Great Aletsch Glacier



SPECTACULAR DAY TRIP ON THE LARGEST GLACIER IN THE ALPS

Ice beneath our feet. Massive crevasses before our eyes.
A fascinating world that is constantly changing.

6–7 **hours**	**09.15 o’ clock** **meeting time**	**Adults CHF 99** **Kids CHF 89**

A Day in the Heart of the Aletsch Glacier

From Märjelensee on to the ice—accompanied by an experienced mountain guide.

We'll meet at the top station of the Fiesch–Fiescheralp gondola. We'll walk along the well-maintained trail through the Tälligrattunnel to the Gletscherstube near Lake Märjelen. There, the mountain guide will hand out the rental gear. Then we'll head down to the Great Aletsch Glacier.

The first steps on the ice feel strange. Beneath our feet lies a river of ice that has been flowing slowly through the Alps for centuries.

With every step, our movements become more confident—and our fascination grows.



THE FASCINATION OF ICE

Glacial tables, meltwater, sand cones, moraines, and whirlpools make this tour an experience that you don't just see—you live it firsthand.

More than just a tour

But the glacier isn't just spectacular—it also tells a story. Where does the ice come from? Why does a glacier flow? How do the deep crevasses form? Why is it often bitterly cold on the ice, even in bright sunshine? And what will the Aletsch Glacier look like in the future? The mountain guide answers these questions along the way and provides fascinating insights into the formation and evolution of this unique landscape.

"An experience you'll never forget!"

Practical Information

Duration

6–7 hours
(including breaks and explanations)

REQUIREMENTS

Also suitable for motivated beginners. Not technically difficult in terms of alpine skills; sure-footedness and the ability to walk confidently in the backcountry are required. Moderate physical fitness required.

Price

Adults CHF 99 / Kids CHF 89
(including crampons)

Meeting place

09.15 o' clock
In front of the Fiescheralp Cable Car mountain station

Equipment

Hiking or trekking shoes, rain gear, long pants for the glacier, a jacket, a hat, sunscreen, good sunglasses, gloves, lunch, and plenty to drink. Hiking poles can be brought along if needed. We provide crampons (included in the price).

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

If the tour is canceled by the mountain guide due to bad weather, there will be no charge.

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"We look forward to seeing you!"