

Scenic holidays | **SWITZERLAND** 2020



The image shows a red and white Swiss train, specifically a Rhätische Bahn, traveling through a picturesque mountain valley. The train is moving from left to right, with several cars visible. The landscape is lush green with rolling hills, scattered houses, and dense evergreen forests. In the background, majestic mountains rise under a bright blue sky with wispy white clouds. The overall scene is idyllic and scenic, typical of the Swiss Alps.

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What is a scenic rail holiday?



Glacier Express

A scenic holiday connects a stay in two or more Swiss resorts with unforgettable journeys on the famous scenic rail routes.

No other country boasts such scenic splendour and you can explore it with ease on the railways, PostBuses, cable cars and lake cruises.

Many of the trains have special panoramic carriages with huge windows, just perfect for viewing the glorious scenery.

Holidays can be tailor-made to your requirements. Each page shows the ways in which you can adapt that particular holiday.

We can help you with suggestions on how to make the most of the lakes and mountains which are close to each resort.

The map on the back cover shows the locations of the resorts and the scenic journeys between them.

You can transfer your luggage between many resorts with the 'Station to Station' luggage service. Please ask us for more details.

Try travelling in the winter to see the dramatic Swiss scenery covered in pristine snow. A totally new experience.

Please call us on **0800 619 1200** and we will be delighted to help you plan your holiday



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Switzerland.
by train, bus and boat.



Ebenalp, Appenzell region

DEFINED SCENIC ITINERARIES

Unbeatable value for money

These itineraries are designed to **follow a set route** around Switzerland, taking in the best lakes and mountains resorts, connected wherever possible on the famous scenic rail journeys such as the Glacier Express and Bernina Express. Your rail ticket also acts as a Half Fare Card, with up to 50% discounts on day trips and excursions.

SWISS TRAVEL PASS ITINERARIES

Complete freedom to explore

The Swiss Travel Pass allows you to travel between **any resort at any time** on mainline trains, scenic rail routes, PostBuses and boats. There are suggested itineraries with fabulous lakes and mountains locations and your Pass also gives unlimited travel for scenic day trips, as well as up to 50% discounts on mountain travel.

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DEFINED SCENIC ITINERARIES

- 12 7 day Glaciers & Palm Trees with the Bernina Express & Gotthard Panorama Express
St. Moritz, Lugano & Lucerne
- 14 8 day Mini Grand Tour with the GoldenPass Line, Glacier Express, Bernina Express & Gotthard Panorama Express *Interlaken, Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano & Lucerne*
- 16 8 day Eastern Switzerland & Lake Lucerne with the Pre-Alpine Express *Lucerne & Appenzell*
- 18 12 day Scenic Highlights with the Luzern-Interlaken Express, GoldenPass Line & Glacier Express
Lucerne, Interlaken, Montreux, Zermatt & Chur
- 20 17 day Grand Tour with the GoldenPass Line, Glacier Express, Bernina Express, Gotthard Panorama Express & Pre-Alpine Express *Interlaken, Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano, Lucerne & Appenzell*

SWISS TRAVEL PASS ITINERARIES

- 22 5 day Glacier Express holiday *Brig & Chur*
- 24 5 day Luzern-Interlaken Express holiday *Lucerne & Interlaken*
- 26 8 day Luzern-Interlaken Express & GoldenPass Line holiday *Lucerne & Montreux*
- 28 8 day Arosa Line, Glacier Express & Lötschberg Line holiday *Arosa & Spiez*
- 30 8 day Glacier Express & Bernina Express holiday *Zermatt & St. Moritz*
- 32 8 day Hidden Treasures with the Luzern-Interlaken Express, Lötschberg Line, Centovalli Line & Gotthard Panorama Express *Interlaken, Locarno & Lucerne*
- 34 8 day Glacier Express & Bernina Express holiday plus Furka Line steam train & Gotthard Panorama Express *St. Moritz, Andermatt & Lucerne*
- 36 12 day Gotthard Panorama Express & Luzern-Interlaken Express holiday *Ascona, Weggis & Wengen*
- 38 15 day Bernina Express, Glacier Express & Luzern-Interlaken Express holiday *Klosters, Brig & Weggis*

Special winter itineraries with a Swiss Travel Pass

- 40 4 day winter Luzern-Interlaken Express holiday *Lucerne*
- 42 15 day winter Grand Tour with Centovalli Line, Luzern-Interlaken Express, Lötschberg Line, Glacier Express, Bernina Express and Arosa Line *Locarno, Lucerne, Interlaken, Brig & Chur*

More holiday suggestions available swissholidayco.com

Bernina Express

Crossing the Alps from the towering glaciers of the mountains to the swaying palms of Italy, the Bernina Express is the highest mountain railway in the Alps.

This masterpiece of engineering skills combined with the glorious surrounding landscape has been recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.



The train climbs to an impressive 2,223m to the Bernina Pass and offers breathtaking views from the comfort of the panoramic carriages as you ride over graceful viaducts, beside galleries hewn from the sheer rock, and see rushing mountain streams, glaciers and even an alpine garden. The duration of the rail journey from St. Moritz to Tirano is around 2½ hours. From Tirano, the comfortable Bernina Express Bus takes you through Italy, past Lake Como and on to the resort of Lugano in 3 hours.

Suggested holidays are shown on the following pages

Defined scenic itineraries: 12, 14, 20

Swiss Travel Pass itineraries: 30, 34, 38, 42

Chur-Tirano - all year; Tirano-Lugano February-November.



Day trip from Chur, Davos, St. Moritz or Pontresina

Take a day trip on the Bernina Express to Italy with time for a leisurely lunch in Tirano. Enjoy crossing the Alps from Chur/Davos in around 4 hours or St.Moritz/Pontresina in around 2½ hours each way.



Glacier Express

A true highlight of a holiday to Switzerland is a journey on the Glacier Express. This is made all the more memorable with lunch served at your seat.



You need to set a full day aside for this remarkable journey from St. Moritz to Zermatt which takes over 7½ hours for the complete route. Alternatively Chur to Brig is around 4½ hours.

The journey in the 1st or 2nd class panoramic carriages takes you through unspoilt mountain scenery, deep gorges, gentle valleys and the impressive Oberalp Pass. The route features 91 tunnels and 291 bridges as it meanders its way across the Alps. Lunch is served at your seat while you watch the incredible landscape pass you by. English commentary available through your headphones.

Suggested holidays are shown on the following pages

Defined scenic itineraries: 14, 18, 20

Swiss Travel Pass itineraries: 22, 28, 30, 34, 38, 42

Available all year except 14 October-14 December.

Excellence Class is available on Tuesdays and Thursday-Sundays.



Dining on the Glacier Express

Dining is a leisurely experience, whilst the ever changing scenery slowly passes by giving you a moving picture of the Swiss countryside. Your pre-booked lunch, which is freshly prepared for you in the galley kitchen situated in the middle of the train, is served at your seat along with any refreshments you may require throughout your journey.



Excellence Class

This VIP carriage offers superb service with guaranteed window seats, a dedicated check in and an in-carriage bar. Snacks and soft drinks are provided throughout the day, as well as a superb lunch including wines and followed by afternoon tea. This is a fabulous way to enjoy the journey during an anniversary or birthday celebration and is available at a supplement in addition to the 1st class prices.

Luzern-Interlaken Express

is part of the **GoldenPass route which continues from Interlaken to Montreux.**

This scenic panoramic train connects the two great resorts of Lucerne and Interlaken in a two hour journey through the very heart of Switzerland, along the shores of crystal clear lakes and over the magnificent Brünig mountain pass.

Spectacular views of the Swiss Alps will accompany you all the way, starting from Lucerne and along the lakeside to Alpnachstad where the Pilatus cog railway starts its amazing ascent. You then head for the Brünig Pass which, at a height of over 1,000m, links Central Switzerland with the Bernese Oberland.



The journey takes you through Meiringen, where the Reichenbach Falls were made famous by Sherlock Holmes' watery end. At Brienz we again travel along the picturesque lakeside to Interlaken accompanied by stunning views towards the Jungfrau mountains.

Panoramic carriages with first and second class seating.

Bistro Car

While you enjoy the journey savour a drink, snack or a meal from the Bistro Car (most trains).

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Defined scenic itinerary: 18

Swiss Travel Pass itineraries: 24, 26, 32, 36, 38, 40, 42

Available all year.



GoldenPass Line

connects with the **Luzern-Interlaken Express** route.

A memorable journey along one of the most picturesque routes makes an unbeatable way to take in the scenery for which Switzerland is so famous.

This special journey takes around 3 hours and can be enjoyed in either direction between Interlaken and Montreux. The first leg takes you to Zweisimmen via beautiful lakeside villages such as Spiez. The second part of the journey is on the GoldenPass train. A leisurely 2 hours through the stunning Simmen Valley and past Gstaad culminates in a dramatic descent through Les Avants to Lake Geneva.



Chillon Castle, Montreux



First and second class seating is available.

There are modern, panoramic GoldenPass Line carriages on the journey between Zweisimmen and Montreux as well as 'Classic' dark blue carriages in the Belle Epoque style of the 'Orient Express' with plush upholstered seats.

Suggested holidays on the following pages

Defined scenic itineraries: 14, 18, 20

Swiss Travel Pass itinerary: 26

Available all year.

Gotthard Panorama Express

The 57km Gotthard Base Tunnel opened in 2016, but the Gotthard Panorama Express runs on the older, rather more picturesque route.

This is an enchanting journey combining a tranquil cruise along the length of Lake Lucerne with a train ride through the Gotthard mountains and the Italianate Ticino region.

Depart Lucerne for almost 3 hours of scenic cruising on the newest vessel in the fleet, the elegant MS Diamant motor boat. This is one of Switzerland's most beautiful lakes with a shoreline dotted with idyllic villages; the cruise also passes by the historic Rütli meadow, birthplace of the Swiss Confederation in 1291.

At Flüelen, you transfer to 1st class panoramic coaches of the Gotthard railway and travel through the original 15km alpine tunnel. The looping track in this section of the mountains gives amazing views of the landscape. Continue down through the Ticino region to Lugano or change in Bellinzona for Locarno. A multilingual guide accompanies you during the 2½ hour journey.

The journey can be enjoyed in either direction, the only difference being that the north bound boat journey takes place aboard a restored paddle steamer. Both north and south journeys are perfectly timed for lunch on the lake (not included in the price).

Suggested holidays on the following pages

Defined scenic itineraries: 12, 14, 20

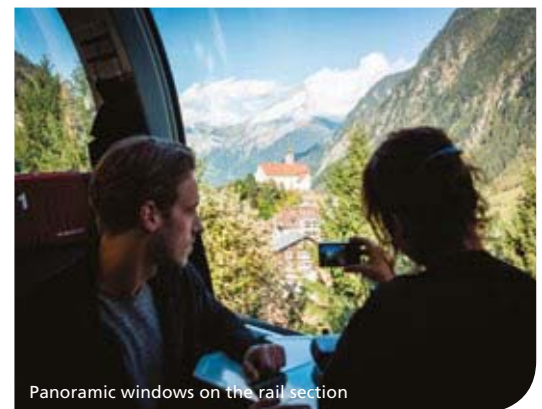
Swiss Travel Pass itineraries: 32, 34, 36

Available 18 April-18 October, Tuesdays-Sundays.

Travel on the route of the Gotthard Panorama Express is possible at all other times on a variety of boats and regional trains with a change at Erstfeld.



Gotthard Panorama Express lake boat



Panoramic windows on the rail section

Arosa Line This delightful line climbs 1,000m in one hour from Chur, the old capital of the Graubünden region, to the attractive resort of Arosa. The journey starts at a sedate trundle through the streets of Chur before climbing into unspoilt nature and mountainous landscape through some of the most dramatic scenery before winding its way into Arosa. **Available all year.**

Suggested holidays on pages 28, 42.

Centovalli Line Known as the 100 valleys, the line slowly meanders from Locarno in the Swiss Italian region of Ticino to Domodossola in Italy where you can join the main rail route through the Simplon Tunnel to Switzerland at Brig. The Centovalli Line twists its way past wonderful small villages in a constantly changing landscape before its final descent into Domodossola.

Available all year.

Suggested holidays on pages 32, 42.

Lötschberg Regio Express This route has a faster tunnel but we prefer the original, 100 year old line! From Brig, you can enjoy impressive views of the Rhone Valley, a descent featuring incredible loops around the remains of the Tellenburg Tower and the imposing Kander Viaduct. The journey continues towards Spiez around the sparkling Lake of Thun. **Available all year.**

Suggested holidays on pages 28, 32, 42.

Furka Line This wonderful journey is one of the most spectacular train routes in Switzerland. Originally built as part of the Glacier Express route over the Furka Pass, you can experience the lovingly restored steam locomotives and carriages as you travel over bridges and viaducts. The highest point is 2,160m and the views are simply outstanding.

Available June-October and reservations must be made in advance as there is limited availability.

Suggested holiday on page 34.

Pre-Alpine Express Also known as the Voralpen Express, this line connects the historic towns of Lucerne and St. Gallen, taking in some delightful Swiss countryside on the 2¼ hour journey. You'll experience views over the rolling, lush foothills of the Alps as well as idyllic villages and shimmering Lake Zurich. Standing at 99m high, the Sitter Viaduct is Switzerland's tallest railway bridge.

Available all year.

Suggested holidays on pages 16, 20.



Your holiday

The lakes and mountains in the holiday regions of Switzerland offer fabulous opportunities for experiencing unforgettable views, scenic lunches and delightful walks. The holidays in this brochure include either a special, defined route ticket or a Swiss Travel Pass. The former acts as a Half Fare Card, giving you up to 50% discounts on day trips while the latter offers free travel on mainline trains, buses, boats and up to a 50% discount on mountain transport. Please see opposite for further information.

Free mountain travel

A number of our alpine resorts also offer free travel cards during the summer months. This means that you can travel around on the local cable cars, mountain railways and funiculars at no cost when you stay 2-3 nights or more. Participating resorts in this brochure are St. Moritz, Arosa and Appenzell. You can find details of other resorts with free mountain travel (such as Pontresina, Saas-Fee, Villars and Adelboden) on our website. Cards are provided to guests upon check in. **When to travel in the mountains?** As a general guide to holidays in mountain resorts, you may wish to note that some cable cars and mountain railways only operate from late June to mid October and then again December to March. If there are particular trips that you wish to take during your holiday, we recommend checking operating dates before booking.

Rail travel from London

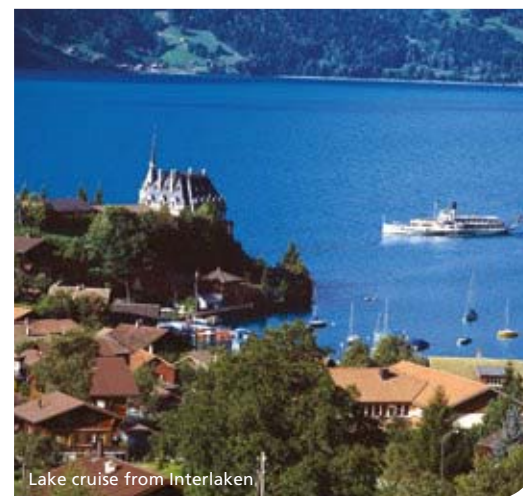
The holidays shown in this brochure include flights. You may, however, prefer to travel by rail all the way from London to your first resort. As well as enjoying the changing landscape through the continent, you'll have comfortable seats, more room than on an aircraft, and the opportunity to walk around and stretch your legs. Please call our team to find out more.

Financial protection

The Swiss Holiday Company is a member of ABTA (W6262) and the air holidays shown in this brochure are bonded by the Civil Aviation Authority (ATOL 3148), which protects any money you pay to us. In addition, we guarantee that no surcharges will be applied after you have confirmed your holiday booking and paid your deposit. You can find the booking conditions on the final page of our accompanying Lakes & Mountains brochure.



St. Moritz funicular



Lake cruise from Interlaken

Choosing your itinerary

The holidays in this brochure are based on two different rail tickets. The first section of holidays (green pages) include a special ticket with a defined scenic routing. The second and third sections (yellow and blue pages) include a Swiss Travel Pass. Each type of holiday has a fantastic combination of lakes and mountains resorts which make for an unforgettable Switzerland holiday. The differences are described below, but please do call us on **0800 619 1200** if you would like to discuss your plans further with our specialist team.

Defined Scenic Itineraries

Unbeatable value for money - pages 12-21

This rail ticket is designed to follow a set route around the country, incorporating between 2 and 7 resorts in superb locations. The journeys between resorts are based wherever possible on the famous scenic rail journeys such as the Glacier Express and Bernina Express. Because the routes are set, the ticket price is able to be kept to a minimum. This means that if you are happy with the itinerary suggested, this is a cost efficient way to enjoy a two or multi centre holiday in glorious Switzerland. Your ticket also acts as a Half Fare Card, with up to 50% discounts on day trips and excursions.

Flexibility

Amend the direction of travel (as long as the route is adhered to), stay longer in any of the named resorts, upgrade hotels, choose bed & breakfast or half board (evening meal), upgrade to 1st class rail travel.

We are happy to re-price your Defined Scenic Itinerary to one with a more flexible Swiss Travel Pass if you wish to add more resorts or change the routing.

Swiss Travel Pass Itineraries

Complete freedom to explore - pages 22-43

The Swiss Travel Pass allows you to travel between any resort at any time on mainline trains, PostBuses and boats. It therefore works very well for arranging itineraries which the defined routes would not cover, while still incorporating the amazing scenic train journeys. There are suggested itineraries for everything from short trips to week and fortnight long holidays in fabulous lakes and mountains locations across the country. Your Swiss Travel Pass also gives unlimited mainline travel for scenic day trips from your resorts, as well as up to 50% discounts on mountain travel.

Flexibility

Amend the direction of travel, add more resorts, change suggested resorts, add more nights in any resort, upgrade hotels, choose bed & breakfast or half board (evening meal), upgrade to 1st class rail travel.

Tailor-Made holidays

The holidays in this brochure are merely suggestions on ways to combine various scenic rail routes and the best lakes and mountains resorts. If you would like to create your own itinerary with a Swiss Travel Pass, we will be very happy to help you. We have access to 100s of hotels across the country and are sure to be able to help you.

7 day Glaciers and palm trees from the high Alps to scenic lakes

2 nights in St. Moritz, 2 nights in Lugano and 2 nights in Lucerne

Featuring the full journey of the Bernina Express and the Gotthard Panorama Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore St. Moritz for 2 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich with rail travel to St. Moritz. Your scenic journey starts at Chur as you travel on the route of the Glacier Express and the World Heritage Line to St. Moritz.

Day 2. Enjoy the high Alps of the upper Engadin valley

During the summer months you benefit from the **Engadin Card** which gives you free travel on the cable cars, funicular railways and local buses and trains in the area including the local cable car from St. Moritz to Piz Nair at a thrilling 3,057m.

Day 3. Bernina Express to Lugano for 2 nights

The Bernina Express offers magnificent views of alpine forests and mountain peaks as you travel towards the Italian border to Tirano. After time for a quick lunch, board the Bernina Bus for a journey through Italian countryside. You'll cross back into Switzerland and catch your first glimpse of lakeside Lugano. There will be time for an evening stroll along the stunning lake shore.

Day 4. Lugano, the Italian Ticino region of Switzerland

Soak up the Italian style atmosphere of this attractive lakeside resort. Your **Ticino Ticket** gives you free travel on the region's buses and trains to explore the area. You can even visit the medieval town of Bellinzona, which boasts three medieval castles. There are also discounts on the funiculars to visit the local mountains.

Day 5. Gotthard Panorama Express - a 1st class rail and boat journey to Lucerne for 2 nights

Take another look around the elegant town of Lugano before starting your most enjoyable journey to Lucerne. The 1st class panoramic carriages take you slowly upwards via the old Gotthard tunnel on looping mountain tracks, with some fabulous scenery to enjoy. On arrival in Flüelen in Central Switzerland you leave the train and join the paddle steamer on the 1st class upper deck, for a scenic cruise along the whole length of the lake to Lucerne.

Day 6. Free day in and around Lucerne

A day to explore this historic town at your leisure. Why not visit beautiful Mount Rigi, with a great choice of walking trails, restaurants and fantastic views over the lake, or travel to other regional mountains such as Pilatus, Stanserhorn and even the mighty Mount Titlis.

Day 7. Last day

The one hour train journey to Zurich airport allows you time for a last look around and perhaps lunch in Lucerne before your flight back to the UK.



Gotthard Panorama Express



Parco Ciani, Lugano



Bernina Express

Your Defined Scenic Itinerary

2 nights each in St. Moritz, Lugano & Lucerne

Prices from £996 per person staying in 3 star hotels or £1,335 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: May-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class rail travel covering the rail journeys described. 1st class on the Gotthard Panorama Express
- 6 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Bernina Express and 1st class on the Gotthard Panoramic Express
- Half Fare Card which entitles you to half or reduced price travel on all the excursions mentioned
- Engadin Card during the summer months offering FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars around St. Moritz
- Ticino Ticket offering free rail and bus travel and discounts on boats and mountain journeys
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Half Fare Card is valid on trains, scenic trains, PostBuses and most boats, mountain railways and cable cars. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in St. Moritz, Lugano & Lucerne
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel throughout £31
- Include half board

Switch to a Swiss Travel Pass with full flexibility to add resorts or change the routing for £123 2nd class. See page 11 for details



Lucerne

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

8 day Mini Grand Tour of Switzerland with Jungfrauoch option

2 nights in Interlaken, 1 night each in Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano and Lucerne

A special highlights of Switzerland itinerary for lovers of travel. Featuring GoldenPass Line, Glacier Express, Bernina Express and Gotthard Panorama Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore Interlaken for 2 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Interlaken. Check in to your hotel and enjoy your first look around Interlaken.

Day 2. Free time in and around Interlaken

Enjoy the fabulous scenery with a cruise on the lakes or take a trip to Schynige Platte or the Schilthorn mountain.

We have a special price on this tour of £58 if you decide to take the incomparable rail journey to Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe at 3,454m with amazing views over the glacier.

Day 3. GoldenPass Line to Montreux for 1 night

Enjoy views of Lake Thun as you depart Interlaken and head into the mountains and the Simmen Valley. After a change in Zweisimmen, it's on to the alpine resort of Gstaad, before the famous descent with fabulous views of Lake Geneva on your way down to Montreux. Spend an afternoon enjoying the delights of this impressive lakeside resort.

Day 4. Montreux, then travel to Zermatt for 1 night

The leisurely journey to Zermatt takes under 3 hours. You can therefore decide to linger in Montreux for lunch or head straight for the high Alps of Zermatt. From here, you could take a sunset journey to Gornergrat.

Day 5. Glacier Express to St. Moritz for 1 night

The full Glacier Express experience for a fabulously slow and scenic journey across the Alps, where you can enjoy unbeatable views through your panoramic windows. The Oberalp Pass, Rhine Gorge and Landwasser Viaduct are all highlights of the route, as is the 3 course lunch served at your seat. Enjoy an evening stroll around St. Moritz.

Day 6. Bernina Express to Lugano for 1 night

The Bernina Express offers magnificent views of alpine forests and mountain peaks as you travel towards the Italian border to Tirano. After time for a quick lunch, board the Bernina Bus for a journey through Italian countryside. You'll cross back into Switzerland and catch your first glimpse of lakeside Lugano. There will be time for an evening stroll along the stunning lake shore.

Day 7. Gotthard Panorama Express - a 1st class rail and boat journey to Lucerne for 1 night

Take another look around the elegant town of Lugano before starting your most enjoyable journey to



Matterhorn

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Day 8. Last day

The one hour train journey to Zurich airport allows you time for a last look around and perhaps lunch in Lucerne before your flight to the UK.

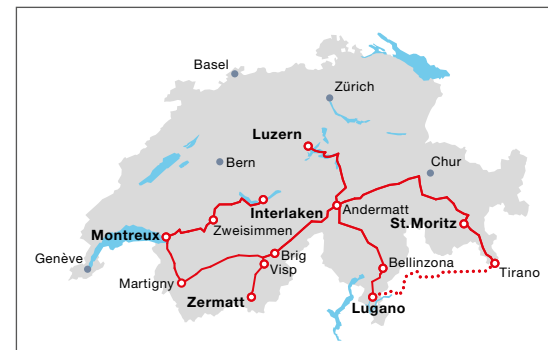


St. Moritz

Extra nights and excursions can be added to this holiday



Bernina Express



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Interlaken, Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano or Lucerne
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel throughout £102
- Include half board

Switch to a Swiss Travel Pass with full flexibility to add resorts or change the routing for £28 2nd class. See page 11 for details



Your Defined Scenic Itinerary

2 nights in Interlaken & 1 night each in Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano and Lucerne

Prices from £1,231 per person staying in 3 star hotels
or £1,460 staying in 4 star hotels

Include the train to Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe for £58 per person

Available: May-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class rail travel covering the rail journeys described. 1st class on the Gotthard Panorama Express
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the GoldenPass Line, Glacier Express including lunch, Bernina Express and 1st class on Gotthard Panoramic Express
- Half Fare Card which entitles you to half or reduced price travel on all the excursions mentioned
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Half Fare Card is valid on trains, scenic trains, PostBuses and most boats, mountain railways and cable cars. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

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8 day Explore the highlights of Eastern Switzerland with scenic Lake Lucerne

4 nights in Lucerne and 3 nights in Appenzell

The buzz of Lucerne and the tranquillity of Appenzell with an option of a cruise from Stein am Rhein to Schaffhausen

Day 1. Arrive and start to explore Lucerne for 4 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Lucerne. Check in to your hotel and enjoy your first look around Lucerne

Days 2-4. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

Lucerne, with its beautiful Old Town and lake is the perfect spot from which to explore the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time to cruise the lake and for the famous old cog railways to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. Other recommendations include Mount Pilatus and the Stanserhorn.

Day 5. The Pre-Alpine (Voralpen) Express from Lucerne via St. Gallen to Appenzell for 3 nights

Leave the delights of Lucerne on this appealing journey on board the Voralpen Express. You'll cross Lake Zurich to Rapperswil and enjoy the rolling hills, pristine villages and the Sitter Viaduct en route to St. Gallen. Change here to the charming local line to Appenzell for the last 30 minutes of your journey.

Days 6-7. Appenzell and its fabulous landscapes

This delightful small town has a beautiful old centre with many buildings which are ornately decorated with frescoes and date back to the 16th century. You benefit from the **Appenzeller Card**, allowing you to explore the countryside around Appenzell for free. This walkers' paradise has a number of local cable cars taking you to stunning alpine beauty spots. An option on one of your free days in Appenzell would be rail (09.15) to the delightful village of Stein am Rhein where you can join a cruise on the Rhine to Schaffhausen with rail back to Appenzell (17.30). An alternative day visit would be to the Rhine Falls - Europe's largest waterfall situated close to Schaffhausen.

Day 8. Last day

A choice of routes are available back to Zurich for your flight to the UK. There is a simple journey in 1hr 40 minutes or if you have the time return via local trains along Lake Konstanz to Schaffhausen in 3hrs 40 mins.



Aescher restaurant near Appenzell



Appenzell



Pre-Alpine Express

Extra nights and excursions can be added to this holiday



Lucerne



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Lucerne or Appenzell
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £40
- Include half board

Switch to a Swiss Travel Pass with full flexibility to add resorts or change the routing for £173 2nd class. See page 11 for details



Mount Pilatus

Your Defined Scenic Itinerary

4 nights in Lucerne & 3 nights in Appenzell

Prices from £994 per person staying in 3 star hotels
or £1,294 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: all year

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class rail travel covering all rail journeys described
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- Half Fare Card which entitles you to half or reduced price travel on all the excursions mentioned
- Appenzeller Card with free local and mountain travel
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

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12 day Scenic Highlights tour of Switzerland

3 nights each in Lucerne & Interlaken, 2 nights each in Montreux & Zermatt and 1 night Chur

Scenic rail journeys with lakes & mountains highlights

Day 1. Arrive and explore charming Lucerne for 3 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Lucerne.

Check in to your hotel and enjoy your first look round Lucerne and get your bearings.

Days 2-3. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

Lucerne, with its beautiful Old Town and lake is the perfect spot from which to explore the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. Other recommendations include Mount Pilatus and the Stanserhorn.

Day 4. Luzern-Interlaken Express to Interlaken for 3 nights

The Luzern-Interlaken Express travels over the amazing Brünig Pass and alongside scenic Lake Brienz. This memorable journey takes two hours, so you will have plenty of time to start exploring Interlaken upon arrival.

Days 5-6. In and around the Bernese Oberland

Enjoy the fabulous scenery with a cruise around the two lakes of Thun and Brienz, travel into the stunning Jungfrau mountains where you can experience the incomparable rail journey to the Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe. You may also like to consider scenic trips to the Schynige Platte and the Schilthorn mountain. Interlaken is a great base to explore the region but don't miss a visit to the Harder Kulm - Interlaken's own special mountain.

Day 7. GoldenPass Line to Montreux for 2 nights

Enjoy views of Lake Thun as you depart Interlaken and head into the mountains and the Simmen Valley. After a change in Zweisimmen, it's on to the alpine resort of Gstaad, before the famous descent with fabulous views of Lake Geneva on your way down to Montreux.

Day 8. Montreux and Lake Geneva

Montreux is one of the oldest resorts in Switzerland, with cafés and a wonderful promenade which you can follow to romantic Chillon Castle. The mountain railway to Les Rochers-de-Naye is one of the highlights with spectacular views or as an alternative visit the vineyards at Lavaux.

Day 9. Travel to Zermatt for 2 nights

Today you travel from the Lake to the high Alps where you will get your first glimpse of the Matterhorn mountain which dominates this alpine village.

Day 10. Zermatt and the Valais region

Mountain railways and cable cars are waiting to transport you to the famous sightseeing spots such as Gornergrat, the idyllic lake of Schwarzsee or Klein Matterhorn at 3,883m. The holiday atmosphere in car-free Zermatt is a joy in itself.

Day 11. Glacier Express to Chur for 1 night

Join the start of the Glacier Express to Chur which takes around 5½ hours. You will be served lunch while travelling through the picturesque Goms Valley en route to the highest point of the journey, the Oberalp Pass at 2,044m. Before arriving in Chur you travel along the Rhine and through the Grand Canyon of Switzerland which makes a spectacular finale to your journey.

Day 12. Last day

Time for a look around Chur, Switzerland's oldest town, before you take the train back to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.



Gornergrat



GoldenPass Line



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Lucerne, Interlaken, Montreux, or Zermatt
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £144
- Include half board

Switch to a Swiss Travel Pass with full flexibility to add resorts or change the routing for £110 2nd class. See page 11 for details



Your Defined Scenic Itinerary

3 nights each in Lucerne & Interlaken, 2 nights each in Montreux & Zermatt and 1 night in Chur

Prices from £1,544 per person staying in 3 star hotels or £1,856 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: April-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from Heathrow to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class rail travel covering the rail journeys described
- 11 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express, GoldenPass Line and Glacier Express
- Half Fare Card which entitles you to half or reduced price travel on all the excursions mentioned
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Half Fare Card is valid on trains, scenic trains, PostBuses and most boats, mountain railways and cable cars. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

17 day Grand Scenic Train Tour of Switzerland

3 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights each in Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz & Lugano, 3 nights in Lucerne and 2 nights in Appenzell

Experience five scenic rail journeys with seven stunning resorts across Switzerland

Day 1. Arrive and explore Interlaken for 3 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Interlaken. Check in to your hotel and start to get to know the town.

Days 2-3. In and around the Bernese Oberland

Enjoy the fabulous scenery with a cruise around the two lakes of Thun and Brienz or travel into the stunning Jungfrau mountains where you can experience the incomparable rail journey to the Jungfrau-Joch-Top of Europe.

Day 4. GoldenPass Line to Montreux for 2 nights

Enjoy views of Lake Thun as you depart Interlaken and head into the mountains. After a change in Zweisimmen, it's on to the alpine resort of Gstaad, before the famous descent with fabulous views of Lake Geneva on your way down to Montreux.

Day 5. Montreux and Lake Geneva

Montreux is one of the oldest resorts in Switzerland, with cafés and a wonderful promenade which you can follow to the romantic Chillon Castle. The mountain railway to Les Rochers-de-Naye has spectacular views or you could visit the vineyards at Lavaux.

Day 6. Travel to Zermatt for 2 nights

Today you travel from the Lake to the high Alps where you will get your first glimpse of the Matterhorn mountain which dominates this charming car-free, alpine village.

Day 7. Zermatt and the Valais region

Mountain railways and cable cars are waiting to transport you to the famous sightseeing spots such as Gornergrat, the idyllic lake of Schwarzsee or Klein Matterhorn at 3,883m.

Day 8. Glacier Express to St. Moritz for 2 nights

Join the leisurely Glacier Express train on its journey to St. Moritz. This wonderful journey takes 7½ hours in the comfort of panoramic coaches where a 3 course lunch is served at your table. Highlights of this classic route through the mountains include the Oberalp Pass, Rhine Gorge and the Landwasser Viaduct.

Day 9. St. Moritz and the Upper Engadin region

Lively St. Moritz is famous for its chic restaurants and shops. During the summer months, your visit is greatly enhanced by the **Engadin Card** with FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars. This gives you unlimited access to wonderful walks and excursions.

Day 10. Bernina Express to Lugano for 2 nights

Magnificent views of alpine forests and mountain peaks as you travel to the Italian border. Change in Tirano to the Bernina Bus for a journey through the countryside before

crossing back into Switzerland and lakeside Lugano. There will be time for an evening 'passegiata' along the stunning lake shore.

Day 11. Lugano and the Ticino region

Soak up the Italian style atmosphere of the attractive lakeside resort of Lugano. Take a relaxing lake cruise to the picturesque village of Gandria for lunch or enjoy the local mountains of Monte Brè and Monte San Salvatore for stunning views over the lake and the wider region.

Day 12. 1st class Gotthard Panorama Express to Lucerne for 3 nights

A most enjoyable rail and boat journey. The comfortable train with 1st class panoramic carriages takes you slowly upwards on looping mountain tracks, with some fabulous scenery to enjoy. On arrival in Flüelen you'll join the paddle steamer on the 1st class upper deck for a scenic cruise along the whole length of the lake to Lucerne.

Days 13-14. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

Lucerne, with its beautiful Old Town and lake is the perfect spot from which to explore the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for the famous old cog railways to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. Other recommendations include Mount Pilatus and the Stanserhorn.

Day 15. The Pre-Alpine (Voralpen) Express from Lucerne via St. Gallen to Appenzell for 2 nights

A charming journey on board the Voralpen Express, crossing Lake Zurich to Rapperswil. Enjoy the rolling hills and the Sitter Viaduct en route to St. Gallen where you change to the local line to Appenzell.

Day 16. Delightful Appenzell

This delightful small town has a beautiful old centre with many buildings which are ornately decorated with frescoes and date back to the 16th century. Around Appenzell is a walkers' paradise with a number of local cable cars taking you to stunning alpine beauty spots. Extend your stay to 3 nights and you'll benefit from the Appenzeller Card, allowing you to explore the nearby mountains for free.

Day 17. Last day

A choice of routes are available back to Zurich for your flight to the UK. There is a simple journey in 1hr 40 mins or if you have the time return via local trains along Lake Konstanz to Schaffhausen in 3hrs 40mins.

Extra nights and excursions can be added to this holiday



Glacier Express



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Interlaken, Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano, Lucerne or Appenzell
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £110
- Include half board



Lake Geneva, Montreux

Your Defined Scenic Itinerary

3 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights each in Montreux, Zermatt, St. Moritz, Lugano, 3 nights Lucerne & 2 nights in Appenzell
 Prices from £1,885 per person staying in 3 star hotels
 or £2,455 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: April-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from Heathrow to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class rail travel covering all rail journeys described. 1st class on the Gotthard Panorama Express
- 16 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the GoldenPass Line, Glacier Express, Bernina Express and 1st class on the Gotthard Panorama Express
- Half Fare Card which entitles you to half or reduced price travel on all the excursions mentioned
- Engadin Card during the summer months offering FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars around St. Moritz
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Half Fare Card is valid on trains, scenic trains, PostBuses and most boats, mountain railways and cable cars. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

5 day Glacier Express holiday

2 nights in Brig and 2 nights in Chur

Combining two historical towns with lunch on the Glacier Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore historic Brig

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Brig.

Check in to your hotel for your 2 night stay and enjoy Brig at the crossroads to the high Alps.

Day 2. Free day in and around Brig

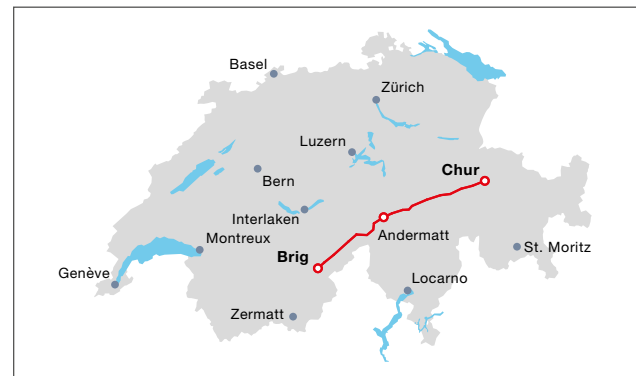
Brig boasts the impressive Stockalper's Castle, a famous baroque palace which showcases the town's rich history. You could use your **Swiss Travel Pass** to take a FREE day trip to the high alpine resort of Zermatt or lakeside Locarno on the picturesque Centovalli Line. Alternatively you can head for the Aletsch Glacier, with amazing views of this UNESCO World Heritage Site (cable cars payable locally).

Day 3. Glacier Express to Chur for 2 nights

The journey from Brig to Chur takes around 4 hours. You will be served lunch while travelling through the picturesque Goms Valley en route to the highest point of the journey, the Oberalp Pass at 2,044m. Before arriving in Chur you travel along the Rhine and through the Grand Canyon of Switzerland which makes a spectacular finale to your journey.

Day 4. Free day in and around Chur

Chur is Switzerland's oldest town and has a delightful centre. It also makes a wonderful base from which to explore the region. Use your **Swiss Travel Pass** to visit celebrated St. Moritz for shopping and views of



the high Alps, or try the charming resort of Arosa – the Arosa Line is another fabulous scenic journey that should be on your list.

Day 5. Last day

Time for a last look around Chur before you take the train back to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.



Walking in the Aletsch Arena



Chur



Glacier Express



Glacier Express

Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Brig or Chur
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

2 nights in Brig and 2 nights in Chur

Prices from £973 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: All year except 14 October-14 December

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class 8 day Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 4 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express from Brig to Chur including lunch
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.



Brig

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

5 day Luzern-Interlaken Express holiday

2 nights in Lucerne and 2 nights in Interlaken

Switzerland's best known resorts with a glittering choice of excursions

Day 1. Arrive and explore charming Lucerne

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Lucerne.

Check in to your hotel for your 2 night stay and enjoy your first glimpse of Lucerne.

Day 2. Free day in and around Lucerne

Lucerne has a beautiful Old Town to explore. With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, Lucerne is also the perfect spot from which to enjoy FREE travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass. Travel to mountains such as Pilatus is available at 50% reduction.

Day 3. Luzern-Interlaken Express to Interlaken for 2 nights

Time to relax and enjoy your 2 hour journey over the Brünig Pass and alongside the scenic lake to Interlaken. After check in you will have time to get a flavour of this interesting town.

Day 4. Free day in and around the Bernese Oberland

With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, explore the lakes of Brienz and Thun which have wonderful cruises to idyllic lakeside villages. You can also travel up to visit mountain villages such as Wengen. The pass also gives a 50% reduction to the alpine viewpoints of Harder Kulm, Schynige Platte and the Schilthorn – or try the Brienz Rothorn steam train, a treat for any rail enthusiast.

Day 5. Last day

Time for a last look around Interlaken before you take the train back to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.





Schynige Platte, near Interlaken

Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Lucerne or Interlaken
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Change your stay to a quiet lakeside village such as Weggis or Brunnen instead of Lucerne
- Change to a car-free mountain retreat like Müren or Wengen instead of Interlaken
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



View over Interlaken

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

2 nights in Lucerne and 2 nights in Interlaken

Prices from £885 per person in 3 star hotels or £1,057 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: All year

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 2nd class 8 day Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 4 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express
- Fully detailed itinerary
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

8 day Holiday in two of Switzerland's top lakeside resorts

4 nights in Lucerne and 3 nights in Montreux

A memorable journey on the GoldenPass Line linking two diverse Swiss lakes

Day 1. Arrive and explore Lucerne for 4 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Lucerne. After a one hour journey, there's time to enjoy your first glimpse of Lucerne.

Days 2-4. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, Lucerne is the perfect spot from which to enjoy FREE travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass along with trips further afield: Bern or Lake Constance on the German border. Pilatus and other mountain railways and cable cars are available at a 50% reduction.

Day 5. Luzern-Interlaken Express and GoldenPass Line to Montreux for 3 nights

The Luzern-Interlaken Express travels over the amazing Brünig Pass and alongside scenic Lake Brienz. This memorable journey takes two hours where you change trains in Interlaken for your onward journey. Enjoy views of Lake Thun as you depart Interlaken and head into the mountains and the Simmen Valley. After a change in Zweisimmen, it's on to the alpine resort of Gstaad, before the famous descent with fabulous views of Lake Geneva into Montreux.

Days 6-7. Montreux and Lake Geneva

Montreux is one of the oldest resorts in Switzerland, with cafés and a wonderful promenade which you can follow to romantic Chillon Castle. Your **Swiss Travel Pass** gives you FREE travel on the lake boats and mainline trains so you can visit Geneva for the day or Lausanne and the vineyards at Lavaux. The mountain railway to Les Rochers-de-Naye at 50% reduction is highly recommended for spectacular views.

Day 8. Last day

Time for your last look around before your journey back to the UK.



Lavaux Vineyards, near Montreux



Lake Lucerne



Mount Rigi in winter



GoldenPass Line



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Lucerne or Montreux
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

4 nights in Lucerne and 3 nights in Montreux
Prices from £1,160 per person staying in 3 star hotels
or £1,590 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: All year

Price includes:

- Scheduled flight from London to Zurich and return from Geneva (flights are available from around the UK)
- 8 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express and GoldenPass Line
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.



Montreux

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

8 day Exploring two charming Swiss lakes and mountain resorts

3 nights in Arosa and 4 nights in Spiez

Three contrasting scenic journeys connect the mountains with the lakes - Arosa Line, Glacier Express including lunch and the Lötschberg Line

Day 1. Arrive and explore Arosa for 3 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Arosa. The final one hour journey from Chur on the Arosa Line is a pure delight. Check in to your hotel after your first glimpse of Arosa.

Days 2-3. Enjoy the high Alps around Arosa

Arosa is an attractive resort divided into two: Innerarosa (the original village) and the main resort. With the benefit from the **FREE Arosa Card** from mid-June to mid-October, you have free use of all the cable cars of Arosa which enables you to enjoy unlimited access to the mountains and the lovely walking areas. Your **Swiss Travel Pass** also gives you free travel to Chur and up to St. Moritz and to enjoy the famous World Heritage Albula-Bernina railway line.

Day 4. Exceptional journey including 3 scenic routes to Spiez for 4 nights

Your journey starts with the picturesque Arosa Line to Chur where you join the Glacier Express. You will be served lunch at your seat and enjoy views of the Rhine and the Grand Canyon of Switzerland. The highest point of the journey comes as you cross the Oberalp Pass at 2,044m, then it's down to the scenic Goms Valley. On arrival in Brig, you change to the Lötschberg Line which takes you through the mountains to Spiez.

Days 5-7. Explore the Bernese Oberland with your Swiss Travel Pass

Spiez is uniquely situated on Lake Thun for a leisurely cruise and waterside strolls. It also has rail connections to Bern, Gstaad and Montreux on the GoldenPass Line and to Interlaken and Lucerne. All these journeys can be enjoyed free with your **Swiss Travel Pass**, or you can explore the Bernese mountains at a 50% discount. Spiez itself has a beautiful lakeside setting nestling among hills and vineyards with its own picturesque medieval castle.

Day 8. Last day

Time for your last look around this delightful village for your journey back to Zurich airport including the Luzern-Interlaken Express.



Spiez Castle



Arosa



Glacier Express



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Arosa or Spiez
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



Arosa Line

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

Prices from £1,263 per person staying in 3 star hotels
or £1,492 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: All year except 14 October-14 December

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 8 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express including lunch
- Arosa All-Inclusive Card during the summer months offering FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars around Arosa
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

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8 day Glacier Express and Bernina Express holiday

3 nights in Zermatt and 4 nights in St. Moritz

A true highlight of a holiday to Switzerland is a journey on the Glacier Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Zermatt.

Check in to your hotel for your 3 night stay and enjoy your first views of the Matterhorn mountain.

Days 2-3. Zermatt and the Valais region

Zermatt is surrounded by awesome mountains, the most famous being the Matterhorn, which dominates this traditional alpine village. Enjoy your time in car-free Zermatt and be sure to experience one of the unmissable mountain journeys with 50% reduction, such as the network of cable cars to Klein Matterhorn - which at 3,883m is the highest sightseeing point in Europe. Try an alternative view from the idyllic lake of Schwarzsee at the foot of the Matterhorn, or take the cog railway to the pure air and mountain restaurants of the Gornergrat. You will not be disappointed by the views and walking routes in this stunning alpine region.

Day 4. Glacier Express to St. Moritz

On the fourth day you will join the leisurely Glacier Express train on its journey to St. Moritz in the scenic Upper Engadin region. This wonderful journey takes 7½ hours in the comfort of special panoramic coaches where a 3 course lunch is served at your table and refreshments are available throughout your trip. Highlights of this classic route through the mountains include the Oberalp Pass, Rhine Gorge and the Landwasser Viaduct. Enjoy your first sight of the beautiful countryside of the Upper Engadin and St. Moritz, your home for a 4 night stay.

Days 5-7. St. Moritz and the Upper Engadin region

During the summer months, your visit is greatly enhanced by the **Engadin Card** with FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars. This gives you unlimited access to wonderful walks and excursions, including the excellent panoramic walk at Alp Languard with views over the Bernina massif. Other recommendations include the funicular to Corviglia, connecting to the cable car to Piz Nair at 3,057m and the glacier station of Diavolezza, where you can enjoy lunch while admiring the unforgettable mountain scenery. We include a **trip on the Bernina Express** to Tirano in Italy – with time to enjoy an Italian lunch!

Day 8. Last day

Time for a last look around before you take the train to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.





St Moritz



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add extra nights in Zermatt or St. Moritz
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Change your Engadin stay to the quieter village of Pontresina instead of St. Moritz
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



Glacier Express

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

3 nights in Zermatt and 4 nights in St. Moritz
Prices from £1,284 per person in 3 star hotels
or £1,572 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: all year except 14 October-14 December

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 8 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express from Zermatt to St. Moritz including lunch
- 2nd class return reserved seats on the Bernina Express from St. Moritz to Tirano
- Engadin Card during the summer months offering FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars around St. Moritz
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

8 day Hidden Treasures of Switzerland's lakes and mountains

2 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights in Locarno and 3 nights in Lucerne

Charming scenic journeys Luzern-Interlaken Express, Lötschberg & Centovalli Lines and Gotthard Panorama Express

Day 1. Arrive in Interlaken for 2 nights via the Luzern-Interlaken Express

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Lucerne to join the Luzern-Interlaken Express.

Check in to your hotel and enjoy your first look round Interlaken and get your bearings.

Day 2. In and around the Bernese Oberland

Enjoy the fabulous scenery with a cruise around the two lakes of Thun and Brienz, travel into the stunning Jungfrau mountains where you can experience the incomparable rail journey to the Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe. You may also like to consider scenic trips to the Schynige Platte and the Schilthorn mountain. Interlaken is a great base to explore the region but don't miss a visit to the Harder Kulm - Interlaken's own special mountain. Your **Swiss Travel Pass** offers up to 50% discount on all mountain visits.

Day 3. Travel on two lesser known scenic journeys to Locarno for 2 nights

Depart Interlaken by rail to Spiez and join the Lötschberg Line to Brig on the old, looping route via Kandersteg. Onward travel is by international train to Domodossola in Italy where you board the charming Centovalli Line to Locarno. Although there are three changes on this route it is well worthwhile to enjoy the changing scenery.

Day 4. Enjoy the Ticino region of Switzerland

Situated on the shore of Lake Maggiore and enjoying the balmy sunshine, Locarno really is an ideal place to relax and enjoy the dolce vita. As well as the sparkling lake, visitors are treated to beautiful views of the green foothills of the southern Alps. The famous Piazza Grande offers boutique shops and an inviting Mediterranean-style café culture. The Ticino ticket gives you free travel on the region's buses and trains.

Day 5. Gotthard Panorama Express - a 1st class rail and boat journey to Lucerne for 3 nights

Firstly travel to Bellinzona to join the 1st class panoramic carriages of the Gotthard Panorama Express, which then takes you slowly upwards via the old Gotthard tunnel on looping mountain tracks, with some fabulous scenery to enjoy. On arrival in Flüelen in Central Switzerland you leave the train and join the paddle steamer on the 1st class upper deck, for a scenic cruise along the whole length of the lake to historic Lucerne.

Days 6-7. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, Lucerne is the perfect spot from which to enjoy FREE travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass along with trips further afield: Bern or Lake Constance on the German border. Pilatus and other mountain railways and cable cars are available at a 50% reduction.

Day 8. Last day

The one hour train journey to Zurich airport allows you time for a last look around and perhaps lunch in Lucerne before your flight to the UK.



Cable car to the Stanserhorn



Locarno



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Interlaken, Locarno or Lucerne
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel throughout £179
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



Your Swiss Travel Pass itinerary

2 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights in Locarno and 3 nights in Lucerne
 Prices from £1,190 per person staying in 3 star hotels
 or £1,514 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: April-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from Heathrow to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 8 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express and 1st class on the Gotthard Panorama Express
- Fully detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

8 day Glacier Express, Bernina Express, Furka Cogwheel Steam Railway & the Gotthard Panorama Express

2 nights in St. Moritz, 2 nights in Andermatt and 3 nights in Lucerne

A journey to Switzerland's high Alps and great lakes with a touch of nostalgia on the Furka Railway

Day 1. Arrive and explore

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to St. Moritz. Check in to your hotel for your 2 night stay and enjoy your first look around St. Moritz.

Day 2. St. Moritz and the Upper Engadin region

Your visit to St. Moritz includes a **day trip on the famous Bernina Express**. This amazing scenic journey transports you across the Alps and down to the Italian town of Tirano where you can wander through the lively piazzas and find a welcoming trattoria for lunch.

Day 3. Glacier Express to Andermatt

Join the panoramic coaches of the Glacier Express for your memorable journey to the small mountain resort of Andermatt. A 3 course lunch is served at your table and refreshments are available throughout your trip. Highlights of this classic route through the mountains include the Landwasser Viaduct and the Rhine Gorge. Andermatt is a high altitude resort and a perfect place for the Furka Steam Railway and your 2 night stay.

Day 4. A journey on the Furka Cogwheel Steam Railway

Limited departures from mid-June to early October.

The Furka railway was formed after this section was no longer needed by the Glacier Express trains and operates on 17.8km of track from Realp to Oberwald. Andermatt is a short rail journey from Realp for the start of your nostalgic journey on the Furka railway which takes 2 hours 15 minutes in each direction.

Day 5. Andermatt to Lucerne on the Gotthard Panorama Express

After leaving the charming resort of Andermatt you travel on a local train to Göschenen where you join the Gotthard Panorama Express which is famous for its three different views of Wassen church as it twists and turns down towards Flüelen. Here you continue by travelling on a lake steamer along the full length of Lake Lucerne in 2½ hours. Check in for 3 nights in Lucerne.

Days 6-7. In Lucerne which encapsulates all that you expect from a Swiss holiday

With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, Lucerne is the perfect spot from which to enjoy **FREE** travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass along with trips further afield: Bern or Lake Constance on the German border. Pilatus and other mountain railways and cable cars are available at a 50% reduction.

Day 8. Last day

Time for a last look around Lucerne before you take the train to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.



St. Moritz



Lucerne



Gotthard Panorama Express



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add extra nights in St. Moritz, Andermatt or Lucerne
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Change your Engadin stay to the quieter village of Pontresina instead of St. Moritz
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass and Furka Railway £146
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



Furka Line

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

2 nights in St. Moritz, 2 nights in Andermatt and 3 nights in Lucerne

Prices from £1,456 per person in 3 star hotels or £1,778 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: June-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 8 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 7 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class return reserved seats on the Bernina Express from St. Moritz to Tirano
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express from St. Moritz to Andermatt including lunch
- 2nd class return tickets with reserved seats on the Furka Railway from Realp to Oberwald
- 1st class reserved seats on the Gotthard Panorama Express from Göschenen to Lucerne
- Engadin Card during the summer months offering FREE transport including mountain railways and cable cars around St. Moritz
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

The Swiss Travel Pass is valid on trains, PostBuses, boats and scenic trains. Travel on mountain railways and cable cars is up to 50% reduction. Optional excursions may not operate year round, please check before booking.

To book call 0800 619 1200 swissholidayco.com

12 day Gotthard Panorama Express and Luzern-Interlaken Express

3 nights in Ascona, 4 nights in Weggis and 4 nights in Wengen

Small is beautiful with three of Switzerland's outstanding lakes and mountain destinations

Day 1. Arrive and explore the lakeside resort of Ascona

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with train travel to Locarno and a short taxi transfer to Ascona.

Check in to your hotel for your 3 night stay and enjoy your first taste of this welcoming lakeside resort.

Days 2-3. Ascona and the Ticino region

Ascona is a lovely resort in a beautiful setting on the Italian Lake Maggiore. There is an extremely pretty Old Town with a network of narrow passageways and squares, full of interesting shops and restaurants. With your **Swiss Travel Pass** you can travel on the Centovalli Line and enjoy lunch in the Italian town of Domodossola or stop off at one of the delightful villages and enjoy many walking opportunities in the local mountains. This delightful area also includes the region's historical capital, Bellinzona, with its fabulous Saturday market and three castles to explore.

Day 4. Gotthard Panorama Express to Weggis

A short journey to Bellinzona to join the rail section of the Gotthard Panorama Express. Highlights of this spectacular journey include the original Gotthard Tunnel, the Devil's Bridge and the looping mountain track with unbeatable views. At Flüelen, you'll board the vintage paddle steamer or saloon motor vessel for a leisurely cruise along Lake Lucerne. The cruise gently takes you past many beautiful sights such as the historic Rütli meadow en route to Weggis, where you'll stay for 4 nights.

Days 5-7. Weggis and Central Switzerland

The delightful lakeside resort of Weggis is a peaceful village nestling below Mount Rigi. With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, you enjoy FREE travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass. The historic town of Lucerne is nearby and has wonderful sightseeing, shopping and restaurants. Other trips further afield: Bern or Lake Constance on the German border.

Day 8. Travel to Wengen, including the Luzern-Interlaken Express

Today starts with a boat trip to Lucerne to join the panoramic train Luzern-Interlaken Express. This particularly scenic route climbs 566m, featuring a section from Giswil where the train needs to engage its cog rail system to overcome a gradient four times steeper than the famous Gotthard line. The journey continues to Meiringen, famous as a starting point for visits into the gorges and mountain lakes of the area, before

following the shore of Lake Brienz into Interlaken. Change here for the train to the beautiful mountain resort of Wengen for 4 nights.

Days 9-11. Wengen and the Bernese Oberland region

Wengen is a perennial favourite - an idyllic traffic-free village in the mountains, with picturesque buildings and stunning views from the sunny Wengen plateau. Your **Swiss Travel Pass** offers up to 50% off a wealth of excursions to enjoy. You are spoilt for choice with Männlichen just a cable car away for lovely walks. Head down the valley to Lauterbrunnen and the Trümmelbach Falls or cross the mountains to visit Mürren and the Schilthorn mountain with its revolving restaurant. The high Alps are ever present and truly glorious.

Day 12. Last day

Time for a last look around Wengen before the return rail travel to Zurich airport for your flight to the UK.





Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add extra nights in Ascona, Weggis or Wengen
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £183
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

3 nights in Ascona, 4 nights in Weggis and 4 nights in Wengen

Prices from £1,670 per person in 3 star hotels

or £1,779 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: April-October

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 15 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 11 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 1st class reserved seats on the Gotthard Panorama Express from Bellinzona to Weggis
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern–Interlaken Express
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

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15 day Bernina Express, Glacier Express including lunch & Luzern-Interlaken Express

4 nights in Klosters, 4 nights in Brig and 6 nights in Weggis

These wonderful resorts enable you to explore three diverse areas, from the high Alps & glaciers to the serenity of Lake Lucerne

Day 1. Arrive and explore Klosters for 4 nights

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Klosters. Check into your hotel and enjoy your first look around Klosters.

Days 2-4. Enjoy exploring the high Alps in this beautiful mountainous region

Klosters is a charming, relaxed alpine village with plenty of access to the mountains including the family mountain Madrisa and the excellent walking area on Gotschnagrat (2,293m). During the summer months, the gondola and cable car are available to you at a special price of 10 Sfrs per day with your Davos/Klosters Card. Your **Swiss Travel Pass** gives you FREE travel to St. Moritz, Chur and Arosa. **A scenic day trip through the mountains on the incomparable Bernina Express panoramic train to Tirano is included in your holiday.**

Day 5. Travel to Brig for 4 nights via Chur on the Glacier Express including lunch

You travel down to Chur to join the Glacier Express. This famous journey travels through the awesome Rhine Gorge and over the Alps via the impressive Oberalp Pass at 2,044m. It's then through the gentle valleys to the town of Brig.

Days 6-8. Free days in and around Brig

Brig boasts the impressive Stockalper's Castle, a famous baroque palace which showcases the town's rich history. You could use your **Swiss Travel Pass** to take a FREE day trip to the high alpine resort of Zermatt or to lakeside Locarno on the picturesque Centovalli Line. Alternatively, you can head for the Aletsch Glacier, with fabulous walking and amazing views of this UNESCO World Heritage Site (cable cars payable locally).

Day 9. Experience two scenic journeys to the lakeside resort of Weggis for 6 nights

Travel on the Lötschberg Line to Spiez through the original 100 year old tunnel and loops around the Tellenburg Tower and the imposing Kander Viaduct. Onward travel takes you to Interlaken to join the Luzern-Interlaken Express before enjoying the boat ride from Lucerne to Weggis.

Days 10-14. Weggis and Central Switzerland

The delightful lakeside resort of Weggis is a peaceful village nestling below Mount Rigi. With your **Swiss Travel Pass**, you enjoy FREE travel around the dramatic scenery of Central Switzerland. You should make time for a lake cruise and the famous old cog railway to the stunning peak of Mount Rigi. The Stanserhorn open top deck cable car and Klewenalp are also included free with your Swiss Travel Pass. The historic town of Lucerne is nearby and has wonderful sightseeing, shopping and restaurants. Other trips further afield: Bern or Lake Constance on the German border.

Day 15. Last day

Time for your last look around this delightful village for your journey back to Zurich airport.



Lake Lucerne



Brig



Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add additional nights in Klosters, Brig or Weggis
- Upgrade your hotel rooms
- Upgrade to 1st class rail travel £183
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

4 nights in Klosters, 4 nights in Brig and 6 nights in Weggis

Prices from £2,476 per person staying in 3 star hotels
or £2,893 staying in 4 star hotels

Available: All year except 14 October-14 December

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 15 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 14 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express, Bernina Express and Luzern-Interlaken Express
- Premium Card during the summer months offering mountain railways and cable cars around Klosters for 10 Sfrs per day
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

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4 day winter scenic rail break to Switzerland's snow-covered mountains

3 nights in Lucerne

Switzerland's winter landscape featuring the Luzern-Interlaken Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore Lucerne

Flight from the UK to Zurich with rail travel to Lucerne.

Check in to your hotel for your 3 night stay and enjoy the beautiful sights of Lucerne's lakeside.

Day 2. A day on Mount Rigi

The Queen of the Mountains, Rigi is one of the most popular days out from Lucerne. There are a variety of ways to reach the mountain, all covered with your **Swiss Travel Pass**. One particularly enjoyable route is to cruise along the lake to Vitznau and then travel up on Europe's oldest cogwheel railway. You can return via cable car to Weggis, then cruise or bus back to Lucerne. The mountain itself offers winter walking trails and lovely views while you enjoy a hot drink in a mountain restaurant.

Day 3. Luzern-Interlaken Express to Interlaken

Today visit Interlaken on this wonderful route over the Brünig Pass and alongside Lake Brienz to the famous resort. The journey takes around 2 hours each way. If you feel like exploring further, why not travel on the Jungfrau railway through Lauterbrunnen Valley up to the picturesque skiing village of Wengen with its welcoming bars and fabulous views. This journey is also included with your **Swiss Travel Pass**.

Day 4. Last day

As Lucerne is only an hour away from Zurich airport you have time to further explore Lucerne's beautiful historic Old Town before you take the train for your flight to the UK.

This is only a suggested itinerary which shows you some of the wonderful trips you can do from Lucerne. You could decide on a visit to Switzerland's historic capital Bern, which would also be included with your Swiss Travel Pass.





Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add extra nights in Lucerne
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £121
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort

Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

3 nights in Lucerne

Prices from £660 per person in a 3 star hotel or £759 in a 4 star hotel

Available: all year but particularly suitable for winter

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 4 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 3 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation in Lucerne based on two people sharing
- 2nd class return reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

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15 day winter Grand Tour

2 nights in Locarno, 4 nights in Lucerne, 3 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights in Brig, 3 nights in Chur

Experience scenic rail journeys through snowy landscapes, including the Glacier Express, Bernina Express and Luzern-Interlaken Express

Day 1. Arrive and explore Locarno

Flight from the UK to Zurich airport with rail travel to Locarno for 2 nights. Check in to your hotel and enjoy your first views of Locarno and Lake Maggiore.

Day 2. Locarno and the Centovalli Line

Explore this lakeside town at your leisure. The whole region has a strong Italian influence; you can even take a trip into Italy on the scenic Centovalli Line. This journey is covered by your **Swiss Travel Pass** and makes for a delightful day out, with charming views of the countryside and the chance to find a trattoria for lunch in the town of Domodossola.

Day 3. Travel to Lucerne for 4 nights

Travel on the route of the Gotthard Panorama Express, with a scenic rail journey via Bellinzona and Erstfeld to Flüelen. Here you join the comfortable lake motor boat and take a leisurely cruise along the full length of the lake to Lucerne.

Days 4-6. Lucerne and Central Switzerland

Historic Lucerne is a pleasure to stroll around and we recommend a day in the town, visiting the museums, the famous Chapel Bridge, enjoying the atmosphere and doing some shopping. On your other days you can use the **Swiss Travel Pass** to explore Mount Rigi - highly recommended for views and winter walks – and on the train to the charming town and ski resort of Engelberg. You may want to travel upwards for lunch on Mount Titlis (journey at 50% discount with your Pass).

Day 7. Luzern-Interlaken Express to Interlaken for 3 nights

A popular 2 hour journey along a very scenic route. Take in the views through your panoramic windows – including the fabulous Brünig Pass, the resort of Meiringen and a final run alongside Lake Brienz and into Interlaken.

Days 8-9. Bernese Oberland

Interlaken is a lively town and with its excellent transport connections offers plenty of opportunities for sightseeing. With your **Swiss Travel Pass** you can travel to Bern and its wonderful Old Town. We have also included a trip to the Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe at 3,571m – a breathtaking experience in the high Alps.

Day 10. Lötschberg Regio Express to Brig for 2 nights

A lovely journey today. Take a scenic cruise on the lake to the town of Thun, where you



Interlaken

change to rail and the Lötschberg Line. This historic route loops through the mountains via Kandersteg and offers fantastic views over the countryside en route to Brig.

Day 11. Brig and Zermatt

Brig is an important historical trading town, as you can see from the merchant buildings and the impressive Stockalper Castle. You can relax here, or why not take a trip to Zermatt with your **Swiss Travel Pass**. It is just a 90 minute journey and you will be able to enjoy unforgettable views of the Matterhorn from the village.

Day 12. Glacier Express to Chur for 3 nights

A fabulously slow and scenic journey across the Alps, where you can enjoy unbeatable views through your panoramic windows. On this shorter section to Chur (4 hours) you still have lunched served at your seat and can enjoy views of the Oberalp Pass and the Rhine Gorge before arrival into Chur.

Days 13-14. Chur and the Rhaetian Railway

From Chur, we have included more famous journeys on the Rhaetian Rail network. The Arosa Line is an amazing journey, where the train climbs up to 1,800m in an hour and offers wonderful views en route. Enjoy pretty Arosa or take the cable car to visit the Weisshorn mountain (payable locally). The second journey is the Bernina Express – a full day travelling through the high Alps via fantastic bridges, viaducts and tunnels with equally dramatic winter scenery to enjoy.

Day 15. Last day

A last look around historic Chur before you board the train to Zurich for your flight to the UK.



Bernina Express



Your Swiss Travel Pass Itinerary

2 nights in Locarno, 4 nights in Lucerne, 3 nights in Interlaken, 2 nights in Brig, 3 nights in Chur

Prices from £1,936 per person in 3 star hotels or £2,204 per person in 4 star hotels

Available: all year except 14 October-14 December but particularly suitable for winter

Price includes:

- Scheduled return flights from London to Zurich (flights are available from around the UK)
- 15 day 2nd class Swiss Travel Pass covering all rail journeys described and many more
- 14 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation as described based on two people sharing
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Luzern-Interlaken Express
- 2nd class reserved seats on the Glacier Express from Brig to Zermatt including lunch
- 2nd class reserved seats on the return Bernina Express journey Chur-Tirano
- 2nd class return rail tickets on the Centovalli Line, Lötschberg Line, Arosa Line as described
- 2nd class return rail tickets to Jungfrauoch-Top of Europe
- Full detailed itinerary sent with all tickets
- Financial protection ATOL 3148

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Adapt this holiday

- Reverse the direction of travel
- Add extra nights in Locarno, Lucerne, Interlaken, Brig and Chur
- Upgrade your hotel room
- Upgrade to 1st class Swiss Travel Pass £216
- Include half board
- Add an additional resort



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