

Iceland Itinerary- Feb 15-22, 2024

Please be aware of travel requirements.

This trip requires a lot of rigorous walking and hiking. You need to be prepared to partake. We will go over what to pack and details about the itinerary in later meetings.

Travel Documentation Advisory:

U.S. citizens and passport holders must have a passport valid for the entirety of your tour—passport validity is required for three months beyond your date of return departure, six months recommended. No tourist visa required for stays of 90 days or less; note that non-U.S. passport holders may need a visa, and should consult the Consulate's office to review their unique details.

Kuoni Tumlare cannot be held responsible for any cancellation costs that may result from the lack of visa or valid travel documents.

day 1: Thursday, February 15, 2024

OVERNIGHT FLIGHT

Your curated exchange tour begins with this evening's flight to Iceland. Transfers to the airport are self-arranged. Flight itinerary is tentatively projected as follows, and subject to schedule change; note that Icelandair provides complimentary soft drinks, and offers a buy-on-board service for snacks and meals:

Icelandair #614

Departing New York/JFK 7:25PM

Arriving Reykjavik/KEF 6:05AM (Friday, February 16th)

day 2: Friday, February 16, 2024

REKJAVIK (D)

Arrive in Reykjavik's Keflavik Airport this morning, clear customs & immigration, and meet your **tour manager guide** and coach – included per the itinerary. Transfer to the city, and drop your luggage at the hotel. Enjoy a **Reykjavik panoramic and walking tour** to introduce you to the history and culture of the capital city. Places of interest include Sun Voyage sculpture, Hofoi House – where the Reagan / Gorbachev summit meeting place in 1986, Hallgrímskirkja Church, City Hall and Parliament building. There is free time for an independent lunch and leisure time this afternoon. **Dinner** is provided at a local restaurant within walking distance of the hotel.



day 3: Saturday, February 17, 2024

VIK (B/L/D)

Breakfast at the hotel, before check-out and a **Golden Circle Tour** with your tour manager guide. Places of interest include Hellisheioi Powerplant, Geysir hot spring area, Gullfoss waterfall, **lunch** at Frioheimar, horticultural farm, and Kerio crater. Your day ends in the village of Vik. Check-in to your hotel, refresh from the day, and enjoy **dinner** at the hotel.

- Kerio crater entrance

day 4: Sunday, February 18, 2024

VIK (B/L)

Breakfast at the hotel. Today's touring provides a **South Coast and Glacier Walk** with your tour manager guide. Places of interest include Seljalandsfoss waterfall, Skogarfoss waterfall, Reynisfjara black sand beach, and Solheimarjokull glacier hike. **Lunch** in the countryside included. Return to your accommodations in Vik. Dinner is independent this evening.

- Glacier Discovery (Glacier Walk from Solheimajokull)
- Skogasafn / Skogar Folk Museum

day 5: Monday, February 19, 2024

REYKJAVIK (B/L)

Breakfast at the hotel. Return to Reykjavik, with sightseeing along the way via **Thingvellir National Park** with your tour manager guide. Stop at the Lava Center and from there continue to Laugarvatn to visit the Geothermal Bakery. **Lunch** in the countryside is included. Your day ends in Reykjavik, check-in to the hotel and relax. Independent dinner this evening.

- Fontana Geothermal Baths Geothermal Bakery

day 6: Tuesday, February 20, 2024

REYKJAVIK (B/L)

Breakfast at the hotel. Today's touring brings you to the Reykianes Peninsula Tour and Blue Lagoon with your tour manager guide. Places of interest include Kleifarvatn, Krysuvik, Seltun, and Bridge between continents. **Lunch** in the countryside included. Return to Reykjavik for the evening at leisure, including an independent dinner.

- Blaa Ionio / The Blue Lagoon Comfort Admission

day 7: Wednesday, February 21, 2024

REYKJAVIK (B/D)

Breakfast at the hotel. Enjoy further exploration of Reykjavik today, including a museum visit, and leisure time for lunch and to shop for souvenirs. This evening enjoy a special treat and **Viking Dinner Hafnafjorour** with traditional food and folklore to celebrate your scientific themed week in Iceland.

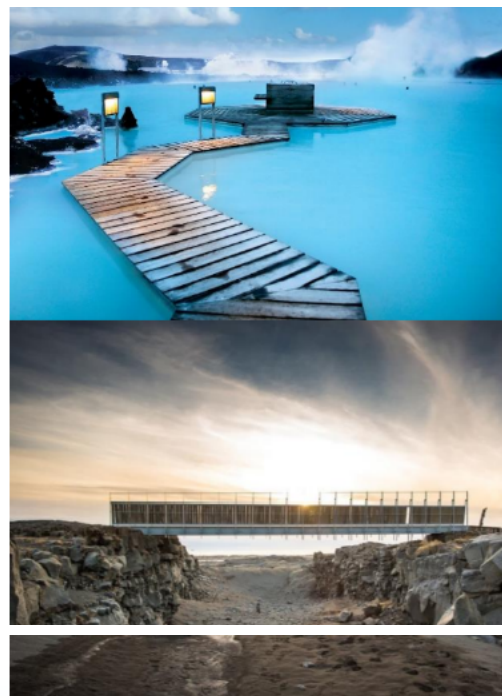
day 8: Thursday, February 22, 2024

DEPARTURE (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer by **coach** to the airport for your flight back to the U.S. Your tour manager guide will assist with airline check-in, and there is time for one last goodbye. Transfer from the airport to Scarsdale H.S. is under your own arrangements. Flight itinerary is tentatively projected follows, and subject to change:

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Departing Reykjavik/KEF 9:00M—Arriving New York/JFK 10:10AM



All rooms are doubles. Rooming choices are determined by chaperones, and will be selected from the three names you give once the trip participants have been set at a pre-trip meeting.

First payment is due to the company in September.

Info Meetings June 1st both lunches, June 6th after school, June 6th -Parent Info meeting- Zoom 7-7:30

Signed Applications Due by June 13th 8:30AM-

Accepted students and waitlisted students will be notified before the end of the school year. A signed acceptance letter and check to SUFSD for \$150 must be returned by the acceptance date or we will activate the waitlist.

Expected cost between \$5000 and \$5200.