

New Zealand

9 Nights 10Days

Day 1: Arrival in Auckland

Welcome to New Zealand! Arrive in Auckland, the country's largest city, nestled between two harbors with sandy beaches on the east coast and wild surf beaches on the west coast. After collecting your rental vehicle, drive to your hotel and check in. Spend the rest of the day exploring at your leisure. Overnight in Auckland.

Day 2: Auckland to Rotorua

Depart from Auckland and embark on a scenic drive to Rotorua, known for its geothermal activity and rich Maori culture. Consider optional stops such as the Waitomo Caves or Hobbiton Movie Set. Continue to Rotorua and check into your hotel. Overnight in Rotorua.

Day 3: Exploring Rotorua

Spend the day exploring Rotorua's spectacular geothermal landscape, featuring steam vents, spouting geysers, and bubbling mud pools. Immerse yourself in Maori culture and legends. Visit a local geothermal park and enjoy an evening forest display. Overnight in Rotorua.

Day 4: Rotorua to Queenstown

Depart from Rotorua and take a domestic flight to Queenstown (flight not included). Upon arrival, marvel at the stunning alpine scenery and majestic mountains. Check into your hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at your leisure. Overnight in Queenstown.

Day 5: Milford Sound Excursion

Set out on a breathtaking drive to Milford Sound, passing mirror lakes, waterfalls, and sculpted rock formations. Board a cruise to explore the fiord, surrounded by towering mountains and cliffs. Enjoy lunch on board. Return to Queenstown in the evening. Overnight in Queenstown.



Day 6: Discovering Queenstown

Spend the day exploring Queenstown, known as the Adventure Capital of the World. Enjoy the magnificent scenery and consider optional activities such as bungee jumping, skydiving, or a serene lake cruise. Overnight in Queenstown.

Day 7: Queenstown to Glacier Region

Travel through picturesque wilderness towns, waterfalls, and river scenery to reach the Glacier Region. Consider stopping at Wanaka's Puzzling World or Makarora's Blue Pools. Continue to the West Coast, renowned for its rivers, rainforests, and glaciers. Overnight in Glacier Region.

Day 8: Glacier Region Exploration

Spend the day exploring the majestic Fox and Franz Josef Glaciers. Visit the Punakaiki Pancake Rocks, a must-see geological wonder. Opt for activities such as helicopter tours or guided glacier hikes. Overnight in Glacier Region.

Day 9: Glacier Region to Christchurch

Depart from the Glacier Region, traveling through the stunning landscapes of Arthur's Pass National Park and the Canterbury Plains. Arrive in Christchurch, known as the Garden City, and check into your hotel. Overnight in Christchurch.

Day 10: Departure from Christchurch

Conclude your New Zealand adventure by returning your rental car at Christchurch Airport. Have a safe and pleasant journey home.

This improved itinerary ensures a seamless and enjoyable travel experience, highlighting the mustsee attractions and providing flexibility for optional activities.