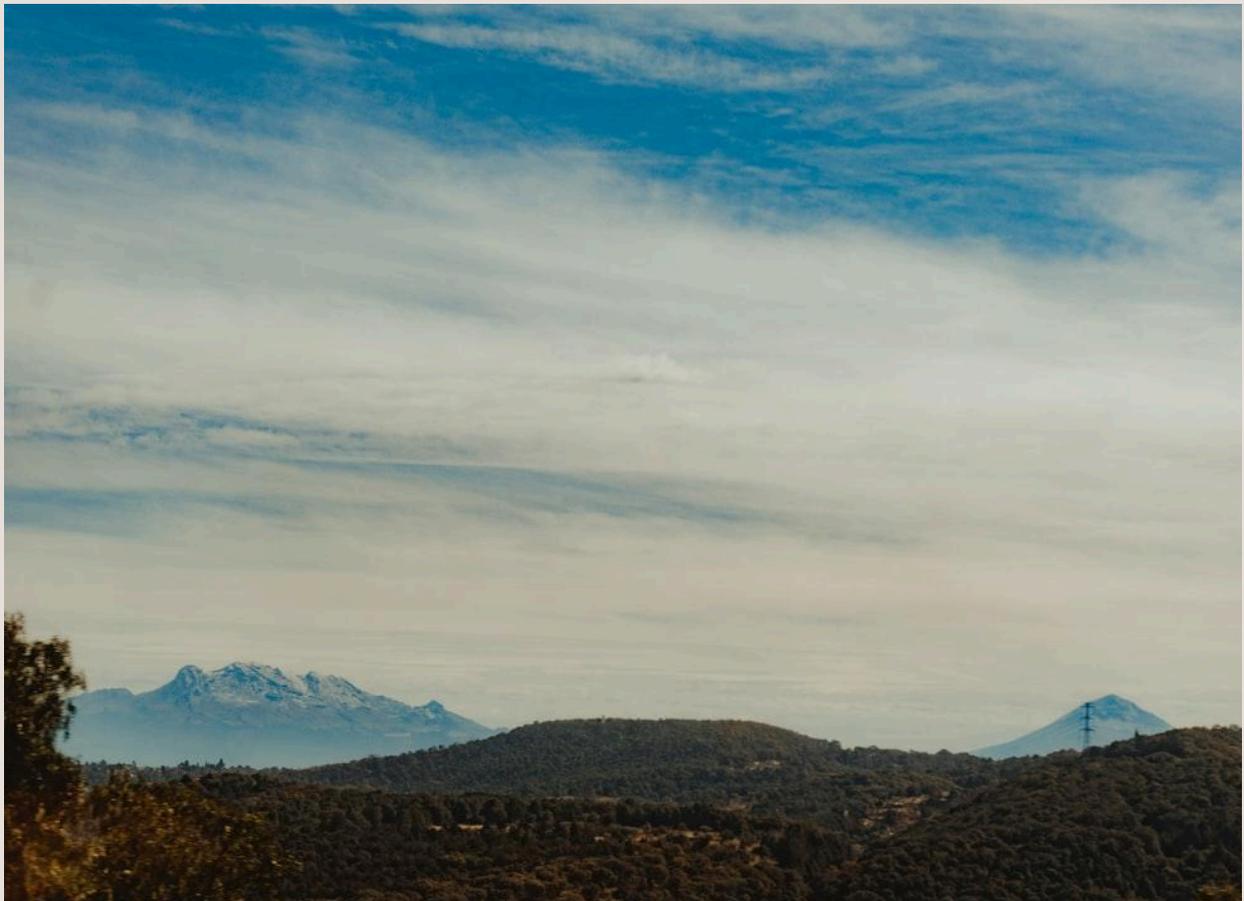




Tailor-Made Itinerary – Anna-Marie



TRIP OVERVIEW

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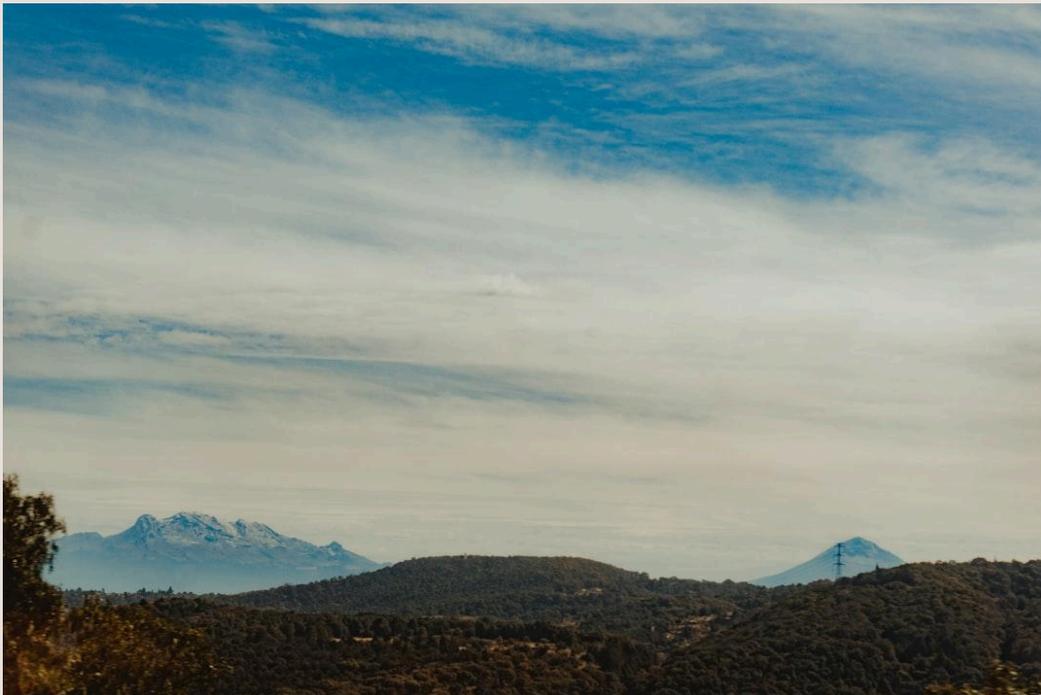
25-30°C - Warm and dry, perfect for outdoor activities

Budget

€800 / person

Safety

Low Risk - Stay aware of your surroundings and avoid isolated areas at night.



✦ Introduction

Dear Anna-Marie,

Thank you for sharing your travel aspirations with us. Based on your initial thoughts, we understand you are planning a solo adventure to Tulum, Mexico, aiming for a relaxed, one-week stay. Your preferences center around budget hotels and guesthouses, with a budget of €1000. Please note: your provided travel dates (April 1–2, 2026) only cover one day, but you mention a week in Tulum. For this proposal, we have designed a 7-day itinerary (April 1–8, 2026). All elements are fully customizable—this is a preliminary plan crafted by our destination experts.

TIP: April is an ideal month for Tulum: warm, dry, and perfect for outdoor activities. Your budget is very comfortable for a week of eco-friendly travel, wellness, and adventure.

✦ Why Tulum, Mexico?

- **Solo-Friendly:** Tulum is renowned for its welcoming atmosphere, safe solo traveler environment, and vibrant international community.
- **Budget Options:** The region offers a wide range of affordable yet stylish accommodations, from eco-friendly guesthouses to boutique hostels.
- **Nature & Wellness:** Enjoy pristine beaches, lush cenotes, Mayan

ruins, and yoga retreats—perfect for solo exploration or relaxation.

- **Flexibility:** Tulum's compact layout allows easy access to the beach, town, and excursions without long transfers.
- **Sustainability:** Many eco-hotels use solar/wind energy, zero single-use plastics, and support wildlife protection programs.

TIP: Bike rentals (€5–10/day) are the best way to explore Tulum independently and sustainably.



Custom Program: 7 Days in Tulum



Day 1: Arrival in Tulum



- **Morning:** Flight arrival at Cancún International Airport (CUN). Private or shared shuttle transfer to Tulum (approx. 1.5–2 hours).
- **Afternoon:** Check-in at your chosen eco guesthouse or budget hotel. Settle in, explore the neighborhood, and stroll to the beach.
- **Evening:** Dinner at a local taquería in Tulum Pueblo. Enjoy a relaxed first night.
- **Highlight:** Sunset walk along Tulum Beach.

Accommodation Options:

- **Jungle Eco Tree House** (eco guesthouse) - Edge of Mayan jungle, near Parque Nacional de Tulum. Futuristic domed tent on a wooden

platform in the treetops, completely off-grid with alternative energy and eco-friendly toiletries. From €30–50/night.

- **La Escondida at Playa Esperanza** (eco-resort) - Beachfront, surrounded by jungle. Rustic cabanas made from natural materials, authentic charm, and natural temperature regulation. From €30–50/night.
- **Lumapi Jewel Huts** (eco-huts/guesthouse) - Central Tulum. Sustainable huts with private bathrooms, outdoor rain showers, shared kitchen, and chill-out space. From €30–50/night.

TIP: All recommended accommodations use renewable energy, zero single-use plastics, and support local communities.

Logistics: Cancún Airport to Tulum: 1.5–2 hours by shuttle or private transfer.

[To Customize]: Arrival time, transfer type (private/shared), dietary preferences.

Day 2: Tulum Ruins & Beach Day



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Morning: Visit the iconic Tulum Mayan Ruins (opens 8am). Explore at your own pace—stunning views over the Caribbean Sea. Entrance: €5–15; guided tour: €30–50 (2–3 hours).

- **Afternoon:** Relax at Playa Paraiso, one of Tulum’s most beautiful beaches. Optional: rent a bike for easy access (10–15 min from town, €5–10/day).
- **Evening:** Dinner at *Sale e Pepe* (Italian-Mexican fusion) or a beachfront bar.
- **Highlight:** Swimming and sunbathing with turquoise sea views.

Accommodation Options: Same hotel options as Day 1.

TIP: Tulum's ruins are excellent for solo exploration. Bring water and sun protection.

[To Customize]: Guided tour vs. self-guided, beach club access.

📍 **Day 3: Cenote Adventure**



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Morning: Excursion to Gran Cenote (5 km from town). Swim, snorkel, or simply relax in crystal-clear freshwater pools. Entrance: €10–25 per person (2–3 hours).

- **Afternoon:** Optional visit to Cenote Calavera or bike back to town for

a café lunch.

- **Evening:** Explore Tulum Pueblo's artisan markets and street food stalls. Meals: €5–15 per meal.
- **Highlight:** Floating in magical cenote waters.

Accommodation Options: Same hotel options as Day 1.

TIP: Lockers are available at cenotes. Go early to avoid crowds and enjoy the peaceful setting.

[To Customize]: Add-on: guided cenote tour or group activity.

Day 4: Sian Ka'an Biosphere Reserve



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Morning: Half-day guided tour of Sian Ka'an Biosphere Reserve (UNESCO site). Wildlife watching, boat ride through mangroves. Duration: 4–5 hours. Price: €60–100 per person. Group tours available; hotel pick-up included.

- **Afternoon:** Return to Tulum. Free time for yoga, spa, or beach relaxation. Yoga classes: €15–40 per class (1–2 hours).
- **Evening:** Dinner at *El Camello Jr.* (fresh seafood, local favorite).
- **Highlight:** Spotting dolphins, turtles, and tropical birds in the wild.

Accommodation Options: Same hotel options as Day 1.

TIP: Early start recommended for Sian Ka'an tours. Bring a hat, sunscreen,

and insect repellent.

[To Customize]: Group vs. private tour, dietary needs.

📍 **Day 5: Free Day – Wellness & Exploration**



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Morning: Optional yoga class or spa treatment at your eco-hotel or a local studio. Yoga: €15–40 per class. Alternatively, rent a bike to explore Tulum’s street art and boutiques.

• **Afternoon:** Leisure time—beach, reading, or café hopping.

• **Evening:** Try a mezcal tasting or live music venue.

- **Highlight:** Time for self-care and spontaneous discovery.

Accommodation Options: Same hotel options as Day 1.

TIP: Many eco-hotels offer wellness classes and social spaces—perfect for solo travelers to meet others or enjoy quiet time.

[To Customize]: Pre-booked wellness sessions, local recommendations.

📍 **Day 6: Day Trip to Cobá or Akumal**



- **Morning:** Optional excursion to Cobá Mayan Ruins (45 min drive, can be reached by bus or tour). Entrance: €5–15; guided tour: €30–50.

Climb the ancient pyramid for panoramic views.

- **Afternoon:** Stop at Akumal for snorkeling with sea turtles (30 min by car from Tulum). Snorkeling: €20–40 per person. Or return to Tulum for more beach time.
- **Evening:** Farewell dinner at *Kitchen Table* (jungle dining experience, reservation recommended).
- **Highlight:** Ancient history or snorkeling with turtles—your choice.

Accommodation Options: Same hotel options as Day 1.

TIP: Transfers to Cobá and Akumal are easy by bus, taxi, or organized tour.

Both are safe and solo-friendly.

[To Customize]: Select preferred day trip or alternative activity.

Day 7: Departure



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Morning: Relaxed breakfast, last stroll in Tulum Pueblo or quick dip at the beach.

- **Afternoon:** Check-out and transfer to Cancún Airport (allow 2–2.5 hours for transfer + 2 hours for airport check-in).
- **Evening:** International flight home or onward travel.
- **Highlight:** Farewell to Tulum’s white sands.

TIP: Late check-out and luggage storage can be arranged at most eco-hotels.

Logistics: Tulum to Cancún Airport: 1.5–2 hours by shuttle or private transfer.

[To Customize]: Late check-out, luggage storage, onward transfer needs.

✦ Customizable Options

- Upgrade to a boutique eco-hotel or beachfront cabana. For example, **TerraNova Boutique Hotel** (La Veleta, €50–70/night, off-grid, local materials, turtle protection program) or **Pepem Eco Cabin** (adults-only, deep jungle, beside Cenote Dos Ojos, €60–80/night, solar/wind powered, wellness treatments).
- Private airport transfers for added comfort.
- Guided group tours for social connections (ruins, cenotes, Sian Ka'an).
- Add-on wellness experiences: temazcal ceremony, holistic spa day.
- Cooking class or local food tour.
- Photography session at Tulum's iconic spots.

TIP: Many eco-hotels participate in wildlife protection and offer unique experiences like sacred cenote ceremonies or turtle conservation (May–October).

✦ Alternative Options

- **Faster Pace:** Combine Tulum with Playa del Carmen or Valladolid for a multi-town experience.
- **Eco Retreat:** Focus on yoga, meditation, and nature immersion at a

jungle lodge.

- **Higher Budget:** Upgrade to boutique hotels with private beach access and included excursions.

TIP: If you wish to upgrade, **KAN Tulum** (treehouse hotel, Tulum Hotel Zone, mid-range, private cenote and pool, renewable energy) is a unique option for solo travelers.

✦ Practical Info & Budget

- **Seasonality:** April is dry and warm (avg. 28°C), ideal for beach and outdoor activities. Some spring break crowds, but Tulum remains laid-back.
- **Comfort:** All accommodations vetted for solo safety, cleanliness, and location.
- **Health/Visa:** No visa required for EU/US/UK citizens for stays under 180 days. Standard vaccinations recommended. Tap water not potable—bottled water advised.
- **Sustainability:** Eco-hotels in Tulum use solar/wind energy, water recycling, zero single-use plastics, and support wildlife protection.

Item	Estimated Cost (per person)
Accommodations (7 nights, eco guesthouse)	€210–350

Meals (local restaurants & street food)	€70–105
Transfers (round-trip airport)	€60–100
Excursions & activities (ruins, cenotes, Sian Ka'an, yoga)	€150–250
Total Estimated Cost	€490–805

TIP: Your budget leaves plenty of room for upgrades, wellness treatments, or extra experiences.

Next Steps

This proposal is a starting point, tailored to your solo travel style and budget. Please let us know:

- Your preferred travel dates (confirm 7 days or adjust as needed).
- Any must-see experiences or special interests.
- Accommodation style preference (social hostel, private guesthouse, eco-hotel).
- Dietary needs or wellness interests.

Once we receive your feedback, we'll refine your itinerary and secure the best rates and experiences for your unforgettable week in Tulum!

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