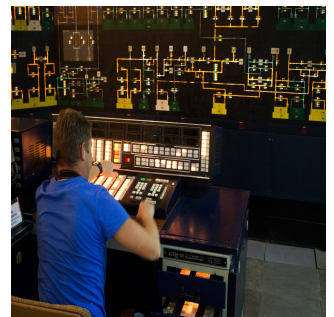
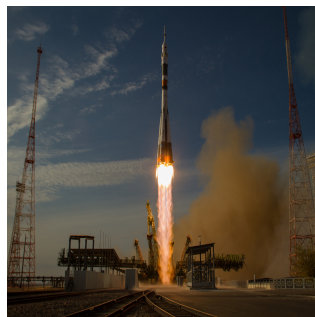


The Baikonur Cosmodrome

Tour for the spaceship launch



Baikonur is the first and largest cosmodrome on Earth. Its area is 3 times larger than Moscow. On this tour, you will see the gigantic engineering structures, discover the history of space exploration, and watch the real scheduled launch. You will feel the ground shake from the thrusters' power and see the launch from close range.

Experiences you'll have

The Baikonur Cosmodrome tour

This journey brings together the entire history of Soviet and Russian cosmonautics. You will visit key points of the huge infrastructure of the cosmodrome. And inexpressible impressions of the real launch will stay with you forever.

Note that those dates are approximate and can be changed. Exact dates will be set a month before the launch.

In 5 days on this tour, you will:

- see launch pads and launch vehicles that participated in world-class space programs
- visit assembly and test buildings where rockets are installed and tested
- learn how preparations for the first human space flight were organized
- observe all stages of preparation for launch: from rocket removal to flight readiness report
- watch the launch of a spacecraft with first-hand experience

We accept bookings for groups of 6 or more

Note: the spaceport is a restricted object. To visit it, you need to submit your documents 45 days before the tour starts. We will take care of the registration of your pass.

Itinerary

The journey starts at Krainiy Airport (Kazakhstan).

Note: If you arrive the day before the tour starts, you need to get to the airport on your own on the first day of the program.

Day 1

At dawn, we'll set out into the boundless Great Steppe—an

ancient sea of grass stretching from China to Kalmykia. Upon arrival, our team will welcome you, assist with check-in, and provide a full mission briefing, covering all the unique aspects of this extraordinary event.

Day 2

Today after an early rise you will go to the spaceport. At

precisely 7:30 the assembly hall doors will part, and the rocket will greet daylight for the first time.

We'll witness its installation into the launch system and

discover its engineering secrets. This is the closest we'll ever get to the vehicle – now begins the irreversible countdown. After positioning, we'll visit the crown jewel of the cosmodrome: Launch Site 2.

Day 3

After breakfast, you will go to the cosmodrome. Today you

will see the "Gagarin's Start" launch complex and command bunker.

At the Zenit launch complex, you will also be given a tour.

It is possible to send 450-ton rockets into space every 4 hours in automatic mode from here.

In the evening you will return to the town and have dinner

(paid extra).

Day 4

After breakfast, exploring the cosmodrome will continue.


You will see the "Proton" Launch complex. Also, you will visit Cryogenic Center - Mission control facility for the "Energia" heavy-lift launch vehicle.

Then you will return to the town, have dinner (paid extra)

Most popular

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The Baikonur Cosmodrome

Difficulty	
Age	from 5 y.o.
Group size	from 10
Duration	6 days

Accomodation at the trip



5 nights

Языки



guide

from 5 850 EUR



and rest. Tomorrow you will have an early rise.

Day 5

After breakfast, you will be taken to the farewell ceremony

for the crew at the "Cosmonaut" Hotel. Then, we will take to the Observation point to take positions. In the afternoon, the launch will take place.

Then you will return to the town and have free time. In the

evening, there will be celebration banquet and recognition of participants.

Day 6

After breakfast at the hotel, you will be taken to Krainiy

airport.

Accommodation at the trip

You will stay in Galaxy Hotel located 10 minutes walk from the center of Baikonur town. Comfortable double rooms are at your service.

Each room has AC, refrigerator, TV, bathroom with shower.

Hotel facilities include a restaurant, gym, library, and conference room.

FAQ

Required documents to apply for participation

To make access clearance to Baikonur for foreign citizens it is necessary to submit to GCTC not later than 45 working days before the date of the visit the following information:

- surname, name, middle name in Russian
- surname, name, middle name in English (according to the identification document)
- citizenship
- date and place of birth (with country indicated)
- identification document number and date of expiry
- full name of employing Company and job position
- place and country of current residence

Additional passport copies must be attached to the list.

Required data for border permit

To participate in the tour it is necessary to submit the following information not later than 70 days before the start of the tour:

- copy of passport
- full name of employing Company and job position
- address of current residence
- city of birth (with country indicated)
- phone number

The issue of border permits is included in the tour.

What to bring with me

- weather-appropriate clothing
- closed shoes (obligatory)
- passport, for which the pass is issued

Who will be my guide

You will be accompanied by an experienced English-speaking guide who will try to make your journey the most comfortable and informative.

Meals

The cost of the program includes breakfasts in the hotel and packed lunches. You will have to pay extra for dinners.

Transportation

All transfers will take place in a Mercedes Sprinter or Volkswagen Crafter minibus.

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What's included in the price:

— hotel accommodation

— breakfasts and lunches

— group transfers according to the program

— all excursions according to the program

— all required permits and registrations

— entrance tickets to museums according to the program

— security service of Roscosmos FSA at the cosmodrome

— visa support

Extra charge:

— [airfare to Kyzylorda and Almaty](#)

— dinners

— English-speaking guide service

— additional hotel services

— insurance

Best price guarantee

Personal tours

Discounts for regular clients

Gift cards