

# Anzac Express 2021

4 days | Starts/Ends: Istanbul



*ANZAC Day Tours, Gallipoli. Starts: 23rd April. Straight to the point our 4 day tour offers 4 star accommodation and is ideal for those who are short on time and just want to get down to ANZAC Cove for a slice of the action.*

## HIGHLIGHTS AND INCLUSIONS

### Trip Highlights

- ANZAC Dawn Service - Pay your respects with the option to attend the Australian or New Zealand Memorial Services
- Istanbul - Relish time to explore this fascinating city independently
- Gallipoli Peninsula - Visit the ANZAC Cove, memorials, trenches and battlefields
- The Bosphorus Strait - Cruise along and take in views of the city skyline, Ottoman architecture and waterside palaces

### What's Included

- 2 breakfasts
- 2 nights Special Class (4 star) hotels - No hostels or tents!
- 1 night at the Dawn Service site
- Morning boat cruise along the Bosphorus straight – Istanbul
- English speaking tour organiser

- Airport arrival transfer on day 1 from Istanbul International Airport at any time, or from Sabiha Gokcen Airport at 11am and 3pm only
- Modern air-conditioned touring coach

### What's Not Included

- Tipping Kitty: USD\$15-25pp, paid in local currency
- International flights and visa
- Guided commentary is not given on this tour
- Attendance Pass for ANZAC. Please see the Trip Notes for information on how to obtain your attendance pass - these are free of charge but need to be registered for in advance
- Tip for your tour guide and driver: as a guideline we recommend you budget USD \$5 - 7 per day, per traveller for your guide and USD \$2 per day, per traveller for your driver. Tipping your tour guide and driver is an entirely personal gesture

## ITINERARY

### Day 1 : 23 April - Istanbul

23 April 2021. Welcome to Turkey and your ANZAC experience! Enjoy the airport to hotel transfer on arrival. Today offers free time to explore the incredible city of Istanbul – a city where the east meets west. This evening after our welcome meeting break the ice and

meet fellow travellers with a drink in the bar.  
**Overnight - Istanbul**

### Day 2 : ANZAC Eve - Gallipoli



Istanbul - Gallipoli. This morning we drive to Gallipoli. En route to the Peninsular we'll stop for a bite to eat, stretch our legs and stock up on supplies for the evening ahead. Upon arrival (exact time subject to Dawn Service Site opening hours) you will be given instructions about where to meet with your coach on 25 April, after the services have concluded. Once we're in Anzac Cove you are free to visit the memorials and trenches that dot the area before taking our places amongst the many at the Dawn Service site for the atmosphere-charged ANZAC Eve vigil.

**Overnight - Dawn Service site (ANZAC Cove) (B)**

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## Day 3 : ANZAC Day - Gallipoli



Gallipoli - Istanbul. A poignant bugle call along with first light heralds the start of the Dawn Service. Lasting around an hour, the service is a special and moving experience and it's possible to lay a wreath at ANZAC Memorial site after the service has concluded. Later this morning Australian's have the opportunity to visit the Lone Pine Memorial Service at the cemetery that begins at 09:30. Our New Zealanders are invited to attend the New Zealand service at Chunuk Bair at 11:30am. Later this afternoon, we journey back to Istanbul by coach, arriving in the evening. (Timing on 25 April subject to coach traffic)

### Overnight - Istanbul

## Day 4 : 26 April - Istanbul

26th April 2021. After breakfast (9:00am), you're welcome to join us on a 2 hour cruise along the Bosphorus, the strait that divides European from Asian Istanbul. Returning to the hotel before 12 noon, hotel check-out. This marks the end of a memorable 4 day ANZAC experience.

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### HOTELS

Highlighted below are some of the hotels which we frequently use on this tour, though we reserve the right to substitute these hotels to ones of a similar standard.

**Please refer to your Tour Voucher for your confirmed arrival hotel and further arrival information.**

### Ramada Old City

A member of the reputable Ramada chain, the Istanbul Old Town property is modern and comfortable with excellent amenities. Guestrooms are bright and spacious with contemporary amenities. Two restaurants

are on offer and our personal favourite is the wonderful roof top restaurant, serving delicious local cuisine coupled with a magnificent view of the City and Sea. The perfect way to end the day. Located very close to the Historical part of the city with major Monuments are all walking distance.



### PRICES / DATES INFO

Prices shown are per person when there are 2 persons sharing a room. The 'Single supplement' applies for single travellers who require their own room and needs to be added to the per person price. If you are happy to be paired up with another single traveller of the same gender on your tour, this can be arranged, thus avoiding the single person supplement. Please note that if booking pre or post tour accommodation, single travellers will need to pay the single supplement for nights booked.

### PRICES / DATES 2021

Date	Twin Share	Single
23 Apr	CAD 945	CAD 1,265

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