

Trekking for Kids and Mountain Lodges of Peru  
June 6 - 15, 2019

June 6, 2019	Early morning arrival in Cusco, met at the airport and transferred to Hotel Palacio del Inka	Afternoon free to acclimatize and explore Cusco. Group dinner at Mercado Hotel, overnight at Hotel Palacio del Inka.
June 7, 2019	Cusco half-day walking tour. 7 pm trek briefing at Mercado Hotel.	Walking tour of historic sites in Cusco, including ancient Incan ruins and Spanish colonial cathedrals, resplendent with gold and silver altars and breathtaking artwork. Dinner on your own. Overnight, Hotel Palacio del Inka.
June 8, 2019	Depart Cusco in private van enroute the Lares Valley and the beginning of the trek.	Beginning with a visit to Lake Piuray and the archaeological Incan ruins at Chincero, followed by a 3 hr. afternoon hike to Urquillos. Transportation to Urquillos also available. Dinner and overnight, Lamay Lodge at 9,705 ft.
June 9, 2019	Explore the Lares Valley with optional hiking or cultural activities.	Morning options include a visit to the famous Pisac market, or a 2.5-3 hr hike to remote community of Viacha through 14,200 ft. pass. Traditional Peruvian outdoor lunch in Viacha as a group, followed by guided tour of historic Incan ruins at Pisac. Return to Lamay Lodge for dinner and overnight.

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June 10, 2019	Villages of Ancasmarca, Choquecancha, and Huacahuasi.	A morning group visit to the archaeological sites at Ancasmarca, followed by either a 2.5 hr hike over 12,500 ft pass, OR a visit to Choquecancha to meet with local weavers, OR a more strenuous 3.5-4 hr. hike over 13,838 pass to the village of Huacahuasi. Dinner and overnight at Huacahuasi Lodge. Those who choose not to hike will be provided transportation to the Lodge.
June 11, 2019	Village of Huacahuasi	Spend the day working on the project at Huacahuasi school, spend time with the children and families. Overnight, Huacahuasi Lodge.
June 12, 2019	Huacahuasi, Pumamarca, optional excursions	A myriad of activity choices on this day: bike to Lares town and enjoy a countryside lunch; explore the Sacred Valley by vehicle or bike, or hike a strenuous 7 hr. hike, passing through at 14,646. Meet the group in the evening to explore the charming Incan/Colonial village of Ollantaytambo. Dinner and overnight at Kuychi Rumi hotel.

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June 13, 2019	Ollantaytambo, Aguas Calientes.	After an optional early morning hike, afternoon visit to the impressive ruins at Ollantaytambo, Board train for Aguas Calientes. Explore this gateway to Machu Picchu before dinner and overnight at Inkaterra Hotel.
June 14, 2019	Machu Picchu	An early morning departure from Inkaterra Hotel to catch the sun rising over Machu Picchu. A guided tour through this ancient wonder, and optional hike to the top of Huayna Picchu or the Sun Gate. Late afternoon train departure to return to Cusco. Dinner and overnight Palacio del Inka, Cusco
June 15, 2019	Depart Cusco for home.	

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