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7 Day Small Group Switzerland Dream Tour – Geneva & Other Romantic Towns



SMALL GROUP TOUR – PRE-DETERMINED DATES — 7 DAY ITINERARY



7 Day Switzerland Itinerary: [Geneva -](#)

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Group Tours: Must make your own way from the Hotel in Montreux to Geneva to begin these tours. Rental Car Required.

Day 1 Arrival Switzerland: US - Geneva - Montreux

Upon arrival, you will meet your private English-speaking Guest Relations Expert in the customs area who will escort you through immigration & customs and forward through the airport to the baggage claim area. Once there you will be joined by your private English-speaking driver who will assist you with your luggage and then, transfer you to your hotel, Fairmont Le Montreux Palace.

Upon arrival at the hotel, you will be met by the concierge who will welcome you with a VIP check-in experience. Your luggage will be managed and delivered to your accommodation.

The rest of the day you will be at leisure to relax in the hotel and settle in, enjoy a rejuvenating spa treatment (or other spa experiences), do a little exploring on your own, or enjoy the facilities at the hotel.

Lunch & Dinner are on your own today. See Celebration Escapes' Restaurant Collection for recommendations for dining in Geneva.
Overnight in Geneva.

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Day 2 Switzerland: Geneva

Breakfast in the hotel.

After breakfast, 9:30 – 10:30am, Make your way to Geneva Bus Terminal to Meet your small group, English Speaking Guide for your small group Geneva City Tour (2 hrs.)



10:30am Tour Begins

Learn all there is to learn about the city you have so often heard about on the news. Geneva is the backdrop for a great many of the world's peace processes – and is it any wonder, being in the heart of the country that didn't get involved in any of the two world wars?

This tour of the city is the best way to get your bearings and see all the most famous landmarks in a city that often holds something as powerful and as

frail as peace in its hands.



After joining your knowledgeable guide, who will make this tour so much more enjoyable thanks to his eloquent narratives of the stories behind every famous site, head off for your first destination: the International part of Geneva. This is the very center of the world's peace-making organizations and you will see all the magnificent buildings in which they operate.

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After lunch, explore the main touristic attractions of the city, of which there aren't few

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and they all excel in beauty. See for instance the wonderful Flower Clock and the spectacular Fountain.



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Complete the experience by adding a touch of Geneva's history to the tour. Hop aboard the mini-train Tramway Tour and, later on, delve even deeper into the Old Town alongside your guide on a comprehensive walking tour of these ancient streets.

Geneva is a charming and quaint city that combines on its streets politics and human interest, like walking through a newspaper.



This two-hour city sightseeing tour is a perfect introduction to Geneva. It's especially great if you've just arrived in the city and want to get a lay of the land. This city tour, which includes a ride on a mini-train, will highlight Geneva's famous international organizations and show you the city's top attractions. Your friendly guide will also entertain you with stories about Geneva's interesting history.

Geneva is a global city, home to many international groups, UN agency headquarters and other diplomatic organizations. On this brief city sightseeing tour, your local tour guide will show you where many of these famous organizations are housed, and introduce you to Geneva's top sights, like the Jet d'Eau on Lake Geneva.

You'll tour the city on a bus and go for a ride on a mini-train to get a taste of Geneva's history. Then, your friendly local guide will lead you around Geneva's Old Town, entertaining you with facts about Swiss history.

Please note: The mini-train won't be running between 1 January and 29 February due to cold weather conditions

Tour returns to original point of departure. You will return via your rental car to your hotel where you will be at leisure for the remainder of the day.

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Day 3 Switzerland: Geneva – Chamonix – Mont Blanc

Breakfast in the hotel.

After breakfast, 7:30 – 8:30am, Make your way to Geneva Bus Terminal to Meet your English Speaking Guide for your small group small group tour of Chamonix and Mont Blanc from Geneva.

8:30 Tour Begins. On this full-day tour from Geneva, cross the Switzerland-France border and visit one of the most famous villages in the French Alps, Chamonix, at the foot of towering Mont Blanc. Enjoy a scenic coach drive through the Arve Valley to the picturesque Alpine village of Chamonix, where you're free to explore at your leisure.

Options: Full-day tour-goers can SKI, ride the Aiguille du Midi aerial cable car to the spectacular mountain summit, or add a train ride up to the dazzling Mer de Glace glacier.

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Your day trip from Geneva begins with an unforgettable 90-minute drive across the Switzerland-France border and through the picturesque Arve Valley to Chamonix, situated at the foot of majestic Mont Blanc, the highest peak in both the Alps and Western Europe at 15,780 feet (4,800 meters).

You'll continue to Aiguille du Midi (not available from November 4 to December 20), a rocky peak near Mont Blanc with year-round snow (no On a two-stage cable car, you'll reach the mountain's summit in just 20 minutes. Then, prepare to be awed by the spectacular panoramic views of the Chamonix Valley and the French, Swiss and Italian Alps! On a clear day, you may even see Matterhorn, the famous Swiss peak and icon of Switzerland – it's even found on packages of delicious Toblerone chocolate.

There are many terraces and balconies at the Aiguille du Midi summit, where you can enjoy the alpine views and watch skiers zooming down toward the glacier. There's also a cafe, where you can have a hot chocolate or enjoy a light snack (own expense).

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Our tour continues through the Mount Blanc tunnel to Chamonix, France. As you wander through the thronged streets and pedestrian malls, you will feel the excitement and pride the locals have for their beloved mountain, Mount Blanc, the highest peak in Europe.

Horse and carriage rides are also available here! Chamonix has a wonderful Old Town with cobbled streets and wooden chalet style bars and cafes and also a very modern new city right next

door with top boutiques and shopping centres.

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Skiers will ski while the other members of the group are doing the tourist site-seeing activities.

Head back down to Chamonix for lunch (included in the tour price). After lunch, board the charming red train cars of the scenic rack railway to Montenvers – a railway that has been moving passengers through the mountains since 1908. In Montenvers, you'll enjoy fabulous views of the Mer de Glace. This magnificent glacier is 4 miles (7km) long and averages just under a mile wide. Surrounded by the impressive summits of Les Drus, Les Grandes Jorasses and Les Grands Charmoz, Montenvers is the perfect place to learn about the glacier and other features of the Alps.

Tour returns to original point of departure. You will return via your rental car to your hotel where you will be at leisure for the remainder of the day.

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- Confirmation will be received at time of booking
- Not recommended for child aged 2 and under
- Vegetarian option is available, please advise at time of booking if required
- Please note that the official currency of France is the EURO. Swiss francs are unlikely to be accepted in Chamonix
- **A current valid passport is required on the day of travel, as you will be travelling from Geneva (Switzerland) to Chamonix (France)**

Overnight in Geneva

Day 3 Switzerland: Geneva – Gruyères including Golden Panoramic Express Train



Breakfast in the hotel.

After breakfast, 8:00 – 9:00am, make your way to Geneva Bus Terminal to Meet your English-speaking Guide for your small group Day Trip to Gruyères including Golden Panoramic Express Train.

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9:00am Tour Begins. Set off and discover traditional produce while taking in Switzerland's landscapes on a full day combined coach and train trip from Geneva. Soak up the enchanting atmosphere at Gruyeres and admire the rolling hills and meadows as you descend the hills to Montreux, overlooking Lake Geneva and the towering Alps. In between, you'll savor chocolate, cheese and wine tastings to round out your full day trip.



We will first visit the chocolate factory of Broc (Nestlé - Cailler) where you can taste his famous chocolate.

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Then we continue our gastronomic discovery in a cheese-dairy where you will sample some local manufactured cheese.



Then you will have some free time in the village of Gruyeres to relax or visit his castle overhanging the entire Gruyere region.

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Next we will catch the Panoramic Golden Express, this train passes above the Lake Lemman and permits to enjoy the panoramic view on the beautiful countryside around the lake.



After that, we will take the bus again to cover the Lavaux vineyards road, classified like one of the most beautiful places of this world by the Unesco, to reach the village of Eypaisse.

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At 7:00pm you are returned to Geneva Bus Terminal where you will need to make your way back to the resort.

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Overnight in Geneva

Day 5 Switzerland: Geneva -

Breakfast in the hotel.

After breakfast, you are at leisure to relax in the hotel, enjoy the wonderful spa, or continue some more exploring on your own today.

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Day 6 Switzerland: Geneva – Lausanne - Montreux - Château de Chillon.

Breakfast in the hotel.

8:00am – 9:00am: Make your way to Geneva Bus Terminal to Meet your English-speaking Guide for your small group Day trip to Lausanne, Montreux and Château de Chillon.

9:00am Tour Begins



Explore the beautiful Swiss cities of Lausanne and Montreux on this relaxing and scenic day trip from Geneva. You'll drive through the beautiful Swiss countryside, enjoy free time in Lausanne and Montreux, and take a guided tour of the famous Château de Chillon, a stunning castle that sits on Lake Geneva.

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Take off on a day trip from Geneva to explore more of the Lake Geneva area. Drive through the scenic Swiss countryside on your way to your first stop, Lausanne. The cultural center of Switzerland, Lausanne is a beautiful city surrounded by the Swiss Alps. After an orientation tour, you will have free time to stroll around the lake, visit the Olympic Museum or explore however you please.



Lunch is en-route today.

Then, you'll take a drive along Lake Geneva, passing the famous towns of Vevey and Montreux to reach the Château de Chillon, a beautiful lakeside castle that is one of Switzerland's most famous monuments. You'll take a guided tour, and then board a traditional paddle boat for a short cruise on the lake, where you'll enjoy another stunning view of the castle.

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Finally, you'll head back to the town of Montreux. You'll have free time to explore the charming streets, go for a walk along the lake or do some shopping.

On the return drive to Geneva, drinks will be served on the bus.

Please note: There is no boat cruise during the month of November

At 6:30pm you are returned to to Geneve Bus Terminal where you will need to make your way back to the resort.

Dinner is on your own tonight. See Celebration Escapes' Restaurant Collection for recommendations for dining in Geneva.

Overnight in Geneva

Day 7 Switzerland: Geneva – US & Home

Breakfast in the hotel.

After breakfast, at the appropriate time, you will make your way back to the Geneva airport, return your rental car, and meet your international flight for the US and onward to home.

End of Services.

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Montreux: a luxury destination. Home to the famous Montreux Jazz Festival and the celebrated Christmas Market.

Fairmont Le Montreux Palace is situated on the shores of Lake Geneva in Switzerland, overlooking the Alps.

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Guests in the Montreux can experience a culinary journey around the world with our distinct dining venues within the hotel: MP'S Bar & Grill, Montreux Jazz Café, Funky Claude's Bar, The Lounge and La Terrasse du Petit Palais.

Looking to soothe those tired muscles? Enjoy our wellness facility at the Willow Stream spa. Before your treatment, step into our Jacuzzis, hammam, Sauna or one of the two swimming pools.

This hotel boasts an event space of approximately 3800m² (41000 square feet) with exclusive ballroom and conference spaces for meetings and social events located near

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