

PREMIUM

10D7N

FLOWERY BENELUX HOLLAND / BELGIUM / LUXEMBOURG

TOUR CODE: ECNLBS (Validity: Apr - Oct 2017)

Bask in the refreshing floral scents as you visit the mesmerising tulip wonderlands in Holland when spring arrives in full bloom.



PACE

Relaxed ● ○ ○ Active

THE MEDIEVAL OLD TOWN OF SIENA

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HIGHLIGHTS

GERMANY

DUSSELDORF

LUXEMBOURG

CITY OF

LUXEMBOURG

- Gothic Revival Cathedral of Notre Dame
- Town of Fortifications
- Grand Ducal Palace

BELGIUM

BRUSSELS

- Royal Palace of Brussels
- La Grand Place
- Manneken Pis

NETHERLANDS

KINDERDIJK

- Windmills of Kinderdijk

ROTTERDAM

ZAANDAM

- Zaanse Schans
- Demonstrations by Craftsmen

KEUKENHOF

- World Largest Tulip Garden

AMSTERDAM

- Dam Square
- Royal Palace of Amsterdam
- Glass-Domed Cruise
- Diamond Factory

AALSMEER

- Biggest Flower Auction

APELDOORN

- City Tour
- Het Loo Palace

OTTERLO VALLEY

- De Hoge Veluwe National Park
- Kröller- Müller Museum

UTRECHT

- St. Martin's Cathedral

DELFT

- Royal Delft
- Keukenhof Tulip Garden

LISSE



DAY 1 SINGAPORE ► DUSSELDORF

Meals on Board

Assemble at Singapore Changi Airport and take-off to the Dusseldorf, one of the key city in western Germany known for its fashion industry and art scene.

DAY 2 DUSSELDORF ► LUXEMBOURG

Dinner – Local Fare

Our first stop upon arriving Europe is to travel to **Luxembourg**, one of the smallest countries in Europe. Luxembourg is strategically located in the crossroad of Western Europe and plays an important role in the history of Europe. Visit the historic City of Luxembourg which has several UNESCO World Heritage Sites. See sights such as the **Gothic Revival Cathedral of Notre Dame**, **town fortifications** and **Grand Ducal Palace**. We will stay overnight in Luxembourg
Optional: Vianden Castle & Echternach town

DAY 3 LUXEMBOURG ► BRUSSEL

Breakfast, Dinner – Local Mussel Meal

After breakfast, we head to **Brussels** for an orientation tour and take in the sights of the **Royal Palace of Brussels**, the official palace of the King and Queen of the Belgians. Next, take a jaunt through the **La Grand-Place**, a market square featuring architecture of an eclectic blend of Western artistic styles, which would lead you to the renowned **Manneken Pis**, a small sculpture depicting a naked boy urinating into a water fountain that represents

the rebellious spirit of the city of Brussels.
Optional: Bruges

DAY 4 BRUSSELS ► KINDERDIJK ► ROTTERDAM

Breakfast, Dinner – Chinese Fare

Kick off your morning with a visit to the windmills of **Kinderdijk**, a series of 19 working windmills that were built since the Middle Ages (1740). Gaze at the picture-perfect landscape that resembles a classic postcard scene of Holland, and if you are there at the right time, you may even catch the spectacular sight of all 19 windmills started up simultaneously. Thereafter, continue on to **Rotterdam** for an orientation tour of this major port city characterized by sleek, contemporary skyscrapers alongside bits and pieces of its maritime history.

DAY 5 ROTTERDAM ► ZAANDAM ► KEUKENHOF ► AMSTERDAM

Breakfast, Dinner – Chinese Fare

Head out to Zaandam to visit **Zaanse Schans**, where you will be presented with an idyllic scene of traditional windmills, barns, cottages and museums that is built in typical Dutch wooden architectural style. Watch how cheese and clog shoes are made in **demonstrations by expert craftsmen** skilled in these traditional Dutch crafts. Next, we will visit the Keukenhof (subjected to opening season of Tulips), the largest Tulip garden in the world with a different theme each year, the 2017 theme will be Dutch design.

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Meal Plan

6 Breakfasts, 6 Dinners

4★ HOTELS

*Note: Hotels subject to final confirmation. Should there be changes, customers will be offered similar accommodations as stated in this list.

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DAY 6 AMSTERDAM ▶ AALSMEER ▶ AMSTERDAM

Breakfast, Dinner - Local Fare

Proceed to **Aalsmeer** today to drop in on one of the **biggest flower auction** in the world and be bowled over by the sheer quantities of flowers that come in all sorts of varieties and colours. Immerse yourself in the exciting frenzy at the auction floor as traders bid against the clock, or simply stroll around for an eye-opening experience into the world of flowers. Next, you will visit the city of **Amsterdam** to enjoy a guided tour; enjoy the hustle and bustle of Dam Square and discover the rich history of the majestic **Royal Palace of Amsterdam**. Glide past archaic bridges and quaint buildings as you board a **glass-domed cruise through Amsterdam's famous canals** before ending the day with a trip to a diamond factory.

Optional : Night life tour of Amsterdam

DAY 7 AMSTERDAM ▶ APELDOORN ▶ OTTERLO VALLEY ▶ UTRECHT

Breakfast, Dinner - Local Fare

Transfer to **Apeldoorn** in the morning and embark on a **sightseeing tour** of the city, which includes the grand summer residence of the royal family, **Het Loo Palace**. Start your exploration of **Otterlo** next, with the first stop at one of Holland's largest nature reserves,

De Hoge Veluwe National Park. Go on a stroll through the 5,500 hectares of flora and fauna, and you will soon arrive at the **Kröller-Müller Museum**, where you will be treated to a delightful sculpture garden and the world's largest private Van Gogh collection. Last but not least, make your way to **Utrecht**, an old medieval city spread out around beautiful canals. Catch a glimpse of the magnificent **St. Martin's Cathedral**, a lavishly decorated church that best exemplifies classic Gothic architecture in the Netherlands.

DAY 8 UTRECHT ▶ DELFT ▶ LISSE ▶ DUSSELDORF

Dinner

Take a side trip out to **Delft** and pay a visit to the **Royal Delft**, the last remaining Delftware factory that was established in the 17th century. Admire the exquisite details and patterns of the world-famous Delft Blue ceramics, and discover the history and production process of traditional and modern earthenware. Following that, get set for the highlight of this tour – the famous **Keukenhof**. Wander among the elaborate tulip gardens as they come into bloom between April and May, and fill your senses with the vibrant colours and aromatic scents of more than 7 million flowers at the park. You may wish to go on **an optional visit to Madurodam**, a miniature park situated in The Hague, before the day ends. Transfer back to Dusseldorf in the evening for overnight.

Optional: Madurodam Tour

DAY 9 DUSSELDORF ▶ SINGAPORE

Breakfast

Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure till it is time to transfer to the airport for your flight home.

DAY 10 ARRIVAL IN SINGAPORE

We hope you enjoyed your trip with EU Holidays and we look forward to seeing you again for your next trip.

Suggested Excursions:

Additional activities that complement your holidays will be at your own discretion and is entirely optional.

**minimum group size may apply*

- Vianden Castle & Echternach town : € 29
- Bruges Tour : € 25
- Night Life Tour of Amsterdam: € 19
- Madurodam Tour : € 35

Tipping Guideline: (based on 10D7N)

- €59 per person

Note:

- The sequence of the itinerary, flight schedules and hotels are subject to change without prior notice in the event of unforeseen circumstances.
- Activities are subject to weather conditions.
- Hotel upgrades are subject to hotel room availability.
- During major events, accommodation may be re-located to outside of the city or in another city without prior notice.