



# Tour Breakdown

## DAY 1 | Arrivals, Cancun to Playa del Carmen | Thursday

Bienvenidos! Welcome to Mexico. You will be met today at the airport by one of our local hosts and transferred to your hotel for the evening. This afternoon enjoy a welcome drink and attend a briefing at the hotel conducted by your Tour Manager. (D)

## DAY 2 | Playa del Carmen to Sotuta de Peón | Friday

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WREJW/VW/RW/VE/BOOEH/V/BOE      BOOOWBRORV      OOW/BEW/RD/BOEROE  
WBYHJGBOU      WBRWBO(B L D)



Marvel at the precision and grandeur of the Temple of Kukulcan at Chichén Itzá

## DAY 3 | Sotuta de Peón to Campeche | Saturday

Sotuta de Peón remains as one of the few continuously operating Haciendas in the region. This morning we will tour the Hacienda for a look back at the era of "Green Gold." After lunch at the Hacienda, we will continue to the historic city of Campeche. The evening is yours to explore the vibrant port town, rich with culture and cuisine. (B L)

## DAY 4 | Campeche/Edzna | Sunday

This morning we continue on the Ruta Puuc as we depart for Edzna archaeological site inhabited as early as 400 BC. Return to Campeche in time for lunch. This afternoon, enjoy a walking tour of the "Historic Fortified City of Campeche," founded in 1540 and recognized as a World Heritage Site. Meander the narrow cobblestone streets from Puerta de Tierra to Puerta del Mar, once the two main entrances to the walled city. The evening is yours to continue exploring the city or enjoy one of the many distinctive, locally-owned restaurants and cafes. (B L)

## DAY 5 | Campeche to Uxmal | Monday

This morning we turn back to the impressive Uxmal, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, whose pyramids and temples rise above the dense surrounding jungle. Lunch at the hotel and then visit the village of Santa Elena and the humble Mayan home of Don Hernan and Doña Azaria to learn more about the Mayan traditions and way of living. This afternoon visit the nearby Chocolate Museum and discover the origins and history of this modern day indulgence. The evening is at your leisure. (B L)

## DAY 6 | Uxmal to Celestún/Mérida | Tuesday

An early departure this morning for Celestún. We will venture through the mangroves on small boats to experience the Biological Preserves diverse wildlife, highlighted by an abundance of flamingos. Lunch on your own today on the beaches of Celestún. Arrive this afternoon to Mérida "The White City" and have the evening on your own to explore the cultural center of the Yucatán Peninsula. (B)

## DAY 7 | Mérida | Wednesday

Join your Tour Manager for a morning tour of the Colonial City of Mérida. Explore some of the city's most captivating neighborhoods, before arriving in the zocalo where Meridians meet, socialize and conduct business. Next will be a visit to the stately Casa de Montejo. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before returning to our hotel for an afternoon at your leisure to rest or continue exploring the city. (B L)

## DAY 8 | Mérida to Izamal/Chichén Itzá | Thursday

Today we continue to the charming colonial town of Izamal one of Mexico's "Pueblos Magicos." With cobblestone streets and vibrant yellow Colonial buildings, Izamal is a jewel of the Yucatan. This afternoon we head to the famous Mayan-Toltec ruins of Chichén Itzá. You'll also see the Sacred Well, Caracol Observatory, the Court of Columns and the impressive ball court. Dinner at the hotel this evening. (B L D)

## DAY 9 | Chichén Itzá - Cancún | Friday

Returning to Cancún today, travel through the charming colonial town of Valladolid, another of Mexico's Pueblos magicos. After lunch, continue to Cancún where the afternoon is yours to relax. Farewell dinner this evening. (B L D)

## DAY 10 | Cancún | Saturday

Say adiós to Mexico and your fellow travelers today. All day transfers to Cancún Airport (CUU). (B)

Travel to Tulum, the pre-Columbian coastal port

