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**AUSANGATE + PALOMANI PASS  
TO  
RAINBOW MOUNTAIN**

**3 Days & 2 Nights**



# OVERVIEW

## Ausangate + Palomani Pass to the Rainbow Mountain hike 3 days

This is one of the hikes that is different from the rest but always covering the most important places on its itinerary, join us on this Ausangate + Palomani Pass to the Rainbow Mountain hike 3 days.

On this tour you will appreciate the highest point of the Ausangate hike which is the Palomani Pass (5200 m. – 17.060 ft). At this point it really feels like being in heaven with a background of the Ausangate glacier.

Throughout this hike we will observe a diversity of wild and domestic animals such as: llamas, alpacas, vicuñas, chinchillas. And the imposing mountains such as the Apu Ausangate, the Rainbow Mountain and the impressive Red Valley. Are you ready for this hike?

## Ausangate + Palomani Pass to the Rainbow Mountain hike 3 days

- ✓ Share experiences with the last descendants of the Incas, you will learn their ancestral rites and traditions, celebrate a ceremony to mother earth with the sacred coca leaves.
- ✓ Observe the best part of the Ausangate mountain from the Palomani pass 5200 m.
- ✓ Camp on the side of the wild mountain, where we can enjoy quiet nights under a sky full of stars.
- ✓ End your trip in the impressive Rainbow Mountains and the Red Valley.
- ✓ Connect your body and mind with the best energy of the (Apu), sacred mountains.
- ✓ Immerse your knowledge of Inca agriculture, in these villages it is possible to see this activity.



# AUSANGATE + PALOMANI PASS TO RAINBOW MOUNTAIN 3 DAYS





1

DAY

# AUSANGATE MOUNTAIN



## Highlights Of The Day

- Submerging yourself in the first views of Vilcanota Mountain Range.



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**1****DAY**

## Observe Ausangate Mountain from the highest point



This day we start with your pick up at your hotel in Cusco at 4.30 am. And we head in our private transport to Alkatarwi (4,400 m / 14,436 feet), with a duration of approximately 3.30 hours. And we arrive at the mentioned place and it is there where we will have our first nutritious breakfast.

After that breakfast we start our walk uphill approx. 3 hours, heading towards Ausangate qocha (4,700 m / 15,420ft). Passing through incredible landscapes and animals such as alpacas, since they abound in that place, and most importantly, always enjoying the beauty of the place and taking the respective breaks. Once we arrive at the mentioned place we will have our lunch and take a good rest before continuing.

Before continuing we refill water and start the walk again approx. 2 hours, uphill to the Palomani Pass (5200 m / 17,056 ft), the highest point of this trek. At the point we explored everything around like the brown lake, the imposing Ausangate and feeling the energies emanating from the sacred Ausangate mountain.

Finishing the exploration we headed downhill, approx. 1 hour, to our camp which is at the base of the Ausangate mountain. There we had our dinner and rested for the next day.

2

DAY

# PUKA QOCHA PASS



## Highlights Of The Day

- Hike through beautiful landscapes and glimpse the lagoons and Ausangate Mountain.

**2****DAY**

## Feel the spirit of Ausangate Mountain



This day we wake up with a coca tea in our tents, then we will have an energizing breakfast. After this we begin our walk towards the Pukacocha pass (5,000 m / 16,404 ft). This point is sacred because you can feel the energies of the mountains and the lagoons, in this place we will have a ritual towards the Pachamama (mother earth).

After having explored these places, we head towards our lunch point. Ananta (4,700m / 15,420 ft), is the place for lunch, and we will rest before continuing.

After lunch we continue uphill passing through the Warmisaya pass and descending towards our camp which is in Surine Lake. Approx. 2 hours. From this point you can see the rainbow mountain. We will have dinner and enjoy a well-deserved rest.



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DAY

# RAINBOW MOUNTAIN & RED VALLEY



## Highlights Of The Day



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- Exploring Rainbow Mountain and the Red Valley with very few other visitors.



**3****DAY**

## Exploring Rainbow Mountain & Red Valley



In the morning we will have wake-up tea in our tents with coca leaves and then the nutritious breakfast to go explore the Rainbow Mountain and this day we set off earlier to beat the crowd and be the first.

We will walk for about 1 hour uphill until we reach the Rainbow Mountain, savor the unique views of the Rainbow Mountain (5,038 m / 16,528 ft) while enjoying some hot drinks.

After having enough time to enjoy this site, we will walk the Red Valley (a natural attraction out of reality) once we have appreciated the incredible views and taken the main photos.

We head towards the point of our lunch and say goodbye to our cook and muleteer. We continue towards Cusco to the door of your hotel. Ausangate + Palomani Pass to the Rainbow Mountain hike 3 days, will remain in our memories forever on your visit to Peru.



# INCLUSIONS

## Included / Not Included

### High Quality Service & Safety

- ✓ Pre-departure briefing
- ✓ Experienced tour guide in English and Spanish
- ✓ Private Camping Equipment
- ✓ 1 duffle bag
- ✓ Medical Kit or First AID Kit
- ✓ A professional chef
- ✓ Customer service 24/7

### Transportation

- ✓ Day 1: Private transportation from Cusco to the hiking point
- ✓ Horses, and muleteers; cargo mules will carry your (7 kg / 15.4 lb) personal items
- ✓ Day 3: Private transportation back to your hotel in Cusco

### Extras included in our service

- ✓ Emergency horse to ride
- ✓ Sleeping bag
- ✓ Extra oxygen
- ✓ Hiking poles
- ✓ PRO Air sleeping pad

### Meals

- ✓ Meals: Breakfast (3), lunch (3), dinner (2)
- ✓ Food: (vegetarian and vegan food options available)
- ✓ Wake up tea
- ✓ Tea Time or Happy Hour
- ✓ Snacks on the trail daily
- ✓ Water during the hike
- ✓ Products for hygiene

### Permits & Entrance Tickets

- ✓ Entrance ticket to Ausangate trek
- ✓ Entrance ticket to Rainbow Mountain
- ✓ Entrance ticket to Red Valley

### What is not included?

- Travel insurance
- Gratuities for our staff
- Additional costs or delays beyond our control



# TRIP CHECKLIST

## 5 Days & 4 Nights

- ✓ Original Passport
- ✓ Flashlight with spare batteries
- ✓ Sun hat, cap, and warm hat and gloves for the nighttime
- ✓ Water bottle or canteen
- ✓ Good hiking boots with ankle protector or similar, and one pair of flip-flops or light sandals
- ✓ Comfortable hiking clothes, including warm clothes for the nighttime
- ✓ Rain gear (especially if traveling in the wet season, from October to March)
- ✓ Hiking poles
- ✓ Hiking socks
- ✓ Personal medication
- ✓ Sunblock and sunglasses
- ✓ Comfortable trousers
- ✓ Toiletries and hand sanitiser
- ✓ Hiking long-sleeve T-shirts
- ✓ Camera and film with extra batteries
- ✓ Phone and Camera charger and adapter
- ✓ Some snacks such as chocolate, cereal bars, candies, nuts, energy bars
- ✓ American dollars and Peruvian soles in cash
- ✓ Backpack to carry your things





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