Enhanced! Untamed Iceland
Small Group Adventure
Iceland: Selfoss, Stykkisholmur, Akureyri, Reykjavik

14 days from $5995
Includes international airfare from San Francisco
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13 days from $5095
Without international airfare
Single Supplement: FREE

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DEPARTURE A: September 18, 2023
DEPARTURE B: September 19, 2023

It’s Included

- Explore in a small group of 8–16 travelers (average group size of 13)
- International airfare, airport transfers, government taxes, fees, and airline fuel surcharges unless you choose to make your own air arrangements (please note due to government actions taxes may change)
- All land transportation and 1 internal flight
- Accommodations for 12 nights, plus 1 night in the U.S. on trips that return in September and October (does not apply to travelers whose final destination is New York or Boston)
- 25 meals—12 breakfasts, 7 lunches, and 6 dinners (including 1 Home-Hosted Dinner)
- 25 small group activities
- Services of a local O.A.T. Trip Experience Leader
- Gratuities for local guides, drivers, and luggage porters
- 5% Frequent Traveler Credit toward your next adventure

Maximize Your Discoveries & Value
Optional extensions:
Eastern Iceland
Pre-trip from $3995

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Itinerary

**DAY 1 • Depart U.S.**
Fly overnight from the U.S. to Reykjavik, Iceland.

**DAY 2 • Reykjavik • Selfoss**
Arrive in Reykjavik, Iceland in the early morning hours. Transfer to Selfoss, and meet fellow travelers who took our Westman Islands: Volcanic Landscapes & Puffins pre-trip extension.

**DAY 3 • Seljalandsfoss Waterfall**
*Controversial Topic: Iceland's disappearing glaciers and the effects of climate change with guide Ingo • Super Truck tour*
Engage in a Controversial Topic with a local mountaineer and climate change activist on the effects of climate change on Iceland's glaciers. Then, travel to Vik Village and experience the rugged Icelandic landscape by Super Jeep, an off-road driving experience led by a local guide. Then, visit iconic Seljalandsfoss Waterfall.

**DAY 4 • The Golden Circle**
Discover Iceland’s Golden Circle, a ring of natural highlights: Gullfoss waterfall, Geysir hot spring area, and Thingvellir National Park. This afternoon, return to Selfoss.

**DAY 5 • Visit wool studio • Lunch at settlement center in Borgarnes • Overland to Stykkisholmur**
Visit a local wool studio for an interactive session on wool-dying, spinning, and knitting. Then, enjoy lunch and some free time in Borgarnes, set just outside the scenic Snaefellsnes Peninsula, before heading to Stykkisholmur.

**DAY 6 • Discover Snaefellsnes Peninsula**
Explore the Snaefellsnes Peninsula. First, stop in the fishing village of Arnarstapi for a coastline hike. Later, visit Bjarnarhofn Shark Museum and sample a regional delicacy, hakarl, made from shark meat. Then, meet with a local expert to discuss Iceland’s financial crisis from 2008 to 2011.

**DAY 7 • A Day in the Life of an Icelandic horse farm**
Travel to a family-run farm in Hofsstadir for our NEW A Day in the Life overnight experience. Meet members of the owner’s family and learn about their small businesses, including meeting Icelandic horses first brought to the country by Viking settlers.

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**Activity Level:** 1 2 3 4 5  MODERATELY EASY

**Pacing:** 5 locations in 13 days with one 1-night stay

**Physical requirements:** Travel over bumpy, gravelly, and sometimes icy roads, and walk over rugged and slippery paths. Board a boat for whale-watching during which you may get wet.

**Flight Time:** Travel time will be 5-18 hours and will most likely have one connection

View all physical requirements at [www.oattravel.com/ice2023](http://www.oattravel.com/ice2023)
**DAY 8 • Overland to Akureyri • Burial Rites Monument • Herring Era Museum & Folksong Museum**

Witness the Burial Rites monument to hear the story of the last person to be executed in Iceland during a double beheading in 1830, before traveling to Siglufjordur, a fishing village along the northern coast to visit two museums: the Herring Era Museum and the Folk Music Centre. Then, travel to Akureyri, Iceland's second largest urban area.

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**DAY 9 • Visit Hverabraud & Namafjall • Walking tour of Dimmuborgir • Godafoss Waterfall • Home-Hosted Dinner**

Discover the Lake Myvatn area, the pseudo-craterr field at Skutustadir, and the “black castle” lava formations of Dimmuborgir. Later, stop at a viewpoint overlooking the Namafjall geothermic area and Godafoss Waterfall before returning to Akureyri for a Home-Hosted Dinner.

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**DAY 10 • Explore Dalvik • Whale-watching excursion**

At the fishing village of Dalvik, board a restored fishing vessel for a whale-watching excursion along with other locals. Spot minke whales, white-beaked dolphins, harbor porpoises, and humpback whales. Later, return to Akureyri.

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**DAY 11 • Fly to Reykjavik • Visit Ocean Cluster House**

Fly back to Reykjavik and visit Ocean Cluster House, an organization located in the city's Old Harbor that provides space for businesses and entrepreneurs specializing in fish bi-products, such as leather products, amino oils for skincare, and more.

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**DAY 12 • Explore Reykjavik • Geothermal power plant visit • Greenhouse visit • Árbæjarsafn open-air museum**

Visit the Hellisheidarvirkjun Geothermal Power Plant, followed by a local greenhouse, where we'll learn about green energy in Iceland. We'll continue to the Árbæjarsafn open-air historical museum in Reykjavik to gain insight into the living and working conditions of Icelanders in the past.

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**DAY 13 • Visit Blue Lagoon • Grand Circle Foundation visit: Search & Rescue Center**

Enjoy a relaxing dip in the famed Blue Lagoon. Next, stop by the Search and Rescue Center—supported by Grand Circle Foundation—to meet the team of volunteers who perform search and rescue missions.

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**DAY 14 • Return to U.S.**

Transfer to the airport for your flight home or to begin your Greenland’s Natural Splendor & Inuit Culture post-trip extension.
**Experience**

**the stunning beauty of Iceland ...**

**Golden Circle**
Discover a ring of natural highlights as we traverse the Golden Circle: the Gullfoss waterfall, which plunges into a hundred-foot-deep crevice; geysers that erupt in massive columns of water and steam; and Thingvellir National Park, the location of a major rift between two tectonic plates— the Eurasian and the North American—which creates a dramatic (and growing) fissure in the land. We’ll get a unique perspective on this area’s natural beauty when we go off-roading on the black-sand beaches.

**Reykjavik**
The world’s most northerly capital is home to 170,000 people, close to one-third of the country’s population. Its aptly chosen name means “Smoky Bay,” and it is the site where Iceland’s first settler, Ingolfur Arnorson, built a farm late in the ninth century AD. Highlights of the city include the National Museum, the ancient Saga manuscripts at the Culture House, the soaring, modern Hallgrímskirkja Church, and the harbor, where black and red whaling vessels float side-by-side with whale-watching ships.

**Snaefellsnes Peninsula**
Discover the area that marks the entry point to Jules Verne’s *Journey to the Center of the Earth* along the scenic Snaefellsnes Peninsula. The peninsula boasts a famous glacier-peaked volcano, black-sand beaches and rock formations, making it an ideal jumping-off point for many of Iceland's highlights, including the Snaefellsjokull Glacier and Snaefellsnes National Park.

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**2023 Departure Dates & Prices**
Additional departure cities are available

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**AIR ADD-ON**

| San Francisco | $900 |
| Los Angeles | $1300 |

Additional departure cities are available. Call for details.

- **Deposit**: $350 per person.
- **Single Supplement**: FREE. Single accommodations are limited. If single rooms are full, ask about our Roommate Matching Service.

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**GOVERNMENT TAXES AND FEES**
The following government taxes and fees are now included in your airfare price: Government and other authority taxes and fees: September 11th Security Fee of up to $2.50 USD applies per passenger, per flight segment (maximum charge per trip—$5.00 USD one-way, $10.00 USD round trip). A flight segment is defined as one takeoff and one landing. Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) of up to $18 per passenger. Federal Domestic Flight Segment Fee of up to $3.70 USD applies per passenger, per flight segment (defined as a takeoff and a landing). U.S. or International Departure and Arrival Charges of up to $200 USD may apply depending on itinerary. On select itineraries that include the purchase of a pre- and/or post-trip extension, U.S. or international departure and arrival charges of up to $300 USD may apply. Call for details. Standard Terms & Conditions can be found on the web at www.gct.com/tc.

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