

10-DAY COMPREHENSIVE ICELAND CRUISE TOUR

Reykjavik to Reykjavik

PRE CRUISE LAND TOUR – 3 DAYS

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TRAVEL TIME

to the far north as you embark on an extensive exploration of Iceland's inland and coastal wonders. Venture to untouched regions where natural beauty reigns supreme, peppered with steamy hot springs, iridescent ice caves, spectacular waterfalls, and brooding volcanoes. Bask in the steamy comfort of cerulean hot springs encircled by black lava fields. Wander Reykjavik's cultural museums and make your way along inviting side streets where former fishing homes offer basement bars, artisan boutiques and local coffee houses. Spend an evening in colorful and quirky Seydisfjordur, a summer haven for artists and a jumping-off point for naturalists and scientists studying seabirds and other wildlife. From Icelandic culture to surreal landscapes, this is a journey that rewards you at every turn.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- All transfers to and from sites, hotels, port and airport
- 2 hotel stays – 2 nights at The Grand Hotel*, 1 night at Hotel Hamar*
- Entrance fees to Langjokull Ice Tunnels, Secret Lagoon, Blue Lagoon
- Guided tours of Barnafoss Falls, Hraunfossar Falls, Pingvellir National Park, Geysir Hot Springs, Gullfoss Waterfall and Reykjavik sightseeing
- Meals as indicated - lunch at Bruaras Restaruant, 3-course dinner at Hotel Hamar, buffet lunch at Hotel Geysir, dinner at Fjorubordid, breakfast at hotels
- 7-day cruise round trip from Reykjavik
- Activity Level: Moderate/Strenuous

Please note: Bring your hat, sunscreen, sunglasses, light rain jacket, and comfortable walking shoes for both dry and wet conditions. This tour is not wheelchair accessible and is not suitable for people with mobility issues. Luggage handling is included in this program. Itinerary timing is subject to change and, on rare occasions, the content of a day can be moved to another day due to holidays and other operational reasons.

*or similar hotel class

DAY TO DAY – PRE CRUISE LAND TOUR



DAY 1 – Reykjavik, Iceland

The world's most northerly capital enjoys almost 24-hour sunlight in summer, all the better to show off the city's eclectic architecture and dazzling natural wonders. Your English-speaking guide and driver meet you at the airport and take you to The Grand Hotel. If you like, visit the nearby Saga Museum to brush up on Icelandic history, or catch a peek of historic Hofdi House, site of the 1986 summit between Ronald Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev that effectively ended the Cold War. Get a good night's sleep, because tomorrow will be a busy one.

(Includes overnight at The Grand Hotel and airport transfer)



DAY 2 – Borgarfjordur & Husafell, Iceland Langjokull Ice Cave

After breakfast, head to Borgarfjordur. This region was the setting for most of the Icelandic sagas and you'll learn some folk tales as you view the short, fierce rapids of Barnafoss Waterfall and the series of rivulets that form Hraunfossar Waterfall. After lunch, step into the dazzling, blue-hued Langjokull Ice Tunnels and marvel at the natural beauty of one of the most striking glacier caves in Iceland. Enjoy a delicious dinner at your hotel before retiring.

(Includes overnight at the Hotel Hamar, breakfast, lunch, and dinner)



DAY 3 – Pingvellir National Park

Explore remarkable Pingvellir National Park after breakfast. This UNESCO World Heritage Site is where the world's oldest democratic parliament was founded in 930, and is also where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. Because of this unique geography, Iceland has magma close to the surface – one of the criteria required to produce geysers. See this in action at nearby Strokkur Geyser before lunch at Hotel Geysir. Next up is Gullfoss Waterfall, where icy water thunders down a double fall into a deep gorge. Travel to the small village of Fludir, home to the Secret Lagoon natural hot springs, then to the village of Stokkseyri for a dinner of local dishes before heading back to Reykjavik and the Grand Hotel.

(Includes overnight at The Grand Hotel breakfast, lunch, and dinner)



DAY 4 – Reykjavik to the Blue Lagoon to the Yacht

Breakfast at the hotel before seeing the sights of Reykjavik. Take in panoramic views of the city from Perlan planetarium's observation deck, and admire the skyline-dominating tower of Hallgrímskirkja church. Wrap up the day with an iconic experience – bathing in the famous Blue Lagoon – before heading to your waiting ship.

(Includes breakfast and transfer to ship)

