

PADRE ISLAND

Known for its crystal clear turquoise waters and soft white sand beaches, Padre Island offers the unsurpassed beauty of Laguna Madre Bay and the Gulf of Mexico. Enjoy plenty of time to unwind and relax on this Texas retreat.

1// Fairfield, TX Beautiful beaches, warm Gulf waters and breathtaking sunsets await us as we make our way towards the enchanting island today.

2 // **Corpus Christi, TX** Launch your sense of wonder right into the stratosphere with a trip to **Space Center Houston.** Explore the NASA grounds. Discover the remarkable past and exciting future of America's human spaceflight program, set among the largest collection of space artifacts. Imagine what life was like for astronauts who lived aboard the International Space Station and experience the new Mars exhibit. **Lunch** is included.

3 // South Padre Island, TX Climb aboard the USS Lexington for a tour of the World War II vintage aircraft carrier. Learn the history of her five decades in service and how she earned the legendary nickname "The Blue Ghost." Then relive every second in this ground-rumbling display of light and sound in the 3D mega theatre, featuring "Aircraft Carrier: Guardian of the Sea." The action film has an immersive storyline of ships just like the USS Lexington and the role they play in maintaining safety on

the seas. Enjoy **lunch** here then travel to South Padre Island for a 3-night stay at a **beach-front resort.**

4// South Padre Island, TX Today, wake to full sun and gentle breezes. Enjoy island life on your own. There are a number of ways you could choose to spend your free day on Padre Island. Dip your toes into the warm and inviting waters, relax on the beach, swim in the clear emerald water, or enjoy numerous resort amenities. The choice is yours, and the relaxation is free!

5 // South Padre Island, TX Share the thrill of meeting bottle nose dolphins in the wild and experience the uncommon kinship they inspire in mankind, on a Dolphin Watch and Eco Tour Cruise. This incredible journey takes you across the Laguna Madre Bay. Study nature's most fascinating aquatic mammals, from the legendary history of their relationship with man to the social dynamics of their feeding habits and environment. This afternoon, explore the wonder of one of South Padre Island's sparkling tourism gems - Sea Turtle, Inc. Come to know about the magnificent sea turtles, the importance of conservation, rescue and rehabilitation, and their amazing voyage back to sea.



FEBRUARY 18-25, 2025

Departs Wichita, OKC, Tulsa

Included Meals:

- 7 Breakfasts
- 5 Lunches
- 1 Dinner

Activity Level

\$1929 Double \$1669 Quad **\$1779 Triple \$2479 Single**

Pricing is Per Person \$100 Non-Refundable Deposit Per Person Optional Travel Protection Available Final Payment Due 60 days before departure

Cancellation Policy B

6 // San Antonio, TX Say farewell to Padre this morning as we head toward San Antonio. Relive the battle of the Alamo on the IMAX screen with a presentation of Alamo-The Price of Freedom. Then take in one of America's most historic sites in person at the Alamo, which played a critical role in the Texas Revolution. People worldwide continue to remember the Alamo as a heroic struggle against impossible odds. Stroll, shop, and dine along the famous River Walk this afternoon during free time. Exciting attractions and beautiful sights will keep us entertained for hours! Our beautiful hotel for the evening is conveniently located along the river. Discover the soul of San Antonio as we take a San Antonio River Cruise, where we'll experience the timeless charm and culture of this river city. There's something for everyone to enjoy!

7 // Frisco, TX Following lunch today, we'll take a guided tour of the world's largest domed structure, AT&T Stadium and home of the Dallas Cowboys. A unique collection of contemporary art, which enhances the architecture, is also housed here.

8 // **Home** Wave goodbye to the warm, sunny Lone Star State, as we travel home with enduring memories of a fantastic vacation.