn more about the art of Murano glassmaking, an elite trade unique to Venice.

## DAY 6

### MILAN > ÉVIAN-LES-BAINS

#### Breakfast

The first stop of the day is a visit to the **Sforza Castle**, a fortress once home to noble lords of Milan. Drop by the grandiose **Milan Cathedral** for shots of the elaborate Gothic exterior façade. Next, take a shopping trip through the **Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II** leading to the **Piazza della Scala** where a statue monument of Leonardo da Vinci is located. Stop by the lavish **La Scala Opera House** for some pictures before we move on to **Switzerland** via the **Great St. Bernard Tunnel**. Enjoy the spectacular view of **Mont Blanc** and its surroundings as we make our way to **Évian-les-Bains**, renowned for its Evian springs and source of the famous Evian mineral water. Enjoy Christmas shopping at the **Montreux Marché de Noël Christmas Market** and immerse yourself in their festivities (**only valid 22 Nov – 23 Dec 2018**).

## DAY 7

### ÉVIAN-LES-BAINS > SWISS RIVIERA > MONTREUX > INTERLAKEN SLEDGING

#### Breakfast, Dinner – Swiss Fondue Combo

Journey to **Montreux** and stop by the impressive 1000-year-old **Chillon Castle** for pictures. In the afternoon, prepare for a day filled with endless fun and activities as you board a specially designed **Snow Bus** for a comfortable ride up to **Mt. Bussalp**. Enjoy marvellous views of the Jungfrau's snowy peaks as you sledge through the various obstacle courses on the 7.6km long sledge run; the longest in Europe. As night falls, enjoy a 4-course Swiss fondue combo dinner at the Swiss-themed **Bebbis Restaurant** in **Interlaken**.

*Note: Prior to the opening of the sledging activities, the mountain excursion will be replaced with Glacier 3000 or Mt Titlis.*

## DAY 8

### INTERLAKEN > LUCERNE

#### Breakfast

In the morning, you may wish to embark on an optional scenic railway trip to **Kleine Scheidegg** mountain pass, a famous ski resort area, to admire the passing **scenic valleys and the Glacier Falls**, as well as the iconic peaks of **Mt. Eiger, Monch** and **Jungfrau**. In the afternoon, visit the **Old Chapel Bridge**, the oldest wooden bridge in Switzerland decorated with old paintings under its roof. Enjoy a walking tour of **Lucerne's Old Town** with its characteristic Renaissance architecture. Here, you will find **Bucherer**, the largest dutyfree store in Switzerland. Drop by the **Lion Monument** – to commemorate the valour of the Swiss mercenary soldiers who lost their lives serving King Louis XVI during the French Revolution.

*Optional: Kleine Scheidegg*

## DAY 9

### LUCERNE > TITISEE > LORRAINE REGION

#### Breakfast, Black Forest Lunch, Dinner – 3-course French Fare

Kickstart your day with a visit to the enchanting **Black Forest in Germany** and indulge in an authentic Black Forest lunch. Make your way to **Lake Titisee** to attend a demonstration on cuckoo-clock making. Enjoy a 3 course French dinner before overnight in Lorraine region.

## DAY 10

### LORRAINE REGION > PARIS

#### Breakfast, Lunch - Chinese Fare

Begin your **Paris** adventure with a guided tour of the city – take in the sights of **ChampsÉlysées, Place de la Concorde, Louvre Museum** with its iconic **Louvre Pyramid**, and the **Palais Garnier Paris Opera House**. Stop at the **Arc de Triomphe**,

a famed monument erected in honour of the soldiers who fought in the Napoleonic Wars. Visit the cultural icon of Paris – the **Eiffel Tower** for a panoramic view over Paris from the **second level**, then head over to the **Galleries Lafayette** – the biggest department store in Paris for souvenir shopping (subject to store's operating hours).

*Note: The Galleries Lafayette closed on Christmas Day and New Year's Eve.*

*You may need to queue for Eiffel Tower due to security checks. If the timing is unsuitable, it will be replaced with Montparnasse Tower.*

## DAY 11

### PARIS

#### Breakfast

Enjoy a free day of leisure, shopping or sightseeing at your pleasure. You may wish to enjoy optional activities: a scenic **Seine River** cruise or a **Moulin Rouge** show.

*Optional: Paris Full Day / Seine River Cruise*

## DAY 12

### PARIS > HOME

#### Breakfast, Meals on Board

Leisurely enjoy the rest of the day till it is time to transfer to the airport for your flight home.

## DAY 13

### HOME SWEET HOME

We hope you enjoyed your vacation with EU Holidays and we look forward to seeing you again for your next trip.

#### Suggested Excursions:

*Additional activities that complement your holidays will be at your own discretion and is entirely optional.*

*\*minimum group size may apply*

- Florence City Tour: €49 / €39
- Kleine Scheidegg: CHF139 / CHF119
- Seine River Cruise: €25
- Full Day Paris Tour: €65 / €55
- Moulin Rouge €159 (seasonal)

*Tippling Guideline: (based on 13D10N)*

- €91 per person

#### Note:

- A minimum group size of 15 passengers is required for a confirmed departure.
- The sequence of the itinerary, flight schedules and hotels are subject to change without prior notice in the event of unforeseen circumstances.
- Winter activities are subject to weather conditions.
- During major events, accommodation may be re-located to outside of the city or in another city without prior notice.
- Eiffel Tower may be changed to Montparnasse without notice.
- In the event if Vatican Musuem and Sistine Chapel is closed/ tickets sold out, it will be replaced with Colosseum entrance