

9D7N DELIGHTFUL NEW ZEALAND

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COUNTRY FOCUSED



Escape the familiarity of skyscrapers and dive into the serenity that sweeps over South Island, an enchanting haven where you'll uncover spectacular sceneries and landscapes without the touristy bustle.

100% PURE NEW ZEALAND
SPECIALIST GOLD

SKYLINE GONDOLA, QUEENSTOWN



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Router



HIGHLIGHTS

PUNAKAIKI

- Pancake Rocks
- Blowholes

CHRISTCHURCH

- Willowbank Wildlife Reserve
- Farmers Corner Alpaca Farm
- Christchurch City Tour

WEST COAST

- Arthur's Pass
- Hokitika
- Glass Blowing Studio
- Greenstone Centre
- Franz Josef Glacier Lookout
- Salmon Farm

QUEENSTOWN

- Lake Hawea
- Lake Wanaka
- Wanaka Tree
- Mrs Jones Fruit Orchard
- Arrowtown
- Kawarau Bridge Bungy Lookout
- Skyline Gondola
- Bob's Peak
- Lake Wakatipu

MOUNT COOK REGION

- Lake Pukaki
- Lake Tekapo
- Church of the Good Shepherd

EXCLUSIVES

- Queenstown Skyline Gondola + Fergburger
- Abalone & Lobster Seafood Dinner

NEW ZEALAND SOUTH ISLAND



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Meal Plan

7 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners

Specialties

- Beef Rib Eye Dinner
- Fergburger
- Abalone & Lobster Seafood Dinner
- Salmon Sashimi Tasting

4★-4.5★ HOTELS

GREYMOUTH Copthorne Hotel

GLACIER REGION Scenic Franz Josef Glacier

QUEENSTOWN Millennium Queenstown

LAKE TEKAPO Peppers Bluewater Resort

CHRISTCHURCH Crowne Plaza

*Note: Hotel subject to final confirmation. Should there be changes, customers will be offered similar accommodation to the list.



01 HOME ▶ CHRISTCHURCH

Assemble at the airport for your pleasant flight to **Christchurch, New Zealand**.

02 CHRISTCHURCH ▶ GREYMOUTH

Meal on Board, Western Dinner
Upon arrival, enjoy a panoramic view of the Southern Alps, where you'll be greeted with scenes of dramatic mountains, gorges and river valleys across the Canterbury Plain. The journey takes you through **Arthur's Pass**, the highest and most well-known of New Zealand's mountain passes characterised by deep gorges, wide riverbeds and scree slopes.

03 GREYMOUTH ▶ PUNAKAIKI ▶ HOKITIKA ▶ FRANZ JOSEF

Breakfast, Western Dinner
Start your day as you gaze in amazement at the **Punakaiki Pancake Rocks** and **Blowholes**, where columns of water shoot skyward from rocks that resemble giant stacks of hotcakes. Continue on to **Hokitika** to visit a **Glassblowing Studio** and a **Greenstone Centre**, where you will be able to shop for beautiful pounamu (jade). Bask in the beautiful terrain of majestic waterfalls, lush forest and rivers as well as glistening white glaciers when you arrive in Westland National Park. Thereafter, proceed to Franz Josef where you'll rest for the night.

Note: The Glassblowing Studio and Greenstone Centre will be closed on Sunday and Public Holidays. In the event that accommodation is unavailable in Franz Josef, we will arrange for you to stay in another town.

04 FRANZ JOSEF ▶ WANAKA ▶ QUEENSTOWN

Breakfast, Seafood Dinner
Begin your day with a visit to **Franz Josef Lookout** for spectacular views of the stunning glacier. Next, stop by a **Salmon Farm** for an opportunity to feed the salmon and taste fresh salmon sashimi. Then, journey across the scenic **Haast Pass** before stopping

for some photos at the beautiful **Lake Hawea**. Next, proceed to **Lake Wanaka** to find 192 square kilometres of alpine beauty, complete with rugged mountains and far-off glaciers feeding a beautiful expanse of water. Make sure to snap some pictures of the iconic **Lake Wanaka Tree** (the Lone Tree) before heading to **Mrs Jones Fruit Orchard** for a wide selection of fresh and dry local fruits available all year round. Next, we will arrive at New Zealand's most-visited region, **Queenstown**. Surrounded by snow-capped mountain ranges and set on the shores of the crystal-clear Lake Wakatipu, Queenstown is the absolute adventure paradise for thrill-seekers. Tonight, enjoy a delectable **abalone and lobster seafood dinner** at a local Chinese restaurant.

Note: In the event that accommodation is unavailable in Queenstown, we will arrange for you to stay in another town.



05 QUEENSTOWN

Breakfast
Spend the day free at leisure to explore Queenstown on your own. You may wish to join an optional tour to the gorgeous Milford Sound, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Travel by coach from Queenstown to Fiordland National Park to explore this lush wilderness, which includes a Milford Sound boat cruise.

06 QUEENSTOWN

Breakfast, Fergburgers
Kick-start the day with a visit to the world's first-ever commercial bungee jump, the **Kawarau Bridge Bungee Lookout**. Then travel to **Arrowtown**, a charming former gold mining settlement with restored miners' cottages nestled below the surrounding beautiful peaks and delightful gold mining sites situated along

the Arrow River. Next, enjoy a scenic ride in the iconic **Skyline Gondola** and admire the exceptional views as you ride the steepest cable car lift in the Southern Hemisphere! You'll be transported 450 metres above Queenstown and **Lake Wakatipu** to the top of **Bob's Peak**, where you can take in a spectacular 220-degree panorama with breathtaking views of Coronet Peak, The Remarkables mountain range and **Queenstown**. Last but not least, you'll be in for a treat this evening as you tuck into the most famous burger in Queenstown – **Fergburgers**.

07 QUEENSTOWN ▶ MOUNT COOK ▶ LAKE TEKAPO

Breakfast
This morning, make your way to **Lake Pukaki** to witness a jaw-dropping landscape of craggy mountain peaks and glacier-fed alpine lakes of shimmering turquoise hues beneath an endless blue sky. Drive past **Mount Cook National Park**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that covers over 70,000 hectares of breathtaking glaciers, terminal lakes, turbulent rivers and Australasia's tallest peak at 3,724 metres, the mighty **Aoraki Mount Cook**. After that, move on to the enchanting **Lake Tekapo**, a turquoise-coloured lake that bears the same name as the township. Pose with the iconic **Dog Statue** and see the delightfully quaint **Church of the Good Shepherd** by the lakeside.

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MT COOK NATIONAL PARK



CHRISTCHURCH CITY

Note: In the event that accommodation is unavailable in Lake Tekapo Peppers Bluewater Resort, we will arrange for you to stay at The Godley Hotel (superior room).

08 LAKE TEKAPO ► CHRISTCHURCH

Breakfast, Chinese Dinner
Our day begins with a stop at the **Farmers Corner Alpaca Farm**, where you will get to feed the adorable alpacas and snap some pictures with them. The four-hectare farm also provides the perfect relaxing ambience to bask in the wonders of nature.

After that, proceed to **Christchurch**, where you will commence your sightseeing tour which will cover some of Christchurch's top landmarks - **Hagley Park, Botanic Gardens, Mona Vale** and the **Cardboard Cathedral**. Continue on to **Willowbank Wildlife Reserve** for an encounter with the Big 5 of New Zealand's wildlife: the cheeky Kea, the ancient Tuatara, the Kaka bush parrots, the very rare Takahe and of course the Kiwi. The reserve offers a guaranteed kiwi viewing experience with no glass to hinder your view!

09 CHRISTCHURCH ► HOME

Breakfast, Meals on Board
Spend some time relaxing and exploring the city before transferring to the airport for your flight home. We hope you enjoyed your vacation with our company and we look forward to seeing you again on your next trip.

Note: Breakfast box will be provided for early departure.



LAKE WANAKA TREE

Suggested Excursions:

Additional activities that complement your holidays will be at your own discretion and is entirely optional. Optional tours & prices are subject to change without any prior notice and minimum group size is required to depart.

Service Fee Guideline: (based on 9D7N)

- NZD72 per person

Notes:

- A minimum group of 15 passengers is required for a confirmed departure.
- During major events, such as local or religious festivals/events, the accommodation may be relocated to a different city or outside of the current city without prior notice.
- The sequence of the itinerary, flight schedules, and hotel arrangements are subject to change without prior notice due to unforeseen circumstances and weather conditions.
- In the event of discrepancies between English and Chinese itineraries, the former prevails.