



## VENICE SIMPLON-ORIENT- EXPRESS, A BELMOND TRAIN: VENICE TO PARIS

Set off on the journey of a lifetime and discover romance on the railways, as you journey from Venice to Paris on the iconic Venice Simplon-Orient-Express.

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## Journey Overview

Departing from storied Venice, your time aboard will be one of luxury and decadence. Explore faithfully restored 1920s dining carriages and champagne rooms. Relax in your private suite or cabin, where a personal steward will attend to your every need. Then anticipate a dinner for the ages and savour unrivalled, world-renowned cuisine.

Estimated departure: Venice, 11:00 – arrival: Paris, 08:30 (2023 trips)

Estimated departure: Venice, 11:30 – arrival: Paris, 13:00 (2024 trips)

Our train is subject to national and international railway constraints and timings are purely indicative. Please check your final itinerary for confirmed timings.

### **Includes:**

- Complimentary Transfer  
We'll collect you from your Venice accommodation and transfer you to the train station for check-in and departure
- Luxurious Accommodation  
One night aboard the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express train
- A Sumptuous Four-Course Dinner  
Feast on our seasonal table d'hôte menu, which includes biscuits, cheeseboard and chutney, as well as coffee and tea
- Sommelier Wines  
All table d'hôte meals include our sommelier's selection of wines when served in the restaurant cars
- A Delicious Three-Course Lunch  
A sumptuous three-course lunch as the world passes by your window
- French Breakfast  
Served in your cabin for ultimate comfort
- Dedicated Steward Service  
To attend to your every request as you unwind in style



## Itinerary

### **Day 1: The Golden Age Of Travel**

Board the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express at Venice Santa Lucia for a lavish three-course lunch in one of our hand restored 1920s restaurant cars. Then spend the afternoon relaxing in the comfort of your suite or cabin, gazing at the beautiful scenery as the continent passes before you.

A selection of pastries will be served to your quarters, before a leisurely four-course dinner; prepared on board by our famed French chefs. Later, enjoy cocktails and free flowing champagne in the Bar Car, listening to the resident pianist play your requests on the baby grand.

### **Day 2: Breakfast With A View**

Awake to a whole new landscape outside your window. A breakfast of fresh coffee, fruits, warm breads and pastries is served to your cabin or suite at a time that suits you. Then prepare to disembark as the train pulls into Paris Gare de l'Est where your journey with us will come to an end.

## Accommodation

### Venice Simplon-Orient-Express, A Belmond Train



The Venice Simplon-Orient-Express, A Belmond Train has earned renown as the world's most glamorous train carrying 188 guests in sophisticated style. Ornate carriages, sumptuous cuisine and attentive personal service make it one of the world's finest luxury travel experiences. Impeccably restored private compartments are converted each evening by a steward into a luxurious bedroom with washbasin cabinet. The train's classic journey runs from London via Paris to Venice, or you may choose to pursue a different chapter in history taking in the sights of Istanbul, Budapest, Prague or Vienna.

### The Cabins

The Venice Simplon-Orient-Express cars are the original 1920s models. Each cabin has a washbasin, hot and cold water, towels, bathrobes and slippers. Many cabins have adjoining doors and can be converted to 'Cabin Suites'. WC's are located at either or both ends of each sleeping car. For something unforgettable, experience new levels in one of the new Grand Suites. Interiors are inspired by Paris, Venice and Istanbul, embody art deco indulgence while providing every modern comfort. Sip on free-flowing champagne as you relax in style.

### ISTANBUL SUITE

Opulence and romance abound, with hand-carved timber, embossed leather and exaggerated metal details. Embroidered pillows and rugs echo the Grand Bazaar.

### PARIS SUITE

Light and classic, this chic suite draws on the French capital's grand architecture with flourishes of haute couture.

### VENICE SUITE

Silk, woven fabrics, glass lamps and Venetian furniture reflect grand Italian Baroque and Renaissance design.

*Special inclusions apply to Grand Suites.*

### **Dining**

Three restaurant cars offer a truly magical dining experience, from scenic lunches to romantic dinners. Gentlemen are asked to wear a jacket and tie for dinner. During the day, smart casual is expected, excluding jeans and sport shoes.

### **Bar Car '3674'**

A glamorous setting for pre-dinner drinks and cocktails with your fellow guests, or a nightcap before retiring to your cabin. Enjoy the evocative sound of the baby grand piano, played by the resident pianist.

### **Champagne Bar**

Sample the finest Champagnes in our exclusive bar. Art Deco interiors and Lalique glassware conjure the romance and glamour of the Roaring Twenties

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