

New Zealand Fiji Islands



Explore The Land Down Japun



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DAY 1 - DEPART LOS ANGELES FOR WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND (TRAVEL TIME LOSE ONE DAY)

International Dateline

The International Date Line sits on the 180° line of longitude in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, and is the imaginary line that separates two consecutive calendar days. It is not a perfectly straight line and has been moved slightly over the years to accommodate needs (or requests) of varied countries in the Pacific Ocean. Note how it bends to include all of Kiribati, Samoa, Tonga and Tokelau in the Eastern Hemisphere.

So, travel east across the International Date Line results in a day, or 24 hours, being subtracted. Travel west across the International Date Line results in a day being added.

DAY 2 - ARRIVE IN NADJ, FIJI - DEPART FOR WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND

Complete Customs & Immigration & Transfer from Wellington Airport

Accommodations - Wellington City Hotel - 3 Nights

Wellington is known as the restaurant capital of New Zealand. Many of its great cafes, funky bars and ethnic inspired restaurants are within walking distance of each other, and street performers enliven the sidewalks. Look for restaurants and bars in the Courtney Place area, namely Blair and Allen Streets, or try Queens Wharf. Wellington's nightlife is a tribute to its passion for the arts. It is home to the national orchestra, ballet and opera companies, four professional theatres and the national schools of dance and drama.



DAY 3

WELLINGTON CITY SIGHTS AND COASTLINE TOUR



See Wellington through the eyes of a local on this tour. Experience the best attractions and must see landmarks of this vibrant city and get off the tourist trail. Gain a 360° view of the city from Mount Victoria, experience the rugged south coast seas and explore interesting quaint villages throughout the city. Take a ride on the famous cable car (optional at own cost) but most of all sit back and enjoy Wellington at its finest!

Weta Cave Premium There and Back Tour

On arrival at the Weta Cave you will be given priority seating to the exclusive 30 minute behind-the-scenes film that showcases the history of Weta. After the screening, enter the amazing world of the Weta Workshop for a 45-minute guided tour. The tour invites you into the core of WetaWorkshop to view the creative process from design through to the finished product. Your guide, a Weta technician, will use real examples to explain the magic behind the movies direct from the Workshop floor. Explore the Weta Cave shop before heading to brand new Thunderbirds Are Go: Behind-the-scenes Experience! Join your talented guide on an interactive adventure through the many miniature sets built for the recently released 2015 Thunderbirds Are Go television series.

DAY 4 INTRODUCING TE PAPA

This tour provides an overview of Te Papa's highlights, Māori taonga (treasures), and New Zealand history. Then you have plenty of time to explore Te Papa on your own.

Zealandia: The Karori Sanctuary Experience Night Option

Discover the story of New Zealand's natural history and conservation movement with a brand new world-class interactive exhibition. Afterwards, your guide will lead you on a torch-light expedition in to the world's first fenced urban wildlife sanctuary, in search of the rare sights and sounds of New Zealand's native bush.

DAY 5 DEPART FOR QUEENSTOWN, NEW ZEALAND

Transfer Wellington Airport for flight to Queenstown

Accommodations - Copthorne Hotel and Apartments Queenstown Lakeview, Queenstown City - 3 Nights

Queenstown, New Zealand, is the Southern Hemisphere's premier four season lake and alpine resort. Surrounded by



majestic mountains and nestled on the shores of crystal clear Lake Wakatipu. Queenstown's stunning scenery is inspiring and revitalising. With such a huge range of activities in Queenstown, no two days will ever be the same.

Copthorne Hotel and Apartments Queenstown Lakeview is in the perfect location. Queenstown town centre is a short stroll away, complete with shopping, entertainment and adventure activities. The hotel rooms and apartments are extremely spacious with large private balconies so you can enjoy the magnificent views of Lake Wakatipu and the remarkable mountain range from the comfort of your room. Hillary's Restaurant with its breathtaking mountain and lake views features a conservatory style decor and serves a wide variety of Kiwi and international cuisine.

DAY 6

MILFORD SOUND COACH AND NATURE CRUISE

On boarding a luxury coach in Queenstown, travel along the shores of Lake Wakatipu and through the rolling countryside to Te Anau. After a short break, the coach continues along the spectacular alpine route of the Milford Road through impressive, awe-inspiring scenery. There is time for photo stops and short walks along the way. Considered one of the most beautiful drives in the world, experience this journey in comfort in a state of the art coach. Your friendly coach drivers provide detailed commentaries throughout the trip. On reaching Milford Sound join an extended and leisurely cruise of Milford Sound to the Tasman Sea. Nature cruises have a relaxed and flexible itinerary designed to allow guests to see and experience what makes Milford Sound world renowned. Spend up to two and a half hours nudging into waterfalls, spotting wildlife and listening to the informative commentary from a specialist Nature Guide who mingles with guests. Keep a look out for wildlife including seals, dolphins and penguins. Following the cruise, return to Queenstown by luxury coach.



DAY 7 - QUEENSTOWN LAKE CRUISE DINING

Experience a return scenic cruise on board the historic steamship TSS Earnslaw. Enjoy a unique dining experience at Walter Peak where the menu showcases food and wine from the wider Central Otago region. Chefs prepare a tasty selection of meats on the outdoor grill. Fresh, seasonal salads and vegetables are available from the dining area of the Colonel's Homestead. Top off lunch with a selection of delicious sweet treats and local cheeses. Before or after lunch, the rural demonstrator will give guests an insight into life in the New Zealand high country by providing an entertaining farm show including working sheep dogs and sheep shearing.

DAY 8 - DEPART QUEENSTOWN / ARRIVE FRANZ JOSEF

The spectacular Franz Josef Glacier descends to just 250 meters above sea level amidst the greenery and lushness of a temperate rainforest. Of all the accessible temperate glaciers in New Zealand, the Franz Josef Glacier is easily the steepest and fastest moving. While many glaciers world wide have been retreating, the Franz Josef Glacier still flows almost to sea level, through a temperate rainforest of ancient podocarpus trees and other evergreen species. This combination of ice and temperate rainforest is a unique feature of New Zealand's glacier country, and is an ecosystem found nowhere else in the world. Bella Vista Motel Franz Josef Glacier is a modern 18 unit property, located in the centre of the Franz Josef Glacier village, on the West Coast of the South Island. The Franz Josef Glacier Guides base is just around the corner as are helicopter flights, quad bikes, horse treks and a range of other adrenalin and adventure activities. A good range of restaurants are close as well. Feel free to check out the complimentary DVDs and book swap area.

DAY 9 - DEPART FRANZ JOSEF TO CHRISTCHURCH

Accommodations - Rendezvous Hotel Christchurch - 2 Nights

The TransAlpine scenic train journey travels between Christchurch and Greymouth, from one coast of New Zealand to the other. From your carriage, you'll see the fields of the Canterbury Plains and farmland, followed by the spectacular gorges and river valleys of the Waimakariri River. Your train then climbs into the Southern Alps before descending through lush beech rain forest to the West Coast town of Greymouth - a great base for visits to Punakaiki and the always popular glaciers. There are 16 tunnels and 5 viaducts, the highest being the staircase standing at 73 meters.

The city of Christchurch is located just north of Banks Peninsula on the East Coast of New Zealand's South Island. It is New Zealand's only predominantly flat major city and, with a population of 300,000, it is the South Island's largest city. Because Christchurch is flat, getting around is easy, whether walking or cycling.



DAY 10 - CITY SIGHTSEEING CHRISTCHURCH'S "MUST SEE THREE"

The tour commences in the morning and visits three of Christchurch's top attractions. First stop is the International Antarctic Centre, a winner of the New Zealand Tourism Board's award for 'Best Visitor Attraction'. The Centre recreates the atmosphere of Antarctica providing an interactive experience of the Southern Continent. The tour then moves on to Willowbank Wildlife Reserve, a large variety of birds and animal life both native and introduced. You will view the kiwis in their natural habitat and can feed and pet the animals in the reserve. Following Willowbank, the tour heads to the Air Force Museum at Wigram, New Zealand's original Air Force base. The attraction has 28 fully restored aircraft together with newly refurbished static and interactive displays that dramatically enhance the visitor's experience.

DAY 11 - DEPART FOR NADI, FIJI / ARRIVE LAUTOKA Accommodations - First Landing Resort and Villas - 3 Nights

The resort is nestled amidst magnificent tropical gardens, majestic palms and massive rain trees, just 15 minutes by road from Nadi Airport - and is blessed with the only white sand beach in the Nadi area. The beach faces due west, giving breathtaking sunsets across the nearby islands. This is a small, owner-operated resort, featuring a range of accommodation options from Fijian style Bures to the two bedroom, luxurious, self-catering Royal Villa or Garden Villas.

Bula! Welcome to Fiji

Located in the heart of the South Pacific, Fiji is blessed with 333 tropical islands that are home to some of the happiest people on Earth. Take a dip at Biausevu Waterfall ... it will definitely refresh your mind and soul from a stressful day. Enjoy the Coastal Biggest Waterfall Tour, visit the home of a village chief/hall and take part in authentic ceremonies. Hear entertaining tales about local folklore, superstitions and ancient practices of witch-craft. Known for its luxurious private-islands, all-inclusive resorts, top spas, culinary destinations and outdoor adventures, Fiji is most widely celebrated for its culture, which uniquely welcomes visitors home.

DAY 12 - DEPART FOR LOS ANGELES LEAVING WITH MEMORIES OF COUNTLESS EXPERIENCES IN THE LAND DOWNUNDER



Fiji Visa Information

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Travellers must hold a passport with one blank visa page and hold proof of onward/return flights. For more information go to: www.cibtvissas.com/goway.

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For the purposes of this consent letter, a child is defined as anyone who is under the age of majority at the time of travel. A consent letter may be required, or it may simplify travel, as it may be requested by immigration authorities when entering or leaving a foreign country or by officials when re-entering the USA/Canada. The letter demonstrates that children have permission to travel abroad from parents or guardians who are not accompanying them.



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