

# Trek to Choquequirao

(4d/3n)



Arriving at this incredible jewel of Inca architecture after a walk full of wonderful views of the Apurímac River canyon is an experience that we are sure will form unforgettable memories for you. Choquequirao, "The City of Gold", awaits to dazzle you with its beauty, comparable only to that of Machu Picchu.  
Package detail

## ITINERARY

### Day 01

- 1** CUSCO / CACHORA / CHIQUISCA:  
Early in the morning from Cusco, our private transportation will take us to the town of Cachora, where our muleteers will be waiting with mules and horses.
- 2** We will walk towards the Apurímac canyon and camp in Chiquisca (1800 mts) (L, D).

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## Day 02

- 1 **CHIQUISCA / MARANPATA / CHOQUEQUIRAO:**  
After a good breakfast we will start our hike uphill for about 5 hours for lunch in Maranpata, and then to Choquequirao, where we will camp.
- 2 Choquequirao (Cradle of Gold) is considered the sister city of Machu Picchu for its similarities. It is located 1,500 meters above the Apurímac Canyon, while Machu Picchu is located above the Urubamba Canyon. Both are in the same latitude and it is a great citadel with more than 8 hectares. Only a third has been discovered and every day archaeologists make new discoveries. (B, L, D)

## Day 03

- 1 **CHOQUEQUIRAO / CHIQUISCA:**  
At dawn we can see the sunrise over the ruins and after a good breakfast we will visit the archaeological complex. Then we will begin the way back by the same path we arrived until we reach our camp in Chiquisca. (B, L, D)

## Day 04

- 1 **CHIQUISCA / CACHORA / CUSCO:**  
Today we begin our trek back to Cachora, where our private transport will be waiting for us to take us back to Cusco.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

Mask and face shield  
Passport  
Treking shoes  
Warm clothes for nights  
Rain clothes  
Insect repellent and sunscreen  
Plastic poncho for rain  
Sunglasses and hat or cap  
Personal medication kit  
Flashlight  
Water bottle  
Extra money in soles and dollars  
Walking poles