# PATAGONIA TREKKING ADVENTURE



Are you ready for the adventure of a lifetime? Look no further than Patagonia's famous W Trek, where you'll be blown away by colossal glaciers, stunning waterfalls, and towering mountains.

Our expert guides will lead you through this unique wild and rugged landscape with its pristine forests, cross glacial lakes, and summit mountains for unparalleled views. While our cozy campsites offer the perfect resting spot after a day of trekking. Don't miss out on the chance to explore one of the world's last great wildernesses in all its beauty.

We take our Patagonian adventure to the next level as we trek through Los Cuernos and Valle Ascencio, leading us to the breath-taking Paine towers. And just when we think it can't get any better, we enter Argentina's Los Glaciares National Park for a close-up view of the stunning Perito Moreno Glacier.

We then enjoy picturesque walks around the famous peaks of Monte Fitz Roy and Cerro Torre. Patagonia truly has it all – beauty, adventure, and endless trekking opportunities. Let's go explore!



#### Day by Day itinerary:

Day 1: Flight from UK - connection in Santiago, Chile

#### **Day 2: Punta Arenas**

Pick up at Punta Arenas Airport. A private van will take you to Puerto Natales (3 hrs). **Meals** Included: Dinner at Weskar Lodge, Accommodation: double rooms at Weskar lodge or similar

#### **Day 3: Puerto Natales**

Free day to enjoy town and it is beautiful surroundings. Briefing in the afternoon (schedule to be confirmed). **Meals Included: Breakfast at Weskat Lodge, Dinner at Cormoran de las Rocas Restaurant or similar Accommodation: double rooms at Weskar lodge or similar.** 

Day 4: Base of Towers Trek - Difficulty: Medium / Demanding - Hike: 7 hrs round trip, 18 km - Highlights: Almirante Nieto Mountain, Paine Towers.

At 6:30 am a private transportation will pick you up at your accommodation in Puerto Natales. It is a 2.5 hr. drive to Torres del Paine National Park. which was declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1978. The entrance fee to the park is included. The transportation will drop you off at Las Torres Information Center. You can do your check in and leave your things at the Refugio or tent to trek light to the base of the Paine Towers! The most famous trail in the park. The trek is an uphill almost all the way, but it is completely worth it when you get to the Towers Lookout! A unique view of the three huge granite giants and its turquoise Lagoon. **Meals Included:**Breakfast, Homemade Lunch, Dinner at Las Torres Refuge Accommodation: Camping

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Day 5: Los Cuernos Trek - Difficulty: Low / Medium - Trekking: 3,5 to 4 hours, (11 km) - Highlights: Nordenskjold Lake, Paine Horns, Almirante Nieto Mountain.

You have the whole day to walk from Las Torres Refugio to Frances Domes. The trail runs along the shores of Nordenskjold Lake through Beautiful Native Forests.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Box Lunch at Las Torres Refuguio and Dinner at Frances Domes Accommodation: Camping spots at Frances Campsite (Camping gear included at the campsite, toilets and hot showers available)

Day 6: The French Valley - Difficulty: Medium / Demanding- Trekking: 9 to 10 hours, 18,8 km \* The time and distance will depend on the lookout you choose - Highlights: French Valley, Paine Horns, Paine Grande Mountain, French Glacier.

Today you will explore the beautiful French Valley. After the Italiano Camp, there are two lookouts on the Valley. You can choose the difficulty of the day depending on how far you want to get. If you decide to walk to the last viewpoint, you will have a panoramic view of the western sector of the Valley and the mountains such as the North Peak of Paine Grande, Castillo (Castle), Cota 2000, Catedral, Aleta del Tiburon (Shark's Fin) amongst other granite peaks. After the Valley, the trail continues to Paine Grande Refugio, you will spend the night here.

### Day 7: Grey Glacier - Difficulty: Medium - Trekking: 3,5 to 4 hrs, 11 km - Highlights: Grey Glacier, Grey Lake's icebergs, Paine Massif

After breakfast, you will trek to Grey Refugio with incredible views of the magnificent Grey Glacier. There are a couple of lookouts of the Glacier on the way, but if you want to do a longer trek, you can visit the old "Los Guardas" campsite which has an incredible lookout to the Glacier from a higher ground. Meals Included: Breakfast and Box lunch at Paine Grande Refugio, Dinner at Grey Refugio Accommodation: Camping spots at Grey Campsite (Camping gear included at the campsite, toilets and hot showers available)

Day 8: Grey Glacier - Serrano River - Difficulty: Medium - Trekking: 3,5 to 4 hrs, 11 km

Trek back to Paine Grande Refugio to catch the Catamarán to Pudeto dock (17:30 hrs, included)

A private transportation will be waiting to take you to Weskar lodge (Punta Arenas) for a hot shower and local meal. Meals Included: Breakfast and Box lunch at Grey Refugio,

Accommodation: Camping spots at Rio Serrano Campsite (Camping gear included at the campsite, toilets and hot showers available)



### **Day 9:**

Rest day to explore the small Patagonian town. Meals included: Breakfast

### **Day 10:**

Back up weather day. Meals included: Breakfast

### **Day 11:**

Flight back to the UK. Meals included: Breakfast



#### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Pre-trip support & logistics, full itinerary according to your flexible dates
- Torres del Paine and Bernardo O'higgins National Parks entrance tickets and Catamaran
- Tickets
- Accommodation Camping with gear
- Transportation
- In country Site Briefing We will meet with you when you come to Patagonia before your trip to solve all your questions!
- UK expedition prep day (Trekking)
- UK trekking guild in Patagonia
- Mountain equipment Trekking t-shirt & sort shell jacket
- PLB Spot remote tracker (to let you family and friend know where you are)
- UK office support

#### WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED?

- Flights
- Travel insurance
- Trekking clothing & Equipment
- Food, Drinks & accommodation outside of the expedition
- In country sport team tips

