

# CAPITALS OF SCANDINAVIA IN WINTER

## **ITINERARY**

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#### **DAY 1: WELCOME TO SWEDEN**

When you arrive at Stockholm-Arlanda Airport, make your way to **Stockholm** city centre. Many travellers opt to take the express train to Stockholm Central Station, but we also offer direct private transfers. After settling in at your hotel, spend the day exploring the beautiful city. Stroll the well-known street **Drottninggatan** where you can shop and feel the vibe of the capital city. Go for a walk in the surrounding area of **Östermalm**, where you will find interesting shops, cafés, and restaurants for a perfect introduction to Scandinavian culture. It could be fun to pick a cafe and experience Swedish "fika", an afternoon tea or coffee.

Spend the night in Stockholm.

Attractions: Drottninggatan, Stockholm, Sweden, Östermalm

DAY 2.

#### DAY 2: THE CHARMS OF SWEDISH CULTURE

Today you will explore the heart of scenic Stockholm. We recommend exploring the capital by foot, visiting attractions such as the **Old Town (Gamla Stan)**, where you will find the **Royal Palace**, the parliament, old churces, beautiful cobble stone streets and medieval houses.

After some time at Gamla Stan, you can take a short ferry ride to the nearby island **Djurgården**, a cultural oasis with something for everyone. Here you will find the kitschy **Abba Museum**, the **Nordic Museum**, the **Vasa Museum** and the **Skansen** open-air museum. It is ideal to spend the afternoon here, exploring the grounds and many attractions.

Spend the night in Stockholm.

**Attractions:** ABBA The Museum, Djurgården, Gamla Stan (Old town of Stockholm), Royal Palace of Stockholm, Stockholm City Hall, Vasa Museum

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#### DAY 3: TRAVEL FROM STOCKHOLM TO LOVELY COPENHAGEN

Today you will take a short flight to Copenhagen. After checking-in at your hotel, we recommend a walk along the enchanting old harbour area of **Nyhavn**, where you will see colourful houses and lively restaurants among the docked boats. Walk the narrow side streets, visit some shops and try out the traditional Danish open-faced sandwich, Smørrebrød.

Spend the night in Copenhagen.

\*For those interested, we offer the option of travelling by train instead of flight between Stockholm and Denmark. For more details click the optional activities.

Attractions: Copenhagen, Denmark, Nyhavn

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#### DAY 4: A DAY IN CAPTIVATING COPENHAGEN

You have the whole day to explore **Copenhagen**. We recommend seeing the city by foot, visiting landmarks like **Amalienborg Palace**, **Christiansborg Palace**, (both are closed on Mondays), and the famous **Little Mermaid** statue. An optional cruise from the harbour is also highly recommended as you can appreciate the architecture and beauty of the city by water. Next, stroll **Ströget** street for some shopping and grab something to eat at Torvehallerne food hall.

Spend the night in Copenhagen.

Attractions: Amalienborg Palace, Christiansborg Palace, Little Mermaid, Nyhavn, Strøget shopping street

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#### **DAY 5: SET SAIL FOR NORWAY**

Spend the morning touring Copenhagen. Some interesting attractions include the observatory of **The Round Tower**, the most famous church in Copenhagen, **Church of Our Saviour**, as well as the impeccable King's Garden, and the regal **Rosenborg Castle**. In the early afternoon, it's time to board your cruise to Oslo, which sails gently up the **Kattegat Sund** on its way to Norway's capital city. You can enjoy dinner in one of the restaurants, check out the entertainment on board or just relax and watch the sunset from the deck.

Spend the night on the cruise.

Attractions: Church of Our Saviour, Kattegat Sund, Rosenborg Castle, The Round Tower

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#### **DAY 6: EXPLORE ENCHANTING OSLO**

After the ship docks, get ready to see the best of **Oslo**. The city is quite walkable, and we recommend exploring by foot and taking advantage of the convenience of public transport. Notable attractions include the beautiful **Vigeland Sculpture Park**, **Viking Ship Museum**, **Fram Polar Ship Museum** and spending some time along the beautiful harbour area. Other interesting stops include the **Munch Museum**, **Royal Palace**, **Akershus Fortress**, and **Oslo City Hall**.

Spend the night in Oslo.

Attractions: Aker Brygge, Akershus Fortress, Munch Museum, Norway, Oslo, Oslo Opera House

DAY **7** 

### **DAY 7: DEPARTURE FROM OSLO**

Your Scandinavian adventure with Nordic Visitor has come to an end. For transportation to Oslo-Gardermoen Airport, you can take the Flytoget express train from Oslo Central Station or you can book a private transfer through Nordic Visitor that will deliver you to the airport directly from your hotel. If your flight is in the afternoon, take the opportunity to do some last-minute shopping, visit one of Oslo's museums or just relax at a café reflecting on your Scandinavian holiday.

Whatever your needs, we are here to help. If you have any questions about our packages or services, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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