



# Sydney Safari

**13 to 16 April 2019**

## Day 1 | 13 April

This morning we fly from Brisbane to Sydney. Note, if you live outside of the Brisbane/Gold Coast/Sunshine Coast areas we will book your flight from your nearest regional airport.

Your tour begins with a visit to Bronte Beach followed by a coastal walk to Bondi Beach, home to the reality TV lifesavers who patrol Australia's busiest beach. You are responsible for buying your own lunch today but there are plenty of different options to choose from.

After lunch we set off for a city sights tour that includes some of Sydney's most famous landmarks: the Opera House, Sydney Harbour Bridge and Botanical Gardens. Later, you can shop for gifts at Paddy's Markets, located just a short walk from our hostel accommodation. After dinner, we'll head to the bright lights of Luna Park where you can test your luck in sideshow alley or have fun on the rides.

*Meals included: Breakfast*

## Day 2 | 14 April

Our day starts early to make the most of our time in the stunning Blue Mountains. Please note, it can get a bit

cooler here, so pack a warm jacket.

Our first stop is Katoomba to visit the Three Sisters, starting at the Information Centre to learn about the history of this imposing mountain range. National Park Rangers will take us on a guided walk of the Blue Mountains Heritage Trail to show us the local flora and fauna living in the National Park so you may spot a koala or two.

There is time to explore the rainforest floor before we take a ride on the Scenic Railway, one of the steepest funicular railways in the Southern Hemisphere. After a well-earned rest we'll check out the quaint shops and cafes of Katoomba and return to Sydney by early evening.

*Meals included: Breakfast and Dinner*

## Day 3 | 15 April

Today we travel to Circular Quay to see Sydney Harbour from its best vantage point - on the water! Prepare to get wet as we take a thrilling Jet Boat Ride before walking to Mrs Macquarie's Chair for some great photo opportunities.

You'll have some free time to explore the Rocks area and choose somewhere to buy your lunch (at your expense). Afterwards, we'll climb the 200 steps up

to the Pylon Lookout located 87 metres above sea level where you'll take in spectacular panoramic views and learn about the history and construction of the Sydney Harbour Bridge. We return to the hostel for dinner.

*Meals included: Breakfast and Dinner*

## Day 4 | 16 April

We'll explore more of Sydney this morning, including Darling Harbour which is known as the city's 'playground for all ages'. Here, you also have the option to explore the waterfalls, lakes, exotic plants, pavilions and hidden pathways of the Chinese Gardens of Friendship (the cost of around \$8 is payable by you directly). Finally, it's time to say goodbye to your new friends before we catch the 3.00pm flight to arrive back in Brisbane at 4.30pm.

*Meals included: Breakfast*

## Price for 2019

**\$995 pp + flights (inc. GST)**

*Applications close 2 April 2018*