

Half Day Tour to Sakkara and Memphis

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5 hrs

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Half Day Tour To Sakkara And Memphis, [Giza tours](#), With Your Egypt Tours Discover Memphis and Sakkara, two of Egypt's most important archaeological treasures. Check out the following [Egypt tour](#) itinerary and book now.

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Day 1

Itinerary

Discover Memphis and Sakkara, two of Egypt's most important archaeological treasures. Sakkara is home to the oldest pyramid in Egypt, and Memphis was the former capital founded in 3,100 BC. Memphis, built around 5100 years ago is the legendary city of Narmer, the King who united Upper and Lower Egypt. Early on, Memphis was more like a fortress from which Narmer controlled the land and water routes between Upper Egypt and the Delta.

Having probably originated in Upper Egypt, from Memphis he could control the people of Lower Egypt. A 20 - 30 minute drive away from the Pyramids of Giza, Sakkara, home of Egypt's oldest pyramid. Built by Imhotep for pharaoh Zoser in 2800 BC, the famous Step Pyramid is well preserved.

Your Egypt Tours qualified tour guide will give you a brief history of the site before allowing you free time to walk around the perimeter of the impressive structure. Sakkara is one section of the great necropolis of Memphis, the Old Kingdom capital, and the kings of the 1st Dynasty as well as that of the 2nd Dynasty. are mostly buried in this section of the Memphis necropolis. Three major discoveries have recently been made at Sakkara, including a prime minister's tomb, a queen's pyramid, and the tomb of the son of a dynasty's founding king.

This is a tour allowing you to determine the amount of time spent at each site during the tour. In addition, you will have the chance to visit a Papyrus Institute to see how this famous artwork is made and have the chance to purchase genuine items if you wish.

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Qualified Egyptologist guide.

Entrance fees to all the mentioned sites.

Hotel pickup and drop off.

Transportation by air- conditioned vehicle.

Bottled water during tour.

Exclusion

- Gratuities (recommended)
- Food and drinks, unless specified
- Any options not mentioned in the itinerary.

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110\$ /Per Person