



Hop-on Hop-off gives you the freedom to create your perfect itinerary using a private door-to-door coach network that connects 47 of the best destinations in Europe. You'll travel with fun, like-minded people and meet our amazing drivers and guides. Pre-plan your trip or wing it as you go. Change your plans as often as you like, free of charge. It's your choice, your way.

	RAIL	HOP-ON HOP-OFF	TOUR
CHOICE & FLEXIBILITY ON YOUR ITINERARY	<b>✓</b>	Pre-plan your route or book it as you go. No hidden fees or extra charges when you change your plan. Guaranteed.	×
MAKING FRIENDS WITH LIKE-MINDED PEOPLE	×	Join a network of thousands of like-minded independent travellers and make new friends at every stop.	<b>✓</b>
SECURITY & COMFORT WHEN TRAVELLING	×	Modern coaches, fantastic drivers, and your luggage secure. Just sit back and relax!	<b>✓</b>
CONVENIENT & HASSLE FREE	×	A door-to-door service to our preferred accommodation partners with 100% guaranteed departures. Don't worry about a cancelled or delayed train again.	<b>✓</b>
EXPERTLY GUIDED	×	Our guides are at hand to help you whenever you need them. From restaurants to clubs, museums to art galleries, we've got the lowdown on them all!	<b>✓</b>

**AMSTERDAM** 

STUTTGART

SWISS ALPS (LAUTERBRUNNEN)

LA SPEZIA (CINQUE TERRE)

MILAN 🔲

BRUGES [

Our Hop-on Hop-off coach travel network gives you access to 47 of the best destinations across Europe. Whether it's sunny beaches, delicious foods, Insta-worthy spots or history you're after, we've got you covered. Choose what Pass best meets your needs & get planning! Europe is waiting for you.





**BERLIN** 

MUNICH

LUCERNE

LAKE COMO

FLORENCE (

AUSTRIAN ALPS (ELLMAU)

VENICE (

SIENA 🔲

ORVIETO

DRESDEN 🖂

PRAGUE ()

CESKY KRUMLOV

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ROME (

SALZBURG

GRUNAU

LAKE BLED LJUBLJANA

ZADAR 🔲

SPLIT C

VIENNA

□ Bratislava

ZAGREB

KRAKOW

ZAKOPANE

**OBUDAPEST** 

# **UNLIMITED PASS**

# **CHOOSE ONE OF THESE:**

2 Week Pass

1 Month Pass

2 Month Pass

3 Month Pass

# TIMETABLE in alphabetical order

DEPARTS	ARRIVES	RUNS
Amsterdam   08:00	Berlin   18:00	2 May-9 Oct
Austrian Alps   14:30	Munich   16:30	18 May-11 Oct
Avignon   12:15	Barcelona   18:30	31 May-30 Sep
Barcelona   08:00	Valencia   13:00	1 Jun-1 Oct
Berlin   08:00	Dresden   11:30	3 May-10 Oct
Bern   17:15	Swiss Alps   18:30	29 May-28 Sep
Bilbao   15:30	San Sebastian   17:00	4 Jun-4 Oct
Bologna   10:00	Rome   15:30	6 May-13 Oct
Bordeaux   11:30	Tours   16:45	5 Jun-5 Oct
Bratislava   09:30	Krakow   16:00	14 May-7 Oct
Bruges   13:00	Amsterdam   18:00	1 May-8 Oct
Budapest   08:00	Zagreb   14:30	16 May-9 Oct
Cesky Krumlov   11:45	Munich   17:30	4 May-11 Oct
Oresden   11:30	Prague   14:30	3 May-10 Oct
Evora   13:00	Lisbon   15:30	2 Jun-2 Oct
Florence   08:00	La Spezia   10:45	8 May-15 Oct
Grunau   13:00	Vienna   17:00	13 May-6 Oct
Krakow   08:00	Zakopane   11:00	15 May-8 Oct
La Spezia   10:45	Lake Como   15:00	8 May-15 Oct
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Lucerne   09:30	Munich   17:00	9 May-16 Oct
Madrid   08:00	Evora   13:00	2 Jun-2 Oct
Milan   13:30	Nice   18:30	30 May-29 Sep
Munich   08:00	Lake Bled   13:00	5 May-12 Oct
Munich   08:00	Salzburg   10:30	13 May-6 Oct
Munich   08:00	Stuttgart   11:15	10 May-17 Oct
Nice   08:00	Avignon   12:15	31 May-30 Sep
Orvieto   10:00	Siena   12:15	7 May-14 Oct
Paris   08:00	Bern   17:15	29 May-28 Sep
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# **CALENDAR**

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# **PLAN YOUR TRIP**

# THINGS TO REMEMBER WHEN PLANNING:



Coaches depart each destination every other day between May and October. The coaches travel in the direction of the arrows.



Destinations marked with a circle are compulsory overnight cities. (stay for any odd number of nights, e.g. 1, 3, 5, etc.)

Destinations marked with a square are optional overnight cities. (stay for any even number of nights, e.g. 2, 4, 6, etc.)



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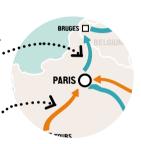
Travel anywhere on the network for the duration of your Pass. Your Pass starts when you board your first coach.



Check out our timetable and calendar to get planning.

Dates in blue match the blue arrows on the map.

Dates in orange match the orange arrows on the map.



# **PUT YOUR PLANS ON PAPER:**

- Circle all the destinations you want to visit.
- Think about how long you'd like to spend in each destination. You can change this as you go, free of charge.
- Count up the number of days.
- Decide which pass will offer you the best value.

# YOUR ONLINE TRAVEL PLANNING TOOL

Bought a pass? Now you can create your own adventure!
MyTrip is the planning tool to book your coach travel and accommodation. Use it to plan your perfect itinerary months before you arrive, or use it to book as you go. The choice is yours.

Here's how it works...



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REGISTER

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LAST NAME

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RE-TYPE PASSNORD

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You've just booked the best travel pass to Europe. Check your inbox for your MyTrip login details.

Load up busabout.com/mytrip on your mobile (or laptop) and enter your details. Ready, get set... Go! Select your coach travel between cities to create your own itinerary. You can change your plan at anytime.



Reserve your accommodation through MyTrip. From dorms to private rooms, choose the right one for your budget.



Check out great offers and add-on adventures as you go. Enjoying the city too much to leave? Simply rearrange your itinerary for the next departure.



Meet other travellers and see who's checking onto your coach before stepping on board.

# GETTING AROUND

Travelling on Hop-on Hop-off is a stress-free experience. You won't need to worry about your bags or valuables, as they can all be safely locked up underneath the coach. While travelling between destinations, there are plenty of breaks for you to sample some service-stop delicacies and stretch your leas.

Once you arrive at your destination there's no need to decipher a map while carting your luggage across a foreign city. Our door-to-door pick-ups and dropoffs get you as close as possible to our recommended accommodation. In essence, we deal with the serious stuff so you can focus on the fun.

# OUR COACH FLEET

# PANORAMIC WINDOWS

Big windows, so you don't miss out on any of the scenic beauty Europe has to offer.

Stay on top of your social media game with our on-board WiFi connection.

# · AIR-CON

Europe can get steamy during the summer, but our aircon will

# BUSABOUT.COM keep you cool and fresh.

# **UNDERCARRIAGE STORAGE**

We will keep your luggage safely stored underneath the coach throughout the journey.

## Our drivers are some of the most passionate and commited in the business. Your comfort is their number one priority.

# OUR COACHES ARE GREEN

Our new coaches run so clean that in some polluted cities they actually improve the quality of the air. We've managed to reduce our Nitrogen Dioxide emissions by a further 65%. That makes our fleet the most environmentally friendly yet.

# ON-BOARD ENTERTAINMENT

From movies to magnificent playlists meticulously crafted by our guides.

# **COMFY RECLINING** SEATS

Sit back, relax and savour the views.





# STAY

We hand-pick one great place to stay in each city so you don't have to. It's the best value for money option around. A good rule of thumb for accommodation would be around €15 to €30 per person per night. All of the places we stay have a combination of all these great qualities:



# PICK-UP/DROP-OFF

We will pick you up and drop you off right at the door.



## LOCATION

Stay close to the city centre and save on transport.



## **ATMOSPHERE**

Stay with other passengers and make new friends from all over the world.



## **ROOM TYPES**

From dorms to private rooms, choose the right one for your budget.



## **RATINGS**

We check the ratings frequently to make sure you get the best value for money.



## WIF

We aim to select properties with great free WiFi.

# GET THE FULL LIST OF RECOMMENDED ACCOMMODATION AT BUSABOUT.COM/STAY

OR

If you prefer to choose your own accommodation, we offer thousands of other options on MyTrip. From hostels to camping villages and guesthouses, there's an option for every budget!



## **HOSTELS**

Centrally located and close to all the action, hostels are the ideal option if you'd like to meet other travellers. They're stylish and comfy, too!



# **GUESTHOUSES**

Expect hearty meals and all the other comforts from home with views that will make your jaw drop. Deciding when to leave will be your only worry!



# **CAMPING VILLAGES**

Wake up surrounded by waterfalls in the heart of the Swiss Alps, or enjoy a dip in the pool of one of our campsite options in Italy.



Travelling on the Hop-on Hop-off network gives you plenty of free time to see and do what you want in each destination. Our optional activities are ideal if you'd like to add that little extra to your experience. Don't know what to expect? See if you fit any of the travel tribes below!



# THE CULTURE VULTURES

Walking tours are a great introduction to any new city. They are expertly guided, cover all the big sights and are filled with fun facts!



# THE ACTIVE TRAVELLERS

If you want to make the most of your time in a city and stray off the beaten path while at it, then a guided bike tour is the way to go.



# THE PARTY ANIMALS

How do you know where the party's at after a long day of sightseeing? Two words: pub crawl. Conquer the night, one trendy hotspot at a time.



# WANT THE FULL LIST?

The full list of activities will be in the Travellers Handbook you will receive on your first day on the coach. If you'd like to take a sneak peek before your trip starts, visit busabout.com/optionals.



# THE ADRENALINE JUNKIES

Get ready to paraglide in the stunning Swiss Alps and go white water rafting in Slovenia, because YOLO!



# **THE FOODIES**

You can't do Europe without the food. Full stop. Discover the best typical dishes you've never heard of and learn to cook like a local.

Dieters not allowed!



# PASSENGER FAQ

Want to know more about how the Hop-on Hop-off network works? Here are some of the frequently asked questions we aet to help vou out.

I'M THINKING OF TRAVELLING ON MY OWN. WILL I MEET OTHER SOLO TRAVELLERS?

> Absolutely! The great thing about Busabout is that it's so easy to meet like-minded independent travellers and you'll soon have lots of new friends on the road. Also with Busabout's Trip Mates and Community you can even get in touch before you start (arrange to meet at the hostel bar the night before maybe?). So it's a lot more fun than travelling on trains and buses by yourself.

DO LOTS OF PEOPLE TRAVELLING ON THE BUS MEET EACH OTHER AND THEN START TRAVELLING TOGETHER?

> Yes, totally! By the end of the season you'll have met loads of really cool, like-minded people. Your pass is flexible, so you can change routes if you'd like and travel with a new groups of friends.

I'M TRAVELLING WITH MY PARTNER - CAN I BOOK OUR HOSTELS AND COACH JOURNEYS TOGETHER?

> Yes. In MyTrip you have the option to book everything at the same time if you all have the same trips booked. If you're travelling with a group you can also nominate a lead passenger to take charge of all the bookings.

DO YOU HAVE TO STAY IN ONE OF THE HOSTELS YOU RECOMMEND. OR CAN WE BOOK OUR OWN ACCOMMODATION?

> We give you the freedom and flexibility to choose any accommodation style you like. Though we select the best value for money option in each city (and we do recommend staying with the group), if you'd like to stay somewhere else that's absolutely no problem at all. The choice is yours!

CAN I START ANYWHERE ON THE HOP-ON HOP-OFF NETWORK? Yes, you can even break away from your pass and return to it later at a different city

if you like! When purchasing a Hop-on Hop-off Pass you'll have the choice of starting anywhere you like on the network map.

**CAN I VISIT THE SAME CITY A FEW TIMES?** Yes, you can revisit a city. Most passengers with longer itineraries travel through some of the major hubs a few times each year. The second time is always better!

AM I TOO YOUNG/OLD FOR BUSABOUT? As the nature of our trips are for independent travellers, you'll need to be 18 at the time of travel. We don't have any upper limits at all, and anyone who shares our flexible and

CAN YOU HELP ME PLAN MY EUROTRIP? We'd love to! Just get in touch and we will happily help you plan your route.

fun spirit of travel is welcome onboard.

**HOW MUCH CAN I TRAVEL?** If you have an Unlimited Pass you can travel for as long as you want between May and October while the coaches are running. If you have a Stop Pass, you can travel on the coach for as many days you have allocated from your pass. Eg: 3 Stop Pass will give you 3 days on the coach.

**HOW MUCH SHOULD I BUDGET FOR EVERY DAY?** It will depend on the city and which part of Europe you are in, but a good base would be around €50 a day for your dorm bed, local activities, lunch from a supermarket, an inexpensive dinner and a good night out.