Cuba

TWIN CENTRE six
12 NIGHTS CITY & BEACH

Our Hotels
Our accommodation partner is H10 Hotels. In Havana, the jazzy-looking H10 Habana Panorama is our base. This modern hotel has a big outdoor pool, 3 restaurants, 4 bars and a free shuttle to/from Habana Vieja about 20 mins away. Standard double rooms (for sole use,) face inland: upgrade to a sea view at £15 per night.

In Varadero, we relax at the H10 Ocean Vista Azul, a new hotel in a clifftop location. There are sea views and easy access to the sandy beach. The elevated position ensures cooling breezes. There are 6 restaurants, 7 bars, activities (included in the package) from watersports to dance lessons, a theatre, beauty and fitness centres, and a second pool.

Varadero golf course is next door, with special rates for guests. Double rooms (garden view, for sole use) have ceiling fan and air-con, coffee-machine, safe and minibar. Upgrades to Pool view rooms are £15 a night and Ocean view are £75 a night.

This fantastic two-centre holiday has proved such a great hit that we’ve added an additional night in Havana so that you can delve deeper into this unique and exciting destination. We fly a UK-based Host out to take care of the group throughout the holiday.

Our package includes flights into Havana for a 4-night stay in the lively capital. We include a full day guided tour to discover Cuba’s history, culture and its exciting future! We will make the most of the evenings, seeking out authentic nightlife and finding our rhythm on the dance-floor!

Meal arrangements in Havana include breakfast each morning and 1 evening meal. Other meals are at your expense, though the group eats together by mutual consent at local restaurants – we now have our own favourites!

After exploring Havana we head east to the fantastic resort of Varadero for 7 nights of total relaxation. Make the most of the hotel’s facilities and seaside location, but do try at least one of our optional excursions, whether it’s swimming with dolphins or discovering rural Cuba.

Our holiday arrangements at Varadero are on an all-inclusive basis, so all meals, drinks by the glass and the majority of the hotel’s services and activities are included in our package.

This holiday goes from strength to strength: book early to secure your place.

Sunday Meet your Host at Gatwick and fly together to Havana, arriving in time to dine together at the hotel (included).

Monday Good morning Cuba! After breakfast, we greet our local guide and driver for a full-day sightseeing tour of Havana, which is included in the package. We have wheels, but wandering on foot is all part of the city’s attraction!

Tuesday & Wednesday Two whole days to get under the skin of this amazing city, either exploring independently or taking an optional extra excursion. Will you walk in Hemingway’s footsteps? Try a Salsa class? Cigar-making? Amazing experiences!

Thursday A final morning in Havana – time for shopping perhaps – before we transfer by road to Varadero (about 2hrs) and settle in to the hotel in time for a pre-dinner cocktail – we’re on all-inclusive from now on, so you can treat yourself!

Friday Sun and sand! We’ll get together after breakfast to talk about all the options for your beach holiday and then it’s time to slap on the sunscreen and soak up some much-needed sunshine.

Saturday – Wednesday How much you do is up to you. There’s tennis and basketball, kayaking, catamarans and pedal boats; yoga and aerobics, dance classes, boccia… even a foam party! At night, the theatre offers great cabarets and Cuban dancing, all laid on by the hotel. Optional excursions at extra cost are an opportunity to explore the coast and the countryside.

Thursday Sadly, it’s time to head for home, transferring to Havana for our overnight flight back to the UK and we land back on Friday morning.

EARLY BOOKING OFFER
Book before the 30 August and receive £200 discount.

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What’s included
✓ Transfers from/to Havana and Varadero
✓ Double room for sole use at both hotels (11 nts)
✓ Breakfast every day of the holiday
✓ In Havana, 1 dinner
✓ In Havana, a full day guided sightseeing
✓ In Varadero, all meals and drinks by the glass
✓ In Varadero, land and water activities, evening entertainments
✓ Friendship Host at your disposal throughout
✓ ATOL-bonded flights from Gatwick only

Room upgrades
Upgrade to Pool view: £15 per night.
Upgrade to Ocean view: £75 per night.

FLIGHTS
Enjoy the excellent services of Virgin Atlantic direct from Gatwick to Havana. Ask about upgrading to Premium Economy.

Prices in £ sterling including flights start from

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Book early for lowest price: flight costs can increase