



## NORTHERN CAPITALS 10 days from Copenhagen to Helsinki



If you're in search of a different European experience, just head north to the intersection of yesterday and tomorrow. Old meets new and tradition meets innovation on this cool tour of Scandinavia and its most exciting hot spots. With two-night stays in the capital cities of Denmark, Norway, Sweden, and Finland, you'll wake up to Copenhagen's rush hour of designer-clad cyclists, Oslo's stunning skyline "starchitecture," Stockholm's trendy galleries and gastro pubs, and Helsinki's electrifying design scene. Within these hipster hubs, you'll follow ancient Viking trails and the narrowest of cobblestone streets to the palaces and museums that hold the most fascinating historical stories—and the indoor and outdoor markets that carry the most intriguing snacks and souvenirs. The cool factor is illuminated on a breezy overnight cruise across the Baltic Sea from Stockholm to Helsinki.

**September 12 - September 21, 2026**

**PRICE: \$3,579**

Price is per person based on double occupancy. Excluding airfare and travel protection.

- Deposit of \$250 per person guarantees your spot
- Single accommodations are on a request basis only and subject to availability.
- Airfare, travel insurance, airport transfers and additional hotel nights are extra. Please inquire



## DAY 1: ARRIVE IN COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

Welcome to Copenhagen! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travel companions for a welcome dinner at your hotel. (D)

## DAY 2: COPENHAGEN

Wonderful, Wonderful Copenhagen! COPENHAGEN Guided sightseeing includes the royal reception rooms in Christiansborg Palace, and The Little Mermaid statue. Enjoy a free afternoon before visiting Tivoli Gardens.

HISTORIC SPOT Christiansborg Palace commands the scene on the islet of Slotsholmen with an 800 year-long history as Denmark's seat of power in central Copenhagen. This magnificent site houses the Danish Parliament, Prime Minister's office, and Denmark's Supreme Court. The magnificent palace is also home to visiting Danish monarchs with its resplendent royal reception rooms, chapel, and royal stables. (B)

## DAY 3: COPENHAGEN-ELSINORE-GOTHENBURG, SWEDEN-OSLO, NORWAY

Swedish Specialties ELSINORE Ferry crossing to Helsingborg, Sweden.

GOTHENBURG Take an orientation drive. Visit the indoor food market and taste local snacks.

LOCAL TASTES At Gothenburg's indoor market hall you can find spices, coffee, cheese, fruit, and other delicacies from around the world in its 40 shops and eateries. Whilst strolling around the stalls enjoy a Swedish food experience and sample some of the local specialties. (B, D)

## DAY 4: OSLO

Guided sightseeing includes a walk through Frogner Park and a visit to City Hall.

ART & ARCHITECTURE Frogner Park contains over 200 sculptures in granite, bronze, and wrought iron, along with fountains and bridges comprising the life's work of legendary sculptor Guztav Vigeland. Visit the stately Oslo City Hall, with its red-brick architecture, soaring towers, and 49 bells. Here, the Nobel Peace Prize ceremony takes place each year (B).

## DAY 5: OSLO-STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

ASpectacular Scandinavia OSLO Scenic drive to S EPIC RIDE A myriad of small lakes and little villages dot the Scandinavian landscapes from Oslo to Stockholm. You'll enjoy serene natural beauty and lush green views along the way from Norway to Sweden.(B)

## DAY 6: STOCKHOLM

SMaritime Marvels STOCKHOLM Guided walking tour of the Old Town. Visit the City Hall and the Vasa Ship Museum.

CULTURE & TRADITION Set your course for the Vasa Ship Museum in Stockholm. Here, you'll cruise back through maritime days to see the historic Vasa - the Swedish war ship which capsized and sank on her maiden voyage off Stockholm 1628. (B)

## DAY 7: STOCKHOLM-OVERNIGHT CRUISE TO HELSINKI, FINLAND

Sailing by Starlight STOCKHOLM Free time this morning. Take an overnight cruise with dinner to Helsinki.

CULTURAL GEMS Called "the capital of cool," Stockholm is the place for music, art, and fashion. With nearly 100 museums, Stockholm has more museums per capita than almost anywhere else in the world. Sustainable and eco-friendly solutions are a big part of everyday life in Stockholm. Many restaurants focus on locally sourced seasonal ingredients where a city skyline rise above lush, green spaces. (B, D)

## DAY 8: HELSINKI

Perfection on the Peninsula HELSINKI Guided sightseeing includes the Lutheran Cathedral, Sibelius Monument, and the open-air market.

CULTURE & TRADITION Finland's southern capital of Helsinki is poised on the peninsula in the Gulf of Finland, where striking architecture and Nordic cuisine delight visitors. Stroll the open-air market for traditional fare and see the beautiful cathedral and Sibelius Monument in this historic and picturesque setting. (B)

## DAY 9: HELSINKI

Capital Ideas HELSINKI Enjoy a free day, followed by a farewell dinner tonight at your hotel.

EXPLORE MORE with an excursion to Tallin, the capital city of Estonia on the Gulf of Finland. The coastal gem on the Baltic Sea combines an exciting mix of old and new with promenades and pristine beaches. Take in the ancient architecture and modern cityscapes, including the Old Town - one of the best-preserved medieval merchant districts in the world. (B, D)

## DAY 10: HELSINKI

Safe travels until we meet again! Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.(B)

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