



Istanbul City Stay Post Extension

Stateroom: 5110

Dear Mr Guard & Mr Fischer

We trust that you are enjoying sailing with us on board the *Viking Star*. The information below relates to your Istanbul extension, where you will have 2 days to explore this wonderful city.

Extension Itinerary

Day 1 – Monday, December 23rd

Disembark your ship for a visit to the imposing Blue Mosque & St. Sophia. Continue to the Underground Cistern to glimpse its illuminated interior, a space supported by 336 columns. Then, set out on a scenic cruise along the Bosphorus Strait while savoring a tasty Turkish-style lunch. Back on land, visit the Grand Bazaar, as well as time to browse the many stalls. Check into your hotel and spend the rest of the day at your leisure.

Day 2 – Tuesday, December 24th

Enjoy a full day to explore Istanbul on your own. Stroll through the Old City's narrow cobblestone streets and perhaps visit one of the many vibrant local markets or stop by a cozy café for a pot of Turkish coffee with some Turkish delight, a tasty confection. A Viking Host is available to help you plan your time in Istanbul so you can make the most of your visit

Day 3 – Wednesday, December 25th

Enjoy breakfast and checkout at the hotel front desk then transfer from the hotel to the airport for your flight home. Your transfer time will depend on your flight departure. Please remember to confirm your flight details with the Viking representative at the hotel who will advise you of your transfer time.

Hotel Information

Conrad Istanbul Bosphorus

Cihannüma, Saray Cd No:5, 34353

Besiktas/Istanbul, Turkey

Tel: +90 212 310 25 25

Your room, breakfast, tax and portorage are included in the hotel extension. However, the hotel will ask you to register a credit card with the front desk in order to guarantee any additional charges to your room. Any incidental expenses that you may incur during your stay are in addition to your reservation and are your responsibility. Such expenses should be settle directly with the hotel.

Breakfast

The breakfast buffet includes a wide variety of fresh fruit juices, pastries, cold cuts, cheeses, fruit, yogurt, breads, hot and cold dishes. Breakfast will be serve in Manzara Restaurant on the first floor at the following times: **6:30 AM – 10:30 AM**

Viking Representatives

Expert local guides will be available at the Viking Hospitality desk at the main lobby during the times listed below during your stay. The representatives will provide information about local attractions and places of interest, and answer any questions you may have:

December 23rd: from 09:00 AM – 6:00 PM

December 24th: from 09:00 AM – 9:00 PM

December 25th: from 06:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Hotel Check-Out and Transfer to the Airport

Please settle any additional charges you may have incurred with the reception desk. Latest check out from your room is 12:00 PM. If you require assistance with your luggage, please contact the hotel reception desk.

Please remember to keep valuables, documentation – including your passport – and any medicines you may need in your hand luggage, so that you have access to them at all times.

Your Viking Representative will advise your transfer time once you arrive at the hotel.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

In case of a medical emergency, please contact the reception desk for assistance. For any other emergencies, please call the number listed in your cruise documents.

Viking Host 1	Mrs.Elif Nur	+90 545 378 1606
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Viking Host 2	Ms.Maral Hanci	+90 530 035 6410
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We trust that you will enjoy your stay and wish you a pleasant onward journey home and we hope to see you again soon.

Yours Sincerely,

Viking Star