

Voyages of The Coastal Express

Choose from our Classic Voyages and from itineraries that have direct flights and overnight stays included.

Nature runs the show

Though we always do our utmost to stick to our sailing schedule, the weather on the Norwegian coast sometimes has other plans.

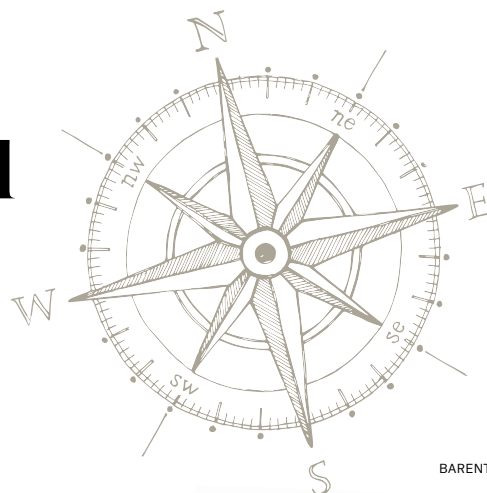
When the water is too choppy or the fog is too thick, your safety comes first, every time. That's the case even if it means we have to change our itinerary or cancel onshore excursions at the last minute.

A word on wildlife

Just like weather on the Norwegian coast, we can't control what wildlife you get to see on your voyage with us. A lot depends on the season, migration patterns, and luck.

Nature and wildlife on the Norwegian coast are unpredictable, but really, that's what makes the surprise encounters all the more special.

The Coastal Express



Sailing **all year**

From **10 minutes**
to **4 hours** in port

70+ optional
seasonal excursions



12 **11**
DAYS DAYS

Bergen – Kirkenes – Bergen

34 ports twice

Up to 8 ports per day

Between 10 minutes
to 4 hours in port

Sailing all year

Classic Voyage

Our historic route as a lifeline to local communities sails the Norwegian coast day and night. Ports visited in the night on the northbound route are then seen by day southbound.



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DAY 1 | Bergen, embarkation

Your journey begins in Bergen, 'The City of Seven Mountains,' renowned for its colourful wooden wharves and bustling fish market.

DAY 2 | Florø – Molde

Sail through idyllic fjords, past islets and skerries to the stylish town of Ålesund and its distinctive Art Nouveau architecture.

DAY 3 | Kristiansund – Rørvik

Visit Nidaros Cathedral, Norway's most famous church, and stroll through the charming Baklandet district in the old Viking city of Trondheim.

DAY 4 | Brønnøysund – Svolvær

Join us out on deck for a traditional ceremony to mark crossing the Arctic Circle. You're

now in the realm of winter's Northern Lights and summer's Midnight Sun.

DAY 5 | Stokmarknes – Skjervøy

Explore the city of Tromsø, the Arctic capital or enjoy an optional seasonal excursion such as skiing, kayaking, dog sledding, or cruising on a silent, electric boat.

DAY 6 | Øksfjord – Berlevåg

Welcome to Troms & Finnmark, Sámi country, where the fjords make way for tundra, the bird cliffs of Honningsvåg and spectacular North Cape at the top of Europe.

DAY 7 | Båtsfjord – Kirkenes – Berlevåg

Kirkenes, a short distance from the Russian border, marks your

turning point. Ports that were passed at night northbound are now visited during the day southbound.

DAY 8 | Mehamn – Tromsø

Visit Hammerfest, home to the UNESCO-listed Meridian Column. Take in the views of the Lyngen Alps before arriving in Tromsø to enjoy an optional midnight concert.

DAY 9 | Tromsø – Stamsund

See the unspoilt beauty of the fabled Vesterålen and Lofoten islands. Admire the dramatic scenery from out on deck or on an optional excursion.

DAY 10 | Bodø – Rørvik

The stunning Helgeland coast awaits, including the Seven Sisters mountain range and Torghatten Mountain, pierced by a natural tunnel.

DAY 11 | Trondheim – Ålesund

Revisit the royal city of Trondheim, then sail to Kristiansund, Norway's 'Bacalao Capital' before you reach Molde via the majestic Romsdal Alps. *You can choose to end your voyage in Trondheim. This gives you the option of taking the Dovre Railway to the cosmopolitan capital of Oslo.*

DAY 12 | Bergen, disembarkation

Don't miss views of Nordfjord before you disembark in Bergen. You can also add one of our post-voyage programs to explore more of Norway.



Lofoten

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Coastal Experience Team member

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Northern Lights Promise

FREE 6-day Classic Voyage South or 7-day Classic Voyage North if the aurora do not appear when sailing with us between October 1 and March 31.

Visit our website for terms and conditions.

What's included

- Northern Lights Promise
- 12-day voyage
- Choice of exact cabin
- Wi-Fi
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner on board
- Tea and coffee
- Choice of preferred dining time
- Ship facilities and activities
- Coastal Experience Team

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DAYS

Bergen – Kirkenes

34 ports

Up to 8 ports per day

Between 10 minutes
to 4 hours in port

Sailing all year



Geirangerfjord

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Classic Voyage North

One week sailing north to the top of Norway, visiting the coast's biggest cities and towns along the way. Best for those that like history, culture, shopping, and sightseeing.

Starting from Bergen and disembarking in Kirkenes in the north, you'll be able to spend hours exploring the Art Nouveau inspired town of Ålesund; the royal city of Trondheim and its Nidaros Cathedral; Bodø just above the Arctic Circle, and Tromsø, capital of the Arctic.

It's not all about the towns and cities though. Sail in the summer between June 1 and August 31 to bask in the beauty of UNESCO-

listed Geirangerfjord. Or choose an autumn adventure from September 1 to October 31 for the hidden gem of Urke in Hjørundfjord.

Itinerary

Day 1 | Bergen

Day 2 | Florø - Molde

Day 3 | Kristiansund - Rørvik

Day 4 | Brønnøysund - Svolvær

Day 5 | Stokmarknes - Skjervøy

Day 6 | Øksfjord - Berlevåg

Day 7 | Båtsfjord - Kirkenes

What's included

- 7-day voyage
- Choice of exact cabin
- Wi-Fi
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner on board
- Tea and coffee
- Choice of preferred dining time
- Ship facilities and activities
- Coastal Experience Team

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Nidaros Cathedral, Trondheim

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6 DAYS

Kirkenes – Bergen

33 ports

Up to 8 ports per day

Between 10 minutes
to 4 hours in port

Sailing all year

Classic Voyage South

The ideal pick for nature lovers with less than a week to spare. You'll enjoy daytime sailings of Norway's most beautiful archipelagos and striking mountain ranges.

Start at the top of Europe and sail south along the dramatic Arctic landscapes of northern Norway. We'll then weave through the achingly beautiful Vesterålen and Lofoten islands, with a possible detour into Trollfjord.

Further south, the ship takes in views of the Helgeland coast. Legend has it that the Seven Sisters mountain range are seven

troll princesses turned to stone. Likewise, the dramatic natural tunnel that pierces the centre of Torgatten mountain is also the inspiration for local lore.

Itinerary

Day 1 | Kirkenes

Day 2 | Mehamn - Tromsø

Day 3 | Tromsø - Stamsund

Day 4 | Bodø - Rørvik

Day 5 | Trondheim - Ålesund

Day 6 | Ålesund - Bergen

What's included

- 6-day voyage
- Choice of exact cabin
- Wi-Fi
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner on board
- Tea and coffee
- Choice of preferred dining time
- Ship facilities and activities
- Coastal Experience Team

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Lofoten by horse

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DAYS

Helsinki – Kirkenes –
Bergen – Oslo

34 ports

Up to 8 ports per day

Between 10 minutes
to 4 hours in port

Departure dates
Oct – Mar

Follow the Lights

Southbound

Travel up through Finland from its capital to join the ship at Kirkenes for your voyage down to Bergen. Finish with a train and ferry tour from Bergen to Oslo. Includes our 6-day Classic Voyage South

Days 1-2: Meet in Helsinki for a welcome dinner and take a walking tour of the capital's sites of interest.

Days 3-4: We travel to Rovaniemi in Lapland by train and enjoy a husky cart or sled ride at the local kennel.

Day 5: Visit Santa Claus Village before continuing to Saariselkä for a night in an Aurora Cabin or Glass Igloo.

Day 6: See the Siida museum in Inari, the Sámi capital. Cross into Norway for one night at the Snowhotel in Kirkenes.

Days 7-12: Sail our 6-day Classic Voyage South from Kirkenes to Bergen, including daytime sailings of Lofoten and Vesterålen.

Day 13: Enjoy a one-day tour from Bergen to Oslo via the villages of Voss and Flåm and a ride on Flåm Mountain Railway.

Days 14-15: Join a sightseeing coach ride of Oslo, including Holmenkollen ski jump and Vigeland Sculpture Park.



The dancing aurora

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Oslo's Opera House

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A minimum number of 20 guests is required for this itinerary to run.

What's included

- English-speaking Tour Manager
- Transfer from the airport to your 4-star hotel in Helsinki
- Two nights in a hotel in Helsinki with breakfast
- Train to Rovaniemi
- Two nights in a hotel in Rovaniemi with breakfast
- Husky sled ride
- Coach from Rovaniemi to Saariselkä
- One night in an Aurora Cabin or glass igloo in Saariselkä with breakfast
- Reindeer sled ride
- Coach from Saariselkä to Kirkenes
- Entrance to the Siida museum in Inari
- Dinner at Låven farmhouse restaurant in Kirkenes
- One night in a Gamme Cabin in Kirkenes with breakfast
- Transfer from your hotel in Kirkenes to the ship
- 6-day Classic Voyage South
- Choice of exact cabin
- Wi-Fi
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner on board
- Tea and coffee
- Choice of preferred dining time
- Ship facilities and activities
- Coastal Experience Team
- One night in a hotel in Bergen with breakfast
- Train from Bergen to Voss
- Ferry from Gudvangen to Flåm
- Flåm Mountain Railway from Flåm to Myrdal
- Train from Myrdal to Oslo
- Two nights in a hotel in Oslo with breakfast
- Sightseeing tour of Oslo

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DAYS

Oslo – Bergen –
Kirkenes – Helsinki

34 ports

Up to 8 ports per day

Between 10 minutes
to 4 hours in portDeparture dates
Sep – Mar

Follow the Lights

Northbound

Two days exploring Oslo before a two-day train trip to Bergen via Flåm and Voss. From there, sail up to Kirkenes, travel down through the length of Finland and spend a day in Estonia. Includes our 7-day Classic Voyage North.



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A minimum number of 20 guests is
required for this itinerary to run.

Days 1-2: Arrive in Oslo and take in the sights on a city tour of a few of its many highlights.

Days 3-4: Travel to Bergen via the villages of Flåm and Voss aboard train, mountain railway, and ferry.

Days 5-11: Sail our 7-day Classic Voyage North to Kirkenes and visit the Sámi capital, Inari, on the last day.

Day 12: Go on a reindeer safari in Saariselkä, Finland and get to know a local Sámi family.

Day 13: Visit Santa Claus Village before we head to our glass igloos at the Arctic Snowhotel in Sinettä.

Days 14-15: We move to Rovaniemi for husky dog sledding in the Lapland wilderness.

Days 16-17: Enjoy the attractions of Helsinki.

What's included

- Choice of preferred dining time
- Ship facilities and activities
- Coastal Experience Team
- Coach from Kirkenes to Saariselkä
- Entrance to the Siida museum in Inari
- Two nights in a hotel in Saariselkä with breakfast
- Reindeer sled ride
- One night in a glass igloo at the Arctic Snowhotel in Sinettä with breakfast
- Two nights in a hotel in Rovaniemi with breakfast
- Train from Rovaniemi to Helsinki
- Two nights in a hotel in Helsinki with breakfast
- Transfer from your hotel in Helsinki to the airport
- English-speaking Tour Manager
- Two nights in a hotel in Oslo with breakfast
- Sightseeing tour of Oslo
- Train from Oslo to Myrdal
- Flåm Mountain Railway from Myrdal to Flåm
- One night in a hotel in Flåm with breakfast
- Ferry from Flåm to Gudvangen
- Coach from Gudvangen to Voss
- Train from Voss to Bergen
- One night in a hotel in Bergen with breakfast
- Sightseeing tour of Bergen
- Transfer to your ship
- 7-day Classic Voyage North
- Choice of exact cabin
- Wi-Fi
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner on board
- Tea and coffee



Nighttime wonder

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Short voyages

You can also choose to do a smaller section of our signature route. With voyages between two and five days all year round, they are ideal for long weekend getaways or as an add-on to your other plans in Norway.

Northbound

5 days | Bergen–Tromsø

Highlights: fjords in summer and autumn; architecture, history, and shopping in Ålesund, Trondheim, Bodø; arrive at Tromsø, ‘Capital of the Arctic.’

4 days | Bergen–Svolvær

Highlights: fjords in summer and autumn; architecture, history, and shopping in Ålesund, Trondheim, Bodø; arrive at Svolvær, in the heart of the Lofoten islands.

4 days | Svolvær–Kirkenes

Highlights: Lofoten and Vesterålen archipelagos; Tromsø, ‘capital of the Arctic’; arrive at Kirkenes, the easternmost top of Norway.

3 days | Bergen–Trondheim

Highlights: fjords in summer and autumn; architecture, history, and shopping in Ålesund; arrive at Trondheim, Norway’s medieval, royal city.

3 days | Trondheim–Tromsø

Highlights: architecture, history, and shopping in Bodø, just above the Arctic Circle; arrive at Tromsø, ‘capital of the Arctic.’

3 days | Tromsø–Kirkenes

Highlights: rugged Troms and Finnmark county; Sámi heartlands; arrive at Kirkenes, the easternmost top of Norway.



Sámi woman

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Trondheim memories

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Svolvær



A misty fjord

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Torghatten

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Southbound

4 days | Svolvær–Bergen

Highlights: Lofoten archipelago; Helgeland coast's Seven Sisters mountain range and Torghatten mountain; arrive at Bergen, 'Gateway to the Fjords.'

4 days | Tromsø–Bergen

Highlights: Vesterålen and Lofoten archipelagos; Helgeland coast's Seven Sisters mountain range and Torghatten mountain; arrive at Bergen, 'gateway to the fjords.'

3 days | Tromsø–Trondheim

Highlights: Vesterålen and Lofoten archipelagos; Helgeland coast's Seven Sisters mountain range and Torghatten mountain; arrive at Trondheim, Norway's medieval, royal city.

3 days | Kirkenes–Svolvær

Highlights: Vesterålen and Lofoten archipelagos; arrive at Svolvær in the heart of the Lofoten islands.

2 days | Kirkenes–Tromsø

Highlights: rugged Troms and Finnmark county; arrive at Tromsø, 'capital of the Arctic.'

2 days | Trondheim–Bergen

Highlights: the three islands of Kristiansund; arrive at Tromsø, 'capital of the Arctic.'



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Tromsø at dusk

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