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Danube River - Vienna & Budapest

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7 Nights

Vilshofen, Germany to Budapest, Hungary

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Itinerary

Day 1 Vilshofen, Germany

Cruising into Vilshofen with Celebrity River Cruises, you'll arrive at a town where the Danube flows gently alongside tradition, art, and quiet charm. Stroll its historic streets and discover treasures like the Church of St. John the Baptist or Vilshofen Castle, each offering a glimpse into the town's deep cultural roots. In local museums, a vibrant artistic spirit comes through in exhibitions that reflect both past and present.

Settle into a local tavern to enjoy classic Bavarian dishes or sample beers brewed with generations of care. For a slower moment, follow the riverside promenade, where panoramic views and stillness invite you to linger. Vilshofen moves at its own pace — welcoming, thoughtful, and deeply grounded in its heritage. Here, beauty is not only in the sights, but in the ease with which the town invites you to feel at home.

Your ship departs promptly at 8:00 pm, so we recommend arriving at least 2-3 hours early to smoothly navigate check-in and boarding. All ship amenities are open and ready, so kickstart your vacation with a refreshing drink or a delicious snack.

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Day 2-3 Linz, Austria

Set along the Danube, Linz is a city where past and future speak fluently. Baroque buildings frame wide, walkable squares, while glass-walled museums pulse with light and possibility. It's Austria's City of Media Arts, curious, creative, and always evolving. You might step inside the Ars Electronica Center, where digital landscapes and sound installations invite you to play, question, and explore. Or drift through the minimalist halls of the Lentos Art Museum, where bold Austrian works and contemporary voices share space on white walls. At the heart of the city, Hauptplatz offers baroque beauty, local flavors, and relaxed exploration. Whether diving into digital worlds or savoring a Linzer torte in the sun, Linz reveals its character in vibrant, personal ways at your pace, in your style.

Day 3 Grein, Austria

In the riverside village of Grein, creativity takes the spotlight. Home to Austria's oldest still-operating theater, this town weaves art, music, and storytelling into everyday life. Step inside the Stadttheater, a jewel box of velvet seats and footlit stages, and learn how performers and townspeople have kept the spirit of theater alive here for centuries. A local actor may walk you through its hidden corners, sharing how this little jewel box became the town's beating heart. Or follow a different path, wandering into puppet workshops, musical salons, or conversations with artists who call Grein home. However you traverse it, Grein doesn't just preserve tradition, it lives in it, and invites you to take part in something timeless.

Wachau Valley

Sailing through Austria's Wachau Valley with Celebrity River Cruises, the Danube carries you into a region where storybook scenery and time-honored traditions live side by side. Begin in Melk, where the grand Baroque abbey rises above the river, its gilded halls and ancient library offering both beauty and depth. From there, the Wachau World Heritage Trail invites a walk through terraced vineyards, orchards, and quiet villages that reveal the valley's agricultural heart.

Along the way, taste the region's flavors in simple, satisfying meals like Tafelspitz or Kaiserschmarrn, a sweet pancake dish beloved across Austria. The Wachau is more than a destination, it's a place to breathe in fresh air, feel the land's inviting allure, and connect with the quiet elegance that defines this stretch of the Danube. Each moment is its own reward, wrapped in stillness, color, and a sense of deep-rooted tradition.

Weissenkirchen, Austria

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Day 3-4 Durnstein, Austria

Dürnstein rises from the river in a patchwork of vineyards, blue church spires, and castle ruins, all lit by the golden light of the Wachau Valley. This is wine country at its most storied and scenic, where tasting is more than a pastime, it's a way of life. Follow your senses into the vines with a local vintner, where you'll trace stone terraces carved by hand and taste Grüner Veltliner in cellars that echo with centuries of harvests. Or choose to explore the town's quiet lanes, where Richard the Lionheart was once imprisoned and stories still slip easily between past and present. Whether you are sipping in the sun or standing among ruins high above the river, Dürnstein reveals itself slowly to you, one glass, one legend, one view at a time.

Day 4 Tulln, Austria

Known as Austria's "garden city," Tulln is where horticulture becomes high art. Here, design, ecology, and local pride converge in walkable displays that delight and inspire. At the Tulln Garden Show grounds, explore themed landscapes and water features that reflect centuries of craftsmanship and innovation. A landscape artist might walk beside you, pointing out native plants chosen for beauty and resilience, or the way light is used like a material. Or drift along the river trails where art and nature blur at the edges. However you explore, Tulln offers more than beauty. It invites you to feel what happens when intention and landscape grow together.

Day 4-5 Vienna, Austria

Vienna blends imperial elegance with everyday artistry. Glide past baroque facades, lose yourself in the sound of Strauss, and the State Opera and sip coffee where Mozart once lingered. This is a city where every street feels composed and every detail tells a story. Imagine walking with a local host whose family has lived here for generations. Together, you step through palace gates, slip into a hidden atelier, or pause in a music hall where rehearsals echo through time. With space to explore by day and linger into the night, you begin to feel Vienna's rhythm for yourself, rich and resonant at every turn and full of surprises.

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Day 6 Gönyű, Hungary

In Gönyű, the Danube softens, the sky opens wide, and nature quietly takes center stage. This lesser-known Hungarian village is a sanctuary of wetlands, birdsong, and slow-moving beauty. Walk or bike along riverside trails where migratory birds nest in tall grasses and local traditions unfold with subtle grace. Uncover riverside paths, perhaps with a local naturalist who points out nesting grounds and healing plants used for generations. Here, discovery arrives without spectacle, in the rustle of reeds, in the quiet patience of those who know the land, in the gift of time to listen.

Day 7 Scenic Budapest

Sailing into Budapest is nothing short of cinematic. As your ship glides beneath glowing bridges, Buda's castle-topped hills rise on one side, Pest's grand boulevards on the other. Thermal baths, centuries-old architecture, and a golden skyline welcome you to a city where history and modern life meet at the water's edge.

Budapest, Hungary

Where grand boulevards meet steamy thermal baths and ruin bars buzz behind crumbling facades, Budapest is a city of contrasts best explored through local eyes. Wander castle-lined hills, cruise beneath glowing bridges, or slip into centuriesold bathhouses that still shape daily life. Follow your curiosity into the city's artistic soul, where a local painter leads you through tucked-away galleries and hidden ateliers. Between stops, you might pass the Hungarian Parliament Building or pause for coffee in a quiet courtyard where poets once lingered, hearing stories not found in any guidebook. Then you may find yourself soaking in the healing waters of a centuries-old bathhouse. However you move through it, Budapest reveals itself not as a place to visit, but as one to feel.

Day 8 Budapest, Hungary

Your cruise may have ended, but the adventure continues. Take advantage of the fantastic activities in the area. If you're flying out, please keep your departure flight time in mind and plan accordingly.

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