Welcome to Urgench

TOP 20

Places to visit

- Stroll along the well-kept Al-Khwarizmi Avenue and the embankments of the Shavat Canal
- Find the 18-meter monument to the book Avesta in the park of the same name
- Explore miniature architectural and historical landmarks of Uzbekistan in Amir Timur Park
- Discover ancient archaeological sites: Toprak-Kala Fortress, Kyzyl-Kala Fortress, and the Ayaz-Kala settlement
- Swim in Lake Akchakul and learn why it's called the «money lake»



Welcome to Khiva

- Explore the inner city — the Ichan-Kala Citadel — and admire its evening illumination
- Visit the Kunya-Ark Fortress, a «city within a city» in the heart of Ichan-Kala
- Take photos of Khiva's iconic sights: the Kalta-Minor Minaret («short minaret») and the tallest one — Islam Khodja Minaret, over 56 meters high
- See the Pahlavan Mahmud Complex, the mausoleum of Khivan khans
- Visit the mausoleum of scholar Said Alauddin, climb the stairs, and enjoy the view of the old city
- Admire the grandeur of the Tash-Khauli Palace, residence of Khivan rulers
- Count over 200 carved wooden columns in the unique Juma Mosque
- See the madrasahs of Muhammad Amin Khan, Muhammad Rahim Khan, Allakuli Khan, and one of the oldest in Khiva — Khoja Berdibai
- Walk along Khiva's fortress wall at sunset
- Shop for handmade goods at the old eastern bazaar near the Palvan-Darvaza gate
- Visit the silk carpet and suzani workshop — Khiva Silk Workshop
- Stay in one of the authentic hotels in the old town
- Attend a performance of the Khiva Puppet Theater
- Discover traditional lifestyle, tools, and crafts at the Handicraft Museum in the Matpanabay Madrasah building
- Go on an audio tour-performance about the creation of the city — «The Voice of Khiva»



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TOP 4 souvenirs

- Ceramics in the traditional Khorezm color palette — blue, light blue, and white
- A locally made carpet
- Hand-carved wooden items
- A traditional chogirma headdress









What to taste?

- Khorezm-style plov, Suzma Osh
- Gumma — deep-fried pastries with cheese and herbs or meat
- Shivit Oshi — dill-infused noodles with savory sauce
- Tukhum Barak — dumplings filled with egg and milk





