

Hike Abel Tasman & West Coast Rainforests

8 Day Basix Trip



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from \$3,995 twin share

Departures from November 2021 – 13 April 2022

A New Zealand showcase of wild coastal and alpine beauty

Go beyond the usual suspects on New Zealand's South Island as you spend eight days discovering alpine wilderness, coastal trails and crystal-clear waters. As you spend time travelling from Nelson to Christchurch via the west coast, experience two days hiking through the ethereal and unspoiled beauty of Abel Tasman National Park, take a self-guided cycle on the West Coast Wilderness Trail between Arahura River and Kumara, head above the treeline in Arthur's Pass to Edwards Hut and enjoy time to explore historic townships along the way. It's not New Zealand without rugged mountaintops, pristine waters and spectacular winding roads, and you'll hit all three and more with a local guide leading you each day.

Why you'll love this trip

- Spend two days hiking through the pristine wilderness of Abel Tasman National Park. Walk along the coast track to Barks Bay and Anchorage, and swim in the crystal clear waters of Cleopatra's Pool.
- Hike a spectacular limestone river canyon in Paparoa National Park, collecting wood for a fire in an overhang cave near your secluded campsite.
- Cycle the West Coast Wilderness Trail on a self-guided biking experience between the Arahura River Bridge and historic Kumara. You will pedal past native forests, clear streams and panoramas just asking for a photo.
- A trek up through Edwards Valley is all the more worth it when you peer on top of the treeline towards rugged mountain tops at Edwards Hut. Spend the night with fellow hikers in the heart of the Southern Alps.

Is this trip right for you?

- This trip is a real hiking adventure where you will be carrying your own belongings, including a sleeping bag.
- On these trips everyone lends a hand: whether it's cooking over a campfire, collecting firewood or pitching a tent together. There's nothing quite like wrestling a tent in the wind to get to know your fellow travellers.

- No multi-day hiking experience is needed but you need to be a good walker and able to carry a backpack. And yes, occasionally you might just get your feet wet!
- Please ensure you consult your local government's advice regarding domestic and international travel prior to booking this trip.
- This trip is new to our range this year. And while we have thoroughly researched every detail of the logistics, new destinations and working with new partners can sometimes throw us some unexpected surprises. More often than not, it'll be a great surprise. But every now and again there might be a hiccup. We like to think that's what puts the 'adventure' in 'adventure travel'.

Inclusions



Meals
6 breakfasts, 8 lunches, 6 dinners



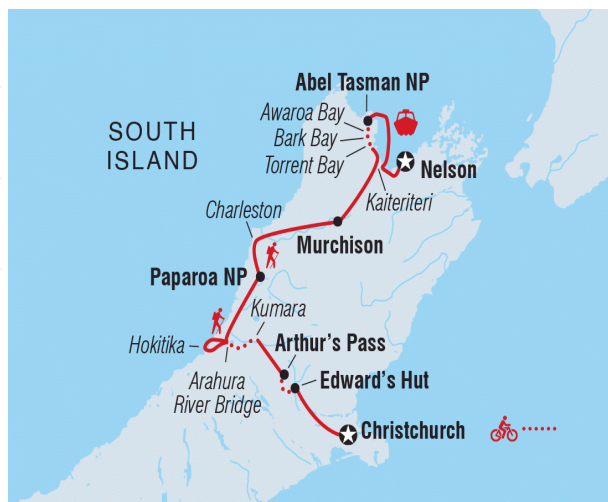
Transport
Boat, Water taxi, Bicycle, Private vehicle



Accommodation
Camping (4 nights), Lodge (1 night), Hut (1 night), Basic Hut (1 night).



- Included activities**
- Abel Tasman Coastal Track - Hike to Bark Bay
 - Abel Tasman Coastal Track - Hike to Anchorage Camp
 - Abel Tasman NP - Water Taxi
 - Charleston - Headlands Hike
 - Paparoa National Park - Hike
 - West Coast Wilderness Trail - Bike Hire
 - Arthur's Pass - Hike to Edwards Hut
 - Arthur's Pass - Return Hike



Start Nelson, New Zealand
Finish Christchurch, New Zealand
Destination [New Zealand](#)
Style Basix
Theme Walking & Trekking

Code PHXH
Physical rating ●●●●○ ⓘ
Ages Min 15
Group size Min 4, Max 11

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