PADI Learn to Dive 10 days

The first level of PADI Scuba Certification - your ticket to the underwater world! Five days tuition including academics, skill practice and actual scuba diving in open water and a chance to visit the pyramids of Giza upon arrival in Cairo.

TOUR DETAILS:

- Starts in: Cairo / Ends in: Cairo
- Departs: Any day of the year - excluding peak holiday periods
- No local payment required
- Breakfast:2, Lunch: 0, Dinner: 0
- Hotel Rating: 3 star
- Tour Guide: Yes - on day 2

ONLINE RESOURCES:

- For a detailed GO GUIDE - click here
- To book this trip - click here
- To enquire about this trip - click here

TOUR MAP:

QUICK WEB LINKS

Egypt Prices ::: Why Us for Egypt? ::: Egypt Reviews ::: Our Egypt Blog ::: Top Spots in Egypt ::: Best time to Travel ::: Hotels in Egypt ::: Festivals & Events ::: Egypt - Useful Info ::: Felucca Sailing ::: FAQs on Egypt ::: Egypt Visas ::: Egypt Gallery

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Day 1: Cairo

Welcome to Egypt and the start of your holiday. Included transfer from Cairo airport, hotel check in. Overnight - Cairo

Day 2:

Cairo - Dahab. This morning we venture to the Giza Plateau to explore the great pyramids and Sphinx in all their ancient glory. Cheops, Chephren and Mycerinus are the sole survivors of the Seven Ancient Wonders. The Hanging Gardens of Babylon are long gone, but the enduring pyramids have been attracting and mesmerising the hungry eyes of travellers since ancient times. Cheops (Khufu) is the oldest and biggest. It stood 146.5m high when it was completed in 2600BC. After 46 centuries, its height has only reduced by 9m! For a real Arabian experience, consider haggling for a camel ride. This evening we transfer to the Cairo bus station for our overnight bus to Dahab. Overnight - Bus

Days 3 - 8: Dive Dahab!

Arrive Dahab. Meeting you at the bus station we will transfer you to your hotel. Later today we head down to our dive centre for introductions and start of your course. The next 5 days will be filled with a combination of theory and practical water sections. Diving in Dahab is essentially shore diving and some of the best places to practice those skills are only metres from our dive school's front door. Overnight - Dahab

Day 9:

Dahab - Cairo. Early this morning, bid farewell to Dahab and travel back to Cairo by public bus, arriving early this afternoon. Enjoy the remains of the day independently shopping and exploring Cairo. Overnight - Cairo

Day 10: Cairo

Onward transfer to Cairo airport.

WHAT YOU SEE AND WHAT YOU GET:

Below is a list of key highlights and what is included on this tour. Further, where appropriate, we have listed the items that are not included in the tour price.

Trip Highlights

- Cairo - Pyramids and Sphinx at Giza Plateau, Necropolis of Saqqara
- Dahab - Red Sea coast and top Dahab dive sites

What's Included

- All transfers, including Cairo arrival and departure transfer and transport to dive sites
- Escorted by English speaking tour leader day 2
- Tour of pyramids & Sphinx at Giza Plateau
- 8 nights - 3 star hotels - Cairo & Dahab
- 1 night bus - Cairo - Dahab, 1 day bus - Dahab - Cairo
- Five days full PADI tuition including academics, skill practice and actual scuba diving in open water
- All dive apparatus & dives as part of the chosen course

What's Not Included

- Note: A pre-requisite for completion of the PADI Open Water Dive course is ownership of a PADI Open Water

Manual. It is your responsibility to ensure you have purchased a manual prior to course commencement. Available at PADI outlets worldwide or whilst in Dahab. Cost approximately USD$55-60.
- Tipping - an entirely personal gesture

BOLT-ONS:

Make the most of your time away! Listed below are the optional activities that are available on this trip. Please note that you will need to book these prior to travel as we cannot always guarantee availability of these activities once you are on holiday.

Alexandria Day Trip - USD $119

Carry on your Egyptian affair before or after your tour, with a day tour (with lunch) to amazing Alexandria on the Mediterranean Coast. Founded by Alexander the Great, Alexandria boasts wonderful beaches and an impressive seafront corniche, along which are dotted cafes and restaurants, as well as catacombs, souks and relics from a bygone age.

Petra & Wadi Rum - Jordan 5 days - USD $1349

Start - Wednesdays. Ex Dahab.
Discover Jordan on this exciting 5 day bolt-on. Just a stone's throw across the Gulf of Aqaba, lies the Dead Sea, the striking Rose City of Petra, with its amazing ruins and famous Treasury and the great desert expanses of Wadi Rum where we camp overnight and enjoy a wonderful Jordanian meal.

Western Oasis - 3 day extension - USD $499

Start - any day of the year. Ex. Cairo.
Chart Egypt's Western Oases! Journeying to Bahariyya Oasis, we continue by 4 x 4's to the amazing expanse of the White Desert, where we'll camp out under a blanket of stars and watch an amazing sunrise over the desert sands before returning to Cairo.

PRICES AND DATES: from USD $899

Prices shown are per person travelling. 'Twin/Double' prices per person apply when there are 2 people travelling, sharing a room. The 'single supplement' applies for single travellers and needs to be added to the 'Twin/Double' price. Single travellers will have to book a single room for any pre and/or post tour accommodation that is required. Please note that you will need a PADI manual, which can be bought locally for USD$55-60 and you will also need to pay for your certification at the end of the course USD$48.

Date	Price/Person	Single Supp.
Supplementary Prices		
Cairo City Stay - 3 days	USD $499	USD $199

POSTCARDS:

Here's what some of our past travellers have written in to us and said about their experiences on this trip.

'I would like you to pass on my thanks to you and the team at on the go for making my Dive Dahab trip so special... in particular Mostafa in Dahab made the week so great for me and was there to help me out all the time! Please pass on my feedback and HUGE thanks... Bring on another tour next year!'

Suzy McMeechan, Dec 2008