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Discover Greenland | Small Group Tour for Seniors

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Discover Greenland | Greenland Small Group Tour

Odyssey offers easy, convenient, and relaxed escorted small group tours across Greenland and beyond to Iceland. We explore Greenland's fairy-tale natural beauty, and famous city, all with some truly spectacular scenery along the way. This and more is all waiting to be explored on one of Odyssey's small group tours of Greenland, designed for the senior traveller, and led by experienced, and enthusiastic like minded people



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Our **Discover Greenland small group tour** lets travellers experience one of the world's most picturesque landscape. Greenland is the largest island in the world, with the vast majority of its landmass lying above the Arctic Circle. Few places are quite so difficult to reach. Our Discover Greenland is a short tour. We have been at great pains to ensure that our travellers get to experience this breathtaking island. The tour includes a day exploring the archaeological sites of the Vikings led by Ethel the Red.





On this short tour, travellers receive the most comprehensive overview of this vast landmass, an autonomous region of Denmark. To maximise the learning experience and to **Discover Greenland's history and culture,** the tour includes a visit to the astonishingly picturesque capital of Nuuk. From there, we experience amazing views from a fjord adventure of Nuup Kangerlua (Godthaab Fjord); a full day of beautiful nature, fascinating stories and delicious food in one of the worlds most remote restaurants. The next day we will explore and learn about the capital with it's colonial harbour. This tour is perfect introduction to Nuuk and will help you understand more of the people and the history of Greenland.

We visit during the summer months and can thus experience the burst of seasonal flora that caused the early voyagers to name it Greenland.

You can learn more about Greenland with our profile. For more details about how you might like to **Discover Greenland's history and culture** then please click the 'Top 5' or 'Itinerary' buttons above! If you're keen to experience this tour, please call or send an email. Or, to book, simply fill in the form on the right hand side of this page.

There is also the possibility of adding an additional Extension to Iceland on to this tour. This article shares a commentary with you about Iceland as destination.

Tour Notes

- Group size limited to 8.
- Itineraries may change if flight schedules, site availability, and other inclusions have to be amended prior to departure.





Highlights

1. Guided fjord boating trip in Nuup Kangerlua— see icebergs and waterfalls where you can drink the water and maybe even see a whale or two.
2. Catch your own dinner; throw a line which will sink to 100 meters depth and hope to catch a cod or redfish, which will later be prepared by a chef and served as 3 course gourmet experience.
3. Encounter people who live and work in the Northern Hemisphere's starkest and least-populated land mass
4. Guided day-tour in a coach of Greenland's Capital, Nuuk, learn about it's history and people.
5. Visit the National Museum of Greenland.

Itinerary

Day 1

Locations: Reykjavik - Nuuk

Overview:

Overview: We take the evening Air Iceland flight from Reykjavik (domestic airport) to Nuuk. From here, we will be picked up and transferred to our accommodation. Our standard rooms will be of smaller sizes, but comfortable and clean. We enjoy a late dinner at a

nearby restaurant.

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Accommodation:

Hotel Seamans Home or similar

Day 2

Locations: Nuuk

Overview:

Overview: We enjoy breakfast in the hotel. We are picked up for a guided boat tour and whale watching trip in Nuup Kangerlua, where you can see icebergs and waterfalls. There is the possibility of visiting the abandoned settlement of Qoornoq where people can stretch their legs and look at the old abandoned buildings. We then head via the opening of the Icefjord and past a mythical cliff called Pisissarfik and past a small island, where a stone has been marked by both the Inuit and viking culture.
15:30 Arrival Timmiannguit
We throw lines to catch our own dinner. The lines will sink to around 100 meters depth, where we will be catching cod or redfish.
16:30 Arrival Qooqqut Nuan
The freshly caught fish will be handed over to the chefs of Qooqqut Nuan, who will prepare the fish and serve it in a 3 course gourmet experience.
18:30 Departure from Qooqqut Nuan

(B,L,D)

Accommodation:

Hotel Seamans Home or similar

Day 3

Locations: NUUK

Overview:

Overview: After breakfast, you will be taken on a little bus with an English and Danish speaking guide. The tour will visit the modern part of

Nuuk, Qinngorput, as well as the old colonial harbour. In between we will go back through history, starting in the modern suburb of Qinngorput going through Nuussuaq and the 1970's roug-houses and apartments, then going through the older but also modern downtown, the Herenhut history, hospital and finally the old colonial harbour with Hans Egede's house.
This tour is perfect as an introduction to Nuuk and will help you understand more of the people and the history of Nu-uk and Greenland. Nuuk was the first place of the modern colonization.

We will stop for a light lunch, before continuing on foot to the National Museum of Greenland.

The Museum was started in mid-1960's as the first museum in Greenland. The collections have expanded ever since, from excavations and with repatriated material from the Danish National Museum. The museum works with archaeology, recent history, arts and crafts.
Dinner is not included tonight, but the program leader will make sure that you are taken to a restaurant of your choice.
(B,L)

Accommodation:

Hotel Seamans Home or similar

Day 4

Locations: Nuuk - Reykjavik

Overview:

Overview: After breakfast at our hotel, you have a couple of hours to pack or explore Nuuk. We transfer to the airport for our early afternoon flight back to Reykjavik.

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Inclusions / Exclusions

What's included in our Tour

- 3 nights of hotel accommodation in Nuuk

- 3 breakfasts, 2 lunches, and 2 dinners.
- Reykjavik – Nuuk return flights including taxes (economy class, luggage limits may apply)
- Airport transfers in Nuuk
- Transport in comfortable and modern coaches.
- Activities as per advertised in the itinerary.
- Services of a Tour Leader for the duration of tour.
- Service charges and gratuities.

What's not included in our Tour

- International airfares and departure taxes.
- Comprehensive travel insurance.
- Items of a personal nature such as telephone calls and laundry.

Level 2 - Moderate

Participants must be able to carry their own luggage, climb and descend stairs, be in good health, mobile and able to participate in 3-5 hours of physical activity per day, the equivalent of walking/hiking up to 8 kilometres on uneven ground.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any requests for further information about this tour or any others offered by Odyssey Travel.