

GALAPAGOS ISLANDS LEGEND CRUISE

Explore the Galapagos Islands aboard the Galapagos Legend

5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS

The Galapagos Legend cruise ship allows you to venture around the archipelago aboard one of the most comfortable ships available. There are balcony suites, junior suites, and standard cabins, all well-equipped with modern amenities.

With Itinerary B, the ship circumnavigates Rabida Island, Isabela Island, and Santa Cruz Island. The highlights of this itinerary include Mosquera Islet, Egas Port, Urbina Bay, Tagus Cove, Vicente Roca Point and Espinosa Point.

<p>FROM \$ 2743 per person</p>	<p>THIS CRUISE INCLUDES: 4 Nights Accommodations All Meals Aboard the Legend All Snorkeling and Hiking Excursions All Transfers Professional Naturalist Guides</p>	<p>HIGHLIGHTS Rabida Island Urbina Bay (Isabela) Tagus Cove (Isabela) Espinosa Point (Fernandina) Vicente Roca Point (Isabela) Santa Cruz Highlands</p>
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Day 1 - Thursday

BOARD THE LEGEND & DEPART FOR MOSQUERA ISLET

Visit the Mosquera Islet

Depart from Quito or Guayaquil to Baltra (2.5-hour flight).

Passengers are greeted at the airport and transferred to the pier in order to board the M/V Galapagos Legend.

In the afternoon, travel to Mosquera Islet, located between North Seymour and Baltra Island. This island is home to a large colony of sea lions, herons, and lava gulls. With no existing trail on the island, guests can enjoy taking a stroll in the wide open spaces.



Day 2 - Friday

EGAS PORT & RABIDA ISLAND

View the geology of Santiago Island & snorkel off Rabida Island

In the morning, a wet landing in Egas Port on Santiago Island to view the black volcanic sand beach and its variety of animals. During your time here, you may spot yellow-crowned herons, lobster, starfish, and other marine wildlife.

In the afternoon, a wet landing on the dark-red sand beaches of Rabida. Considered the epicenter of the Galapagos, the island features incredible landscapes. Look for Brown Pelicans and other nesting seabirds. Snorkel off the coast in this area that is known for particularly active marine life.



Day 3 - Saturday

URBINA BAY AND TAGUS COVE

View the natural wonders & exotic wildlife of Isabela Island

In the morning, a wet landing on the volcanic black sand beach of Urbina Bay on Isabela Island, the largest island in the chain. Here you will have the chance to find giant tortoises and land iguanas. Snorkel for the chance to swim with turtles, sea lions and a wide array of tropical fish.

In the afternoon, a dry landing in Tagus Cove to learn about the eruption of the five volcanoes that formed the island. Then, a dinghy ride along the coastline to look for a variety of seabirds and Galapagos penguins, of which there are more than 2,000 on the island. Finally, snorkeling in the deep water of the cove.



Day 4 - Sunday

ESPINOSA POINT AND VICENTE ROCA POINT

View the largest marine iguanas & snorkel in deep waters

In the morning, a dry landing at Espinosa Point on Fernandina Island. From here you can look across the Bolivar Channel at Isabela Island. Search for the largest and most primitive-looking marine iguanas and view the 'Pa-hoe-hoe' and 'AA' lava formations.

In the afternoon, go snorkeling in the deep waters of Vicente Roca Point to enjoy some of the richest marine havens on the planet. Take a dinghy ride along the coast to view the great diversity of coastal and sea birds



Day 5 - Monday

HIGHLANDS OF SANTA CRUZ AND DEPARTURE

Visit a turtle reserve before transferring to Baltra airport

In the morning, a dry landing on Santa Cruz Island and 45-minute bus ride to Puerto Ayora to visit the natural reserve for giant tortoises. These incredible creatures can weigh up to 500 or 600 pounds and will live for up to 150-200 years.

In the afternoon, passengers are transferred to Baltra airport to continue on to their next South American destination.

Note: If you're traveling on an extended cruise, there is an option to visit the Pit Craters on Santa Cruz Island. Explore the collapsed, twin sinkholes that put us in a breathtaking forest, full of Scalesia (an endemic species known to grow as shrubs or trees in the Galapagos). In addition to the natural beauty of the area, enjoy sightings of diverse passerine bird species.