



# Amsterdam & the Keukenhof Gardens

6 days | 8 days with Amsterdam extension

For nearly 60 years, Keukenhof Gardens (translating to “kitchen garden”) has been a playground-meets-showplace for Dutch florists. Over 70 brightly-hued acres burst with seven million flowers in bloom, from daffodils to hyacinths to the country’s most famous export: The tulip. Spend some time getting to know the charming city of Amsterdam before escaping to the peaceful, perfumed gardens.



## Your tour package includes

4 nights in a well-located hotel  
4 breakfasts  
1 dinners with beer or wine  
1 sightseeing tour  
Expert Tour Director & local guides  
Private deluxe motor coach

## Included highlights

Keukenhof Gardens  
Amsterdam’s canals  
Bloemenmarkt  
Van Gogh Museum  
Aalsmeer Flower Auction  
Quaint windmills

## Tour pace

On this guided tour, you’ll walk for at least 2 hours daily across mostly flat terrain, including paved roads and cobblestone streets, with few hills.

## Group size

15–38

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## Overnight Flight → 1 night

### Day 1: Travel day

Board your overnight flight to Amsterdam today.

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## Amsterdam → 4 nights

### Day 2: Arrival in Amsterdam

*Included meals: welcome dinner*

Welcome to the Netherlands! Meet your Tour Director and fellow travelers at tonight's welcome dinner.

### Day 3: Sightseeing tour of Amsterdam

*Included meals: breakfast*

Today's walking sightseeing tour introduces you to Amsterdam's iconic canals and unique character.

- Begin the day in Rokin with a stop at the Bloemenmarkt, the city's famous flower market
- Then, make a stop at a local cheese stop to explore a variety of local cheeses
- Stroll by the canals and bridges, taking in the houseboats that dot the banks
- Enter the Van Gogh Museum to admire the largest collection of Vincent Van Gogh's masterpieces, including the famous *Sunflowers*.

*Please note: You'll be divided into groups of 20 people or less for the walking portion of the sightseeing tour. Each group will have their own local guide.*

### Day 4: Free day in Amsterdam

*Included meals: breakfast*

Enjoy a free day in Amsterdam or add an excursion.

+ A Day in Charming Delft

### Day 5: Keukenhof Gardens

*Included meals: breakfast*

Visit the Keukenhof Gardens with your Tour Director today. With millions of flowers growing on 70 acres of gardens, Keukenhof has been a showplace for the Dutch floral industry for over 50 years.

- Stop at the Aalsmeer Flower Auction en route to Keukenhof

- Arrive in Keukenhof, home of the second-largest flower garden on Earth
- Explore the grounds of Keukenhof, where more than 7 million flowers burst into bloom each spring, including yellow daffodils, crocus, narcissi, hyacinths, as well as over 1,000 colorful and original varieties of tulips

Spend a free evening in Amsterdam or add an excursion.

+ Canal Cruise & Dinner

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## Flight Home

### Day 6: Departure

*Included meals: breakfast (excluding early morning departures)*

Transfer to the airport for your flight home or extend your stay to continue exploring Amsterdam.

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## + Amsterdam extension

Extend your stay in the Dutch capital with plenty of free time to do as much or as little as you please. Wander through Dam Square, step inside the Rijksmuseum, or continue exploring the region alongside your Tour Director.

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## Amsterdam → 2 nights

### Day 6: Free day in Amsterdam

*Included meals: breakfast*

Enjoy a free day in Amsterdam or add an excursion.

+ Van Gogh & the Dutch Countryside

### Day 7: Free day in Amsterdam

*Included meals: breakfast*

Spend a free day to explore Amsterdam on your own.

Tonight, enjoy a farewell drink as you celebrate your trip with your fellow group members.

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## Flight Home

### Day 8: Departure

*Included meals: breakfast (excluding early morning departures)*

Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

# Customize your experience

Customize your tour by adding excursion options. Excursions offered on the same day will occur at different times, so there's no need to choose. Save \$10 when you book your excursion up to three days before your tour departs.\* Excursions requiring advance reservation only list this discounted price. Call or go online to customize your tour: [goaheadtours.ca/AWF](https://goaheadtours.ca/AWF) | 1-800-754-5066

## Day 4: A Day in Charming Delft

\$175CAD/\$185CAD\* (8 hours, departs in the morning)

Pay a visit to the world-famous flower market at Aalsmeer for a close-up look at one of Holland's best-known national exports: its brilliantly hued tulips. Continue to Delft, a charming town of canals, cobbled alleyways and medieval architecture. Visit the Old and New Churches on a guided tour, and then enjoy free time to grab lunch and explore the town, perhaps visiting the former home of the famous painter, Vermeer. Please note: A visit to the Hague will replace the flower market on days when the market is closed.

## Day 5: Canal Cruise & Dinner

\$179CAD/\$189CAD\* (3 hours, departs in the evening with dinner)

Cruise along the canals of Amsterdam on a houseboat, enjoying the view of row houses lit up for the night. Your cruise will take you through the center of the city as you enjoy dinner by lantern light.

## Extension excursion options

### Day 6: Van Gogh & the Dutch Countryside

\$185CAD/\$195CAD\* (9 hours, departs in the morning)

This morning, leave the busy streets of Amsterdam for the tranquil Dutch countryside. Your destination is the heaths and sand dunes of Hoge Veluwe National Park, one of the largest nature preserves in this small country. Once you arrive at the park, you'll have the day to explore as you like. Rent one of the free bicycles the park provides to visitors, or step inside the Kröller-Müeller Museum and sculpture garden, home to the world's largest collection of van Gogh art. The museum also houses masterpieces from Mondrian, Seurat, Gauguin, and Picasso.

\*Optional excursions may be purchased up to three days prior to departure or while on tour. Pre-purchased optional excursions cannot be canceled within three days prior to departure or while on tour. Select optional excursions require advance booking and cannot be purchased or canceled after the advanced reservation deadline. GAT accepts payment by cash, Visa or MasterCard for optional excursions purchased on tour. Additional fees may apply for optional excursions purchased on tour. Excursions require a minimum number of participants to operate. Details and prices are subject to change. Due to seasonal hours of operation and availability, some excursions may not operate. If this occurs, you will be refunded any payments made for that excursion post-tour. Learn more at [goaheadtours.ca/terms](https://goaheadtours.ca/terms)