



Black Friday travel deals: Score discounts on hotels, resorts, cruises

Beyond Black Friday deals on gadgets and fashion, this holiday shopping season is also the perfect time to score deep discounts on travel.

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Amid the Black Friday and Cyber Monday frenzies, the real steals aren't limited to TVs and trendy coats. This stretch of the holiday shopping season also happens to be one of the best times of the year to snag deeply discounted getaways — from tropical escapes and European adventures to snowy vacations and big-city retreats — at prices that are hard to beat.

Travel experts say these holiday-week promotions often offer some of the lowest rates you'll find all year, making it an ideal moment to plan winter vacations, spring break trips or even early summer travel.

While some of the most attractive deals, especially from airlines, may appear at the last minute on Travel Tuesday — a day dedicated to travel bargains, Dec. 2 this year — several major hotel chains, boutique resorts, cruise lines, and all-inclusive properties have already released substantial discounts. Here's a roundup of some of the wide-ranging, best bargains available so far:

Cruise and tour operators



Enjoy up to 30% off Holland America Line cruises on bookings made Nov. 20–Dec. 4.
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Friendly Planet Travel: Up to \$2,000 off travel packages, plus an extra \$50 discount for reservations made Nov. 28–30, for bookings made Nov. 28–Dec. 5, valid for 2026–2027 travel. Visit [FriendlyPlanetTravel.com](https://www.friendlyplanettravel.com).

CIE Tours: Take up to 15% off European tours, plus savings of \$2,000 per couple with no blackout dates, for bookings made through Dec. 2. Valid for 2026 travel. Visit [CIETours.com](https://www.cietours.com).

Perillo Tours: Save \$500–\$750 off group and custom Italy and Europe trips for bookings made Nov. 28–Dec. 5, valid for travel Jan. 1–Dec. 31, 2026. Call 1-800-431-1515.

MSC Cruises: Cruise from \$199 per person and receive up to \$1,000 onboard credit, plus kids sail free on select cruises. Book by Nov. 28. Visit [msccruisesusa.com](https://www.msccruisesusa.com).

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