

Excursions

Enjoy our wide range of excursions. By participating on these excursions you will have unforgettable experiences and enhance your understanding of the places we visit. Our Expedition Team members are expert lecturers and they will also take you on landings and hikes.

ANTARCTICA

STANLEY

Port Stanley Highlights Tour

This is the ideal tour if you want to see the highlights of Stanley in a short time. Our coach drives along Stanley's main street and our guide will point out everything of interest. At the museum at Britannia House you will learn all about the Falklands' interesting maritime and local history.

Excursion Code: A-FAI7

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Entrance fee to the museum.
Price from: £49pp

The Bluff Cove Lagoon

Visit a beautiful lagoon and see penguins in their natural environment. Wander at your leisure around the penguin colony on the sandy white beach. There are approx. 1,000 pairs of gentoo penguins, a growing colony of king penguins and maybe some visiting Magellanic penguins from nearby East Island.

Excursion Code: A-FAI8

Duration: Approx. 3.5 hrs.

Level: 3

Included: Coffee, tea, hot chocolate and cakes. Museum entrance.

Remarks: This tour is unsuitable for passengers with neck, hip and back problems. This excursion is not available on the sailing starting 24th February from Ushuaia.

Walking Information: Some uneven terrain, but has been rated 'difficult' mostly due to off-road driving with 4x4 cars.
Price from: £101pp

Falkland Nature Walk

This is an exclusive opportunity to view the Falkland Islands' flora and fauna. We start at Whalebone Cove. Our guide will distribute an illustrated checklist and give a general background to Falkland wildlife and what you might expect to see. In addition to seeing numerous species of flora and fauna, there are also spectacular views of Stanley.

Excursion Code: A-FAI1

Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.

Level: 3

Included: Illustrated checklist of potential species of wildlife to be spotted.

Remarks: Good physical condition and mobility necessary.

Walking Information: Walking in rough terrain.

Price from: £68pp

Scenic Air Tour

There is no better way to take in some of the Falkland's landscape features than by air! Join sightseeing a bit out of the ordinary. Your flight will be an adventure of approximately 35 minutes, giving you a taste of the rugged mountainous terrain, wild landscapes and the natural coastal beauty of this part of the Falkland Islands.

Excursion Code: A-FAI9

Duration: Approx. 1.5 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Booklet, headsets.

Price from: £265pp

Bird Watching in the Falkland Islands

Join us for an exclusive opportunity to view and photograph the finest of landscapes, fauna and flora. You will view endemic and rare species of bird in their natural habitat as well as the more conspicuous predators and seabirds. Portable hides will be used at various points throughout the tour.

Excursion Code: A-FAI11

Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.

Level: 4

Remarks: Not suitable for persons with mobility, neck and back problems.

Walking Information: Hiking in uneven terrain with ascending and descending.

Price from: £129pp

Long Island Farm

Visit a sheep farm belonging to 6th generation Falkland Island family (the Watsons) who still live and farm in completely traditional Falkland style. They farm using skilled sheep dogs and Falkland Island bred horses, milk their own cows and make their own bread, butter and cream. In Mrs Watson's kitchen you will be able to enjoy home-baked cookies.



Enjoy getting close to the wildlife - Antarctica.

Excursion Code: A-FAI13

Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Coffee/tea/cakes

Remarks: Wear waterproof, warm clothing, a warm hat and sensible shoes. This excursion is only available on the sailing starting 24th February from Ushuaia.

Walking Information: Some ascending/descending.

Price from: £89pp

ONLY BOOKABLE ON BOARD AMUNDSEN NIGHT

Imagine sleeping under the Antarctic sky with little but the thin wall of your tent protecting you from the elements. This activity is a once in a lifetime opportunity. After camp is set up you can sit outside the camp and marvel over the quiet environment, or listen to the penguins in the distance.

Duration: One night from late evening to early morning, max 10 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Water bottle, emergency food, all camping equipment meeting Antarctic standard, survival float suit, special breakfast served back on the ship after camping, special certificate and custom made hat.

Remarks: Subject to weather and ice conditions, all tents are 2 person tents. Limited space available.

Price: From 3500 NOK, only bookable on board.

SMALL BOAT CRUISES

Imagine being able to come as close to the elements as possible with a handful of other people in a small boat. We can offer unforgettable cruises through channels, or a closer look at nature, ice and wildlife in our sturdy Polarcirkel boats.

Duration: 1 – 2 hrs in Polarcirkel boat.

Level: 1

Included: Survival float suit, hot drink after coming back on board.

Remarks: Subject to weather and ice conditions.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

AMUNDSEN NIGHT AT THE FALKLAND ISLANDS

We pitch up camp after dinner and you can sit outside the camp and marvel over the quiet environment, or listen to the wildlife in the distance. After a night on shore our Polarcirkel boats pick us up and we go for breakfast aboard and debrief after this unique experience.

Duration: One night from late evening to early morning, max 10 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Water bottle, emergency food, all camping equipment meeting Antarctic standard for the Falkland

Islands. Breakfast served back on the ship after camping, special certificate and custom made hat.

Remarks: Subject to weather conditions, all tents are 2 person tents. Limited space available.

Walking Information: Camping will be on grass or a beach.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

SINGLE HIKES ANTARCTICA AND THE SUB ANTARCTIC ISLANDS

With the careful guidance of very experienced staff members we will bring you to the most stunning and untouched places that not many people have seen before. The Expedition Team will present the different hiking options.

Duration: 2 – 5 hrs.

Level: 2, 3 or 4 depending on the hike.

Remarks: Physical fitness is essential.

Price: From 300 NOK, only bookable on board.

SNOWSHOES IN ANTARCTICA

Hike where no one before has hiked and make your way through pristine snowfields. It is probably one of the greatest adventures on the most remote continent of our planet, and our guides are more than happy to share this amazing experience with you.

Duration: 2-4 hrs.

Level: 2 – 3

Included: Snow shoes and ski poles.

Remarks: Physical fitness is essential.

Trip Information: Walking mostly on snow and icy terrain, ascending/descending.
Price: From 450 NOK, only bookable on board.

KAYAKING

Explore the Antarctic region by kayak. Enjoy the independence and tranquil experience as you glide quietly through the water, accompanied by our experienced guides.

Duration: 2 – 4 hrs.

Level: 4, basic kayak experience required.

Included: Kayak gear, dry suits/snack and lunchboxes if needed.

Remarks: Physical fitness is essential.

Kayak Information: Stable double sea kayaks, experienced guides will accompany you.
Price: From 995 NOK, only bookable on board.

ANTARCTIC SKY AND ICE

Stay a night on deck and enjoy the magnificent view of the landscape, the icebergs and the soft Antarctic light. We will supply you with an outdoor package including a warm sleeping bag and a comfortable sunbed. Hot chocolate will be available the whole night and at 06:00, fresh pastry and coffee is served.

Duration: Starting at 23:00, stay as long as you wish during the night.

EFFORT LEVELS

Physical guest effort level:

1 = Involves limited physical activity; most of the tour is operated by vehicle.

2 = Involves moderate physical activity on relatively level surfaces and gentle terrain.

3 = Involves physical activity on uneven surface and/or steep terrain. You may be expected to carry your own backpack and equipment. Not suitable if you have limited mobility.

4 = Involves a high level of physical activity over an extended period, in terrain that may often be uneven, slippery and steep. You would be expected to carry your own backpack and equipment. Not suitable if you have limited mobility.



© Marcella Calderas - nordnorge.com

Snowmobile tour - Svalbard.

Level: 1
Included: Sleeping bag, welcome drink, breakfast outside.
Price: From 250 NOK, only bookable on board.

SPITSBERGEN & NORWAY

FRØYA

Hike with Local Guide
 In Frøya you can find a number of nicely marked paths for easy hiking. We go through the town centre and further on to the place called the 'Steinalderplassen' where the local guide will tell us about the findings of settlements dating back to the Stone Age.
Excursion Code: S- F1A1
Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.
Level: 2
Price from: £28pp

InNovaMar Salmon Farm, Titran and Hopsjø
 At InNovaMar you will see how a salmon farm works. After our visit here we continue to the old trading post Hopsjø and the fishing village Titran. Enjoy exploring these two small settlements with old churches, and see Norway's tallest lighthouse, Slettingen Fyr.
Excursion Code: S- F1A2
Duration: Approx. 4.5 hrs.
Level: 1
Price from: £206pp

Senior Rafting
 On this RIB tour we will show you some of Frøya's fantastic coastline, surrounded with more than 5,300 islands, islets and reefs. Only a few of the islands are inhabited. The island Bogøy has 30 inhabitants. From here we will take you on this exciting journey. This is truly a magnificent way of enjoying the coastal landscape.
Excursion Code: S-F1A3
Duration: Approx. 2.5 hrs.
Level: 3
Remarks: RIB tours are not suited for people with back problems.
Price from: £149pp

LONGYEARBYEN

Snowmobile Tour to Camp Barentz
 On this tour we will drive in a relaxed tempo through snow-clad valleys, making several stops to hear about the area we are visiting. Camp Barentz is located 10 km from Longyearbyen at the foot of the Mine 7 Mountain. This is a great trip if you want to try snowmobiling.
Excursion Code: S-LYR3
Duration: 3 hrs. approx. 20 km drive.
Level: 2
Included: Hot drink and biscuits.

Remarks: Driver's licence is required and must be carried at all times.
Included: Guided snowmobile tour incl. briefing, clothing and helmet, hot drinks and biscuits, transfers.
Price from: £164pp

Snowmobile Tour to the Tempelfjord
 We start this trip by passing through the wide Advent Valley, making our way into more interesting terrain. Then we head out on the fjord ice towards the ragged wall of the Tuna Glacier. We will enjoy an expedition lunch before returning to civilisation.
Excursion Code: S-LYR4
Duration: 7 hrs. approx. 140 km drive.
Level: 2-3
Included: Lunch.
Remarks: Driver's licence is required, and must be carried at all times.
Included: Guided snowmobile tour incl. briefing, clothing and helmet, hot drinks and biscuits, transfers.
Price from: £226pp

Ice Cave Tour
 Walk through the heart of a glacier and into the crystal world within – an experience that will take your breath away. We will provide headlights, helmets and experienced guides. All you need is solid winter shoes, waterproof outdoor clothing and a spirit of adventure!
Excursion Code: S-LYR1
Duration: 3 hrs.
Level: 2 – 3
Remarks: Average physical fitness, not suitable if you have limited mobility. The trip is unsuitable for those suffering from claustrophobia or restricted movement.
Walking information: Uneven and partly steep terrain.
Price from: £82pp

Dog Sledding in Bolterdalen
 Drive your own dog sledge through Bolterdalen's exciting and varied landscape! This is an amazing and authentic way to experience the Arctic. We follow the riverbed into Bolterdalen which is surrounded by beautiful mountains. Back in the camp there will be tea or coffee and a chance to meet the puppies.
Excursion Code: S-LYR4
Duration: 4 hrs.
Level: 2-3
Remarks: Outer clothing and boots.
Price from: £139pp

SKARSVÅG

Hornvika, North Cape Classic
 Experience the North Cape the classic way and climb the ultimate summit of Europe. The North Cape rises 300 m above sea level. We go ashore in Hornvika and from here we start the hike up to the plateau. We celebrate with sparkling wine by the globe at the edge of the cliff.

Excursion Code: S-SV41
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 3
Included: Water, sparkling wine, taste of local food and a diploma.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Walking Information: 1,2 km, 500 m ascent in steep terrain.
Price from: £103pp

Historical Walk in the World's Northernmost Fishing Village
 Discover the treasures of the Barents Sea and the culture of the North by meeting local fishermen. This tour includes a visit to Santa's house, where you will be served coffee and waffles. Then we go by bus up to the North Cape plateau where you can explore the North Cape hall.
Excursion Code: S-SV42
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Coffee and waffles, and taste of local food.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £88pp

ONLY BOOKABLE ON BOARD SMALL BOAT CRUISES

Imagine being able to come as close to the elements as possible with a handful of other people in a small boat. We can offer unforgettable cruises through channels, or a closer look at nature, ice and wildlife in our sturdy Polarcirkel boats.
Duration: 1 – 2 hrs. in Polarcirkel boat.
Level: 1
Included: Survival float suit, hot drink after coming back on board.
Remarks: Subject to weather and ice conditions.
Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

ARCTIC SKY AND ICE

Stay a night on deck and enjoy the magnificent view of the landscape and the Midnight Sun. We will supply you with an outdoor package including a nice and warm sleeping bag and a comfortable sunbed. Hot chocolate will be available the whole night and at 06:00, fresh pastry and coffee is served.
Duration: Starting at 23:00, stay as long as you wish during the night.
Level: 1
Included: Sleeping bag, welcome drink, breakfast outside.
Price: From 150 NOK, only bookable on board.

KAYAKING

Kayak is Inuk (the language of the Inuit) for 'man's boat'. Explore the polar region by kayak. Enjoy the independence and tranquil experience as you glide quietly through the water, accompanied by our experienced guides.
Duration: 2-4 hrs.
Level: 4, basic kayak experience required.
Included: Kayak gear, dry suits/sneak and lunchboxes if needed.
Remarks: Physical fitness is essential. Kayak information: Stable double sea kayaks, experienced guides will accompany you.
Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

FISHING WITH OFFICERS AND PREPARING YOUR CATCH

Together with an officer and members of the crew you set off in a small boat to find a good spot for fishing, and spend some hours out at sea trying your luck as fishermen. You will be supplied with the necessary equipment and clothing. Back

at the ship you are invited to meet the chef and prepare your catch, then have it served for dinner.
Excursion Code: Only bookable on board.
Duration: Approx. 2.5 – 3 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Waterproof clothing, fishing rod.
Maximum Participants: 3
Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

ICELAND

GRUNDARFJÖRDUR

Highlights of Snæfellsnes Peninsula
 Enjoy many of the highlights of the Snæfellsnes Peninsula. See the glacier Snæfellsjökull and visit places like Djúpalónssandur beach, the Visitor Centre in Hellnar, Arnarstapi village, Búðir beach and the Búðakirkja Church.
Excursion Code: G-GFJ1
Duration: Approx. 5 hrs.
Level: 2
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users, some walking over uneven terrain.
Price from: £85pp

ISAJÖRDUR

Vigur Paradise Island
 We sail in the large Ísafjarðardjúp before enjoying a guided walk through the beautiful island of Vigur. The island is home to magnificent bird life and the smallest post office in Europe: its 10 friendly inhabitants welcome you and serve refreshments.
Excursion Code: G-ISA3
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Refreshments and boat tour.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users, some walking over uneven terrain.
Price from: £64pp

Savour the Flavour of Suðureyri
 Visit the eco-conscious fishing village of Suðureyri. We will stop to enjoy the taste of local produce during an in-depth guided tour, and meet local fishermen who practice sustainable, environmentally-friendly fishing in harmony with nature.
Excursion Code: G-ISA5
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Various tastings.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £70pp

Horse Riding in Þingeyri
 The Sandar Valley offers an exclusive riding experience through a tranquil and picturesque landscape. Saddle-up and explore the valley by crossing the waters of the Sanda River and strolling through the lush green meadows.
Excursion Code: G-ISA7
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 3
Included: 2 hours guided riding and necessary equipment.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users. Icelandic rules state that you may not use private equipment that has been used on other types of horses.
Price from: £134pp

SIGLUFJÖRDUR

The Herring Gold Rush Museum
 Experience the history and traditions of the herring in Síldarminjasafn (Herring Museum). Enjoy a show with herring girls, hear the old songs and taste the

herring with Brennivín, the traditional Icelandic schnapps.
Excursion Code: G-SIG1
Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.
Level: 3
Included: Museum visit, show, taste of herring and schnapps.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £39pp

AKUREYRI

Leisurely Akureyri & Godafoss Waterfall
Discover Akureyri and its nearby surroundings. We start with a trip to 'Waterfall of the Gods', Godafoss, before we explore the charming and colourful Akureyri, including the 'Old Quarter' and the botanical garden.
Excursion Code: G-AKU1
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 1
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £63pp

Mývatn Nature Baths

There is hardly a better way to enjoy Iceland's geothermal power than a visit to one of its best nature baths. Lake Mývatn and its surroundings are one of Europe's greatest natural treasures. After a relaxing soak in the water we'll drive back to Akureyri with a short stop at Godafoss, the 'Waterfall of the Gods'.
Excursion Code: G-AKU3
Duration: Approx. 5 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Entrance to Mývatn Baths
Remark: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £82pp

Off the Beaten Track

We start with a visit to Vaglaskógur forest, and continue to Skjálfandafljót River, a white glacial river originating from Vatnajökull glacier. In Bárðardalur Valley we'll make a stop at a local guesthouse before visiting the magical Lake Mývatn. Then you can enjoy lunch at a local restaurant in Skútustaðir and a stop at Godafoss, 'Waterfall of the Gods'.
Excursion Code: G-AKU4
Duration: Approx. 7 hrs.
Level: 3
Included: Two course lunch.
Remarks: Super Jeep tour, not suitable for wheelchair users, some walking on uneven terrain.
Price from: £284

Hrísey Island

We invite you on a ferry trip to Hrísey. Here we'll enjoy a guided tour of the island, travelling by an uncovered farm-style wagon. Back on the mainland we'll walk to the Kaldi Brewery for a visit and beer-tasting before we head back to Akureyri.
Excursion Code: G-AKU5
Duration: Approx. 5 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Ferry ride, hay wagon tour, brewery tasting.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users, some walking on uneven terrain.
Price from: £103pp

BAKKARGERDI

In the Footsteps of the Elves

Learn about Iceland's mysterious folklore. Bakkargerði is home to large colonies of 'hidden people' in Iceland, and a rocky hill called Álfaborg ('City of Elves'). We'll make a short stop at the haunted place Njarðvíkurskriður, before enjoying lunch at a local restaurant in Egillstaður.
Excursion Code: G-BG61

Duration: Approx. 6 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Lunch
Walking Information: Walking in streets and stairs.
Price from: £129pp

SEYÐISFJÖRDUR

A Stroll Around Seyðisfjörður

Seyðisfjörður is regarded as one of Iceland's most picturesque towns, with its impressive environment and old wooden buildings. Enjoy a walking tour, see the modern art exhibitions in the Blue Church and go back in time in the Technical Museum.
Excursion Code: G-SEY1
Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Entrance fee to museum.
Walking Information: Walking on streets and stairs.
Price from: £51pp

Nature Tour in Skalanes

We will start with a tour of Seyðisfjörður, one of Iceland's most beautiful villages. Skalanes is a privately owned nature and heritage centre. From the observation platform there is a great view to the bird cliffs. Then you can explore the area on your own or relax in this beautiful environment.
Excursion Code: G-SEY2
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Refreshments at Skalanes farm.
Remarks: Approx. 2 hours on bus and approx. 2 hours at the farm.
Walking Information: Approx. 1 km at uneven path with gradual elevation.
Price from: £72pp

DJÚPIVOGUR

Glacier Lagoon

See Europe's largest glacier up close in a lagoon full of icebergs. Jökulsárlón is located by Europe's largest glacier Vatnajökull. Specially designed boats take us out to the floating icebergs, a truly unforgettable experience! On our way back we will have a sightseeing tour of Höfn, a small fishing village known for its stunning mountain views.
Excursion Code: G-DJU1
Duration: Approx. 8 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Boat tour and basic lunch.
Price from: £206pp

HEIMAÆY

Heimaey Island Tour

Enjoy a tour to the main attractions of the island. You will see spectacular bird life and Herjólfssdalur valley with ruins of old farm houses dating back to the year 650 AD. We will also visit the very centre of a volcano's crater and see the ruins of a house buried in lava.
Excursion Code: G- HEI1
Duration: Approx. 2.5 hrs.
Level: 1
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £51pp

Westman Island Walking Tour and Eldheimar Museum

Explore Heimaey and the famous fire mountain on this walking tour. The tour ends at the Eldheimar Museum where we have included the entrance ticket for you, and you may stay as long as you want to explore the exhibits at your own pace.
Excursion Code: G- HEI2

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs. for the walking tour, then 1 hour at the museum.
Level: 3
Included: Entrance fee to Eldheimar Museum.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users, some in uneven terrain.
Price from: £41pp

STYKKISHÓLMUR

Lava Trails and Viking Tales

This intriguing tour combines the rugged nature of the area and its literature. In Bjarnarhöfn we visit the Shark Museum. Helgafell Mountain might seem unimpressive, but it is believed to have special powers - and we will walk up the top. We'll continue back to the lovely town of Stykkishólmur and visit the town's oldest building that now houses the local folk museum.
Excursion Code: G-STY4
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Entrance fees.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Walking Information: Walking on the sites.
Price from: £77pp

Highlights of Snæfellsnes

Enjoy many of the highlights of the Snæfellsnes Peninsula. See the glacier Snæfellsjökull and visit places like Djúpalónssandur beach, the Visitor Centre in Hellnar, Arnarstapi village, Búðir beach and the Búðakirkja Church.
Excursion Code: G-STY5
Duration: Approx. 5 hrs.
Level: 3
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £92pp

ÞINGEYRI

The Dynjandi Waterfall

On our way to the beautiful Dynjandi Waterfall we will experience some of the best examples of the harsh but awe-inspiring landscape of the West Fjords. We will take our time to enjoy the scenery, before visiting the museum in Hrafnseyri. Back in Þingeyri we'll explore the Viking Area and get to know some of the history.
Excursion Code: G-TEY1
Duration: Approx. 4 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Entrance fee.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Walking information: Walking at the sites.
Price from: £170pp

A Little Taste of History

Þingeyri is one of the oldest settlements in the West Fjords. We will start this tour by visiting the Old Blacksmith's workshop. From here we'll make our way to Koltra, a gallery offering a great variety of local craft and knitted goods. Our next stop is the Viking arena, where 'Vikings' will battle, dance and sing folk songs to give you an insight into their way of life.
Excursion Code: G-TEY2
Duration: Approx. 2.5 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Various tastings.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Walking Information: Walking at the sites.
Price from: £95pp

Horseback Riding in Dýrafjörður

The trip begins by getting comfortable with the Icelandic horse. We then ride out into the valley, crossing the Sandá River and the green fields at an easy pace. We will

take small breaks to enjoy the landscape and let the horses graze. We continue towards the sea, riding on the black sand before returning back to the stables.
Excursion Code: G-TEY3
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Rent of helmet and saddle.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users. Icelandic rules state that you may not use private equipment that has been used on other types of horses.
Price from: £134pp

ISAFJÖRDUR

Arctic Foxes and Avalanches

Learn about Iceland's only native terrestrial mammal, the arctic fox. We will visit the charming village of Súðavík - a village that got tragically destroyed by an avalanche in 1995. In the middle of the town we find the Arctic Fox Centre. Afterwards we will visit the local church where we'll enjoy traditional Icelandic music.
Excursion Code: G-ISA8
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 2
Included: Refreshments.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Walking Information: Some walking involved.
Price from: £74pp

Flowers and Fjords

Our first stop is Skróður, where Iceland's first and beautiful botanical garden was founded in 1905. From here we'll continue to the village of Flateyri, where we will visit the local church to enjoy a musical performance. Then the guide will take us on a leisurely stroll down the small main street of the village to visit the old bookstore and view the exhibition in the merchant's house.
Excursion Code: G-ISA9
Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.
Level: 1
Included: Entrance to botanical garden, music performance in church.
Remarks: Not suitable for wheelchair users.
Price from: £72pp

ONLY BOOKABLE ON BOARD

SMALL BOAT CRUISES

Imagine being able to come as close to the elements as possible with a handful of other people in a small boat. We can offer unforgettable cruises through channels, or a closer look at nature, ice and wildlife in our sturdy Polarcirkel boats.
Duration: 1 – 2 hrs. in Polarcirkel boat.
Level: 1
Included: Survival float suit, hot drink after coming back on board.
Remarks: Subject to weather and ice conditions.
Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

ARCTIC SKY AND ICE

Stay a night on deck and enjoy the magnificent view of the landscape. We will supply you with an outdoor package including a warm sleeping bag and a comfortable sunbed. Hot chocolate will be available the whole night and at 06:00, fresh pastry and coffee is served.
Duration: Starting at 23:00, stay as long as you wish during the night.
Level: 1
Included: Sleeping bag, welcome drink, pre-breakfast outside
Price: From 150 NOK, only bookable on board.



© Ella Gredem - Greenland.com

The Ilulissat Icefjord is on the UNESCO World Heritage list.

KAYAKING

Explore the polar region by kayak. Enjoy the independence and tranquil experience as you glide quietly through the water, accompanied by our experienced guides.

Duration: 2 – 4 hrs.

Level: 4,

Included: Kayak gear, dry suits/snack and lunchboxes.

Remarks: Basic kayak experience required.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

GREENLAND

QAQORTOQ

Great Greenland Tannery

The ancient hunting culture of the Inuits remains an important livelihood in Greenland, and Great Greenland is the only tannery in the country. This tour is much more than just seeing the tannery itself; your local guide will talk about seal hunting and the working conditions of today's hunters.

Excursion Code: G-QAQ2

Duration: Approx. 1 hr.

Level: 1

Remarks: The tannery visit may be happening after working hours.

Price from: £29pp

Hike to the Great Lake

This scenic hike takes you through the town of Qaqortoq and leads to the Great Lake, a recreational area for the inhabitants. The lake is beautifully embedded in the surrounding hills and has an even and very charming path leading alongside the lake.

Excursion Code: G-QAQ4

Duration: 3.5 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Water bottle and a snack.

Price from: £31pp

Kaffeemik

A kaffeemik is a Greenlandic tradition for special occasions. When family, friends and neighbours visit, the host impresses with a selection of homemade food. This might be bread/buns, cooked musk ox, lamb, dried whale meat or seal - all depending on the success of the hunt. Enjoy a great experience with a local family!

Excursion Code: G-QAQ5

Duration: 1 – 1.5 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Selection of Greenlandic food/coffee or tea.

Price from: £31pp

IGALIKU

Igaliku Historic Sites and Settlements

During the Norse period Igaliku was known as Garðar, the main seat of the church. The ruins from that time are very well preserved and worth a visit. It is one of the most beautiful villages in Greenland. Its 30 inhabitants are looking forward to showing you the past as well as the present Igaliku.

Excursion Code: G-IGA1

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 2

Walking Information: Walk on gravel road.

Price from: £34pp

Visit to a Sheep Farm

Igaliku was the gathering point for the Norse settlers, and they were impressed with the 'green' of Greenland! Nowadays, sheep farming is still one of the main trades. Walk through the settlement and visit one of the sheep farms that are situated in the beautiful Igaliku.

Excursion Code: G-IGA2

Duration: approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 2

Walking Information: Walk on gravel road.

Price from: £34pp

QASSIARSUK

Boat Trip to the Qooroq Icefjord

We sail to the underwater moraine at the mouth of the Qooroq Icefjord. Here we enjoy the breathtaking view of thousands of icebergs, sheer cliff faces and the enormous glacier. The silence is only disturbed by the sound of the icebergs, as they break free from the glacier crashing into the fjord.

Excursion Code: G-QAS2

Duration: Approx. 1.5 – 3 hrs. Depending on speed of excursion boats.

Level: 1

Included: Refreshment with 1,000 year-old ice.

Remarks: It depends on the ice situation how far we can go into the fjord.

Price from: £88pp

Eric the Red Settlement Walk

Qassiarsuk is also known as Brattahlíð, the place where Erik the Red settled in 982 AD. Reconstructions of Erik the Red's farm and the church were made in 2000. In this open-air museum guides in Norse dresses show you around, and tell you about the Vikings and their daily life.

Excursion Code: G-QAS4

Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Entrance fee to the Viking Ruins.

Walking Information: Approx. 3 km on a gravel road.

Price from: £39pp

Two-fjords Hike

We start in front of Qassiarsuk Church. After a good hour of climbing we reach the pass where we see the scenic Tasiusaq Fjord that is very often covered in ice. Sheep and the occasional eagle can be seen, but this hike is mainly about the beauty of the landscape.

Excursion Code: G-QAS5

Duration: Approx. 3.5 hrs.

Level: 3

Included: Water bottle and snack bar.

Remarks: Good hiking ability is required.

Walking Information: Approx. 8 km on gravel road, 4 km of them ascending.

Price from: £31pp

NARSAQ

Hike in the Hills behind Narsaq

The local guide will take you in the mountains close to Narsaq where we will enjoy beautiful views over the town, the surroundings and the fjord - hopefully all the way to the icecap.

Excursion Code: G-NAR6

Duration: Approx. 3 hrs.

Level: 4

Price from: £58pp

Town Walk

Enjoy a town walk with the 'local eye'. See old fish factories, and today's sheep farms. Your local guide is proud to share the knowledge. This excursion also includes a visit to the museum that exhibits interesting artefacts from the Viking era.

Excursion Code: G-NAR5

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Entrance fee to the local museum.

Price from: £38pp

NUUK

Nuuk City Tour

Nuuk is the capital of Greenland where old and new meet in the unique Greenlandic way. The harbour has beautiful old buildings, and a short walk will take you to the modern centre. Attractions include the Market, the award-winning Culture Centre 'Katuaq', the Cathedral and the National Museum.

Excursion Code: G-NUU2

Duration: Approx. 1.5 hrs.

Level: 1

Price from: £46pp

Lille Malene Hike

Our Expedition Team will take you on a beautiful hike along the foot of Mt. Lille Malene and tell you about the nature during the course of the hike. We take a lunch break with fresh spring water while enjoying the view of Mt. Sermitsiaq, Akia and Nuuk.

Excursion Code: G-NUU3

Duration: Approx. 4.5 hrs.

Level: 4

Included: Transportation by bus to the starting point, lunch pack.

Walking Information: There might be snow in May. Good hiking boots are necessary. The hike is demanding, 8 km long in mountain terrain.

Price from: £41pp

Cultural History Walk

Don't miss the opportunity to see some of the most interesting places in Nuuk. We start by visiting the city hall and then the cultural house. We end the tour in the National Museum, where you will have the chance to see different exhibitions including the famous Qilakitsoq mummies.

Excursion Code: G-NUU4

Duration: Approx. 2 – 2.5 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Visit to Katuaq and National Museum.

Walking Information: Walking on paved road.

Price from: £46pp

ILULISSAT

Boat Trip to the Icefjord

The beautiful Icefjord is best experienced from a boat. We sail to where gigantic icebergs in the northern part of the fjord are stranded. You can see the structure of the ice, hear the sound and feel the cold streaming out. The icebergs reach up to 100 metres above sea level.

Excursion Code: G-ILU1

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Coffee/tea on board.

Price from: £84pp

Hike to Holms Bakke

Holms Bakke has a magnificent view over the Jakobshavn Icefjord, where the icebergs move at an average speed of 19 metres a day. The hike continues to the abandoned settlement of Sermermiut and the old Inuit graves. After lunch the hike continues along the beautiful Icefjord.

Excursion Code: G-ILU3

Duration: Approx. 4 – 5 hrs.

Level: 4

Included: Transfer; lunch packet incl. water.

Walking Information: This hike requires good hiking skills.

Price from: £70pp

City Walk

Enhance your understanding of the Greenlandic Culture and History with this cultural-historical walk. The guide will tell you about the history of the city, the Greenlandic culture and the modern life 300 km north of the Arctic Circle. We will visit the fishermen at the harbour and the hunters at their trading post 'Brædtet'.

Excursion Code: G-ILU5

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs.

Level: 2

Walking Information: Mostly on paved road.

Price from: £54pp

ONLY BOOKABLE ON BOARD SMALL BOAT CRUISES

Imagine being able to come as close to the elements as possible with a handful of other people in a small boat. We can offer unforgettable cruises through channels, or a closer look at nature, ice and wildlife in our sturdy Polarcirkel boats.

Duration: 1 – 2 hrs. in Polarcirkel boat.

Level: 1

Included: Survival float suit, hot drink after coming back on board.

Remark: Subject to weather and ice conditions.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

ARCTIC SKY AND ICE

Stay a night on deck and enjoy the magnificent view of the landscape and the Midnight Sun. We will supply you with an outdoor package including a warm sleeping bag and a comfortable sunbed. Hot chocolate will be available the whole night and at 06:00, fresh pastry and coffee is served.

Duration: Starting at 23:00, stay as long as you wish during the night.

Level: 1

Included: Sleeping bag, welcome drink, breakfast outside.

— **Price:** From 150 NOK, only bookable on board.

FISHING WITH OFFICERS AND PREPARING YOUR CATCH

Together with an officer and members of the crew you set off in a small boat to find a good spot for fishing, then spend some hours out at sea trying your luck as fishermen. You will be supplied with the necessary equipment and clothing. Back at the ship you are invited to meet the chef and prepare your catch, then have it served for dinner.

Duration: Approx. 2.5- 3 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Waterproof clothing, fishing rod.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

KAYAKING

Kayak is Inuk (the language of the Inuit) for 'man's boat'. Explore the polar region by kayak. Enjoy the independence and tranquil experience as you glide quietly through the water, accompanied by our experienced guides.

Duration: 2-4 hrs.

Level: 4, basic kayak experience required.

Included: Kayak gear, dry suits/snack and lunchboxes if needed.

Remarks: Physical fitness is essential.

Kayak information: Stable double sea kayaks, experienced guides will accompany you.

Price: From 950 NOK, only bookable on board.

HELICOPTER TOUR OVER ILULISSAT ICEFJORD

Ilulissat glacier is the most productive glacier on the Northern Hemisphere. Fly with a small Bell212 helicopter at low altitude over the icebergs that fill this 40 km long fjord. The helicopter will fly close to the glacier and with great impressions of the glacier and the ice cap.

Duration: Approx. 25 min flying

Level: 1

Remarks: Please note that the flight is particularly weather dependent. Cancellations may occur as the helicopter is used for rescue/emergency flights, as it is the only one available in the area.

Price: From 3990 NOK, only bookable on board.

SISIMIUT

Boat Trip to Assaqutaq

Assaqutaq, located about 10 km by boat from Sisimiut, was abandoned some decades ago. Today it is used as a summer camp for the local schools but only for a short period in June. Enjoy the guided walk through the village visiting the old fishing factory, the small church and relax in the beautiful surroundings.

Excursion Code: G-SIS3

Duration: Approx. 2 hrs. (might vary due to speed of excursion boat).

Level: 2

Included: Coffee/tea.

Price from: £101pp

Hike to Palasip Qaqqaa

Palasip Qaqqaa is a 550 m high mountain outside Sisimiut. Join a beautiful and challenging hike on the green mountain where you can enjoy the view of the town and the sea the whole way. From the top of the mountain there is an amazing view over the Kangerluarsuk Tulleq Fjord.

Excursion Code: G-SIS4

Duration: Approx. 3 - 5 hrs. (Depending on group size/weather condition).

Level: 4

Included: Transportation by bus to the start of the hike, lunch pack.

Walking Information: This is one of the most demanding hikes we offer, with steep inclines. In the beginning of the season, the way up may be wet or still covered with snow.

Price from: £58pp

A Taste of Greenland

A great way to explore a country is through its food. Greenlandic food is a culinary experience, and the ingredients are usually organic, as fish, game and marine animals roam free in their natural environment. The tasting will depend on what has been caught, and may include a variety of fish, muskox, seal or other delicacies.

Excursion Code: G-SIS5

Duration: Approx. 1.5 hrs.

Level: 1

Included: Greenlandic meal and water.

Price from: £61pp

Sightseeing by Bus

If you want to experience all of the hilly Sisimiut in a short time, this is a great excursion. The local guide tells you about everyday life, the history and the different buildings and places we pass. We visit the sledge dogs and then go to the top of Sisimiut with an incredible view of the sea and the mountains.

Excursion Code: G-SIS6

Duration: Approx. 1.5 hrs.

Level: 1

Price from: £43pp

QEQERTARSUAQ

Town Walk

Qeqertarsuaq is the main settlement on Disko Island. Whale hunting is part of the history - and you still find the whale in the coat of arms. Enjoy an interesting walk with a local guide telling about the town itself, its ancient and recent history and its inhabitants.

Excursion Code: G-JGO1

Duration: 1 hr

Level: 2

Walking Information: Partly on gravel road.

Price from: £26pp

Hike to the Basaltic Rock

This is a very long but moderately easy hike, with some of the prettiest views in all of Disko Island. The vegetation is surprisingly lush due to hidden warm springs. The combination of the bizarre rocks, the deep green of the plants and the icebergs below is fantastic.

Excursion Code: G -JGO3

Duration: Approx. 5 hrs.

Level: 2

Included: Water and snack.

Walking Information: Rocky and muddy.

Good boots required. Distance is approx. 10 km.

Price from: £31pp

UUMMANNAQ

Talk with Local People

Enjoy a talk with one of the locals. This might be a hunter talking about his work or a youth about dreams and possibilities in Greenland. Learn something about the everyday life in this remote part of Greenland.

Excursion Code: G-UUM4

Duration: Approx. 1hr

Level: 1

Walking Information: From landing site to meeting place.

Price from: £25pp