

SWISS FRENCH MAGIC
(WINTER 2024 / 2025 - VALUE)
07 NIGHTS / 08 DAYS

HIGHLIGHTS:

FRANCE

- Guided City Tour of Paris
- Visit 2nd level of Eiffel Tower
- Visit Fragonard
- Illumination Tour of Paris
- Seine river cruise
- Visit Disneyland® Paris (01 Day 01 Park)

SWITZERLAND

- Orientation tour of Geneva
- Visit Glacier 3000
- Orientation Tour of Saanen & Gstaad
- Ride on the Scenic Golden Pass Train
- Orientation Tour of Montreux
- Orientation Tour of Lucerne
- Cruise on Lake Lucerne
- Visit Lindt Home of Chocolate
- Chance to visit Jungfrauoch with Lunch and Interlaken **(Optional)**

ACCOMMODATION

- 03 nights at Hotel Zenitude CDG / Suite Novotel CDG or similar in Paris (CDG Area), **France.**
- 02 Nights at Hotel Moxy or similar in Leysin / Sion / Lausanne, **Switzerland.**
- 02 Nights at Hotel Novotel Zurich Messe or similar in Zurich, **Switzerland.**

MEALS

- Daily Continental Breakfast (Breakfast includes Bread, Butter, Jam, Cereals, Juice, Milk & Coffee)
- 05 Indian Jain / Vegetarian / Non-Vegetarian Lunches
- 07 Indian Jain / Vegetarian / Non-Vegetarian Dinners.

Note: Packed lunches, if applicable, will be Jain / vegetarian.

DAYWISE ITINERARY

Day 01

Welcome to France!

On arrival. Later, we proceed to the hotel and check-in.

Overnight Paris, **France**

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Note: Joining direct passenger / NRI can check-in on your own at the hotel. The standard check-in time is 1500 hrs. We may have to proceed directly for dinner or packed dinner will be provided in case of late arrivals of flight or long queue at the immigration.

Day 02

Eiffel Tower (2nd Level) – Guided city tour – Visit Fragonard – Illumination Tour of Paris – Seine River cruise

Today, we visit the Eiffel Tower (2nd level). Next, we proceed on a Guided Tour of Paris: See the Alexander Bridge, Arc de Triomphe, Concorde Square, Opera House and Les Invalides. Later, we visit the Famous French perfume museum – Fragonard. After dinner, we enjoy a cruise on the Seine River along with an 'Illumination Tour of Paris' and see Paris by night, with some of the city's famous monuments / sights lit up.

Overnight in Paris, **France**.

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Day 03

Disneyland® Paris (01 Day 01 Park)

Today, we proceed to Disneyland® Paris where you can visit Disneyland® Park OR Walt Disney Studios® Park (Up to 5 Hour Visit). Get charmed by Sleeping Beauty Castle, enjoy exciting rollercoaster rides, meet Alice in Wonderland, Pinocchio and others in Fantasyland as well as travelling to the four corners of the globe in Adventure Land.

Overnight in Paris, **France**.

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Day 04

Orientation tour of Geneva

Today, we drive to Geneva in Switzerland. On arrival, we enjoy an orientation tour: see the Palais des Nations - the European arm of the United Nations. Later, see the Jet d'eau - Geneva's famous fountain, the Floral Clock.

Overnight in Leysin / Sion / Lausanne, **Switzerland**

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Day 05

Glacier 3000 - Orientation tour of Saanen & Gstaad – Golden Pass Train – Orientation of Montreux

Today, we go on an excursion to Glacier 3000. Enjoy breath-taking views of the iconic mountains such as Mont-Blanc, the Matterhorn, Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau from the Tissot Peak Walk. Next, we enjoy an Orientation Tour of Saanen & Gstaad - a shooting location for Indian films. Later, we board the scenic Golden Pass train and enjoy panoramic views as we journey through alpine forest and picturesque villages. Also, enjoy an Orientation Tour of Montreux.

Overnight in Leysin / Sion / Lausanne, **Switzerland**.

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Day 06

Orientation Tour of Lucerne – Lake Lucerne Cruise – Visit Lindt Home of Chocolate

Today, we check-out and proceed to Lucerne. On arrival we enjoy an orientation tour: See the Lion Monument, and Kapellbrücke with some free time to shop for famous Swiss watches, knives and chocolates. Next, we enjoy a Cruise on Lake Lucerne. Later visit Lindt, Home of Chocolate where you see the process of making Swiss Chocolates.

Overnight in Zurich, **Switzerland**

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Day 07

Day at leisure OR Excursion to Jungfrauoch with Lunch & Interlaken (Optional)

Today, the day is at leisure OR you can join us for a visit to Jungfrauoch - The Top of Europe. We take the cable car followed by a cogwheel train up to a height of 3,454 meters to Europe's highest railway station. Visit the Ice Palace and the Sphinx observatory deck to view the longest glacier in the Alps. Enjoy lunch on Top. Later, descend and visit Interlaken.

Overnight in Zurich, **Switzerland**

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Note: Guests who do not opt for this Optional excursion will get packed dinner delivered at the hotel when the group arrives.

Day 08

Fly back home with pleasant memories!

Today, we proceed to Zurich airport for your flight back home. Kindly spare a few minutes to share your feedback with your Tour Manager. Your valued suggestions will be most appreciated. Arrive home with pleasant memories of your Europe tour, which we are sure you will treasure for a lifetime.

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Note:

- Due to flight connectivity, few groups may depart out of Milan instead of Zurich. Kindly check with your sales staff for your exact flight details.
- In major European cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches and it is not possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Your Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.
- **Arrival / Departure Transfers will be provided subject to minimum 4 passengers travelling together**

TOUR DATES

DEPARTURE DATES – 2024 & 2025	
OCTOBER 2024	10, 17, 31
NOVEMBER 2024	8, 22
DECEMBER 2024	12, 20, 26
FEBRUARY 2025	13
MARCH 2025	14, 21

Surcharges will be applicable during Peak and Event periods. Kindly check with your sales officer

Tour Cost (Per Person in USD)				
Twin/ Double Room	Triple Room	Child With Bed	Child Without Bed	Single Room
USD 2100	USD 2100	USD 1650	USD 1470	USD 2695

OPTIONAL TOUR	ADULT (USD)	CHILD (USD)
Visit Jungfrauoch with champagne lunch and Interlaken	200	145

Note: Optional will be operated subject to minimum strength of 20 passengers.

WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE INCLUDES

- Sightseeing and accommodation as per the above-mentioned itinerary.
- All transfers and extensive excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by a deluxe air-conditioned coach.
- Services of a professional, friendly and multilingual Tour Manager or a local Representative. (Subject to minimum 15 customers).

WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Air tickets required to participate in this tour
- Visa, Insurance, Airport & Port taxes
- Tipping is expected from anyone providing your service e.g., Coach Driver, Local Guides, Hotel & Restaurant staff etc. It is mandatory to tip a nominal amount of EUR 3 per person/per day. For the entire duration of this tour, which is 08 Days, the total Tips amount is EUR 24 per person to be paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the tour.
- No portorage included.
- Any expenses of a personal nature such as portorage, laundry expenses, wines, mineral water, food and drink not in the regular menu provided by us, minibar, telephone calls, etc.
- Meals other than that are mentioned in your itinerary.

- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than that mentioned in your itinerary.
- Private airport transfers, Cost of Suggested / Optional Excursions.

VISA REQUIREMENTS

- Multiple entry Schengen visa.

The cost of visa is not included in your package tour price. It would be best to check with the consulates or embassy nearest to you or travel agent for advice and information. Please ensure that your travel documents are ready in time for departure

Ticketing Requirements:

For this tour you would require confirmed air tickets to arrive into Paris and depart from Zurich / Milan. It would be advisable to check with your sales officer or local travel agent for ticketing.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

HOTELS

- All hotels will be either around the airport area or on the outskirts.
- The hotel room size in Europe would be up to 16 - 18 sq. mts.
- Most hotels in Europe have only Twin beds. The double bed will be Queen size and not King size.
- As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use rollaway beds and room size may be the same as the double room.
- For Child with bed: At times hotel don't have enough roll away beds, in that case they might give a double and a separate single room.
- A person 11.99 years and below is considered a child and 12 years and above, an adult.
- Hotel rooms may not be air conditioned / air cooled nor will fans be provided. Air conditioning / cooling in hotels are set as per European weather conditions.
- Functioning of Air cooling / Air conditioning in hotels is subject to official declaration of summer by the local authority.
- During heat wave in Europe air conditioning of the hotels and coaches may cease to function as they are not built for such high temperatures.
- Most hotels in Europe do not provide tea kettles in the rooms.
- Due to international events and trade fairs all throughout Europe such as the Air Show, music festivals, ice skating championships etc., you may have to stay in hotels further away from the city.
- In Switzerland the stay may be split in two hotels.
- Any damage caused to the hotel rooms / Coach during your stay shall be payable by the passengers.
- We also reserve the right to substitute a hotel of similar class if it is deemed advisable or necessary.
- In certain cities hotels have not started the buffet breakfasts yet and if the same does not change by the time the tours begin, we will either provide breakfast or the groups will be taken to an Indian / local restaurant for breakfast.

COACHES

- Most of your journey in Europe is by coach and hence you are requested to keep the coach clean.
- Due to hygienic reasons, it is not permitted to use toilets on the coach. However, the tour manager will make comfort stops during long drives.
- Eating & drinking is not permitted on the coach.
- One check-in bag and one handbag per person only, due to limited boot space on the coach.

- In major European cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches, and it may not be possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.
- Coaches are non-wheelchair compliant. There are steps to board / alight from the coach.
- Due to private coaches being forbidden inside most of the European cities, as per EU norms to preserve them and to avoid getting them polluted and overcrowded, most of your sightseeing will be done by local buses and on foot.

MEALS

- Meals are pre-set and a-la carte is not possible.
- On certain days, a packed lunch will be provided.

SIGHTSEEING

- On certain departures, we may sometimes amend / reverse the itinerary. However, all the services / inclusions will remain the same.
- Generally, you will have to walk to sightseeing places, amusement parks and the airports sometimes for a long distance; however, the same will be timely instructed by the Tour Manager. It is advisable to carry a good pair of comfortable sports shoes. The tour manager and the driver will do their best to get you as close to the monuments as possible.
- The Eiffel Tower on certain Days due to strong wind conditions or being overcrowded or for security reasons may be closed.
- The lifts at the Eiffel tower are currently closed due to safety. Hence the visit to the tower is only allowed by climbing the staircase. In case there is no change in the same on tour customers will be refunded the amount for the same if they chose not to climb the stairs.
- Due to stringent security checks at the Eiffel tower, it may take up to 4-5 hours in the queue.

GENERAL

- On some occasions you may have to join another group in case the group does not have adequate members.
- A local representative or a driver may only be there to assist you during your initial part of the tour.
- Security alerts and random closures might affect the itinerary.
- Please take extra care of your personal belongings while on the tour, every country you travel to is prone to thefts and bag snatching. TCIL will not be liable for any loss of belongings / baggage.
- Disabled clients should carry their own wheelchair and should be accompanied by a qualified companion who is able to provide assistance to the disabled client.
- TCIL shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, baggage loss, theft, injury, accident, death, breakdown or irregularity, which may occur in carrying out the tour arrangement, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expense must be borne by the passengers. Insurance policies must be carried while on tour.
- The management reserves the right to claim any additional expenses incurred due to delays or changes in schedules of train, airplane, bus, ship or other services.
- The Tour Manager and the company reserves the right to amend the itinerary, alter, vary or withdraw any particular departure, excursion advertised. For the convenience of our passengers, we will sometimes amend the itinerary. However, all the services will remain the same.
- There are no refunds for any services i.e., meals, sightseeing etc. not utilized on your tour.
- All optional activities will have to be booked and paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the tour. Payments to be made by cash in EURO only. (Credit or Debit cards not accepted).
- Optional tours are booked & paid on 100% non-refundable & non cancellation policy.
- GST will be applicable for all optional activities pre-paid in India.
- In case you decide to change the date of your return reservation once confirmed the exact amount payable to the airline will be advised once the same is confirmed.

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