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ANTARCTICA CLASSIC - 11 DAY CRUISE FROM USHUAIA

Vivid emerald, violet tints, intense blue and crimson light--the Antarctic Peninsula is anything but a world of white desolation. Join us on a true adventure to a world of immense scale and visual splendour. Passing huge icebergs in the flat calm of a polar morning will reshape the way you look at your world. Encounter huge whales, enormous rookeries of penguins and stunning landscapes few have ever witnessed. This 11-day expedition will introduce you to the magic of the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula.



ITINERARY

Day 1 Ushuaia

Arrive in Ushuaia at any time. Enjoy the sights and sounds of the world's most southerly city. Arrival transfer is included. There will be a welcome desk in the lobby of the start hotel that will provide more specific information on the MS Expedition.

Day 2 Ushuaia/Drake Passage

Enjoy a free morning in Ushuaia. Do any last minute shopping, explore the town or the surrounding countryside. Embarkation on

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the MS Expedition begins in the afternoon at the port in Ushuaia. Enjoy the evening sailing through the Beagle Channel. Expedition travel can be full of surprises! While it is our intention of adhere to the itinerary described below, there is a certain amount of flexibility built into the itinerary and on occasion it may be necessary, or desirable to make alterations. On the first day onboard, the Expedition Leader will give an expedition overview outlining what the specific plans are for the trip.

[Days 3-4 Drake Passage/South Shetland Islands](#)

The adventure begins with a 800km (497mi) crossing of the passage named in honour of the 16th-century English sea captain and privateer Sir Francis Drake. Take in daily lectures from the expedition team and keep an eye out for the first sightings of icebergs, whales and albatross following in the Expedition's wake. The M/S Expedition is at home in this part of the Southern Ocean, known for the unimpeded never ending fetch of the winds that encircle the Antarctic. As the Expedition crosses the passage there will be time to become acquainted with the ship and frequent the common areas that include the lounge, dining hall, library and lecture hall where we meet our guides, ship's crew and expedition staff. Begin lectures and information sessions to learn the extraordinary human and natural history of the Antarctic region

[Days 5-8 South Shetland Islands/Antarctic Peninsula](#)

Experience some of the most unique wildlife viewing and inspiring scenery in the world while setting foot on the Antarctic continent. Attempt two shore landings per day (weather permitting) and encounter Gentoo, Chinstrap and Adelie penguin rookeries, Weddell, crabeater and leopard seals, and orca, humpback and minke whales in the cold Antarctic waters. During the voyage, learn about the peninsula's remarkable

history. This is what we've all been waiting for - a chance to explore step foot on the Great White Continent! Over the next 4 days the Expedition will navigate southwards making stops in the South Shetland Islands then through the Bransfield Strait and to the Antarctic Peninsula. Our goal is to attempt two excursions per day while navigating through the area but the itinerary and daily schedule will be based on the local weather and ice conditions. During the voyage, learn about some of the most important and dramatic expeditions to this remote corner of the world.

[Days 9-10 Drake Passage/Ushuaia](#)

Begin the journey north to the home port of Ushuaia. Review the highlights of the Antarctic experience with the lecturers and staff. Keep your eyes open on the observation deck for some last-minute whale sightings. Leave Antarctica and head north across the Drake Passage. In between bird watching and whale watching and enjoying some final lectures by the expedition staff, this is a chance to relax and review the adventures of the past week before returning to Ushuaia. Remember, the best way to experience the wildlife of the Drake Passage is to be on deck keeping a look out for Albatross, Prions, and Whales!

[Day 11 Ushuaia](#)

Disembark the G Expedition after breakfast.

[Please Note:](#)

While it is our intention to adhere to the route described below, there is a certain amount of flexibility built into the itinerary and on occasion it may be necessary, or desirable to make alterations. The itinerary is brief, as we never know exactly where our journey will take us. Due to our style of travel and the regions we visit, travel can be unpredictable.

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VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

BUILT/REFURBISHED:

The MS Expedition provides an intimate small-ship cruising experience. Completely refurbished in 2009, she boasts spacious cabins, each featuring ocean-facing windows or portholes and private en-suite facilities. Large common areas and observation decks provide panoramic views of the distinctive landscapes of some of the world's most remote regions. The Expedition's spacious confines can hold up to 140 passengers. You will be given a free expedition parka jacket on all Polar voyages on board MS Expedition Fast - spend less time in transit and more time exploring Sturdy - excellent stability and performance in rough weather Safe - designed with safety in mind Responsible - environmental policies that meet and exceed industry regulations Facilities and Amenities 360° Top Observation Deck All cabins with private ensuite and outside views Raised Forward Observation Deck Large fleet of Zodiacs with four stroke engines Complimentary Wellington Boots for duration of your cruise Complimentary destination guides for every passenger Large headed Mud Room Lonely Planet Library Discovery Lounge Fine dining - international cuisine in one sitting Large aft deck with barbeque facilities Polar Bear Pub Gift Shop Medical Clinic Sauna Computer Room with internet where



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22-Nov-2026 to 02-Dec-2026

Owners Suite	£10199 GBP pp
Deluxe	£9519 GBP pp
Triple	£9299 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£9299 GBP pp
Superior	£18000 GBP pp
Suite	£9944 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£8329 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£8925 GBP pp

12-Dec-2026 to 22-Dec-2026

Owners Suite	£12384 GBP pp
Triple	£8084 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£9546 GBP pp
Superior	£10965 GBP pp
Deluxe	£11653 GBP pp
Suite	£12040 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£10062 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£9073 GBP pp

02-Jan-2027 to 12-Jan-2027

Deluxe	£12169 GBP pp
Suite	£12556 GBP pp
Triple	£8686 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£10234 GBP pp
Superior	£11438 GBP pp
Owners Suite	£12943 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£10836 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£9761 GBP pp

30-Jan-2027 to 09-Feb-2027

Superior	£11137 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£10105 GBP pp
Deluxe	£11825 GBP pp
Suite	£12212 GBP pp
Triple	£8213 GBP pp
Owners Suite	£12556 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£10492 GBP pp
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04-Mar-2027 to 14-Mar-2027

Deluxe	£10234 GBP pp
Triple	£7353 GBP pp
Superior	£9632 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£8772 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£8299 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£8600 GBP pp
Suite	£11137 GBP pp
Owners Suite	£11481 GBP pp

13-Mar-2027 to 23-Mar-2027

Superior	£9331 GBP pp
Owners Suite	£11008 GBP pp
Deluxe	£9933 GBP pp
Triple	£6966 GBP pp
Suite	£10707 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£8686 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£7912 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£8213 GBP pp

22-Mar-2027 to 01-Apr-2027

Superior	£8429 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Porthole	£7439 GBP pp
Owners Suite	£9935 GBP pp
Triple	£6279 GBP pp
Suite	£9675 GBP pp
Deluxe	£8989 GBP pp
Main Deck Twin Window	£7829 GBP pp
Lower Deck Twin	£7139 GBP pp