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SCENIC ICELAND AND THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

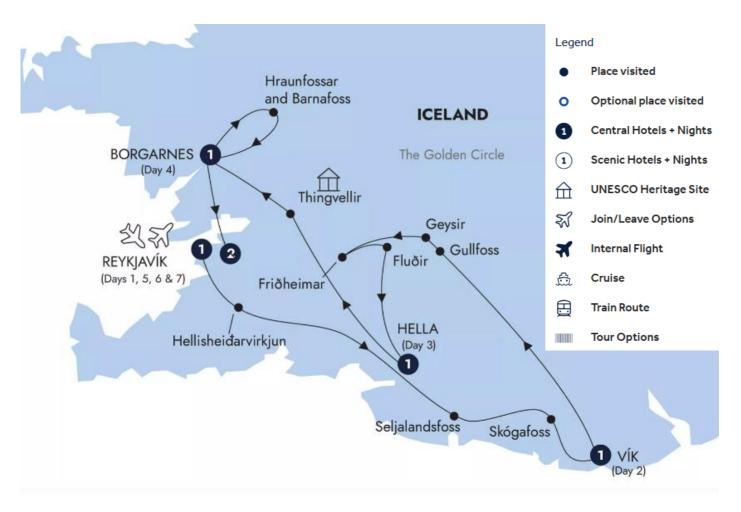
INSIGHT VACATIONS





See the Sights of Iceland & Bask in the Glow of The Northern Lights on a 1-Week Guided Tour

Experience the iconic sights of Iceland as you gasp in awe at the exploding hot springs in Geysir and lose yourself in the Northern Lights dancing overhead in Reykjavik. From the thundering waterfalls of Skógafoss and the majesty of the Hekla volcano, to the allure of the Golden Circle and the earth shaking Mid-Atlantic Ridge, this one-week tour has it all. Uncover Iceland's volcanic history at the Lava Center en route to Vik, visit a geothermal bakery in Fontana where fresh bread is dug out of the hot ground before your very eyes and hone your horticulture skills at the massive greenhouse tomato farms in Friðheimar. Discover how Iceland was settled at a fascinating exhibit in Borgarnes and conclude your tour with a Local Expert in Old Reykjavik, as they guide you through the capital.



Day 1 | The Viking City of Reykjavík

Welcome to Iceland. At Reykjavík's Keflavík Airport, you will be welcomed and transferred to your hotel. Join your Travel Director and traveling companions at 18:15 for your Welcome Reception and enjoy the opportunity to get to know each other, over a pleasant evening of wine and canapés. Afterwards, search for the most spectacular show on Earth—the northern lights. See the breathtaking night sky filled with the aurora borealis and its vast spectrum of color. Please note the northern lights are a natural phenomenon and therefore sightings cannot be guaranteed.

Welcome: Welcome Meet your Travel Director at 18:15

Hotel: Fosshotel Reykjavík, Iceland



Fosshotel Reykjavik offers exceptional service and stunning views of the city and the bay area, located only a short walk from the main shopping area. A true Icelandic landmark, this hotel offers modern accommodation based on quality, service and excellence.

Day 2 | South Shore Adventure to Vík

Take a journey through the stunning landscape of Iceland's south coast and through the land of Njál's Saga–a region of breathtaking scenery and legendary stories. Join a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, heading east to visit Iceland's newest geothermal and electric power station at Hellisheiðavirkjun Your journey continues, as you witness the majesty of Seljalandsfoss



and Skógafoss. Stand awestruck by the beauty of these thundering waterfalls, before venturing on to view more spectacular phenomena. See the magnificent Hekla and Eyjafjallajökull volcanoes. Arrive in the welcoming community of Vík. Later, perhaps enjoy another chance to go in search of the mystical northern lights?

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** Katla by Keahotels, Iceland



Hellisheiði Geothermal Power Plant Visit





Visit Seljalandsfoss and Skógafoss Waterfalls

See the Hekla and Eyjafjallajokull Volcanoes

Day 3 | The Golden Circle to Hella

Embark on a day of discovery around Iceland's Golden Circle, taking in some of the famous landmarks this magical country has to offer. Experience the mighty Gullfoss waterfalls the Icelandic equivalent of Niagara Falls, before continuing on to the exploding hot springs at Geysir. Next stop is Friðheimar, to learn about Icelandic greenhouse horticulture. Visit a family-run vegetable farm, specialising in tomatoes. Explore their greenhouses and sample



the sweet, unique flavor of their lovingly grown crop. Last stop will be a chance to relax in the Secret Lagoon, known locally as Gamla Laugin, which is the oldest swimming pool in Iceland since 1891.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** Stracta Hotel, Iceland



Visit Gullfoss Waterfall



Geysir Hot Springs Visit



Meet a Local Family at a Tomato Farm in Fridheimar



The Secret Lagoon Visit

Day 4 | Thingvellir and Borgarnes

First visit today will be Thingvellir National Park, this remarkable UNESCO World Heritage Site lies on the Mid-Atlantic Ridge line, where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. The first meeting of the



Icelandic parliament was held here in A.D. 930. Journey along the trail of Viking warrior and poet Egill Skallagrímsson. In Borgarnes, learn about Iceland's history with a fascinating visit to the Icelandic Settlement Center. Continue with a stop at Sturlureykir horse breeding farm that is run by a local family. The farm has a natural hot spring, and the hot water is used to bake rye bread underground. Enjoy a taste of this freshly baked rye bread, a family recipe for over 100 years. Enjoy views of the Hraunfossar and Barnafoss waterfalls as you drive through glorious landscapes. Your travels continue to Deildartunguhver, Europe's most powerful hot spring, before dining at your hotel this evening.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Hótel Hamar, Iceland





Visit Thingvellir Parliamentary Plains

Top Rated Highlights

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See Hraunfossar & Barnafoss Waterfalls



Icelandic Horse Farm

Insight Experiences

Day 5 | Reykjavík sightseeing

Journey back to the Icelandic capital and see Old Reykjavík, the 19th-century parliament building and Höfði House. In 1986, US President Ronald Reagan and Soviet Premier Mikhail Gorbachev met here for the famous Reykjavík Summit. Later, visit the colorful harbor and the iconic Hallgrímskirkja, the largest modern church in Iceland, standing 74.5 meters tall and visible from almost

anywhere in the city. The afternoon is at your leisure.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Fosshotel Reykjavík, Iceland







Reykjavik City Tour <mark>Day 6 | Reykjavik Your Way</mark>

Explore Reykjavik with Insight Choice. Choose to experience the magic of Iceland on an exhilarating flight-ride at FlyOver to see incredible scenery from sweeping glaciers to stunning fjords. Alternatively, visit the Perlan

Museum with the Wonders of Iceland, one of a kind exhibition to experience Iceland's natural beauty. This afternoon, you may choose to unwind in the mineral-rich waters of the Blue Lagoon (or a comparable location) on our optional experience, subject to seasonal availability. Surrounded by lava fields and snow-capped mountains, the lagoon is a wonder of nature and offers a unique experience for both body and soul. With your newfound

friends, toast to the culmination of your fascinating journey of discovery during dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** Fosshotel Reykjavík, Iceland



Reykjavik FlyOver Flight-Ride Experience



Reykjavik Perlan Museum Visit



Reykjavik Dinner

Day 7 | Farewell Reykjavík

Your Icelandic adventure comes to an end, with a transfer to Reykjavík's Keflavík Airport.

Meals: Breakfast



-----END OF SERVICE-----

Included in your 'Business Class' tour

- Handpicked 4 & 5 star hotels in great locations
- Superior dining in top rated restaurants
- Daily breakfasts & many relaxed morning starts after 9am
- 24/7 personal service knowledgeable Travel Director & expert Driver
- 'Business Class' style coaches with extended legroom*
- Insider Access, Insightful Encounters and Insight Choice experiences
- Local discovery led by Local Experts
- All porterage, gratuities and tips

DATES & PRI	CING				
START	END	STATUS	GROUP SIZE	DETAILS & OFFERS	PRICE (USD)
Sunday Dec 22, 2024	Saturday Dec 28, 2024	 Special Departure Definite Departure Further Information 	Classic Up to 40 guests	LAST MINUTE DEAL Price \$5,825 15% off	\$4,952 pp
Sunday Jan 12, 2025	Saturday Jan 18, 2025	 Definite Departure Further Information 	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$5,363 10% off	\$4,827 pp
Sunday Feb 2, 2025	Saturday Feb 8, 2025	1 Further Information	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$4,975 10% off	\$4,478 pp
Sunday Feb 16, 2025	Saturday Feb 22, 2025	Definite DepartureFurther Information	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$4,975 10% off	\$4,478 pp
Sunday Mar 2, 2025	Saturday Mar 8, 2025	Further Information	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$4,975 10% off	\$4,478 pp
Sunday Mar 9, 2025	Saturday Mar 15, 2025	Further Information	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$4,975 10% off	\$4,478 pp
Sunday Mar 16, 2025	Saturday Mar 22, 2025	Further Information	Classic Up to 40 guests	INSIDER TRAVEL DEALS Price \$5,473 10% off	\$4,926 pp

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

NOTE: Included flights are outlined in each trip itinerary in our brochure or online. Guests travelling on any flight must provide their full name (as appears on their passport), date of birth and gender. Incomplete or inaccurate information may result in additional charges payable directly to the airline or in a worst-case scenario, be denied boarding.

	Level 1	Level 2	Additional Air Tickets			
Deposit due per person	\$200	\$350	As per airline policy			
Final payment due (before departure)	60 days	90 days	As per airline policy			
Cancellation charges (per person) if you cancel your holiday						
Before Final payment due date	\$200	\$350	As per airline policy			
Final payment due date until 30 days before departure	50%	50%	\$75 plus airline charges			
29 days - 2 days before departure	80%	80%	\$75 plus airline charges			
1 day before or day of departure	100%	100%	\$75 plus airline charges			

Level 1: Cancellation fees are the minimum cancellation fee charged and is used unless the trip is described as Level 2.

Level 2: These trips are generally trips which include cruise/ferry, train, intra-trip flight elements and small group departures.