

BEST OF PERU

TOUR TO THE BALLESTAS ISLANDS AND NAZCA LINES FROM LIMA

HISTORY, CULTURE, ADVENTURE AND MUCH MORE

"Start with an early pickup and then travel to Paracas Bay, where a speedboat tour will reveal the stunning Ballestas Islands and the mysterious Candelabra geoglyph. Next, proceed to Nazca for an aerial tour over the iconic Nazca Lines in a Cessna aircraft."



ABOUT

Tour to the Ballestas Island and Nazca Lines from Lima

“FROM CANDELABRA TO SEA LIONS: EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC OF BALLESTAS ISLANDS”

Discover the breathtaking Ballestas Islands on a boat tour that showcases the natural beauty of Peru's coast. First, marvel at the enigmatic Candelabra, a giant geoglyph etched into the hillside and visible only from the sea. Then, as you cruise around the islands, you'll encounter a vibrant array of wildlife, including playful sea lions, charming Humboldt penguins, and flocks of seabirds.



“SPOT HUMBOLDT PENGUINS: A UNIQUE ADVENTURE ON THE BALLESTAS ISLANDS”

Experience the thrill of spotting Humboldt penguins in their natural habitat during our Ballestas Islands boat tour! First, see these charming black-and-white birds as they waddle along the rocky shores or swim gracefully in the sea. Additionally, while you cruise through the pristine waters, keep your eyes peeled for these delightful penguins and, consequently, witness their playful antics up close.



UNRAVEL THE MYSTERIOUS PURPOSE OF THE NAZCA LINES”

The purpose of the Nazca Lines continues to be one of history's greatest enigmas. Despite extensive research and numerous theories, the exact reason behind these vast and intricate geoglyphs remains elusive. Scholars have proposed various explanations, ranging from their use as astronomical calendars to align with celestial events, to serving as pathways for religious rituals and ceremonies.



“MARVEL AT INGENUOUS CONSTRUCTION”

The Nazca Lines are a masterpiece of ancient engineering wrapped in enigma. To begin with, the builders used a fascinating technique to create these colossal and intricate geoglyphs: they meticulously removed the top layer of reddish-brown pebbles, thereby revealing the lighter-colored earth beneath. This method was not only ingenious in its simplicity but also crucial in preserving these designs for centuries.



EXPLORE THE BEST OF SOUTHERN PERU

BALLESTAS ISLANDS AND NAZCA LINES



Nazca Lines Desert

TOUR DESCRIPTION

04:30 h. You will be picked up from your hotel in Lima and then will travel by private transportation to the Paracas Bay (the private transportation is shared with other tourist). The car ride to the Paracas Bay lasts about 3 hours. Upon arrival in Paracas you will be met by our local guide at the port and afterwards you will be led to the local dock of El Chaco where you will board a speed boat to visit the Ballestas Islands.

Part II: During our boat excursion to the Islands, you'll see several attractions, including the massive Candelabra design etched into a hillside, clearly visible from the sea.



Starting Point
Your hotel in Lima.



Departure Time:
04:30 h.



Return Time:
22:00 h. approx.

PRICE
\$395
per person

*“From the Marine Life of
Ballestas Islands to the
Ancient Nazca Lines”*

Our guide will explain its key theories. We'll then explore the Ballestas Islands, where you can observe various birds like Peruvian Bobbies, Inca Terns, Pelicans, and Cormorants, along with sea lions on the beaches. If you're lucky, you might also spot Humboldt Penguins and dolphins. Note that landing on the islands is not permitted, so the tour will be conducted entirely by boat. Afterward, we'll return to the mainland and continue our journey to Nazca.

Once in Nazca, you'll head to the local airdrome for a small plane flight over the Nazca Lines. Before boarding, you'll watch a 40-minute video about the Nazca Lines and their archaeological significance. Then, you'll board a Cessna aircraft with room for five, each with a window seat. During the flight, you'll see notable figures like a monkey, whale, spider, hummingbird, parrot, condor, and geometric shapes. Afterward, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant in Nazca, visit the Nazca Lines Metallic Tower, and then return to Lima, where you'll be dropped off at your hotel.

End of our service.

Inclusions:

- Pick up from your hotel in Lima.
- Private Transportation: Lima – Paracas – Nazca – Lima.
- Boat excursion to the Ballestas Islands. (Group service).
- Flight over the Nazca Lines + Airport taxes (Group service).
- Lunch at a local restaurant in Nazca.
- Visit to the metallic tower of the Nazca Lines on route.
- Drop off at your hotel.

Exclusions:

- Meals, extras & Gratuities.

The Allure of Travel:

Personalized Cultural Tour with Local Expert

Convenient Door-to-Door Service

Experience seamless transportation with our door-to-door service, ensuring a hassle-free journey that begins and ends directly at your Lima hotel, providing exceptional convenience for travelers.



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Unveiling Peru's
Coastal Wonders”

Enrique Lévano A.



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Freedom to Explore.

With private transportation, travelers have the freedom to explore at their own pace, making stops for coffee breaks or restroom breaks at comfortable establishments along the journey.

Unique Aerial Perspective.

Witness the iconic Nazca Lines from a unique aerial perspective aboard a Cessna plane, with each participant guaranteed a window seat for optimal viewing of the ancient geoglyphs.

Expert Guided Experience.

Travelers are guided by knowledgeable English-speaking guides throughout the journey, enhancing understanding and enjoyment of the experience.