

Jordan Trek 2026: Petra and Wadi Rum

Date	Activity	Accommodations
Fri Sept 25	Depart to Amman if coming from the US	
Sat Sept 26	Arrive to Amman Free day to explore Orientation meeting in evening Welcome dinner	D Overnight Soho Midtown Hotel Amman
Sun Sept 27	We begin with an early morning departure from Amman after breakfast, heading south to the Dana Nature Reserve a drive of about 2.5 hours. Upon arrival at the Biosphere Reserve which is 1200 m (3937 ft.) above sea level we meet our trekking crew hand over our main luggage and head off for our first day trek through the reserve to Wadi Feynan (at 325 m - 1066 ft. above sea level). The walk from Dana to Feynan is essentially downhill with the initial 800 m (2650 ft.) descent taking place in the first hour of the walk. Dana Biosphere Reserve is Jordan's largest nature reserve, covering some 320 square kilometers of spectacular mountains and Wadi along the face of the Great Rift Valley. We will overnight at the famous Feynan Eco Lodge . Trekking Distance: Approx. 14 – 15 Km (8.7 miles) Trekking Time: Approx. 5 – 6 hours	B, L, D Overnight: Feynan Eco Lodge
Mon Sept 28	The group will have this day to do some available activities offered by Feynan lodge such as nature hikes around the eco lodge, participate in Bedouin activities like a cooking class, or simply relax and take in the beautiful surroundings. Another option, if feeling more adventurous, is to hike the slot canyon of Wadi Ghuweir. This is a full day 12.5 km (8 mile) hike plus 2 hour jeep ride to get to the start of the trail. The hike takes you through a beautiful slot canyon with some scrambling and wading involved. There is an extra cost for this option. Evening group transfer by jeeps from the lodge to the campsite in Barwas for dinner and overnight camping.	B, L, D Overnight: Wadi Barwas Camp
Tues Sept 29	After breakfast we set off leaving the stony "Hamada" desert behind us. We continue our trek and walk around the foot of the mountain to reach the trail head of an ancient Bedouin migration path that ascends steeply across rocks and small boulders through a twisty track rising high into the mountain. This section can be challenging and takes around 3 hours. The route offers stunning views westwards towards the fascinating Wadi Araba desert. We eventually reach the top of a high saddle which has some of the most beautiful scenery of the trek before descending following a small goat track to the river valley of Wadi Feid. Here we have a well-deserved opportunity to refresh and cool down in its clear, clean water; a perfect place for lunch. We then continue our trek, walking upstream and maneuvering around a beautiful dense garden of oleander, willow, tamarisk and reed. Beyond this we walk along a dry river bed surrounded with colorful sandstone outcrops to reach our camping spot where our crew will be	B, L, D

	<p>waiting for us and after a wash and rest, a Bedouin style evening meal.</p> <p>Trekking Distance: Approx. 9.5 Km (6 miles) Trekking Time: Approx. 6 to 7 hours</p>	<p>Overnight: Ras el Feid Camp</p>
Wed Sept 30	<p>With an early rise and breakfast, we continue our trek by retracing our path along the riverbed gradually climbing up the hills following Bedouin shepherd paths to uncover some of the most spectacular sceneries in Jordan! This part of the route is quite challenging and includes some easy scrambling to overcome some of the larger obstacles. The route becomes less well-defined and we depend on our Bedouin guide for the best route skirting the Sharah Mountains. In this remote wilderness, look out for the ibex. They are quite elusive and hard to spot so try to walk lightly and silently to increase your chances. The trail continues along the Wadi floor and gently climbs up into the pale colored sandstone distinctive hill that offers incredible views across the surrounding landscapes of mountains and canyons. We find shade here and rest for lunch before continuing our trek again with a descent, followed by a gentle uphill climb to reach a bare rock slab perfectly located to spend another magical night in the wild where we set up camp and enjoy the peaceful haven of the mountain scenery around us. We will arrange for jeeps to pick up the group for the last bit and transfer to Little Petra campsite for dinner and overnight. Deluxe cabins with private bathrooms.</p> <p>Trekking Distance: Approx. 16 Km (10 miles) Trekking Time: Approx. 7 to 8 hours</p>	<p>B, L, D</p> <p>Overnight: Little Petra 7 Wonders Camp</p>
Thurs Oct 1	<p>Today, enter Petra in a way in which very few visitors have – through the secret entrance to the Monastery. Start the trek on a trail which initially winds across open farmland. For the first two hours of the trek the path contours around the mountain ridge with fantastic views to Wadi Araba desert. Then the climb starts as the narrow route, open to sheer drop-offs, leads to perhaps Petra's most awe-inspiring monument, the Monastery. We will then walk down the well-worn Nabataeans steps into the heart of Petra, where we will visit Facades Street, Urn Tomb, the Theatre, Colonnaded Street, Royal Tombs and Qaser al Bent before having lunch near the Amphitheatre. Then we continue trekking until we reach the Treasury and exit from Siq to the main gate and get to your hotel in Petra, dinner & overnight.</p> <p>Trekking Distance: Approx. 10 - 12 Km (8 miles) Trekking Time: Approx. 6 - 7 hours</p>	<p>B, L, D</p> <p>Overnight Petra Canyon Hotel</p>
Fri Oct 2	<p>The group will have another opportunity to visit Petra site but today via the main entrance of the Siq to explore independently some of the site and see more... return to the hotel for shower and refreshment and get ready to meet the kids at the Wadi Musa Orphanage center.</p>	<p>B, L</p> <p>Overnight Petra Canyon Hotel</p>
Sat Oct 3	<p>Activities and work projects with the children</p>	<p>B, D</p> <p>Overnight Petra Canyon</p>

Sun Oct 4	Activities and work projects with the children	B, L Overnight Petra Canyon Hotel
Mon Oct 5	Today we will drive to Wadi Rum and enjoy doing some activities there. We will start with a 3-hour jeep safari tour in Wadi Rum over the sand dunes, followed with a nice lunch in one of the camps and then will do an hour-long camel trek; to experience the Bedouin's way of transportation in the desert and continue to the campsite for dinner and overnight in bubble domes.	B, L, D Overnight: At Mars Land Camp
Tues Oct 6	Today we drive to Madaba and visit the St. George Church and also continue to Mt. Nebo, the place where it was believed Moses viewed Jerusalem. Then later in the afternoon, we drive to the Dead Sea to enjoy lunch and to float in the Dead Sea or swim and at the Crown Plaza resort. We return to Amman in the evening.	B, L Overnight Opal Hotel Amman
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