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SAMPLE EDITION

LISBON

in 3 days

First-Timer's Travel Kit

Rooftops. River light. Room to make it yours.

Your first Lisbon trip, taking shape.

Inside the complete kit

30 illustrated guide pages, three flexible daily routes, official links and practical advice for transport, bookings and where to stay.

The useful extras

A one-page printable itinerary and an editable EUR budget workbook with planned, actual and prepaid costs, a reserve and optional home-currency conversion.

What this preview shows

The next three pages reproduce a daily route, a neighbourhood-day introduction and the budgeting guidance. The final page credits the photographs.

Before you buy

English digital download. Tickets and travel services are purchased separately. Routes assume three full sightseeing days and can be reordered around your bookings. Practical details were researched on 28 October 2026.

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Baixa to Alfama, with time to stop.

09:00-10:30 / Rossio to the river

Start at Rossio, continue along Rua Augusta and finish in Praça do Comércio. Allow 60-90 minutes for breakfast, photographs and a slow wander. Keep the arch rooftop as a separate paid option only if you have spare time.

10:30-12:30 / the climb and viewpoints

Head towards Lisbon Cathedral, then Santa Luzia and Portas do Sol. Allow roughly 30-45 minutes of uphill walking spread over a much longer sightseeing block. Cathedral interior access and paid areas are separate from the exterior stop.

12:30-14:00 / seated lunch

Choose lunch near your stopping point before you become tired. Compare a displayed menu and total cost. If you want the castle, leave time to reach its entrance after lunch; the viewpoint and the castle are not the same destination.

Afternoon / choose one ending

Visit São Jorge Castle, allowing about 90 minutes to 2 hours plus entry time, or keep a short Alfama wander and return to your base. The core outdoor route is roughly 2.5-3 km; the castle and wandering add distance.

Open the Day 1 walking outline

Times are suggested blocks. Map apps may propose stairs; review the route before following it.

Official information: [Visit Lisboa](#) / [São Jorge Castle](#). Checked 28 October 2026.

Cafés, gardens and city views.



City view from Chiado. Photograph: Mia Silva / Unsplash.

A day with fewer fixed times

Chiado and Príncipe Real offer a change of pace after Belém. Start with coffee, look around the streets and small squares, then continue towards São Pedro de Alcântara. Keep shopping selective so there is time to sit and enjoy the city.

Choose your direction

The classic order climbs from Chiado towards Príncipe Real. For less climbing, use suitable transport to start at Príncipe Real and work down towards Chiado, with breaks. Downhill paving can still be difficult, especially when wet.

The route does not depend on the Glória funicular or Santa Justa lift. Check the latest CARRIS notices if you want to add a ride.

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Know your costs before you go.

A worked example, not a price promise

Illustration for two adults: 3 nights $\times$ €120 per room = €360; food €45 $\times$ 2 people $\times$ 3 days = €270; city and airport transport €60; attractions €80; extras €30. Subtotal €800. A 10% reserve adds €80, giving €880 for the party, or €440 each.

What the example leaves out

Flights or intercity travel, insurance, property taxes and extra meals on arrival or departure days are excluded from that illustration. These figures are invented planning inputs, not researched market averages. Replace them with quotes for your dates and include every applicable cost.

Use the editable EUR workbook

Enter whole-party amounts in amber cells. Separate planned cost, actual final cost and prepaid amounts. The reserve is calculated from planned costs. Prepayments reduce the amount still to fund; they do not reduce the total cost of the trip.

Read blanks honestly

Blank means unknown. Enter zero only when a category does not apply. The workbook counts unentered planned lines because an incomplete subtotal can look deceptively affordable. Optional conversion uses a manual rate in home-currency units per €1, with no live exchange feed.

Example: a €360 hotel bill with a €100 deposit is €360 planned and €100 prepaid. Do not enter €460 as the hotel cost. Keep the workbook as a planning tool, then update actuals from receipts.

Real places. Credited photographs.

City view from Chiado

Mia Silva / Unsplash. [View original photograph](#)

Alfama from Portas do Sol

Benjamin Pazdernik / Unsplash. [View original photograph](#)

Belém Tower beside the Tagus

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Praça do Comércio

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