

AWE INSPIRING DESTINATIONS & EXTRAORDINARY EXPERIENCES



ICELAND

8/9 Days - Summer













ITINERARY OUTLINE

DAY 1, Saturday, June 25 - Arrival in Iceland.

DAY 2, Sunday, June 26 - Free day in Reykjavik

DAY 3, Monday, June 27 - Klambragil, Hot River, Hot Springs

DAY 4, Tuesday, June 28 - Westmann Island, Eldfell Hike, Puffins, optional private cruise

DAY 5, Wednesday, June 29 - The South Shore, Glaciers and Waterfalls, Glacier Hike, Dyrholaey Bird Life, Skaftafell, Svartifoss hike.

DAY 6, Thursday, June 30 - Vatnajökull Region, Jökursárlón Ice Lagoon, Zodiac Ride, Diamond Beach.

DAY 7, Friday, July 1 - Whale

DAY 8, Saturday, July 2 - The Golden Circle, Waterfalls.

DAY 9, Sunday, July 3 - Departure. Optional Blue Lagoon.





ITINERARY MAP





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Day 1, Saturday, June 25 - Arrival in Iceland, Reykjavik

Early morning arrival at Keflavik International Airport.

Private meet and greet and transfer to your hotel in Reykjavik. Early check in to your rooms. Refresh, change, enjoy breakfast and enjoy free time in the city touring the main shopping street, downtown, downtown parks.

After lunch enjoy optional time at the Vesturbæjarlaug swimming pool in Reykjavik. The Vesturbæjarlaug pool is an authentic Icelandic experience, offering different pools at different temperatures, steam bath & sauna and fun for kids (fountain, slides, many accessories). Fun for kids and adults.

Return to your hotel and enjoy dinner walking distance from the hotel

Overnight in Reykjavik

Included: Breakfast



Day 2, Sunday, June 26 - Reykjavik, Lave Tunnel / Inside the Volcano, Whale Watching

After breakfast, enjoy time in Reykjavik.

Optional Whale Watching cruise.

Option half day with your guide including the Blue Lagoon.

Overnight in Reykjavik

Included: Breakfast







Day 3, Monday, June 27 – Klambragil, Hot River, Earthquake Simulator

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and depart with your guide and Super Jeep Arctic vehicle. Today you will drive to the **1,000 River Track** in **Klambragil**. The thermal river and hot springs of the **Reykjadalur Valley** are located close to the town of Hveragerði. The trail is an interesting trail across a beautiful landscape with spectacular sights along the way. One of those sights is a waterfall in a canyon, **Djúpagilsfoss**. You will have a chance to see steaming pools and vents, mud pools and hot pots of different colors with pools of boiling hot water.

At the end of your hike you will enjoy bathing in a natural hot river, a truly amazing experience.

Continue to your hotel. Your hotel is located in the South Iceland region and offers a majestic view of the area. Dinner at the hotel (dinner not included)

Overnight in Hella

Included: Breakfast

Full day private guide with Arctic vehicle



Day 4, Wednesday, June 28 - Westmann Island, Eldfell Hike, Puffins.

After breakfast, drive to the **Westmann Island Ferry**. Board the ferry at Landeyjahöfn. The ferry to takes about 40 minutes.

Westman Islands is Iceland's best kept secret with rich history, unique landscape and heartwarming and welcoming inhabitants. Westman Islands' (Vestmannaeyjar) main island is called **Heimaey** and has a population of around 4300. Westman Islands are surrounded by 15 other uninhabited islands. When sailing around the islands it is not uncommon to see **whales**, **seals** and meet some beautiful puffins as Westman Islands are considered to have the largest Atlantic Puffin colony in the world.

At the Island you will do a short hike up to maroon **Eldfell volcano**, the Fire Mountain and enjoy the view of the Island. You will also have the opportunity to see **Elephant Rock**, a natural rock formation. At the island you will also have the opportunity to see the Puffins, during their breeding season.







Optional: You can change some of today's touring and take a private boat tour around the Islands. You will have an opportunity to explore the caves, monoliths, short hike and experience the coastal beauty of the Westman Islands.



Overnight in Hella

Included: Breakfast Ferry ticket

Day 5, Thursday, June 29 - The South Shore, Glaciers and Waterfalls

Today you will visit one of the most beautiful regions in Iceland. Your first stop will be the **Seljalandsfoss** waterfall, where you will be able to walk right under the falls. You will continue your drive by the **Eyjafjallajökul Volcano and Glacier**, best known for its eruption in 2010 which disrupted air travel over the Atlantic. Arrive at the immeasurably magnificent **Sólheimajökull Glacier**. Sólheimajökull Glacier is an outlet glacier of **Mýrdalsjökull Glacier**, Iceland's 4th biggest glacier. The glacier tongue is a rugged, raw and ever changing hub of ancient frozen water; truly a phenomenal place. On the Blue Ice tour, you will explore the crevasse riddled outlet glacier and embark on a **Glacier Hike** with its amazing ice formations, sinkholes and jagged ridges. You will be provided with all the tools you will need for your time on the glacier: ice axes, crampons, helmets and safety lines. (group hike, non private, optional private hike).



Your next stop will be to **Skogafoss waterfall**, located on the cliffs of the former coastline. Perhaps the most interesting thing about Skogafoss is that its water comes directly from two of Iceland's most famous glaciers, **Eyjafjallajokull** and **Myrdalsjokull**. You will arrive **Dyrhólaey beach** and cliffs where, after your visit, your guide will drive the super jeep up the cliff for one of the most beautiful viewing points over **Reynisfjara**. This area is accessible only by super jeeps.

Your day will take you past **Dverghamrar**, or "Dwarf Cliffs", a small yet impressive canyon full of unusual, hexagonal basalt columns on your way to Skaftafell National Park where you will enjoy a 2 mile trail to the Skaftafell water fall.

Overnight in Glacier Lagoon area

Included: Breakfast

Full day private guide with Arctic vehicle, Glacier Hike with guide and equipment







Day 6, Friday, June 30 - Vatnajökull Region, Jökursárlón Ice Lagoon, Diamond Beach

Today you will start your day with a visit to the **Jökulsárlón glacial lagoon**. This lagoon is a recent creation, the result of a warming climate. The surface is at sea level and sea water flows into the lagoon at high tide. While on a **Zodiac ride** at the lagoon you will see huge blocks of ice constantly break off the glacier into the lagoon. The lagoon is about 750 ft deep which makes it the deepest lake in Iceland. After your ride, you will visit **Diamond Beach**, a strip of black sand beach where you will walk between diamond-shaped ice drifted ashore from **Breidamerkurjokull Glacier**.



After your visit continue to the **Eldhraun lava field**, around the village. **Kirkjubæjarklaustur** was formed during the Skaftáreldar massive volcanic eruption in Lakagígar craters in the year 1783. The field is 18 cubic kilometers and it covers around 560 square kilometers of land. The surface looks very beautiful covered with thick green moss mixing in with the sharp lava standing out from underneath.

Your ride will take you deep into the Icelandic highlands up to camp Hólaskjól, home base for touring the famous Eldgjá canyon and Ófærufoss waterfall. After situated at the camp, visit the waterfall and the canyon.

Tonight you will stay in a traditional Icelandic mountain lodge and enjoy a special BBQ dinner prepared by your guide. Staying at the Highlands is a true authentic Icelandic experience.

Overnight in Hólaskjól Mountain Hut

Included: Breakfast and BBQ Dinner

Full day private guide with Arctic vehicle

Zodiac boat ride







Day 7, Saturday, July 1 - Eldgjá, The Landmannalaugar Highlands

Today you will visit one of Iceland's most beautiful areas. The **Landmannalaugar Highlands.** This area, accessible only by super vehicles, is one of Iceland's most awe-inspiring places with its impressive colorful mountains and natural hot springs. The colorful rhyolite mountains are among its main characteristics with their varying textures, shapes and sizes, making Landmannalaugar one of Iceland's most photographed area.

Your visit will start with an area called Eldgjá. Eldgjá Canyon is the largest volcanic canyon in the world, approximately 25 miles long and 800 ft deep. Eldgjá and the Katla volcano are part of the same volcanic system.

After your visit you will continue to the Landmannalaugar area where you will find spectacular hiking trails with different difficulty levels to suit most visitors. Your guide will offer a 2 hour guided hike into the hills surrounding the area. We highly recommend that you go hiking! While on your tour, we will provide you a picnic lunch box.

Volcanic activity has put its mark on this area with warm springs and wonderful natural hot springs where you will enjoy natural soaking after a day of hiking in the mountains.



Your day will end at your hotel in the Selfoss area.

Overnight at the Selfoss area

Included: Breakfast and Picnic Box Lunch

Full day private guide with Arctic vehicle







Day 8, Sunday, July 2 - The Golden Circle, Waterfalls, Fridheimar Farm, Lava Cave

After time for breakfast, meet your guide and the special Arctic Super Jeep vehicle on your way to some of Iceland's most stunning sights along the famous Golden Circle route.

Your day will start with a visit to the **Raufarhylshellir Lava Tunnel**, one of the longest and best-known lava tubes in Iceland. A journey into Raufarhylshellir is a unique experience and a great opportunity to witness the inner workings of a volcanic eruption as one walks in the path of lava that flowed during the **Leitahraun** eruption, which occurred east of the **Bl6fjull mountains** about 5,200 years ago.

After your visit you will continue along some of Iceland's most beautiful landscape and waterfalls to the historical and geological wonder of **Thingvellir National Park** where the American and Eurasian tectonic plates are pulling apart and the **Öxarárfoss waterfall**. Continue past the **Bruarfoss Falls** to **Gullfoss**, a two tiered waterfall in the river **Hvita**. The river tumbles and plunges into a crevice some 32 m (105 ft.) deep in an extraordinary display of natural power. Gullfoss waterfall narrowly escaped being harnessed for the building of a hydroelectric dam.

After time at the falls, continue to the **Geysir** geothermal area where the geyser Strokkur shoots a column of water up to 25-30 meters into the air every few minutes in a thrilling display of nature's forces.







End your day back in Reykjavik.

Overnight in Reykjavik

Included: Breakfast

Full day private guide with Arctic vehicle

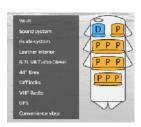
Hiking Lava Cave

Day 9, Monday, July 3 - Departure

Enjoy breakfast. Check out of the hotel.

Private transfer to the Blue Lagoon. Enjoy time at the Lagoon. After lunch (on your own), private pick up and transfer to **Keflavik International Airport** for your departure flight to the USA.

Your Guide and Arctic Super Jeep Vehicle -









PACKAGE INCLUDES

Package Rate Includes - based on the above itinerary:

Accommodations

8 nights in superior accommodations and mountain hut

3 nights in Reykjavik

2 nights at Hotel Range

1 night in Glacier Lagoon

1 night at Hólaskjól

1 night at South Coast

Early check in Reykjavik on arrival day, rooms will be ready including breakfast Room for guide where applicable Hotel taxes

Meals

9 breakfast at hotels or cabin

1 BBQ Dinner

1 Picnic lunch box

Transfers

Private transfer from Keflavik International Airport to hotel in Reykjavik Private transfer from hotel in Reykjavik to Keflavik International Airport





Tours and Activities
6 days private guide with Super Arctic Vehicle
Round trip ferry to Westmann Island
1.5 hours Glacier walk including equipment (3 people)
Ice Lagoon Zodiac ride
Landmannalaugar service fee
Lava Tunnel
Advanced reservations for all attractions

Ground Services

24/7 ground service support from our office in Iceland Taxes for all hotel

Package does not include:

- Any other attraction, activities and meals not referenced in the "package includes"
- Gratuities for the guide
- Any Covid-19 testing required by the USA or Icelandic governments prior to departure and arrival in Iceland and the USA
- International Flights



Booking Terms and Conditions Premier Tours:

Validity of prices:

Please note that for your convenience this quote is in USD (\$).

All services in Iceland are priced in local currency (ISK) and Euros (EUR).

The exchange rate ISK/EUR/USD is today's rate of exchange and is subject to change according to the Central Bank of Iceland on the day of each payment.

Exchange rate ISK to Euro/USD can be found on The Central Bank of Iceland's official exchange rate https://www.cb.is/statistics/official-exchange-rate/

Payment Terms:

20% deposit at time of booking to secure all reservations.

30% second deposit 10 weeks prior to arrival.

Final and full payment 30 days prior to arrival

Payment by check, wire transfer, Zelle or credit card. For payment by credit card, please add 4%.





Cancellation:

All cancellations must be made in writing.

The following cancellation fees apply:

Days prior to Departure Date / % of Total tour/vacation cost forfeited

- -More than 56 days \$500 per person
 -Between 55 days 30 days 40% of total tour/vacation cost
- -Between 29-10 days 75% of total tour/vacation cost
- -Within 9 days, 100% of total tour/vacation cost

We strongly recommend buying adequate travel insurance at the time of booking, which should, in most cases, include coverage under certain circumstances, against loss of deposit or cancellation fees.



