



Cruise ship on the Nile · Photo: Bruno BD / Unsplash

3-7 NIGHTS · LUXOR ⇄ ASWAN

Nile Cruise Luxor-Aswan

Sleep on the river and wake up at a new temple every day

What to expect

A Nile cruise is the easiest way to see the great temples between Luxor and Aswan. The boat is your hotel: you unpack once, eat on board and wake up at a new site each morning.

Cruises usually run 4 nights from Luxor to Aswan, 3 nights from Aswan to Luxor, or 7 nights both ways. For a quieter trip, a dahabiya — a traditional sailing boat with only a few cabins — stops at smaller places big ships cannot reach.

3-7

nights on board

4temples on the way: Esna,
Edfu, Kom Ombo, Philae**Full board**

meals on board

Dahabiya

small sailing boat option

Before you book

Duration	3, 4 or 7 nights
Pickup	Transfers to and from the boat in Luxor or Aswan
Included	Cabin, full board, guided visits on the programme
Children	Family cabins on many boats; ask for child prices
Bring	Light clothes, a warm layer for evenings, swimwear for the deck pool
Season	October to April is best; summer is hot but quieter
Price	Depends on boat class, cabin and dates — message us

Prices change with season, group size and dates — contact us for an exact quote.



HOW IT WORKS

A typical 4-night route

Please note

Ships range from comfortable to 5-star luxury. Entrance tickets to the sites are often not included in the cruise price, so always check. Tell us your dates, budget and number of guests, and we will suggest the right boat.

1 Day 1 · Luxor

Board the ship, then Karnak and Luxor temples.

2 Day 2 · West Bank & Esna

Valley of the Kings, then sail through the Esna lock.

3 Day 3 · Edfu & Kom Ombo

The temple of Horus in the morning, Kom Ombo at sunset.

4 Day 4 · Aswan

High Dam, Philae temple and a felucca around the islands.

5 Day 5 · Disembark

Breakfast and transfer — or add Abu Simbel.

Good to know

- Ask for a cabin on the upper deck for the best views.
- Book early for Christmas, New Year and Easter.



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