



Krakow



Wawel Castle, Krakow

November 2024 - 4 days from *£525pp



Krakow Christmas market

Krakow is undoubtedly one of the most beautiful cities in Europe, home to a succession of artists and architects over centuries who have all contributed to its cultural heritage. Largely spared from any destruction, it boasts the best-preserved collection of historic buildings in Poland. It is also close to the salt mines at Wieliczka, infamous Auschwitz and Schindler's Factory. December is a great time to visit when the Christmas markets are in full swing and the city has a captivating festive atmosphere.

Itinerary

Day 1 Arrival. Transfer from the airport to the hotel. Check in at your hotel.

Day 2 Guided tour of the Old Town with entrance to St. Mary's Church. Afternoon visit to the UNESCO listed Wieliczka Salt Mines, one of the country's most popular tourist attraction, complete with underground chapel.

Day 3 Full day tour to Auschwitz-Birkenau Museum and Schindler's Factory. This is a truly harrowing visit but one that many people feel is an important one to make. Part of one of the most terrible periods in history, Auschwitz remains largely as it was left after WWII and its legacy is to remind us of the terrible crimes against humanity committed here. On our return to Krakow we will visit the site of Schindler's Factory, which tells the fascinating story of Oskar Schindler, a German industrialist and a member of the Nazi Party who is credited with saving the lives of 1,200 Jews during the Holocaust by employing them in his enamelware and ammunitions factories, immortalised in Spielberg's superb 1993 film, starring Liam Neeson.

Day 4 Transfer to the airport for return flight to Heathrow.



Wieliczka Saltmines

Where you stay

Wyspianski Hotel, Krakow (or similar)

Modern, simple three-star hotel which has been recently renovated. Superbly located, just 500m from the main square, the hotel has a bar, restaurant and comfortable bedrooms with all modern amenities.



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Included in the price

- Return flights with British Airways from London Heathrow to Krakow
- Return transfers to your hotel
- Three nights' bed and breakfast at the Wyspianski Hotel (or similar), based on shared occupancy of twin/double room)
- Guided walking tour, excursion to saltmines and full day Auschwitz and Schindler's Factory

Not included in the price

- Single room supplement

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