

NEW ZEALAND QUEENSTOWN FLY-DRIVE



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Queenstown Fly-Drive-Stay Special

Duration: 5 days

Stay: 4 nights lodge/hotel

Travel style: Independent with flights & car hire

Booking code: NZZQNF5M

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5 Days Queenstown New Zealand Fly-Drive-Stay

About the holiday

Celebrate the beauty of New Zealand's South Island with an amazing Queenstown holiday deal!

Set against a backdrop of the dramatic Southern Alps, Queenstown sits on the shores of Lake Wakatipu. The area is renowned for a thrilling variety of adventure sports. From bungee jumping off Kawarau Gorge Suspension Bridge and skiing on the nearby ski fields in winter, to speedy jet boat rides on the Shotover and Dart Rivers – Queenstown is called the 'adventure capital of New Zealand' for good reason!

As well as spending time exploring the charming village, Queenstown is an ideal base for visiting the region's famed vineyards and historic mining towns. All in all, having 4 nights here is a wonderful way to experience the thrills of the South Island – and if you're tempted to stay longer, just let us know!

Why you'll love this trip...

It's such a neat little holiday and great value for money!

Great Queenstown accommodation, conveniently located for walking around town.

Make the most of the winter dates, add a ski package for The Remarkables & Coronet Peak Car hire with unlimited kms and flights from Australia are included in this worry-free getaway!

Travel dates

Departs regularly from Australia in 2024*

*Departure is subject to confirmation at time of booking. Prices vary depending on your travel dates. Contact us for other travel your preferred time of the year.

For current rates and travel details,
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Holiday Inclusions

Independent package includes:

Flights – Return economy airfare to Queenstown

Fly from Melbourne, Brisbane or Sydney (ask for other cities)

Flying with Virgin Australia, Air New Zealand or Jetstar, baggage included

Accommodation – 4 nights room only, based on twin share in a standard room

Coronation Lodge or Copthorne Hotel, Queenstown

Car hire – 4 days automatic vehicle with unlimited kilometres

Pick up and drop off at Queenstown Airport

Package excludes:

Airport transfers – pick up vehicle at airport

Car hire additional expenses, such as fuel, road tolls, insurance excess waivers etc.

Meals, sightseeing & activities

Personal items, such as drinks, snacks, laundry, WiFi etc.

Travel insurance is strongly recommended

Prices are based on twin share, please contact us for single rates

This package is subject to confirmation by the airlines, hotels, car company & local operators.

Cancellation fees & booking conditions apply.

Package is non-refundable.

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New Zealand driving tips (these are important)

Hitting the road in a rental car is a great way to travel around New Zealand, to allow you to be flexible and get off the beaten track. Self-drive holidays also give you the convenience of making spontaneous stops and planning your own timetable. However, it's equally important to be safe when driving and it could put a real downer on your trip if you're not!

You can drive in New Zealand without a New Zealand driver licence if:

- you have a current and valid overseas licence or driver permit, and
- you haven't been given a disqualification or suspension in New Zealand, and
- you came into New Zealand less than 12 months ago, and
- your overseas licence is in English, or you have an accurate translation, and
- you haven't been granted a New Zealand driver licence since you last entered New Zealand.

If you don't meet all of these requirements, you must apply for a New Zealand driver licence to drive in New Zealand. More information can be found on the [NZ Transport Agency website](#).

Read these quick driving tips below – pay special attention to #1 if you're from a country that drives on the right side of the road...

1. Drive on the Left Side of the Road!

This is the most important thing to know about driving in New Zealand. You'd be amazed at how many problems tourists are causing by not doing their homework and staying to the left!

***A tip:** the driver should always be closest to the centre line. To turn into the correct lane, make sure the centre line stays on your right side.*

2. Know the Speed Limits

Speed limit signs are on the side of the road, usually with a red ring around a number. Speed is measured in km/h in New Zealand. The national speed limit for open roads is 100km/h.

Obviously, modify your driving to the conditions: remember you're not at home now and don't know the roads. Also take particular care in winter, when roads can be icy and dangerous.

3. Wear a Seat Belt

By law in New Zealand, everyone must wear a seat belt or approved child restraint (children 7 & under) – whether they are seated in the front or back of the vehicle.

4. Allow Extra Time

It's a common mistake to underestimate travelling times in New Zealand. On the map it may look close, but narrow, hilly and windy roads can extend your driving time. There are also unsealed gravel roads and country roads are normally single lane (one lane in each direction).

5. Overtake with Caution

Most roads in New Zealand are single lane and although some have 'passing lanes' at regular intervals, you may need to be patient.

Only overtake another vehicle when you can see clearly what's on the road ahead and the marked lines permit you to pass.



You must never cross a solid yellow line on your side of the centre line to overtake a vehicle, as this indicates it's too dangerous to overtake.

A double yellow centre line means that no traffic (on either side of the road) can overtake.

6. Understand Intersections

Traffic lights operate in the same way as most countries, with green for go and red for stop. But one thing that might be different to what you are used to is that when traffic signals are red, you can only turn if there is a green arrow for the direction you are going.

Stop signs and Give Way signs have familiar rules to most countries, but roundabouts often confuse people who come from areas where these are not commonplace – or especially if you're not used to driving on the Left side of the road. Keep an eye on the traffic, stay in your lane and if you end up missing your exit you can go around again, but keep indicating.



At roundabouts, you must give way to traffic from your right. You must travel around the roundabout in a clockwise direction.

7. Signs for One-Lane Bridges

In New Zealand some bridges have one lane – this means vehicles must stop and give way to vehicles coming from the opposite direction. Road signs will warn you when there is a one-lane bridge ahead and also tell you which direction has priority.

Slow down on approach and check for traffic. The smaller red arrow shows which direction has to give way.



These two signs show you must give way to traffic coming the other way across the bridge.



This sign indicates that if no traffic is approaching, you can proceed across the bridge with caution.

8. Do Nots when Driving

Using a hand-held mobile phone while driving is illegal. This includes speaking and texting on the phone, so make sure you have a hands-free device or put it away!

Drivers under 20 years old must have a zero alcohol limit. Over 20 years old and the legal alcohol limit is 50 milligrams per 100 millilitres of blood or 250 micrograms per litre of breath. Estimating the equivalent amount of drinks is risky, so in short, don't drink and drive!

9. Look Out for Animals, People & Cyclists

Pedestrians and bike riders come first on New Zealand roads. Drivers must watch, slow down and give way where required. Same applies for animals and please don't sound your horn!

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