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Day 1 | Welcome to Geneva



Launch your love affair with Switzerland in the sophisticated lakeside city of Geneva, an international city with all the charm of its Swiss traditions. After checking in to your hotel you'll have time to relax after your flight, or explore and discover the city. This evening, make your way to a dinner at a local restaurant to meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers to get a taste of the adventures to come.

Meals: Dinner **Hotel:** Royal Manotel



Day 2 | Journey to Lausanne and Montreux

Start your day with a morning orientation of the city, after it's just a short hop along the lake and you're in vibey Lausanne where you'll have some free time. You might choose to visit the Olympic museum dedicated to the spirit of olympism or take a stroll through the old town to admire the majestic 12th-century Gothic cathedral. Next, we venture to Montreux, nestled between steep hills. Enjoy an orientation tour and the evening is yours to spend as you wish. Perhaps enjoy a cruise to Lake Geneva, including a visit to the Charlie Chaplin museum?

Meals: Breakfast Hotel: Mona Montreux

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Chaplin's World and Lake Geneva Cruise - Enjoy the palm trees on the shores of Lake Geneva from a romantic side-wheel paddle steamer as we cruise along the eastern shore of Lake Geneva. We'll visit the Charlie Chaplin museum, set on the banks of the lake on his former estate, Manoir de Ban. Chaplin spent the last 23 years of his life here and you'll discover all the facets of this incredible man's life. We'll see sets and props from his greatest movies and then finish with a peaceful walk in the gardens. Adult: 77.00 CHF

Day 3 | Venture to Gruyères and Lavaux



The fromage heartland of Switzerland beckons this morning. You'll head to the picture-perfect town of Gruyères where you can enjoy some free time. The 13th-century castle dominates the medieval town as you stroll down its cobblestone streets. Don't forget to sample the famous local cheese before we leave. Lunch is in the heart of Lavaux with views of the vineyards, Lake Geneva and the beautiful Alps. If you can tear your eyes away from the stunning setting, you'll Connect With Locals on this exclusive Be My Guest experience. Afterwards, we return to Montreux. You could choose to relax this afternoon, but we know you won't be able to resist an Optional Experience to the enchanting Chillon Castle on the shores of Lake Geneva.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch Hotel: Mona Montreux

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Chateau Chillon On The Shores of Lake Geneva - Visiting Chateau Chillon is like going back in time! Each room uncovers another layer of history behind this castle on Lake Geneva. Join one of the Castle guides on a tour to see the cellar, prison, great halls, the Bernese chamber, the duke's chamber, the chapel and perhaps even the sentry walks. You'll learn the history of this fascinating castle situated on a rocky island and find out about a famous prisoner who resided here.

Adult: 46.00 CHF



Day 4 | Golden Pass train and journey to Bern and Interlaken

The glamour of yesteryear and epic Alpine views are the stars of the show this morning as you take the Golden Pass Line Train from Montreux to Gstaad. Enjoy time on your own exploring Berne and see the parliament of Switzerland. Follow in the footsteps of Yoon Se-Ri and Ri Jeong-Hyeok from the popular romantic Korean drama series Crash Landing On You (CLOY), walk across the breathtaking Panoramabrücke Sigriswil (Sigriswil Panorama Bridge), a 340 metres long suspension bridge overlooking Lake Thun, where Ri Jeong-Hyeok asks Yoon Se-ri to take a photo of him and his fiancée. Continue to Interlaken in the heart of the Swiss Alps, located at the foot of a trio of famous peaks – the Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau. Tonight, join your fellow travellers for dinner at your hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** The Hey

Day 5 | Explore the sights of Lake Brienz



This morning, spend some time at leisure or you can choose to join an Optional Experience to Grindelwald and Jungfrau Mountain.

Meals: Breakfast Hotel: The Hey

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Jungfrau Excursion by Cogwheel - A once in a lifetime chance to travel to the Top of Europe. Our round trip cog railway trip will take us from Grindelwald, through the world famous Eiger Mountain, to Europe's highest railway station at 3,454 m (11,332 ft)! Enjoy spectacular views and explore the Ice Palace which is carved inside the biggest glacier in Europe! Adult: 239.00 CHF

Day 6 | Cross the Brünig Pass to Lucerne



Say a fond farewell to Interlaken as you journey through enchanting Alpine forests and peaks tracing the epic beauty of Brünig Pass. Join your Travel Director for a drive along the shores of Lake Brienz and enjoy superb views of the peaks of the Bernese Oberland. Next we travel to Lucerne, soak up the relaxed lakeside atmosphere during your orientation. Cross the wooden Chapel Bridge, visit the solemn Lion Monument, commemorating the Massacre of the Swiss Guards in 1792, and maybe spend some time shopping in the Old Town. Make a stop in Brienz and Dive Into Culture as you gain insights into its centuries-old wood carving tradition. Consider joining our optional experience as we join local farmers for a wonderful carriage ride through a typical Alpine dairy farming community. Return to Lucerne later, in time for dinner at your hotel this evening.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** Astoria

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Swiss Countryside & Carriages - A chance to get to know the Swiss, you'll meet local farmers and enjoy a delightful countryside tour in horse-drawn carriages. Soak up the stunning scenery as we trot around a typical rural community, en route to a local homestead where you'll savour local drinks and snacks. Adult: 81.00 CHF

* Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Day 7 | Enjoy mountain views in Lucerne



With a full day to explore Lucerne your way, you'll be thrilled with whatever you choose to do. Your Travel Director is on hand to share their local tips on how best to spend your day, whether that's finding a few sweet treats to take home or choosing that Swiss watch you've always wanted as a memento of your magical time in Switzerland. There's plenty of time to live out your winter wonderland fantasy on our Optional Experience visit to Mount Titlis.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Astoria

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Mount Titlis Excursion - With guaranteed snow, two different types of cable car ride and the opportunity to walk inside a glacier, this is Switzerland's most exciting mountain trip. Make sure you wrap up warm, for a wonderful winter experience whatever the weather. Adult: 108.00 CHF

Swiss Dinner Party in Old Lucerne - Tonight, you'll enjoy a delicious Swiss meal that includes the famous Swiss cheese fondue and a drink in a typical local restaurant. Its riverside location in the heart of old Lucerne will ensure a relaxing evening enjoying the hearty Swiss menu. Adult: 109.00 CHF

Day 8 | Discover cosmopolitan Zürich



We'll continue to Zürich to discover its historic centre including the Munster Bridge, Paradeplatz, Lindenhof Square and other enchanting locations in Zürich's Old Town. Join a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience for a social impact guided walking tour of old town Zurich. This experience addresses the Sustainable Development Goals 10 & 12 - Reduced Inequalities & Responsible Consumption and Production. This evening, toast to your epic journey during your Farewell Dinner.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner **Hotel:** Hyatt Place Airport

Day 9 | Farewell Switzerland



For now, it's farewell to Switzerland and newfound friends at the end of an enchanting Swiss holiday you won't forget.

Meals: Breakfast