



**LOCAL GREENLAND**  
YOUR AUTHENTIC GREENLAND TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

# SOUTH GREENLAND HIGHLIGHTS

An authentic exploration by boat

02.-11. June | 22. September - 1. October 2026

10 days | 9 nights

A journey shaped by nature, culture, and local knowledge



# INFORMATION

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**Price: DKK 29.000 | Deposit: DKK 8.000**

## What is included:

### Transportation:

- Car transfer from Qaqortoq JJU Airport to Hotel Qaqortoq roundtrip
- Comfortable, enclosed and heated boat
- 5 scenic sea journeys on selected days, covering approx. 600 km in total
- Good chances to encounter icebergs, seals, whales, sea eagles, and birds.
- You can bring 20 kilos of hiking bag-back and 8 kilos of day bag-back

### Local team:

- Tourleader from day 1 to 10 - Language spoken with you: English
- Certified captains
- Excellent camp chef and assistant

### Accommodation:

- 5 nights at Hotel Qaqortoq - with private bathroom and toilet
- 2 nights in a wilderness camp - sleeping two guests per cosy cotton tents with separate raised beds and lamb skin rug between them. Shared toilet - a short walk from tents.
- 2 nights in historic farm camping - same tent setup, and access to a welcoming service cabin with electricity, kitchen, living area, bathroom, and toilet

### Meals:

- Breakfast everyday
- All meals in camps + 1 greenland brewed beer or soft drink for dinner
- Local Products made prepared by chef
- 1 dinner + 1 drink at Hotel Qaqortoq
- 1 dinner + 1 drink at Hotel Kap farvel, Nanortalik
- Snacks on boattours

### Destinations:

- 2 towns: Qaqortoq & Nanortalik - guided tours
- 2 museums entry - guided tours
- Famous Tasermiut Fjord by boat
- Inner ice cap: Get close by boat - if possible go on land and touch it
- Kuussuaq Camp, Tasermiut Fjord
- Uunartoq, natural geothermal hot springs
- Tunulliarfik Fjord by boat, passing aprox. 12 sheepfarms
- Qingua Kangilleq, historic sheepfarm with service cabin - next to glacial river
- Hike to waterfalls following glacial river through breathtaking valley

### Gear:

- All camping gear and eating utensils. Hiking poles and fishing rods can be add by booking

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# DAY 1: ARRIVAL TO QAQORTOQ

*Your starting point in South Greenland*



**Afternoon:** Picked up in Airport by car. 2 pm check in at Hotel Qaqortoq

**Evening:** Dinner with your host at your hotel and meet your tourleader

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Qaqortoq is a charming coastal town known for its colorful houses, local cafés, and relaxed harbour atmosphere. It's a welcoming place to settle in and enjoy the rhythm of everyday life in South Greenland.

Use your time to explore the capital of South Greenland. Visit Great Greenland's sealskin factory and boutique, take a walk to the lake above town, or follow the scenic 5 km road towards the airport, where fjords and mountains frame quiet beaches and untouched nature.

You can also stop by local artisan workshops to see Greenlandic craftsmanship and handmade products - small details that add character to the town and make the visit feel personal.

# DAY 2: NANORTALIK

*A quiet coastal town with authentic local charm*



**Morning:** Depart from Qaqortoq by boat

**Afternoon:** Check in at Hotel Kap Farvel. Guided town & museum walk

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Greenland's southernmost town is framed by sea and rugged mountain scenery. With very little traffic, the atmosphere feels unhurried, offering a genuine glimpse of everyday life in a remote part of the Arctic.

Its name means "Place of Polar Bears" reflecting the wildlife of the region. Hunting and fishing have shaped local traditions for generations, and the connection to the sea is still clearly present today.

On the guided tour, you will visit one of Greenland's most respected museums. Afterwards, you'll have time to explore the harbour area, local shops, and the views at your own pace. You may even notice clear differences in language and pronunciation - a small detail that adds character to every community you visit.

# DAY 3: TASERMIUT FJORD

*Sailing beneath dramatic peaks*



**Morning:** Depart Nanortalik by boat into Tasermiut Fjord

**Afternoon:** Kuussuaq Camp for your first of two nights in the wilderness

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Travel by boat into Tasermiut Fjord, where steep granite walls and sharp peaks rise directly from the sea. Departing from Nanortalik, you pass a small settlement and a sheep farm before continuing deeper into the fjord, surrounded by wide valleys and dramatic mountain scenery.

At the far end of the fjord, ice from the Greenland Ice Sheet comes into view, flowing down toward the fjord. If conditions allow, there may be time for a short walk near the glacier before reaching camp.

By late afternoon, you arrive at Kuussuaq Camp. Dinner is served, and you settle in for your first of two nights in the backcountry.

# DAY 4: KUUSSUAQ CAMP

*A full day in the backcountry*



**Morning:** Guided adventure hike

**Evening:** Dinner at camp and a quiet night in the backcountry

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Kuussuaq Camp is set along Tasermiut Fjord, near a wide river and a large glacial lake, framed by high mountains with glacier views. From camp, you're surrounded by a wide landscape, clean air, and a rare sense of stillness.

You stay in comfortable tents with raised field beds - a solid base in the wilderness. The day is designed for a guided hike in the landscape around camp, shaped by the conditions of the day. After the hike, you'll have time to enjoy the setting at your own pace, with opportunities for fishing, quiet time by the river, or a short walk through the nearby woodland.

You can prepare a packed lunch in the morning. In the evening, return to camp for dinner and your second night in the backcountry.

# DAY 5: UUNARTOQ

*Relax in Uunartoq's Hot Springs*



**Morning:** Boat transfer from Kuussuaq to Uunartoq Island

**Midday:** Time to soak at the Uunartoq hot springs

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Uunartoq means HOT and is Greenland's only bathable natural hot springs, a rare and unforgettable experience in the Arctic. The island is part of the UNESCO-listed Kujataa cultural heritage.

Here, warm geothermal waters offer a moment of deep relaxation, with views across the sea to drifting icebergs and distant mountain horizons. It's a peaceful pause in the journey - and a place long valued in Inuit culture.

After your visit, the journey continues by boat to Qaqortoq, where you can enjoy the evening at leisure and choose from local restaurants in town.

# DAY 6: QAQORTOQ

*Art, history, and local life*



**Morning:** Guided walking tour of Qaqortoq, including museum entry

**Afternoon:** Free time to explore at your own pace

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Today your guide will do a walking tour in Qaqortoq, offering a closer look at the town's everyday life, history, and cultural identity. The route takes you through key parts of town, including selected Stone & Man carvings, which have become one of Qaqortoq's most distinctive features.

You will also visit the fish market, where local fishermen and hunters bring in today's catch. A natural gathering place for people.

The tour ends at the museum, where Norse history, Inuit heritage, and colonial influences come together, adding depth and context to everything you've experienced so far.

# DAY 7: CAMP QINNGUA KANGILLEQ

*A Hidden Valley in UNESCO Kujataa*



**Morning:** Boat transfer from Qaqortoq to Qinguua Kangilleq

**Afternoon:** Settle into your tents and enjoy free time in the valley

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Camp Qinguua Kangilleq is a historic sheep farm, set at the head of the Tunulliarfik Fjord. On the picture you'll notice red cabins, your tents will be placed in front of the cabins. The cabins are your shared base for meals, warmth, showers, and a toilet.

The area lies within the UNESCO-listed Kujataa region, shaped over centuries by the Greenland Ice Sheet and farming traditions dating back to Norse times.

You sleep in shared tents in a quiet, secluded setting. After arrival, there is time to settle in and take in the scenery. In the evening, dinner is served at camp. The next day, you can look forward to a guided hike through the valley, following the river to nearby waterfalls.

# DAY 8: CAMP QINNGUA KANGILLEQ

*Waterfalls, river air, and wide valley views*



**Morning:** Guided hike to the river and waterfalls

**Afternoon:** Final night at camp — dinner and a quiet evening in the valley

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Today is dedicated to a guided hike along the Qinngua River, where turquoise glacial waters cuts through the valley. On the way you pass fields, sheep and maybe you'll say hi to a Icelandic horse on the way.

The hike peaks at waterfalls and you'll experience the refreshing forced winds from the massive waters.

The valley is known for Arctic char and rich birdlife, and with a bit of luck, you may spot a white tailed eagle above the river.

# DAY 9: RETURN TO QAQORTOQ

*Your last evening on your journey*



**Morning:** Boat transfer back to Qaqortoq

**Afternoon:** Check in at Hotel Qaqortoq. Free time at leisure

## ABOUT THE DESTINATION

Back in Qaqortoq, the pace slows down again. This final afternoon is yours. Revisit your favourite corners of town, and enjoy your last evening in South Greenland.

# DAY 10: DEPART FROM QAQORTOQ

*Farewell to South Greenland*



**Morning:** Breakfast in Hotel Qaqortoq

**Afterwards:** Car transport to Airport

## ABOUT DEPARTURE

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After an unforgettable multi-day journey through South Greenland, your experience comes to an end. Your host will accompany you one last time and drive with you to Qaqortoq JJU Airport for your departure.

If you rather wish to explore the scenic 5 km road towards the airport, where fjords and mountains frame quiet beaches and untouched nature - by foot, your host can bring your belongings and meet you at the airport.

Thank you for your visit and we hope you come home safe and sound

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# HOW TO BOOK

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To book the tour, please contact us directly by email. Before confirming anything, you're very welcome to ask questions or request a video call — we're happy to walk you through the journey and go over any practical details.

To secure your place, a deposit of DKK 8.000 is paid once the booking is confirmed.

The tour operates with a minimum of 8 and a maximum of 10 participants.

The tour will be confirmed or cancelled 45 days prior to departure. You'll receive both an email and a phone call from us at that time.

- If the tour is confirmed, the remaining balance is due.
- If the minimum number of participants is not reached, the tour will be cancelled and the deposit refunded.

Any bank or transaction fees are beyond our control.

We recommend booking flights to Greenland with flexible or refundable tickets in case the tour does not go ahead. Alternatively, you may wait and book your flights once the tour has been confirmed — in that case, we recommend booking on the same day you receive confirmation.

Please note that we do not cooperate with any airline companies and are therefore unable to secure flights or guarantee availability on your behalf.

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# WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED

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What's not included:

- Flights to/from Greenland
- Travel insurance
- Bag-backs or anything for same use
- Clothing & footwear
- Drinking bottle
- Personal hygienic products
- Bathing suits
- Towels
- Lunches, dinners or snacks in towns, unless otherwise stated
- Additional drinks, beyond those included with specified meals
- Fishing licenses
- Washing of personal belongings
- Mosquito nets
- Power banks
- Extra tents
- Internet
- Headlamps
- Any other camping/hiking equipment, unless otherwise stated

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# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

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**Physical level:** This tour requires good fitness and comfort in the outdoors. You must be able to carry your own belongings in one hiking backpack between transfers (hotel, boat, and camp). Day hikes take place in uneven terrain and may include rocky sections, wet ground, moss, and low vegetation. You will carry your own daypack with the essentials for each hike.

**International group:** You join an international group of 8-10 people.

**Language spoken:** English

**Nature & flexibility:** Weather is part of travel in Greenland. The itinerary may be adjusted due to local conditions, and travel times can vary. The tour is offered in June and September. June feels more like spring, while September has an autumn atmosphere. Both months typically have fewer mosquitoes than mid-summer.

**Personal gear:** Guests are responsible for carrying and managing their own personal equipment, bag pack items, water-bottle and extra snacks.

**Guide:** Your guide is a certified Arctic Adventure Guide with Wilderness First Responder certification.

Your guide will lead the route, manage safety, and coordinate logistics with local hosts throughout the journey. Guides do not carry guests' belongings.

**Cell phone network:** Remote places out of Qaqortoq and Nanortalik are without cellphone service.

**Accommodation setup:** Private hotel rooms are provided. Couples may be assigned a shared room upon request.

Camps: Guests stay two and two in tents with separate raised field beds.

**Toilet facilities at Kuussuaq camp:** A separate toilet tent with a bucket-and-bag system. Hand sanitizer and wet wipes are provided.

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# ADD ONS

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## At Local Greenland:

Hvalsey Church Ruins with a guide: (min. 8 guests): DKK 1.250 / person

Extra greenland brewed beer on camps: DKK 50

Guidet Great Greenland tour: (min. 4 guests): DKK 300

## Possibilities in Qaqortoq:

Optional experiences in Qaqortoq, offered by private local providers. Providers are responsible for the activity, booking and any changes or cancellations.

### Wilderness Sauna

- Self-service sauna (2 hours) – You heat up the sauna yourself. Firewood and water included. (Max. 6 guests): DKK 700
- Sauna with host (Gus) (2 hours) – A sauna host leads the session and provides snacks. (Max. 4 guests): DKK 700

Visit private homes and enjoy their homemade recipes: (min. 8 guests).

- Kaffemik: 2 different cakes, buns, marmalade, fruit. DKK 200/person.
- Greenlandic delicacies + kaffemik: DKK 400/person
- 2–3 course local dinner incl. wine & storytelling: DKK 975/person

Helicopter tours, price depends on destination

Laundry Hotel's has add-on service, mon-fri

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