

VIVA
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ESCORTED SMALL GROUP TOUR
HELSINKI – REYKJAVÍK

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Skaftafell Glacier, Iceland



Sampo Icebreaker, Finland

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TO REYKJAVÍK, ICELAND

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore cosmopolitan Helsinki
- Experience the Sampo Icebreaker
- Stay two nights in a unique glass igloo
- Take a husky safari and reindeer ride
- Visit Santa Claus Village
- See the famous sights of the Golden Circle, including Gullfoss, Geysir and Thingvellir National Park
- Explore the Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon with its blue waters and icebergs
- Take a glacial walk at Falljokull or Svinafellsjokull Glacier
- Discover Breidamerkurjokull Glacier and its ice cave

INCLUDES

- 8 NIGHTS 4 star accommodation
- 2 NIGHTS accommodation in a glass igloo
- Meals as specified
- One way flight from Helsinki to Kemi
- One way flight from Kittilä via Helsinki to Reykjavík
- English speaking Tour Manager
- Tours, admissions, transfers and transportation as per itinerary
- Outer clothing hire for safari tours (huskies)

OPTIONS

- 3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS pre-tour package in Tallinn, Estonia

Discover the best of the Nordics on this adventure filled journey through Finland and Iceland. Unforgettable experiences include the Sampo Icebreaker, an overnight stay in a glass igloo in Finland and the world-famous Golden Circle and Blue Lagoon in Iceland.

DAY 1: HELSINKI (D)

Upon arrival into Helsinki, make your way to the hotel. Tonight, meet the group and the Tour Manager for a welcome dinner. Overnight in Helsinki.

DAY 2: HELSINKI TO KEMI (B)

Enjoy a city tour of Helsinki including a visit to the Tempelliakio Church or 'Rock Church' as it is carved into solid rock. In the afternoon fly north to Kemi. The rest of the day is at leisure. Overnight in Kemi.

DAY 3: KEMI TO ROVANIEMI (BL)

Today experience the Sampo Icebreaker. In the middle of the largest ice field in Europe, you will have the opportunity to take a dip in the frozen waters! After the cruise, drive to Rovaniemi, the capital of Lapland and the home of Santa Claus. Overnight in Rovaniemi.

DAY 4: ROVANIEMI TO LEVI (BLD)

This morning visit Santa Claus Village. Afterwards, continue to a local reindeer farm and enjoy a reindeer safari. Continue onto Levi and stay the next two nights in a glass igloo.

DAY 5: LEVI (BD)

This morning visit Levi Husky Park. Meet wolf dogs, foxes and reindeer and enjoy a husky sled ride. After dinner this evening, chase the northern lights by snowmobiles.

DAY 6: LEVI TO REYKJAVÍK (B)

This morning, transfer the short distance to Kittilä for the flight to Helsinki and then on to Reykjavík, Iceland. Upon arrival, transfer to the hotel. The remainder of the day is at leisure. Overnight in Reykjavík.

DAY 7: REYKJAVÍK TO VÍK (BL)

Today embark on the famous Golden Circle drive. Visit UNESCO Heritage Listed Thingvellir National Park and enjoy lunch at Laugarvatn Fontana Spa & Wellness Centre. Continue to Geysir hot springs to see Strokkur geyser and on to Gullfoss, one of the most impressive waterfalls in Europe. Overnight in Vík.

DAY 8: VÍK TO SKAFTAFJELL (BD)

Visit Reynisfjara Beach, world-famous for its black sand, before passing lava fields to Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon. This afternoon, experience Breidamerkurjokull Glacier and enjoy an ice cave tour. Overnight in Skaftafjell.

DAY 9: SKAFTAFJELL TO REYKJAVÍK (B)

Today, go on a glacier walk either on Falljokull or Svinafellsjokull Glacier. Both glaciers are outlets of the Vatnajökull Glacier, Europe's largest glacier with ice more than 1000 years old. Stay the next two nights in Reykjavík.

DAY 10: REYKJAVÍK (BD)

This afternoon, visit the iconic Blue Lagoon and soak in the hot springs. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner.

DAY 11: REYKJAVÍK (B)

Today your Iceland experience ends after a final breakfast with your fellow travellers.

(B = breakfast, L = lunch, D = dinner)



To book, see your preferred Travel Agent or vivaholidays.com.au for information

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