Friday

**Overnight flight to Iceland**
Travelers from North America leave for Iceland on an overnight flight with an early morning arrival at Keflavik Airport in Iceland.

Saturday

**Welcome to Iceland!**
You’ll have a ticket for the Flybus shuttle. Tell the driver you are going to Reykjavik Domestic Airport.

**Off to Greenland**
You’ll have a mid morning flight to Kulusuk, during the two hour flight with in flight meal. Upon landing you’ll have a short helicopter ride to Ammassalik, where you’ll be met by your guide, who will then take you to your guesthouse for check-in and an informational meeting. Outfitter will take you shopping for groceries and supplies. This is a self catering holiday -- you will cook most of your own meals in the outfitters guesthouse, where you will stay most nights. The local guide will be helpful to get to know a bit about the little village and its services. You’ll spend all nights in the outfitter’s Guesthouse.

Sunday

**Transfer to outskirts of Tasilaq.**
Today you’ll enjoy a dog sledge ride to Tiniteglaaq which lasts about 6-8 hours. You’ll warm up with a packed lunch on the way! Your afternoon will be spent exploring this small village. Includes breakfast, packed lunch, and dinner with a local family. Overnight in a local hut in sleeping bags.

Monday

**Leisure Day**
After breakfast you’ll return to Tasilaq by dog sledge over the glaciers and snowfields of Ammassalik Island. You arrive in Tasilaq late afternoon. Includes breakfast & packed lunch. You’ll cook your own dinner and stay in the outfitter’s guesthouse.

Tuesday

**Optional Tours**

*Ice fishing*
From the middle of December when the ice begins to cover the fjords in Ammassalik there is ice fishing here. It is a great fishing area for halibut and every year this area attracts many local hunters. You’ll join a local fisherman for an Ice fishing trip where you’ll get to know the old hunting skills of east Greenland.

Because of their geographical location, the village of Kulusuk and the town of Tasilaq are and always have been relatively isolated. East Greenland is the perfect destination to experience traditional Greenlandic culture and the original drum dance. The deserted location has left its mark in the East Greenlandic dialect; it’s also evident the original culture has not been affected by the western influence to the same degree as in other parts of Greenland. Actually it is only a little more than 100 years ago since the first European’s “discovered” this area!

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**Eskimo Traveling in East Greenland**

- Self catering holiday
- 6 days/5 nights
- Dog sledge ride
- Free day with optional day tours
- Last night in Reykjavik
- A Meal with local family
- Air from Reykjavik, Iceland is included
- Helicopter transfer from Kulusuk included

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and hopefully get lucky with the first catch of the year in these ice filled waters.  

4 hours, Price: DKK 600 (about $100)

**Snow hike**  
During winter the flower valley is covered with snow, and this gives us the perfect opportunity to try a real snow shoe hike in the outskirts of Tasiilaq. Wander though the snow and after about an hour you reach the frozen lake. After a cup of coffee or tea you’ll head back towards town. Snow shoes included in the price.  
2-3 hours, Price: DKK 400 (about $67)

**Snow mobile excursion**  
Full day excursion on snow mobile around the Ammassalik area. Weather conditions will affect the final route, but you will cross the island’s mountains and enjoy the amazing view of the ice filled sea. At one of these viewpoints you will set up your small barbeque grill, and prepare for a nice homemade lunch before returning to Tasiilaq.  
6 hours, Price: DKK 1400 per person (about $235) - for two persons on a snow mobile (total 2800) (about $470)

**Wednesday**  
After breakfast and check out, you’ll be transferred to the heliport for the helicopter flight to Kulusuk and early afternoon, the return flight to Reykjavik, with lunch on the plane. You’ll need to take a cab to your hotel and then you can settle in. This might be a good night to sample some of Iceland’s more upscale restaurants, and if you’re hardy, some of its famous nightlife.

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**Thursday**

**Farewell Iceland**  
Today the flybus will pick you up at your hotel for transfer to Keflavik airport for your flight home.

**Dates:** The 6 day/5 night East Greenland Eskimo tour departs the US on Fridays, with an arrival on Saturdays in Iceland, and then transfer to Greenland that day. Runs through the next Thursday, from March 16 - April 20. Unlike most of our tours, this one is priced as land only, but we can also add international air from North America to Iceland. - just ask about pricing. Like all of our tours, it can be added on to any other Iceland Adventure!

The **price** for this land only (the helicopter transfers are consiered part of the land arrangements and the price includes them) 6 day/5 night Eskimo tour in sleeping bag accommodations in Greenland and a comfortable 3 star hotel in Reykjavik in a very convenient location is **$3011** per person, double occupancy or **$3058** single.

We can always upgrade accommodations in Reykjavik, just give us a call!

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**Price includes** transfers to and from Keflavik Airport, Air Iceland flights to and from Kulusuk, with Ilulissat departure taxes, helicopter flight between Kulusuk and Ammassalik, 4 nights in sleeping bag accommodations in a Greenland guesthouse, 4 breakfasts in Greenland, 1 day tour in Greenland with pick up and drop off, local guide to assist with airport transfers and excursion booking. 1 night in Iceland in double room in 3 star hotel with private bath, breakfast.

Not **included** in the price are air fare between North America, travel insurance, meals other than breakfast and 2 lunches and 2 in flight meals) in Greenland, meals other than breakfast in Iceland, domestic airport transfers in Iceland, optional excursions in Greenland which can only be booked locally.

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**Currency in Greenland is the Danish Kronur (DKK) which is quite readily available in Iceland. While credit cards are also widely accepted in Greenland, you should make a point to get some DKK before leaving Iceland. See www.xe.com for exchange rates.**

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**Is 6 Days too short?** This tour can be combined with days in Iceland on your return. Had we all the time in the world – this would be our first choice of tour!! Call for pricing and dates.

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Many of our Greenland programs are available during the shoulder season of June 1 - 14 and August 21 - September 15. Ask for those prices.

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