

# **TASTE OF ICELAND**



See Iceland's highlights and hidden gems on a perfect introductory tour of this spectacular island.

#### **TRIP HIGHLIGHTS**

- Blue Lagoon Spa Experience and Dinner
- Diamond Beach
- Friðheimar Tomato Farm Lunch
- Golden Circle
- Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon
- LAVA Center
- Secret Lagoon
- Skógafoss Waterfall
- Strokkur Geyser
- Þingvellir National Park

#### **HOTELS**

- Fosshotel Reykjavík, Reykjavík (1)
- Stracta Hotel Mosfell, Hella (1)
- Fosshotel Núpar, Kálfafell (2)
- Fosshotel Reykjavík, Reykjavík (1)

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5 hot breakfasts **(B)**, 2 lunches **(L)** and 3 dinners **(D)** 

Changes to the daily itinerary may occur due to weather or attraction availability; your tour director will provide updates.

This is an active destination, with extended walking and standing, stairs, and uneven terrain that may be wet or slippery. Narrow streets and local regulations may require walking longer distances to reach key sites. Good physical mobility is required.

# Presenting a special group departure to Iceland 6 DAYS | 5 NIGHTS | 10 MEALS

Price is per person, based on double occupancy

## YOUR TOUR INCLUDES:

- Sightseeing by luxury coach with a professional tour director
- All on-tour transportation including shuttles and ferries
- Welcome get-together drink with your group
- Free Wi-Fi on coaches so you can stay connected along the way
- Deluxe documents wallet and backpack to keep you organized
- All local taxes, hotel service charges
   & handling of one suitcase per person

Optional Travel Protection Insurance is available and payment is due at time of deposit.

Depart North America for Reykjavík overnight the day before the tour start date.

Air departure tax, fuel & surcharges if applicable, are subject to change until entire group is confirmed and ticketed.

To book or for more information, contact:

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# **6-Day Itinerary**

# Day 1: Reykjavík Arrival & City Tour

Your tour departs from your hotel at 2:00 PM for a panoramic tour of Reykjavík, to see the capital city's charming architecture and beautiful, brightly-colored rooftops. See the striking Hallsgrimskirkja church and the Harpa concert hall. Return to your hotel for a welcome drink and canapés with your group, followed by free time for dining independently.

### Day 2: Golden Circle & Friðheimar Tomato Farm

Begin your journey on the famed Golden Circle, starting with the spectacular Þingvellir National Park, a meeting place of old Icelandic clans. It is also where the Eurasian and North American tectonic plates meet above ground. Journey to the Secret Lagoon: smaller and more intimate than the Blue Lagoon, it's where savvy travelers go to enjoy the Icelandic spa experience. Don't forget your swimsuit! Savor lunch in the greenhouse of Friðheimar Tomato Farm. Then it's on to the Strokkur geyser, which erupts every 10 minutes. Stop at Gullfoss Waterfall, one of Iceland's most popular sights; with two separate drops, it's one of the most spectacular waterfalls in the world. Later, dine with your group at your hotel located at the foot of Hekla volcano. (B, L, D)

## Day 3: LAVA Center, Skógafoss Waterfall, Skógar Folk Museum & Black Sand Beach

Visit the LAVA Center to learn about Iceland's volcanoes, and how their eruptions and lava flows have shaped the country over time. Visit the nearby Skógafoss Waterfall, where on sunny days a double rainbow is often visible. Then tour Skógar Folk Museum to explore Iceland's cultural heritage and learn about the lives of Iceland's early settlers through an array of tools, books, and handicrafts. Discover Reynisfjara's black sand beach and rock formations along with the legends of its history. Dine at your hotel tonight. **(B, D)** 

### Day 4: Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon, Diamond Beach & Skaftafell Wilderness Area

Visit the Skaftafell Wilderness Area and see glaciers, waterfalls, a snow-capped volcano and lava fields. Take in the expansive view during lunch at the Fosshotel Glacier Lagoon. Visit the Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon, where bright blue and white icebergs dot the waters. At nearby Diamond Beach, marvel at glistening natural ice sculptures on the black sands. Dine on your own at your hotel this evening. (B, L)

## Day 5: Seljalandsfoss Waterfall, Reykjavík & The Blue Lagoon

Journey to the beautiful Seljalandsfoss Waterfall where, weather permitting, the sure-footed can walk the trail behind the 60-meter falls. Travel back to Reykjavík, and spend the afternoon independently exploring the city. In the evening, visit the Blue Lagoon, a geothermal spa in a manmade lake surrounded by lava fields; relax in the mineral-rich waters before a farewell dinner with your group. (B, D)

# Day 6: Tour Ends in Reykjavík

Your tour ends after breakfast. (B)



#### **AUTHENTIC LOCAL EXPERIENCES**

Enjoy an evening in the therapeutic waters of the **Blue Lagoon**, a manmade geothermal spa surrounded by a lava field; then dine on locally sourced Icelandic specialties.

Savor a tasty tomato-based lunch at **Friðheimar Tomato Farm**. Dine in a greenhouse powered by geothermal heat, surrounded by the plants providing your food.





