

## Auckland Maori Luxury Tour

See the very best sights of Tamaki Makaurau (Auckland) and its fascinating Maori culture on a very personal small group tour by exploring some important historic sites and learn more about the fascinating Maori culture and history along the way.

### Highlights

- Magnificent views of several ancient volcanoes including Rangitoto Island in the Hauraki Gulf, at 600 years the largest & youngest of all the volcanoes in Auckland
- Auckland Domain, home of the Auckland Museum & Wintergarden
- The boutique suburb of Parnell with its many colonial homes
- Tamaki Drive with sweeping views across the Waitemata Harbour toward Bastion Point & Mission Bay
- The iconic Auckland Harbour Bridge and the beautiful marine village of Devonport
- Titirangi (Maori for Fringe of Heaven), an artists' enclave on the Manukau Harbour
- Te Wao Nui o Tiriwa, the great forest of the Maori Ancestor Tiriwa
- Auckland's spectacular West Coast with its soaring cliffs, roaring surf and spectacular, volcanic black sand beaches
- Magnificent ocean vistas in the Waitakere Ranges with its unique indigenous flora and fauna



## Full Itinerary and Rates

### In Auckland City and Devonport:

View several ancient volcanoes in the Auckland volcanic field. Marvel at the architecture of the Auckland Museum, one of New Zealand's most beautiful buildings as you drive through the Auckland Domain.

Continue through the boutique suburb of Parnell, restored in the old colonial style with many beautiful mansions.

The drive continues along Tamaki Drive waterfront, one of the world's most beautiful city drives. During this drive you will see several of the stunning beaches along Auckland's shoreline including Mission Bay, arguably Auckland's most well-known beach with lovely golden sand and safe swimming.

Discover the famous Waitemata Harbour, which in Maori means "sparkling waters", the Hauraki Gulf and the mystical island volcano Rangitoto Island, Auckland's largest and youngest volcano at 600 years old

Drive over the famous Auckland Harbour Bridge, spanning sparkling blue waters dotted with white sails.

### Auckland's West coast and Waitakere Ranges:

Drive through Titirangi (Maori for Fringe of Heaven), the artists' enclave on the Manukau Harbour. Continue on to visit the Arataki Visitor Centre at the gateway to Auckland's famous West Coast. The Arataki Visitor Centre is well-known for its very interesting displays and magnificent views over the Manukau Harbour.

Enjoy overlooking spectacular ocean vistas along Auckland's wild West Coast in our famous Waitakere Ranges. Discover Te Wao Nui o Tiriwa (Maori for ancient forest of Tiriwa), the indigenous forest covering the Waitakere Ranges to the west of Auckland.

Walk among unique indigenous trees and plants, learn their Maori names and their importance as both food and medicine. Meet some of our shy bush-dwelling native birds. Hear the lore and legends of the bush,

Get up close to some of NZ's unique indigenous flora and fauna. Explore Te Taihauru (the famous 'Wild West Coast') with its unique and spectacular soaring cliffs.

**Rate Information: (NZ\$)**

Rates per Adult (NZ\$):

Low Season (1 April – 30 September) - \$275\*

High Season (1 October – 31 March) - \$295\*

\*Lunch included in rate

Children 4 - 11 years 50% off adult price  
This Tour is available for a minimum of 2 people. If you would like to make a booking for *one person* [click here](#) to enquire.

**Tour Type:**

Small Group Tour

View our ***Additional Information*** section below for a breakdown on the difference between Small Group Tours and Private tours, along with all inclusions explained.

**Additional Information**

**Tour Inclusions:**

- Fully guided service in luxury vehicle
- Pick-up/drop-off within Auckland's Downtown area including Cruise wharf terminal (for airport transfer please refer to our private tours)
- Tour times: 9am to 5pm
- Complimentary snacks, eco-water bottles
- All taxes
- 2-15 passengers shared, small group tour basis
- Driver/Host-Guide Expenses
- **Lunch included**

**Please bring:**

Outdoor clothing for the day's weather conditions and sensible flat walking shoes, sun hat, sunscreen, your camera and a smile.

**Age Information:**

- Adults are from 12 years
- Children's age is between 4 and 11 years
- Infants age is 0-3 years (Please note: we are only able to host infants on our Private Tours)

### General Information:

- Accommodation, Attractions/Entry Fees and Meals are not included unless specified
- All tours are able to be booked as Auckland Shore Excursions from Cruise ships berthed at the port of Auckland;
- All our Private Tours can be offered in foreign languages such as German, French, Spanish and others but are subject to availability and additional fees apply. Please request this additional service at the time of booking alongside any other special client requirements (i.e. dietary requirements, mobility issues, medical information / equipment requests, children's ages for NZ child seat rules, special reasons for travel, etc);
- On Private Tours, pick-up and drop-off locations can be arranged. Please specify the location when booking. When pick-up is from a designated meeting place we would really appreciate receiving your mobile phone number with the booking. This will ensure we are able to contact and locate you if required, when we are not picking up directly from your accommodation.

### Our Different tour Types:

**Small Group Tours** are operated on a non-exclusive basis with other guests min 2 pax and max 15 pax and are priced on a per person basis.

**Private Tours** are operated exclusively for our guests and are priced per day per passenger for any group size from 1 pax to any number required.

### Cancellation Policy:

**Auckland Small Group Tours:** After booking has been confirmed and more than 30 days: No charge. From 48 hours to 7 days: 50%. Less than 48 hours or no-shows: 100%.

**Private Tours:** After booking has been confirmed and more than 30 days: 20%. From 7 to 30 days: 50%. Less than 7 days: 100%.

Please note that in some instances, such as during major events in New Zealand or for other reasons, we may agree cancellation charges different to the above.