



# DISTINCTIVE VOYAGES

## Private Puerto Plata Countryside Tour

Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic

**Event Date:** April 3, 2026

**Duration:** 5 Hours 30 Minutes

**Effort:** Moderate

### Tour Highlights

- Experience Puerto Plata's vibrant city and its countryside.
- See how locals have been working with petrified wood for decades.
- Get to make your own cocoa and coffee.
- Taste an authentic and home-cooked Dominican meal.

### Additional Information

**Inclusions:** Bottled Water, Coffe or Cocoa, Local Lunch

**Other:** This tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility. Collapsible wheelchairs may be accommodated; however, all guests must be able to ascend 2-3 steps unassisted to board the coach.

**Moderate Effort:** A fair amount of walking is required. The total amount is approximately one hour.

### An Exclusive Shore Event

This Exclusive Shore Event can be enjoyed by Distinctive Voyages guests sailing on:

Celebrity Eclipse  
8-Night Eastern Caribbean  
March 28, 2026

### Tour Description

After meeting the guide, dive into Puerto Plata's vibrant culture and rich history. The tour starts at Parque Central, perfect for experiencing local culture and Dominican history. You will visit St. Philip Apostle Cathedral and walk along the unique Pink Street (Calle del Sol), and the colorful Umbrella Street. Back on the bus and after a short drive along the Malecon, you'll arrive at the Fort San Felipe of Puerto Plata, built in the 16th century. Watching this historic site from the outside offers an outstanding view of the Puerto Plata Harbor. You will quickly notice why it was an essential part of Puerto Plata's defense system.

Next, we head to the Artisanal Plaza, located in Imbert, where you learn all about the Larimar stone, which is one of the most beautiful and rare gemstones on the planet, only found in a very small area in the mountains of the Dominican Republic. See how locals work with petrified wood and create stunning sculptures and how coffee and cocoa are prepared after being harvested. You'll even have the chance to grind your own coffee and/or cocoa beans in a traditional mortar and drink it afterward!

Now it's time to head to the Adventure Park, surrounded by the lush tropical landscape. Get to taste a home-cooked Dominican meal and feel free to have a walk through our tropical garden where you get to meet our lovely parrots or hang out around the pool area and enjoy a refreshing drink!

*Please Note: Times are approximate and are subject to change depending on local traffic conditions, etc. Order of sites may vary.*