



Mexico Unlocked: From the Capital to the Coast

Ten days through Mexico City, Puebla, Oaxaca and Zipolite — private access, local voices, and a group that feels like yours from day one.

Mexico City • Puebla (day trip) • Oaxaca • Zipolite

Departures: 29 Dec 2026 – 7 Jan 2027 (NYE in CDMX) • 6–15 Feb 2027 (Carnival in Oaxaca)

Mexico doesn't reveal itself in one register. It moves — from the noise and grandeur of Mexico City's museums and markets, through the colonial splendour of Puebla, south into the slow heat of Oaxaca's mezcal bars and ancient ruins, and finally down to the wild Pacific shore at Zipolite, where the clocks stop entirely. Four nights in the capital, three in Oaxaca, two on one of Mexico's last truly free-spirited beaches — never rushing what deserves time.

Day by day

DAYS 1-4: MEXICO CITY

Day 1 Arrival, Colonia Roma check-in, welcome dinner at a celebrated neighbourhood cantina.

Day 2 Historic Centre with a private guide; afternoon Xochimilco canals or Coyoacán & Frida Kahlo's Casa Azul.

Day 3 Private Teotihuacán excursion; reserved dinner table and celebrations in Zona Rosa (NYE departure) or an immersive evening in the capital (Carnival departure).

Day 4 Slow morning; museum or gallery by afternoon; evening lucha libre with reserved seating.

DAYS 5-7: OAXACA REGION

Day 5 Road south via Puebla — Zócalo, Capilla del Rosario, mole tasting, El Parián market — arrive Oaxaca.

Day 6 Oaxacan valleys — Mitla with a stonework specialist, Herve el Agua, a mezcal Palenque masterclass.

Day 7 Oaxaca market immersion with a culinary specialist, traditional cuisine experience, optional LGBTQ+ bar circuit.

DAYS 8-10: ZIPOLITE & THE PACIFIC COAST

Day 8 Transfer to Zipolite — clothing-optional, quietly LGBTQ+ welcoming beach; free time.

Day 9 Beach or pool morning; sunset catamaran cruise; final beach dinner.

Day 10 Departure — private transfers to Huatulco Airport or Puerto Escondido.



What's included

- ✓ Small Group Travel: never more than 15 people
- ✓ A Lead Explorer for the whole trip
- ✓ 9 Nights in upper-scale hotels, double room to share, breakfast included
- ✓ Welcome Dinner, NYE/Carnival Dinner & Closing Dinner
- ✓ Domestic & intercity transport: Mexico City → Puebla → Oaxaca → Zipolite by private coach
- ✓ Mexico City: Teotihuacán private guided tour
- ✓ Mexico City: Xochimilco private trajinera & street food tour
- ✓ Oaxaca: mezcal palenque master class & valley excursion
- ✓ Zipolite: sunset cruise boat tour

What's not included

- ✗ International flights to/from Mexico City
- ✗ Transfer to/from the airport on the first and final day
- ✗ Meals not mentioned in "what's included"
- ✗ Extra activities or optional add-ons suggested by Lead Explorer

Available add-ons

- + Lucha Libre reserved ringside seating upgrade
- + Coyoacán & Frida Kahlo Museum private guide (as an add-on to, or alternative for, Xochimilco)
- + Puebla deep-dive: Capilla del Rosario private access & family-run mole tasting
- + Guided LGBTQ+ bar circuit evening (Mexico City or Oaxaca)

Pricing

1 person in Double Room (Sharing) Room	£1,875 (deposit £281)
1 Person in Private Room	£2,300 (deposit £345)

Group size: 10–15 travellers. **Lead Explorer:** included on every departure.