

**ICELAND ADVENTURE**  
**11 days / 10 nights**  
**01 October - 11 October 2024**



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**DAY 01 : TUESDAY 01 OCTOBER 2024 – USA/CANADA - REYKJAVIK**

\*\* 30/09 Departure from USA/CANADA – Arriving in Reykjavik +1 day

**Transfer to your hotel.**

Enjoy the journey through exotic ancient lava fields as you head back to your hotel in Reykjavik. These lava fields are part of the Reykjanes Peninsula, now designated as a UNESCO Geo Park for its unique volcanic features. The ride takes about 45 minutes and passes through the lunar landscape and moss-covered lava fields of the Reykjanes Peninsula.

**Time at your leisure for the rest of the day to explore Reykjavik.**

**Lunch & diner under your own arrangement.**

**Nights in Reykjavik.**

(Reykjavik lights hotel or similar check-in for 3 nights).

**DAY 02 : WEDNESDAY 02 OCTOBER 2024 - REYKJAVIK**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

**Walking tour of Reykjavik.**

Get to know Reykjavik from the moment you arrive and discover the many sights of Iceland's magnificent capital!

**Lunch under your own arrangement.**

**Free time the rest of the day.**

(Reykjavik lights hotel or similar)



**DAY 03 : THURSDAY 03 OCTOBER 2024 - REYKJAVIK**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

**Time at your leisure the rest of the day.**

Lunch under your own arrangement.

\*The European part of the group are arriving at the end of the afternoon and we will all meet at the welcome dinner in a local restaurant in Reykjavik.

**Group dinner in a local restaurant included.**

Back to the hotel.



**DAY 04 : FRIDAY 04 OCTOBER 2024 - THINGVELLIR / GEYSIR & GULLFOSS / HVOLSVOLLUR**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

Departure from Reykjavík for the south of Iceland. Head to Thingvellir National Park to explore the grounds of the former Alingi Parliament, on the shores of Iceland's largest lake. Thingvellir also showcases the dramatic drift between the American and Eurasian tectonic plates. Continue to Iceland's famous Gullfoss or 'Golden Falls', and the nearby Geysir Hot Springs area to discover numerous boiling mud pools.



**Lunch under your own arrangement.**



*(Roads and landscapes may be different than in the photos depending on the current weather.)*



Before heading back southeast, **enjoy an introduction to the unique Icelandic horse breed** that has a special fifth gait - the "tölt" in Eldhestar.

**Diner (included) and night in Hvolsvöllur region.**  
(Hvolsvollur Hotel or similar)



**DAY 05 : SATURDAY 05 OCTOBER 2024 - SELJALANDSFOSS / SKOGARFOSS / VIK / SKAFTAFELL**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

We start the day with the beautiful waterfalls, Seljalandsfoss and Skógafoss waterfalls, before arriving at Dyrhólaey nature reserve.

Continue to the charming village of Vík where you can stroll on the beautiful black sand beach.

**Lunch under your own arrangement.**

Cross Eldhraun, an impressive lava flow. It is the largest lava flow to have occurred on Earth in recorded history.

Make a stop near Kirkjubæjarklaustur and its green surroundings which contrast with the surrounding lava fields and black sand deserts.

The tour continues over the volcanic sands of Skeiðarársandur to Skaftafell, a magnificent glacial region that is part of the vast Vatnajökull national park system.

Head to Skaftafell and enjoy magnificent views of the mighty Vatnajökull, the largest glacier in Europe.

**Diner (included) and night in the region of Skaftafell.**

(Hotel Skaftafell or similar)



**DAY 06 : SUNDAY 06 OCTOBER 2024 - JOKULARLON / DJUPIVOGUR / EGILSSTADIR**

### Breakfast at your hotel.

This morning we are heading to the superb Jökulsárlón glacial lagoon to observe the floating icebergs. You might also spot seals sunbathing on the ice. Enjoy a boat ride on the lagoon and sail among the majestic icebergs.



From Höfn, cross the Almannaskarð, pass and stop to admire the majestic coastline.



**Lunch under your own arrangement.** Continue on to the fjords with the magnificent view to the east. Here you can see the history in stone of the East Fjords, one of the geologically oldest regions of Iceland. *(Roads and landscapes may be different than in the photos depending on the current weather).*

**Diner (included) and night in the region of d'Egilsstaðir**  
(Eyvindará Hotel or similar)



**DAY 07 : MONDAY 07 OCTOBER 2024 - MODRUDALUR / MYVATN / GODAFOSS / AKUREYRI**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

Explore the empty vastness desert plateau of the Möðrudalsöræfi highlands, towards the Lake Mývatn region. Visit the Námaskarð pass with its boiling mud pools and vibrant colors. Explore the natural beauty of the Lake Mývatn region, including the distinctive lava formations of Dimmuborgir, the pseudo-craters of Skútustaðir.



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**Lunch under your own arrangement.**

One of the claims of the Mývatn region is that it is home to more species of ducks than any other place on Earth, as well as many other bird species. Head to the port and town of Akureyri, a bustling northern town, and stop at the magnificent Goðafoss Waterfall.



**Diner under your own arrangement and night in the region of Akureyri (check-in for 2 nights).**  
(Norðurland Hotel or similar)

**DAY 08 : TUESDAY 08 OCTOBER 2024 – HAUGANES / EKTAFISKUR / AKUREYRI**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

Today's journey takes you along a beautiful coastal road lined with rugged mountains and fjords, as you head north towards the Arctic Circle. Along the way, stop in the fishing village of Hauganes, renowned for its high quality fish (bacalao).

We are leaving for a whale watching excursion in the heart of the Eyjafjörður fjord where whales are usually only a few minutes away. It will be possible to observe humpback whales and also minke whales, harbor porpoises and dolphins. With a bit of luck, you might see orcas (killer whales) and blue whales. (Activity can be done in the afternoon or in the morning – depending on the temperature and/or the sea).

**Lunch (included) on site, Ektafiskur.**

Visit the town's family-owned Ektafiskur factory for a lively tour and learn how freshly caught Icelandic fish is transformed into delicious bacalao sold to gourmet shops and restaurants around the world. You will have the opportunity to taste their salted fish

Back to Akureyri at the end of the day.

**Diner under your own arrangement and night in Akureyri.**

(Norðurland Hotel or similar)



**DAY 09 : WEDNESDAY 09 OCTOBER 2024 - GLAUMBAER / HIKE / HUSAFELL**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

This morning we will visit the historic Glaumbær Turf House at the Glaumbær Museum.  
(Outdoor Peat Museum)

A farm has stood on this site since Iceland was settled in 874 - give or take a few years, and people lived in Glaumbær's turf house until 1947.

The current farm consists of 13 buildings and the "newer" addition to the turf house was built in 1876-1879. The oldest parts of the turf house date from the mid-18th century.

**"Gallivanting with Anne-Marie lunch" (included).**



We will continue towards Kolugljufur Canyon and the Grabrok crater where we could walk, depending on the temperature. Stop at Hraunfossar and Barnafoss Waterfalls.

**Diner (included) and night in Husafell.**  
(Hotel Husafell or similar)



**DAY 10 : THURSDAY 10 OCTOBER 2024 - LANGJOKULL / KRAUMA SPA / REYKJAVIK**

**Breakfast at your hotel.**

Explore Iceland's second largest glacier from the inside! This trip takes you on a guided tour in a monster truck to the entrance of Langjokull Ice Cave.



The artificial Langjökull Glacier Tunnel is the largest of its kind in the world. We will explore the tunnels for an hour, stopping at the integrated chapel. Venture into the heart of the Icelandic Ice Age, truly a unique opportunity and an experience not to be missed.



**Relax at the geothermal baths  
natural Krauma.**

The hot water comes from Europe's most powerful hot spring Deildartunguhver, at a temperature of 100°C (212°F). Krauma offers several different pools, each with their own unique features and characteristics, all heated naturally by the earth's core. Pool temperatures range from 37 to 41 degrees Celsius and the cold pool for cooling off, with temperatures ranging from 5 to 10 degrees Celsius.



No additional chemicals are needed to keep the pools clean, as the water is constantly replaced due to the rapid natural flow of the hot springs. The cloakroom has a separate locker for each guest. Krauma also has two saunas, an infrared cell and a steam bath; both offering a wide range of wellness benefits.

**Lunch under your own arrangement.**

**Diner (included) and night in Reykjavík  
(Reykjavik Lights or similar)**



## DAY 11 : FRIDAY 11 OCTOBER - REYKJAVIK – USA/CANADA

Departure for your transfer to Keflavik Airport. Flight from Reykjavik to USA/Canada.

Reserve your places now by returning your registration form to:

**VISIOTOURS**  
**11 rue du Houblon**  
**67117 FURDENHEIM**

Accompanied by a pre-registration payment of 100 EUR which will only be taken when the minimum of 15 participants is reached.

Deadline for pre-registrations : 01 March 2024

PRICE PER PERSON / DOUBLE OCCUPANCY	USA \$
Base 30 persons	2814 \$
Base 25 persons	2903 \$
Base 20 persons	3108 \$
Base 15 persons	3448 \$
Supplement for single occupancy	703 \$

**\* THIS PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE INTERNATIONAL COST**

**PLEASE CONTACT US DIRECTLY TO REQUEST AN UPDATED QUOTE INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS FROM YOUR CITY OF DEPARTURE.**

### THIS PRICE INCLUDES :

- Private modern coach according to the itinerary
- English and French speaking support for the entire duration of your stay
- Local driver
- 10 nights with breakfasts, based on double occupancy
- 6 Dinners
- 2 Lunches
- Horse show
- Excursion by boat to Jökulsárlón glacial lagoon
- Whales watching excursion
- Entrance to the Glaumbær museum
- Excursion in Langjökull Glacier
- Entrance to the spa Krauma



### **THIS PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE :**

- Meals that are “under own arrangement”
- Drinks other than water
- Optional activities
- Porterage at hotels
- Personal expenses and tips
- Any others services not mentioned in “this price includes”

**Note :** *Due to local requirements, the order or content of the program could be modified without notice*

*Price established as of 11/29/2023 based on rates to date, subject to increase in the cost of air transport or airport taxes and fuel tax, subject to fluctuations in the dollar rate.*

**\*\* PRICES SUBJECT TO A MINIMUM OF 15 PARTICIPANTS \*\***

### **TERMS OF CANCELLATION:**

- ❖ • Up to 90 days from departure: €250 per person
- ❖ • From 91 to 57 days from departure: 20% per person
- ❖ • From 56 to 43 days from departure: 40% per person
- ❖ • From 42 to 29 days from departure: 50% per person
- ❖ • From 28 to 15 days from departure: 75% per person
- ❖ • From 14 to 00 days from departure: 100% per person
- ❖ • Flight ticket : 100% penalty once the ticket is issued

### **FORMALITIES :**

- Your passport **must be valid for at least three months beyond your intended date of departure from Iceland**, six months is recommended beyond your planned date of departure from the Schengen area.
- Iceland is a party to the Schengen Agreement. This means that U.S. citizens may enter Iceland **without a visa for up to 90 days** for tourist or business purposes.
- Canadian citizens do not need a visa for travel to countries within the Schengen area. However, visa-free travel only applies to stays of up to 90 days in any 180-day period.
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### **COVID-RELATED MEASURES:**

All health restriction measures for entry into the territory have been lifted. For more information, visit the Icelandic Ministry of Health website dedicated to Covid-19.