

**10 days, 9 nights (The Silk Road and Rural Kyrgyzstan)  
WINTER SCHEDULE (OCTOBER – MARCH)**

Day	Starting Place	Day plan	Afternoon plan	Evening plan	Ending place	Accommodation	
1	Tashkent Uzbekistan		<b>12pm - Tour starts</b> <b>Travel to Samarkand by train</b>	<b>Arrival in Samarkand</b>	Samarkand Uzbekistan	Guesthouse	
2	Samarkand Uzbekistan	1. Visit to Bibi Khanum Mosque 2. Visit to Siab Bazaar	1. Visit to Shah-i-zinda and cemetery 2. Visit to Mausoleum of Islam Karimov	1. Visit to the Registan Mosque and Madrasah Complex	Samarkand Uzbekistan	Guesthouse	
3	Samarkand Uzbekistan	<b>Travel to Bukhara by train</b>	1. Walk the streets and alleyways of the Silk Road city of Bukhara 2. Visit to Bukhara Synagogue, one of the last traces of Bukhara's once thriving Jewish community.	1. Visit to Bozori Kord Hamam, a traditional bathhouse located in the Old City.	Bukhara Uzbekistan	Guesthouse	
4	Bukhara Uzbekistan	1. Visit to Chor Minor Madrasah and abandoned madrasahs located nearby.	1. Visit to Ark of Bukhara, Bukhara's oldest building dating back to the 5 <sup>th</sup> Century 2. Visit to Kalyan Mosque, 15 <sup>th</sup> century mosque – one of the largest in Central Asia.	<b>Travel to Tashkent by Sleeper Train</b>	TRAIN Uzbekistan	TRAIN	
5	Train Uzbekistan	<b>Arrival in Tashkent</b> 1. Ride the Tashkent Metro, the biggest metro system in Central Asia and one of the most beautiful in the World.	1. Visit Chorsu Bazar, the largest bazar in Tashkent. Have lunch at the food bazar where a huge variety of local food are sold. 2. Visit the Khast Imam Library to see one of the world's oldest Quran, the Samarkand Kufic Quran.	1. Dinner at the Central Asian Plov Centre, where the national rice dish, Plov, is cooked in large open air wood stoves. 2. Visit to Hotel Uzbekistan and Amir Timur Statue. 3. Viewing of ballet / opera / circus (If available)	Tashkent Uzbekistan	Guesthouse	
6	Tashkent Uzbekistan	<b>Travel to Andijan by train</b>	<b>Travel from Andijan to Borbash by private-hire van</b>	<b>HOMESTAY IN VILLAGE</b>		Borbash Kyrgyzstan	Homestay
7	Borbash Kyrgyzstan	<b>HOMESTAY IN VILLAGE</b>				Borbash Kyrgyzstan	Homestay
8	Borbash Kyrgyzstan	Explore nearby canyons, waterfalls, rivers, and mountains. Visits to schools, farms, bazaars, and local villages. Watch nomadic games (Kok Boru) and boxing matches. Learn how to prepare local food, such as Plov and Mantiy. Yurt stay with local family in a valley near Osh, Kyrgyzstan.				Borbash Kyrgyzstan	Yurt Stay
9	Borbash Kyrgyzstan					Borbash Kyrgyzstan	Homestay
10	Borbash Kyrgyzstan	<b>Travel to Andijan by private-hire van</b>	<b>Travel from Andijan to Tashkent by train</b>	<b>Arrive in Tashkent</b> <b>9:30pm – tour ends</b>			

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SUMMER SCHEDULE (APRIL – SEPTEMBER)**

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9	Borbash Kyrgyzstan	<b>HOMESTAY IN VILLAGE</b>		1.Outdoor dinner and camping by Papan Lake.	Papan Lake Kyrgyzstan	Camping	
10	Papan Lake Kyrgyzstan	<b>Travel to Andijan by private-hire van</b>	<b>Travel from Andijan to Tashkent by train</b>	<b>Arrive in Tashkent 9:30pm – tour ends</b>			

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