



Program (4 Days / 3 Nights)

Day 1 (9 November)

Beirut to Damascus. We meet at 8:00am in the hotel lobby in Beirut (hotel TBA) and take the bus to the border between Lebanon and Syria. The transfer takes around 2 hours depending on the traffic. The visa and other border procedures shouldn't take longer than 1 hour. When everyone goes through immigration we continue for another 2 hours to Damascus. At around 1:00pm we check in at the Venue Hotel in Damascus. At 3:00pm we start Damascus City Tour (The National Museum, Souk Al-Hamidiye, The Umayyad Mosque, El-Azem Palace, Saint Ananian Church and if we have time, we will explore Damascus' old town bazaar for shopping). Around 6:00pm we come back to the hotel. 7:00pm we leave for dinner to meet with the race staff and officials. The dinner will be followed by a short briefing regarding the race and BIB number distribution. After briefing we all head back to the hotel to rest. Overnight in Damascus.

Day 2 (10 November)

Homs & Palmyra. The breakfast starts at 6:00am, at 7:00am we leave first for Homs where we visit Holy Belt Church and Khaled Ibn Alwalid Mosque. Then we continue to Palmyra to visit The temple of Bel, The theatre and the big colonnade, Tombs including tombs towers, tombs dug tombs temples or individual tombs. The lunch will be served in Palmyra. Around 6:00pm we should be back in Damascus. At 7:00pm we meet for dinner. Overnight in Damascus.

Day 3 (11 November)

Damascus International Marathon. The breakfast starts at 5:00am. At 6:00am the shuttle buses take us to the start. At 6:45am everyone is welcome to join the warmup and at 7:00am all the races start. Because of different finishing times, all runners come back to the hotel on their own and have free time until dinner. We meet to celebrate for dinner at 7:00pm. Overnight in Damascus.

Day 4 (12 November)

Damascus to Beirut. Breakfast starts at 6:00am. At 7:00am we leave for Maaloula and Sednaya and then in the direction of Beirut. Then head towards the Syrian - Lebanese border. Around 4:00pm we should arrive at the hotel in Beirut.

Damascus International Marathon 2022 (Package Runner) is 1390USD per person based on twin sharing.

Included in the price:

- Entrance fees to all sites mentioned in the itinerary
- One 1.5 liter bottle of mineral water per person on daily basis
- Hammam (one time during the visit)
- Security clearance
- Departure tax
- Marathon entry
- Accommodation (3 nights in Damascus)
- Meals (breakfast and dinner)
- Private guide during all trips
- Transportation by private bus

Not included in the price:

- Flights to and from Beirut
- Personal expenses not mentioned in the program
- Visa Fees
- Extra meals and drinks
- Tips

Extra Night + Guide + Breakfast is 170USD per person

Single supplement is 150USD per person