

Visits included in the Tour of Iceland trip 2023

Blue Lagoon



One of Iceland's most popular tourist attractions, this is a place where the powers of geothermal seawater create transformational spa journeys. The temperature of these iconic powder-blue mineral rich waters averages 35-40°C and has many beneficial properties.

Sólheimajökull Glacier Walk

One of the trip's most memorable activities will be the glacier walk at Solheimajokull. Students will strap on helmets and crampons and take to the ice to see the giant glacier up close as experienced guides explain how the glacier is changing.



Reykjavík City



This compact capital city is bursting with culture as 60% of Iceland's population live in Reykjavik and the surrounding suburbs. Students will have the opportunity to explore the streets and pick up a souvenir as it is among the cleanest, greenest, and safest cities in the world.

Black beaches of Reynishfjara



This world-famous beach is a place where geography students can marvel at the tall basalt columns and black sand formed after volcanic eruptions.

Golden Circle Tour: The Golden Circle consists of three equally stunning locations in Southwest Iceland. Alongside Thingvellir National Park, you will visit Geysir Geothermal Area and Gullfoss Waterfall.

Thingvellir National Park



This national park is carved down the middle by the Mid-Atlantic Ridge and students can walk the boundary between the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates.

Geysir



Geysir gave geysers their name and the most reliable of the geysers here is Strokkur, which erupts every 6 minutes so have your cameras ready!

Gullfoss waterfall



Gullfoss is one of Iceland's most iconic waterfalls which descends in two stages in a dramatic display of nature's raw power.

South Iceland Waterfalls: Seljalandsfoss and Skogafoss

These are two of Iceland's most beautiful waterfalls – at Seljalandsfoss students can follow the pathway and walk behind the curtain of water (if they are prepared to get wet), whilst at Skogafoss students can fill their water bottles with fresh water from the River Skoga after visiting the waterfall.



LAVA – Iceland Volcano & Earthquake Centre



The LAVA Centre in Hvollsvollur is dedicated to Iceland's range of volcanoes, in particular the eruption of Eyjafjallajökull in 2010. The centre features interactive educational tools which explore the art and science of Iceland's unique geology.

Lava Show



The new Icelandic Lava Show is the only show in the world where you are able to witness the sight, sound and heat of real flowing lava as it bubbles into a dark room and rolls onto a huge block of ice. In addition to this display, you will hear real life stories of how local people have escaped volcanic eruptions. This experience is totally unique to Discover the World Education.

Lava Tunnel



The Raufarholshellir Lava Tunnel is an expansive cave, one of the largest and longest in Iceland, which allows students to see in the inner workings of a volcanic eruption. Students will have the opportunity to walk the path of lava that flowed during the Leitahehraun eruption, which occurred east of the Bláfjöll.