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ICELAND CIRCUMNAVIGATION - ADVENTURE CRUISE 2025

Witness geological landscapes beyond imagining

Stand in awe of volcanoes, waterfalls, mountains, fjords, sea stacks, bird cliffs, lava fields, glaciers, and caves.

Hike to dramatic cliffs to photograph seabirds, visit remarkable geological formations by Zodiac, and learn about Iceland's incredible volcanic history.

Even if you're not a geologist, Iceland has something for you!

Cross the Arctic Circle at Iceland's northernmost point of Grimsey

Visit Grimsey, which lies upon the Arctic Circle (66° 33' North) and earns Iceland its title as one of the world's eight Arctic nations--just barely!

Cross this fabled line of latitude off your bucket list by travelling to the secluded island forty kilometres off Iceland's north coast.

But visit soon: the Arctic Circle is moving north and by mid-century Grimsey will be south of it.

Immerse yourself in Icelandic music, storytelling, cuisine, and culture

Browse the attractions of Reykjavik, a global hotspot for culture.

Enjoy the sounds and melodies of the folk music centre in Siglufjörður.

Explore the shops, cafes, restaurants, and museums of Akureyri, Iceland's "little capital."

Then wander the cobbled rainbow road of picturesque Seyðisfjörður, known for its flourishing art scene and excellent handicrafts.

Spot whales and seabirds in rich marine environments

Get your binoculars ready! Iceland's rich North Atlantic waters are teeming with wildlife.

Enjoy whale watching at Husavik on Skjalfandi Bay, known as the whale capital of Iceland.

Take a Zodiac cruise around the island of Grimsey, brimming with a million seabirds, including puffins, guillemots, and gulls.

Marvel at incredible volcanic history, including Europe's newest island

Learn about the compelling history of the volcanically active area region of the Vestmannaeyjars, which has experienced two major eruptions in recent times.



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1963 saw the formation of the island of Surtsey and the Eldfell eruption ten years later destroyed much of the island of Heimaey.

Today, Surtsey is a conservation area uninhabited by people.

Sail by these unique landforms for your chance to witness one of the world's newest islands.



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ITINERARY

Day 1: Reykjavík, Iceland - Begin Your Adventure

After a day of independent exploration in Reykjavik, you'll embark for an evening departure.

Iceland's cosmopolitan capital, Reykjavik was established in the year 874 CE. Powered by geothermal energy, Reykjavik is widely considered one of the cleanest, greenest cities on Earth.

Day 2: Snæfellsnes Peninsula - Meander Dramatic Landscapes

Discover one of Iceland's most amazing coastlines, the Snæfellsnes Peninsula, a region known for its dramatic beauty and fascinating geological history.

The Snæfellsnes Peninsula is often referred to as "Iceland in Miniature" due to its diverse range of natural wonders. From black sand beaches to a volcano, a glacier, lava fields, mountains, waterfalls, caves, and craters, the peninsula encapsulates many of Iceland's unique landscapes in one area.

Delight in the many opportunities to observe seabirds and marine life as you explore this spectacular destination.

Day 3: The Westfjords - Explore Remote Coastlines

Be among the lucky few to explore the Westfjords, a region known for its jagged bird cliffs and multi-hued beaches--only about ten per cent of the rest of Iceland's visitors ever make it here!

Soak up the breathtaking beauty of the coastal fjords and marvel at the immense mountains that loom overhead. Here, nature's splendour awaits at every turn.

Day 4: Siglufjörður and Grímsey - Cross the Arctic Circle and Learn about Icelandic History

Travel to far-flung Grímsey, which lies upon the Arctic Circle (66° 33' North) and earns Iceland its title as one of the world's eight Arctic nations--just



barely!

Take a Zodiac cruise around the island, brimming with a million seabirds, including puffins, guillemots, and gulls, that far outnumber its small human population.

Visit resurgent Siglufjörður that, in its heyday, bustled with activity as the centre of the herring fishing industry.

Enjoy a wonderful re-enactment at the Herring Era Museum and make some time to pop into the bakery, chocolate factory, brewery, and Icelandic folk music centre, too.

Day 5: Akureyri - Visit Museums and Botanical Gardens

Immerse yourself in the charm of Akureyri, Iceland's second-largest urban area! Opt to walk up the steps of Akureyri's monumental Lutheran church for a stunning panoramic view--it will be well worth it!

Explore the city's shops, cafes, and restaurants and enjoy the variety of ten museums for you to choose from.

Stroll through Akureyri's botanical gardens which are among the northernmost in the world and miraculously grow several thousand plant species.

Enhance your journey with an optional excursion to Forest Lagoon. This captivating oasis is nestled in the Valaskogur forest and offers inviting pools, rejuvenating saunas, and a cozy bistro area, overlooking Eyjafjörður, one of Iceland's longest fjords.

Day 6: Húsavík - Go Whale Watching

Tour Húsavík's Skjalfandi Bay, known as the whale capital of Iceland.

Be sure to bring your binoculars to spot the fifteen different whale species that frequent the area, as well as dolphins and dozens of varieties of birds.

Take advantage of Húsavík's diverse museum offerings, including the Whale Museum, the Húsavík Museum, and the Exploration Museum, which houses artefacts from Apollo astronaut training in the area.

Day 7: Seyðisfjörður - Wander a Picturesque Community and Visit the Skálanes Nature Reserve

Enjoy the chance to explore Seyðisfjörður, nestled at the tip of its namesake fjord.

Stroll the picturesque town of 700, known for its flourishing art scene, cobbled rainbow road, and excellent handicrafts, or take one of the numerous opportunities for hiking, including a walk up to Tvisongur sound sculpture on a nearby hill.

Visit nearby Skálanes Nature Reserve, which is family-owned and operated. Learn about the centre's research and interpretation of Iceland's environment and cultural history that's a model for sustainable tourism.

Opt to enhance your journey with an optional excursion to Vallanes Organic Farm, where Eymundur Magnusson and Eygla Björk Ólafsdóttir have been organic farming since 1985. Explore their premises with a guided tour, learn about their focus on developing Icelandic grains and vegetables, and savour local products during a tasting.

Day 8: Southeast Iceland - Witness Beautiful Glaciers and Lagoons

Soak in the sights of south Iceland, home to some of the country's most beautiful natural attractions.

Explore a unique mix of volcanoes, lagoons, and glaciers--as well as hot springs, geysers, and spectacular waterfalls--either ashore on foot or by Zodiac cruise.

Day 9: Heimaey, Vestmannaeyjar (Westman Islands) - Marvel at Volcanic Landscapes

Learn about the compelling history of this volcanically active area that has experienced two major eruptions in recent times.

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and the only island here that is inhabited.

Enjoy a beautiful Zodiac cruise searching for the numerous species of seabirds, including the famous puffin, that nest in the steep rock faces along the ocean cliffs here.

Day 10: Reykjavík, Iceland - Wave a Fond Farewell

Complete your journey back in Reykjavik, disembarking in the morning.

Take one last chance to explore this special city where food, culture, and nightlife abound.

If you have the time, be sure to visit the National Culture House, which preserves treasures like the Poetic Edda and the Norse Sagas in their original manuscripts.

Please Note:

Itineraries are subject to change.



YOUR SHIP: OCEAN ENDEAVOUR

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VESSEL TYPE:	Expedition
LENGTH:	137m
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	199
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	1982 - refurbished 2001, 2004, 2010, 2015, 2016, 2018

Ocean Endeavour is a comfortable, well-appointed small expedition ship expertly engineered to explore the Polar Regions. The ship has an ice-strengthened hull, Zodiacs for exploration and remote landings, and advanced navigation equipment. The newly-refurbished vessel offers a superb guest experience with an expansive choice of cabin categories, large cabins and common areas, a sundeck and observation area, plenty of deck space for polar landscape viewing, and lounges for learning and reflection. The ship's interiors have a contemporary aesthetic that provides a bright and spacious feel throughout.

Endeavour is also the only polar adventure ship in Antarctica focused on health and wellness, and offers a contemporary approach to cuisine and newly-designed health and fitness features. Facilities include a spa serviced by organic spa provider VOYA, His & Hers saunas, a salt water pool, a gym, and a juice and smoothie bar. Complimentary activities include yoga and stretching classes, an exclusive Polar Photography program, the Scientists in Residence program, and more adventure activities than any other Quark vessel. The ship also has a polar library, and a Polar Boutique for gifts and any needed gear.

Features of the Ocean Endeavour

VOYA spa treatments and beauty products, Choice of 13 cabin categories, Bright, spacious cabins and common areas, Plenty of deck space for observation, Lounge with expansive views, Quiet zone for contemplation, Newly-refurbished restaurant, Contemporary dining with complimentary wine with dinner, Juice and smoothie bar, Lecture theater, Polar library, Polar boutique, Health and Wellness, Spa treatments and beauty products by spa provider VOYA - Organic Beauty From The Sea, Spa menu for face, body, hair and nails, including the exclusive Quark Explorer's treatment, and signature VOYA hand and foot rituals, Yoga and stretching classes, His & Hers saunas, gym, and heated salt water pool

Full range of adventure activities including: kayaking, camping, mountaineering, cross-country skiing, stand-up paddleboarding, Zodiac cruising, shore landings and hiking/ walking.

Deck plan varies for the trips to Antarctica





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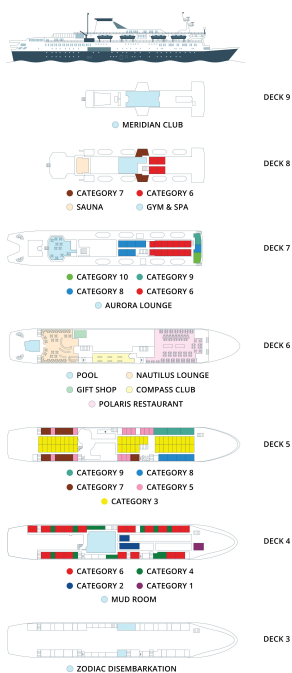
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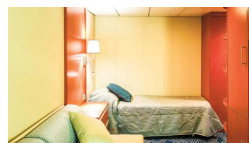
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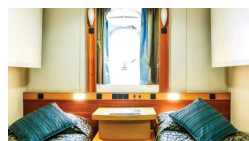
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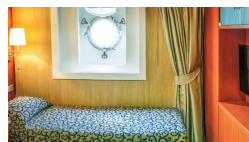
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Cabin Category 6



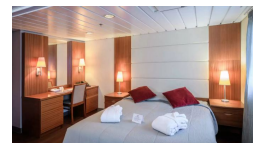
Cabin Category 7



Cabin Category 8



Cabin Category 9





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PRICING

03-Jul-2025 to 12-Jul-2025

Cabin Category 1	6395 USD pp
Cabin Category 2	7395 USD pp
Cabin Category 3	8695 USD pp
Cabin Category 4	9995 USD pp
Cabin Category 5	10995 USD pp
Cabin Category 6	11995 USD pp
Cabin Category 7	12995 USD pp
Cabin Category 8	13995 USD pp
Cabin Category 9	14995 USD pp
Cabin Category 10	15995 USD pp

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