



About Porto

Porto is one of the most charismatic and fascinating cities in Europe. It is an ancient port steeped in history and tradition, a highly atmospheric place, its architecture, culture, gastronomy, it's simultaneously contemporary and authentic, a continuous discovery.

Porto is not just a pretty old town with characterful winding streets, tiled churches and World Heritage-protected status. Porto is also a sea city with sandy beaches and during the night it turns into a new different town, full of energy and cheerfulness, with entertainment and leisure opportunities satisfying all tastes.

Renowned worldwide for giving the name to the famous port wine; another way to enjoy Porto is visiting the wine cellars along the Douro valley and tasting a delicious glass of wine. Porto gained this prestigious title, by maintaining its own identity and its soul.





Climate

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Average high °C (°F)	17 (63)	17 (63)	17 (63)	18 (64)	19 (66)	22 (72)	24 (75)	26 (79)	24 (75)	22 (72)	19 (66)	18 (64)
Average low °C (°F)	11 (52)	11 (52)	11 (52)	12 (54)	13 (56)	15 (59)	17 (63)	18 (64)	18 (64)	16 (61)	14 (57)	12 (54)
Precipitation mm (inches) / day	4,2 (0,17)	3,8 (0,15)	3,2 (0,13)	2,4 (0,10)	1,7 (0,07)	1,3 (0,05)	1 (0,04)	1,2 (0,05)	2,9 (0,11)	3,7 (0,14)	4,3 (0,17)	4 (0,16)

The Portuguese people are blessed with a mild weather throughout the year.

Seasons:

- Winter: December to February
- Spring: March to May
- Summer: June to September
- Autumn: October to November



Day By Day

Date	Morning	Lunch Time	Afternoon	Evening
Day 01	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Arrival to Porto Airport▪ Meet & Greet by Abreu staff▪ Transfer to the chosen hotel	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Lunch at leisure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Visit to Monumental Porto	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Dinner in one of the proposed restaurants▪ Accommodation
Day 02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Breakfast at the hotel▪ Visiting Guimaraes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Lunch at leisure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Continuing the visit	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Dinner in one of the proposed venues▪ Accommodation
Day 03	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Breakfast at the hotel▪ Transfer to Porto Airport			



Discovering Monumental Porto

Day 01 – Half Day Visit | Porto

An unforgettable visit through Porto old quarters and noble areas of the city.

Exploring the streets of the old quarters, guests will discover the magnificent panels of tiles at São Bento Train Station and the Cathedral's Church, a fine spot for a group photo, with Porto and the Douro river as background.

After a short walking through the historic streets of the centre, guests will board the specially chartered Old Trams that will take guests on a ride, by the river, overlooking the Port Wine Cellars on the opposite river bank and the beautiful sandy beaches of Foz quarter, in the end of the ride.

Return to hotel.





Medieval Atmosphere

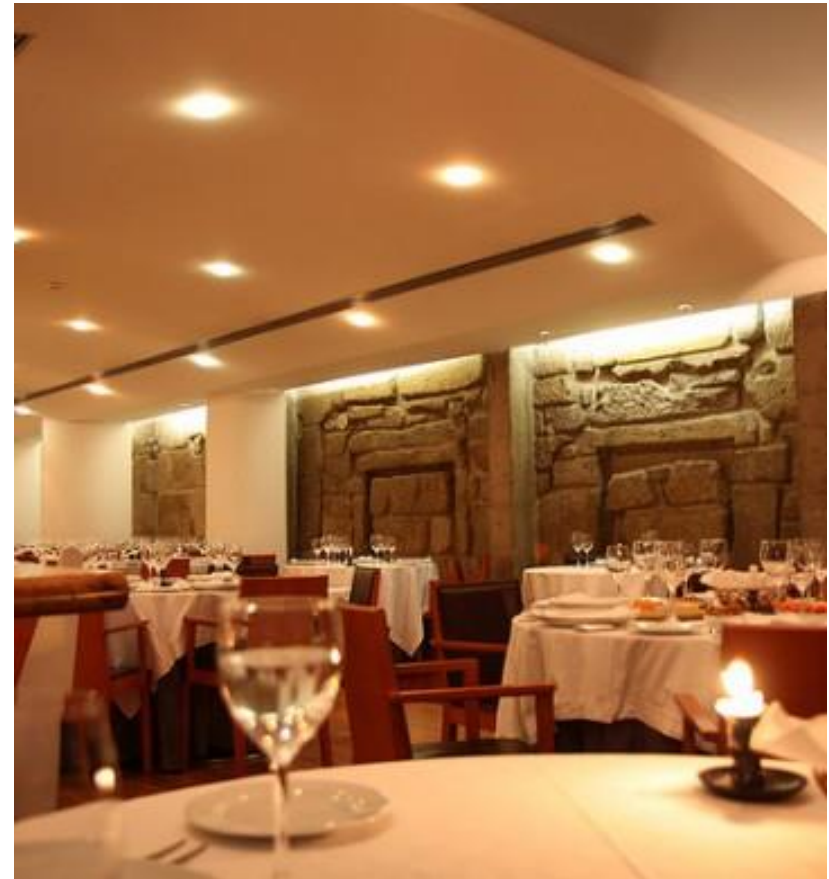
Day 01 – Suggested Restaurant for Dinner | Dom Tonho | Option 1

Today, we suggest dinner in the historic area of the Ribeira Quarter.

Located in the historical heart of Porto, housed in former buildings of 16th, 17th and 18th centuries, the Restaurant Dom Tonho is a must for the ones visiting the city.

Offering views over the Douro River and a simple decoration, with focus on the medieval walls, it reminds the history of the city to which the restaurant is so close connected.

Portuguese business people, politicians and artists are regular costumers of the Dom Tonho, that come to taste the Portuguese regional gastronomy and its wines





The Music Hall

Day 01 – Suggested Restaurant for Dinner | Casa da Música | Option 2

As alternative to the rustic atmosphere of the Dom Tonho Restaurant., we propose the modern venue, Casa da Música - one of the most daring buildings in the city, located in the business quarters of Porto.

Being built to hold different kind of concerts and shows, the facility has several rooms equipped with the most modern technologies and structures to provide successful events.

Its restaurant, located on the top level of the building, is a reflex of the whole – a modern designed area, with Portuguese gastronomy served with elegance.





Portugal's birth place

Day 02 – Full Day Visit | Guimarães

On the second day in Portugal, we propose a visit to Guimarães is an historical city with medieval origin, classified as World Heritage Site in 2001.

This beautiful city is also known as “Nation’s Cradle”, is characterized by a fine labyrinth of narrow streets and old houses that leads to the main square, the Oliveira Square and the Ducal Palace, located on the top of the hill.

Lunch will take place at the Pousada de Guimaraes Restaurant, located on the top of the hill. The magnificent vaulted room was formerly the cellars of this facility that was formerly a monastery convent.

The day will end with a visit to Aveleda property. Known for its wines, the Aveleda is also a magnificent estate of luxuriant vegetation and special corners that seem like they have been taken from a dream...





Strong Emotions

Day 02 – Suggested Venue for Dinner | FCP Stadium | Option 1

For the farewell dinner, we suggest an informal yet fantastic venue - the Dragon Stadium, where the Porto Soccer Team plays. It holds a wide range of areas where different kind of events can take place.

This flexible venue provides a wide range of areas that can hold from meetings to cocktails or dinners, products presentations...

To visit the museum and stadium is also a possibility as a complement to the event, providing a unique experience.

The whole history of this worshiped club of the north is told in a special journey through the museum which special focus is the trophies exhibition rooms and the areas that the soccer players use over the games days.

Note: visits and private events are not allowed on soccer game days and on the previous day





Tradition by the Douro River

Day 02 – Suggested Venue | Ferreira Wine Cellars | Option 2

As a traditional option for the last dinner in our beautiful country, we propose a venue that symbolizes the main trade mark of the city of Oporto: the Port Wine. Located in the historic area of Gaia, by the Douro River, these wine cellars have an area especially prepared for events.

With the name of the emblematic figure of D. Antónia Adelaide Ferreira, the Casa Ferreirinha, authored by Paul Wolf, is a unique facility for events, contemporary style, integrated in a wine cellar where there are more than 200 years ages wines of port blacksmith and a museum where guests may discover all about this wine and the founder.

The catering service, is based on the high standards of quality of the brand, offering a rich array of options for events, in line with the renowned wines of trademark Casa Ferreirinha.





Sunset Cruise along Ribeira

Day 02 - Suggested cruise before dinner at Ferreira Cellars (50 min.)

In order to provide a special experience to our last day, a short cruise along the Douro river, from the Ribeira Quarter to Freixo area and back, in a traditional boat, is a magnificent way to start a special evening.

This way, guests will discover a different perspective of both margins – Porto and Gaia - as pass under the 06 bridges that link the two cities.

When leaving the boat, guests will continue to the cellars building, where dinner will take place.

