### **GALAPAGOS ISLANDS TOUR**



## 7 DAYS 6 NIGHTS



## DAY 1 - ARRIVAL AT THE AIRPORT

#### **ITINERARY DESCRIPTION**

Enjoy a 7-day, 6-night tour in one of the most important natural and cultural attractions in all of Ecuador.

The Enjoy Ecuador Tour Operator takes you to enjoy the endemic and unique native flora and fauna that make the Galapagos Islands one of the most exceptional places in the world. In recognition of their importance, the islands have been a World Natural Heritage Site since 1976, a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve in 1984 and a Ramsar Site in 2001.

We will begin this incredible adventure by welcoming you at the Mariscal Sucre International Airport in Quito and later we will transfer you to your hotel so you can rest.

#### **DETAILED ITINERARY**

- Transfer In Airport to hotel in Quito.
- Transfer approximately 1 hour.
- Lodging in Quito, day 1.





### DAY 2 - FULL DAY QUITO ITINERARY DESCRIPTION



Enjoy a tour, from the amazing Basilica of the National Vow, to the largest religious complex in South America, the Church of San Francisco.

We will visit several attractions such as the 7 Crosses Street, the independence square or Plaza Grande, the Metropolitan Cultural Center, the Sagrario church and much more.

You will have the opportunity to visit the domes of the Company of Jesus church also known as the golden church.

We will visit the towers of the Basilica of the National Vow, where we will have a privileged view of the city of Quito. You will have the opportunity to taste Ecuadorian chocolate, considered one of the best in the world.

Our next stop will be the Virgen del Panecillo viewpoint, to take some nice pictures of the city.





# DAY 2 - FULL DAY QUITO Itinerary description



We will visit a town called San Antonio de Pichincha, northwest of Quito, in order to visit the Middle of the World complex where we can find the commemorative monument of the French geodesic mission that visited Ecuador in 1736.

This complex is visually designed like an old colonial city.

Here you will have time for lunch.

This complex has several attractions such as: the ancestral homes of Ecuador, history of the French geodesic mission, history of the equator, experiments on gravity and data on the equator line, Ecuadorian cocoa museum, craft brewery, history of the train, craft shops, restaurants, and more. You will have time to visit the attractions of your choice, you will be able to take photographs and even stamp your passport with your visit to the middle of the world.

We will taste some traditional Paila ice cream and return to the hotel.





# DAY 2 - FULL DAY QUITO

### DETAILED ITINERARY

- Breakfast day 2.
- Pick-up at the hotel.
- Visit to the towers of the Basilica of Quito.
- We will pass through the 7 Crosses Street.
- Recognition of the Plaza Grande.
- Visit to the Metropolitan Cultural Center.
- Visit to the Church of the Sagrario.
- Visit to the domes of the Church of the Company of Jesus.
- Visit to the Church of San Francisco.
- Tasting of Ecuadorian artisanal chocolate.
- Tasting of traditional Quito sweets.
- Visit to the "Virgen del Panecillo" viewpoint.
- Free time for lunch.
- Transfer to the Middle of the World
- Visit to the Ciudad Mitad del Mundo tourist complex.
- Paila Ice Cream Tasting.
- Return to hotel at 18:00 PM.
- Lodging in Quito, day 2.







### DAY 3 - SANTA CRUZ Charles darwin station

Enjoy a tour at the Enchanted Islands. Our tour begins with transfer from your hotel to the Mariscal Sucre International Airport in Quito, where our staff will help you with all the procedures prior to your trip to the Galapagos, such as They are: obtaining TCT, baggage check and check-in at the airline.

Once the plane trip is over, you will arrive at the Baltra – Galapagos airport where our staff will be waiting for you outside the airport to take you to your hotel, where you will check-in and enjoy an exquisite lunch.

In the afternoon visit to the Charles Darwin Scientific Station and the Interpretation Center of the Galapagos National Park, visiting the turtle and land iguana exhibits. Return to the hotel and dinner.





### DAY 4 - SANTA CRUZ Bay tour and grietas

We will start the day with breakfast at the hotel, we will visit the beautiful Tortuga Bay Beach, unique in the world for its landscape, we will be able to observe marine iguanas among other species of animals and we will return to the hotel to enjoy lunch.

In the afternoon we will sail to the Bay Tour and visit La Lobería where you can enjoy a unique and unparalleled experience swimming and snorkeling with the sea lions. Then we will visit Punta Estrada and the shark channel next to Playa de los Perros.

After a small snack we will head towards Las Grietas without first passing through the salt flats, where the salt that pours from the Ocean is manually collected. Once in Las Grietas we will have 20 minutes to snorkel.

To end the day we will return to the hotel for dinner and relax.





#### DAY 5 - SANTA CRUZ - SAN CRITÓBAL Cerro Tijeretas - Pta. Carola - Playa Mann

We will start the day with breakfast at the hotel and we will move to San Cristóbal. After 2 hours of navigation, we will arrive at the hotel to check-in.

We will leave for the Interpretation Center where we will have a talk about the origin of the Islands and their species, then we will go to Cerro Tijeretas where we will have the opportunity to have a spectacular view from this viewpoint, later we will have the opportunity to swim on the spectacular beach Punta Carola. We will return to the hotel to enjoy lunch. We will have the afternoon free to enjoy the town and buy the latest souvenirs or enjoy Playa Mann Beach.

In the evening we will have dinner and relax at the hotel.





### DAY 6 - SAN CRITÓBAL LAGUNA DEL JUNCO Y PUERTO CHINO

We will start the day with breakfast at the hotel and we will travel for approximately 40 minutes to visit the only freshwater lagoon of the Galápagos, El Junco, which is home to a large number of birds of different species that feed and nest on its shores such as finches, vermilion flycatchers, and royal teros. Then we will visit Puerto Chino, an attractive white sand beach with both flora and fauna attractions, in this case large colonies of sea lions. On this beach we can enjoy the clarity of its waters and go swimming and snorkeling.

In the evening we will enjoy a delicious dinner and accommodation.





### DAY 7 - SAN CRITÓBAL TRANSFER OUT - AIRPORT

To finish our incredible adventure, on the last day we will start with a delicious breakfast. We will check out the hotel and head to the airport in San Cristóbal for the return flight to Quito or Guayaquil, which lasts 2 hours 30 minutes. Once at the International Airport of both Quito or Guayaquil, from both you can take your return flight home.





## GALAPAGOS ISLANDS TOUR

#### IT INCLUDES:

- Transfers Airport Hotel Airport.
- TCT, Entrance to the Galapagos National Park (\$100).
- All transfers in Galapagos.
- Accommodation in Quito, day 1 and day 2.
- Breakfast day 2.
- Hotel Accommodation of Choice for 4 nights in Twin / Tpl accommodation. 2 Nights Santa Cruz and 2 Nights San Cristóbal.
- Complete meals Fixed menu type (Continental breakfast, lunch and dinner depending on the Accommodation in Galapagos).
- Authorized Naturalist Guide of the Galapagos National Park.
- National Tourism Guide in Quito.
- Permanent assistance throughout the trip.

#### DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- International arrival flight.
- UIO or GYE flight to Galapagos.
- Drinks and food not indicated in the itinerary.
- Travel insurance.
- Tips.
- Tickets and activities not specified in the itinerary.
- Personal expenses.
- Return flight to country of origin.



### GALAPAGOS ISLANDS TOUR

#### WHAT TO BRING? In Quito:

- Cold or waterproof sweater.
- Cap.
- Sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Comfortable shoes .
- Camera.

#### IN GALÁPAGOS:

- Waterproof or quick-drying clothing.
- Cap.
- Sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Comfortable shoes (Trekking).
- Camera.
- Mosquito Repellent.
- Long sleeve t-shirts.
- Comfortable pants.
- Swim shorts or suits, sandals.
- Quick drying towel.
- Water bottle.



## TERMS OF PAYMENT

**PAYMENTS** are accepted in cash or by wire transfer through the **PAYPAL** app. **The link for payment will only be sent by Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S. MULTI-DAY TOURS**: To confirm the services, a payment of 70% of the total value of the tour must be made 30 days before the beginning of the tour. The remaining 30% can be paid in cash upon arrival in Quito - Ecuador or by transfer to **PAYPAL**.

• It should be taken into account that each transfer made through PAYPAL must increase by 15%, which is the cost for the transaction charged by the application.

### TERMS OF Cancellation

- Up to 30 days before the beginning of the tour: penalty equivalent to 15% of the total invoice amount.
- Up to 15 days before the beginning of the tour: penalty equivalent to 40% of the total invoice amount.
- Up to 10 days or less before the beginning of the tour: penalty equivalent to 100% of the total invoice amount.

A credit note equivalent to the amount already paid, penalty subtracted, will be issued.

#### **GENERAL TERMS**



At the time of receiving this document, it is the obligation of each passenger to read it. All ENJOY ECUADOR S.A.S passengers accept the following terms.

**Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S** will always do its best to respect the program sent, however, the order of visits could be modified and/or certain visits suppressed according to disturbing elements beyond our control (climatic or natural conditions, sea currents, strikes). , decisions of public authorities, state of the roads, decisions of local operators...).

**Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S** will not be responsible for extra costs caused by delays or cancellation of transportation for whatever reason.

It is also the traveler's responsibility to verify the weight authorized by the airlines for their suitcases (the excess weight will be paid directly by the passenger). Furthermore, airline ticket reference rates may change without prior notice.

**Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S** recommends its passengers ensure that their passports are valid for their travel dates and find out if they need to apply for a visa to enter Ecuador.

**Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S** suggests its clients consult their doctor before the trip, especially to ensure that height will not be a problem for their health. Some excursions could be replaced if the physical condition of the passengers does not allow the visit safely. **Each passenger must tell Enjoy Ecuador S.A.S if they have any health problems or allergies.** 

Each passenger must have travel insurance and medical insurance to avoid any additional expenses due to not being able to travel on the scheduled dates or in case of any accidents during the development of any of our tours. The passenger must notify the operator as soon as possible of any noncompliance with the itinerary during the development of any of our tours to the following email: **enjoy\_ecuador@hotmail.com**