Lindt Chocolate Tour

No matter where you are in Switzerland, you'll always find a Lindt Shop nearby. We look forward to enchanting you with the incredibly fine chocolate creations from our Lindt Master Chocolatiers.

Find an overview of all Lindt Retail Stores here

A free surprise product awaits you in every Lindt store.

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my Grand Train Tour

Welcome to the Grand Train Tour of Switzerland!

All highlights on one single route. Explore all the sights and landmarks Switzerland has to offer from the comfort of the train.

The Rhaetian Railway on the Albula Pass viaduct between Bergün and Preda

The top train experience

The Grand Train Tour of Switzerland merges all the panoramic routes into one breathtaking tour.

1. **Zürich–Luzern–Interlaken (Luzern–Interlaken Express)** 2 ¾h
2. **GoldenPass Express** 3 ¼h
3. **Montreux–Visp–Zermatt** 2 ½h
4. **Glacier Express** 7 ¾h
5. **Bernina Express** 6 ¾h
6. **Gotthard Panorama Express** 5 ½h
7. **Voralpen-Express** 2 ¼h
8. **St. Gallen–Schaffhausen–Zürich** 2 ½h

Scenic connection routes

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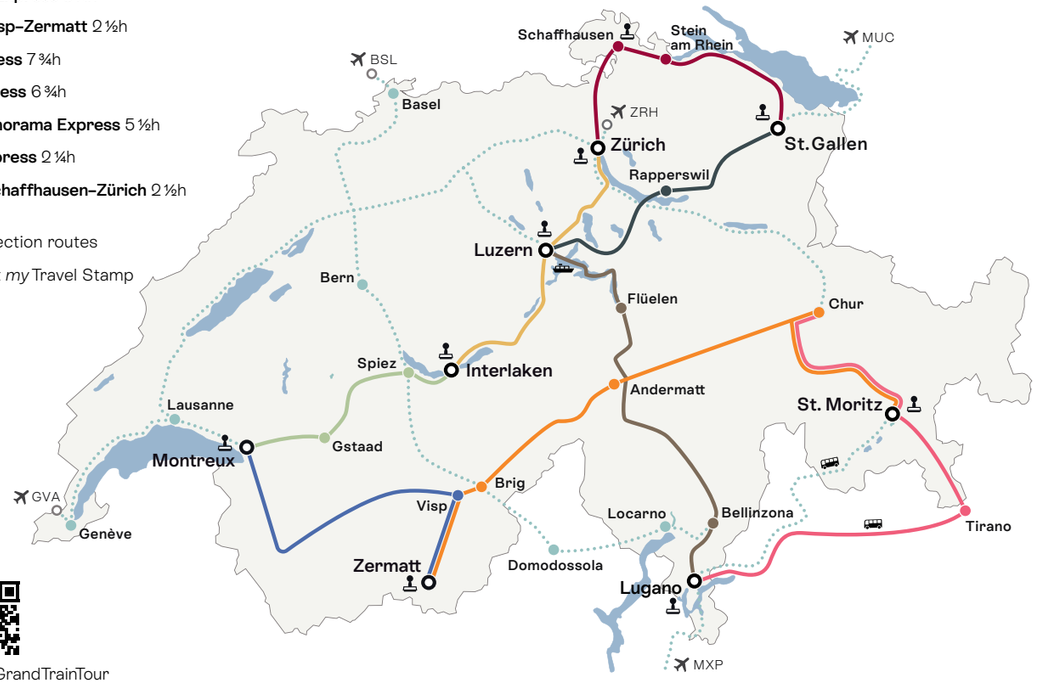

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Premium Chocolate Experiences all over Switzerland

Lindt Chocolate Tour

How many different Lindor Flavours I discovered

Date of my trip

We enchant the world with chocolate...

Discover the world of Lindt Chocolate at one of our Lindt Stores in Switzerland. Indulge in the fine chocolate creations of the Lindt Master Chocolatiers, making your stay in Switzerland truly unforgettable. Here, you'll find the finest Swiss chocolate from Lindt and a variety of sweet gift ideas – perfect for your loved ones and yourself!

Bucket list Lindt-Shop

- ☐ *Ate a Lindor Ball*
- ☐ *Bought a classic Swiss souvenir*
- ☐ *Tasted a product I had never tried before*
- ☐ *Took a picture with the Lindt Chocolate Fountain*

My personal highlights

Find an overview of all Lindt Retail Stores here

my Lindt Travel Sticker

Behind every **Lindt Creation** is a passionate and experienced Master Chocolatier with a great passion for chocolate.

Absolute perfection

Secret hint

The Lindt Home of Chocolate in Zurich comes with a 9 meter tall Lindt Chocolate Fountain.

Insider's tip: A small surprise product awaits you in every Lindt store. And there is also an exciting coupon code in the Grand Train Tour of Switzerland App for your purchase in the Lindt Stores.

More than just a journey

Enjoy the experience of a lifetime with your personal stamp collection booklet that accompanies the Grand Train Tour of Switzerland. Along the route you can collect nine unique stamps for your travel booklet and take it home as your personal souvenir. Details of the stamp location facilities can be found on the following pages. There is also enough space to personalise your booklet with your own notes and mementos.

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Post and share your most memorable moments en route with your friends – as well as all friends of Switzerland:

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Start touring with your personal guide

The Grand Train Tour of Switzerland app is your perfect guide for an unforgettable train experience.

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- Get push notifications for upcoming sights and landmarks
- Keep track of all the exciting places you have visited
- Collect stamps and awards
- Get timetables for your trip

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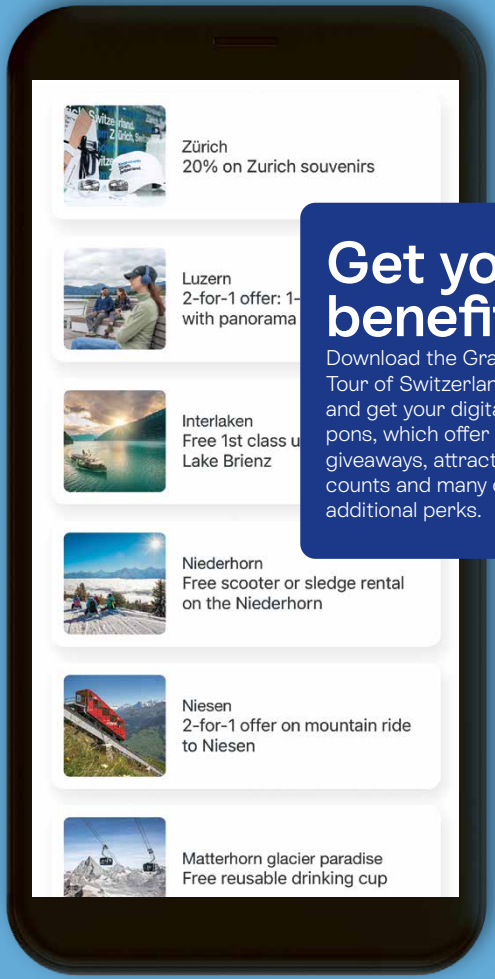

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Luzern–Interlaken Express

Zürich–Luzern–Interlaken

Zürich–Luzern
57km, 1h

Luzern–Interlaken
74km, 1 ¾h

Date of my trip

Weather

From city to city

When making your way from Zurich – the urban centre of Switzerland – to Lucerne, sparkling lakes and gentle mountain- and hillscapes dominate the view. In Lucerne, the Luzern–Interlaken Express awaits. A ride on this premium panoramic train delights passengers with stunning views of mountain panoramas, turquoise lakes and plenty of waterfalls.

Bucket list Interlaken

Gaze over Interlaken from its local peak *Harder Kulm*

Take a boat trip on *Lake Thun* and/or *Lake Brienz*

Go for a hike on the *Schynige Platte*

My personal highlights

Top of Europe Flagship Store
1st floor
Höheweg 35
3800 Interlaken

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Fun fact

Interlaken comes from the Latin inter lacus and means between two lakes.

Best seat

Train ride on the Luzern–Interlaken Express: for the most beautiful panorama, choose the seat on the right-hand side in the direction of travel.

① Luzern–Interlaken Express at Lake Lungern ② Harder Kulm with a view of the Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau ③ Boat trip on Lake Brienz

Interlaken–Montreux

130km, 3 ¼h

Date of my trip

Weather

A scenic ride between two worlds

The train ride starts off by taking its passengers along Lake Thun and through the Simmen Valley to Zweisimmen. The GoldenPass Express then travels past magnificent castles and peacefully grazing cattle before passing the language border to the French-speaking part of Switzerland. The last leg of the journey winds its way down towards Montreux with its Mediterranean flair.

Bucket list Montreux

Take a stroll through the *Lavaux Vineyards*

Visit *Chillon Castle*

Enjoy the breathtaking view from the *Rochers-de-Naye*

My personal highlights

Fun fact

Freddie Mercury recorded six albums with Queen at his studio in Montreux between 1978 and 1995.

① GoldenPass train in Schönried
② Freddie Mercury statue in Montreux
③ Chillon Castle

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Avenue des Alpes 45
1820 Montreux

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Montreux–Visp–Zermatt

Montreux–Visp
112km, 1 ¼h

Visp–Zermatt
36km, 1 ¼h

Date of my trip

Weather

Up the valley to the Matterhorn

The journey from Montreux to Zermatt begins with a memorable view of Chillon Castle and hillsides covered in vineyards. Then, the train rides on through the canton of Valais. In Visp, the captivating journey continues with the narrow-gauge Matterhorn Gotthard Railway. Its destination is Zermatt, with one of the best-known landmarks of Switzerland – the Matterhorn.

Tip

Stunning view: From the Gornergrat you can enjoy a perfect view of the Matterhorn.

My personal highlights

Ticket Office Zermatt
Railway Station
3920 Zermatt

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Bucket list Zermatt

See the Matterhorn reflected in Lake *Riffelsee*

Go on tour through the *village of Zermatt*

Try a typical Swiss *cheese fondue* or *raclette*

① Matterhorn Gotthard Railway near Betten
② View from Lake Riffelsee to the Matterhorn ③ Zermatt village ④ Raclette

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Glacier Express

Zermatt–Chur–St. Moritz

291km, 7 ¾h

Date of my trip

Weather

Journey for the senses

Welcome aboard the Glacier Express, «the slowest express train in the world». Savour the beauty of the Swiss alpine landscapes – including an imposing mountainscape, deep ravines and picturesque valleys – all from the comfort of the train. The journey passes through 91 tunnels, over 291 bridges and crosses the Oberalp Pass, which is 2,033 metres high.

Bucket list St. Moritz

Take a walk around *Lake St. Moritz*

Have a cup of tea in the lobby of *Badrutt's Palace Hotel*

Enjoy the view over the Upper Engadin region from *Muottas Muragl*

My personal highlights

Ticket Office St. Moritz
Railway Station
Plazza da la Staziun
7500 St. Moritz

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Fun fact

St. Moritz was the birthplace of Alpine winter tourism in 1864 and hosted the Winter Olympics twice.

① Landwasser viaduct with Glacier Express ② Rhine Gorge
③ View from Muottas Muragl

St. Moritz–Tirano–Lugano

St. Moritz–Tirano (IT)
64km, 2 ¼h

Tirano (IT)–Lugano (bus*)
90km, 3 ¼h

Date of my trip

Weather

From glaciers to palm trees

On this section, you'll get to enjoy the UNESCO World Heritage route with the Bernina Express over the Bernina Pass and through Val Poschiavo to Tirano (IT). Along the route you'll pass the Lago Bianco at 2,253 metres and Alp Grüm, which can only be reached by train, by bike or on foot. The Bernina Express bus takes you along Lake Como to Lugano.

Tip

Time to relax!
Just sit at a table in one of the squares in Lugano and do as the locals do: eat, chat and enjoy life.

* Bus only from February to November

My personal highlights

Railway Station Lugano
SBB Travel Centre
Piazzale della
Stazione 2
6900 Lugano

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Bucket list Lugano

Savour a delicious risotto in a *typical grotto*

Enjoy the panorama from *Monte San Salvatore* or *Monte Brè*

Visit the small fishing village of *Gandria*

① Pontresina, Morteratsch ② Val Poschiavo, Alp Grüm ③ Lugano ④ Gandria

Lugano–Flüelen–Luzern

Lugano–Flüelen*
147km, 2 ½h

Flüelen–Luzern (boat)
35km, 3h

Date of my trip

Weather

A journey by train and by boat

Sit back and relax on the Gotthard Panorama Express and relish the journey on this legendary Gotthard train route with its numerous loop tunnels. In Flüelen, you'll change to a boat and glide over the lake to Lucerne. Alternatively, the Treno Gottardo will take you directly from Locarno or Bellinzona to Lucerne along the scenic Gotthard route, which operates all year round.

Tip

Personal city tour: Explore the city of Lucerne with the Official Audio Tour Lucerne app

* Direct panorama train only from April to October

My personal highlights

Tourist Office Luzern
Railway Station
(platform 3)
Zentralstrasse 5
6003 Luzern

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Bucket list Luzern

Take a boat cruise on *Lake Lucerne*

Discover the *Chapel Bridge*, the city's landmark

Make the ascent up to *Pilatus* on the world's steepest cog railway

Fun fact

The Chapel Bridge is considered to be Europe's oldest covered bridge.

① Gotthard Panorama Express in Flüelen
② Chapel Bridge, Lucerne ③ View from Pilatus

Luzern–St. Gallen

125km, 2 ¼h

Date of my trip

Weather

Over gentle hills

The ride on the Voralpen-Express starts off by delighting passengers with views of the famous Central Swiss Alpine panorama, which includes Pilatus, Bürgenstock and Rigi. The route then crosses Lake Zurich into Rapperswil. Shortly before St. Gallen, you will pass the Sitter viaduct – which, at a height of 99 metres, is Switzerland's highest railway bridge.

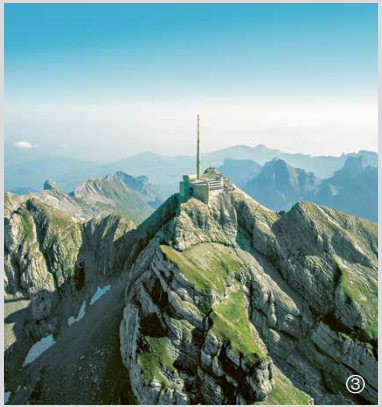
Bucket list St. Gallen

Explore the *UNESCO Abbey District*

Take a break in the *Stadtlounge square*

Go for a stroll at the *Drei Weieren (Three Ponds)*

My personal highlights



① Voralpen-Express in Central Switzerland
② UNESCO Abbey District, St. Gallen ③ Säntis

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Thurbo Lake Line

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St. Gallen–Schaffhausen
87km, 2h

Schaffhausen–Zürich
46km, ½h

Date of my trip

Weather

The maritime side of Switzerland

En route from St. Gallen to Schaffhausen, the journey skirts Lake Constance, which is shared by Switzerland, Germany and Austria. It then follows the Rhine downstream to Schaffhausen. Finally, the route passes the Rhine Falls and continues to Zurich, the cosmopolitan city by the water: where creative urban life is combined with nature in all its glory.

Bucket list Schaffhausen / Zürich

Visit the *Rhine Falls* – Europe's largest waterfall

Take a city walk through *Zurich old town*

Enjoy the views over Zurich from the *Üetliberg*

My personal highlights

Visitor Centre Schaffhausen
Schaffhauserland Tourismus
Vordergasse 73
8200 Schaffhausen
(Opening hours: schaffhauserland.ch/touristoffice. On closed days, the stamp can be collected at Info-Shop Rheinfall)

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Tourist Office Zürich
Main Railway Station
8001 Zürich

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① Thurbo Lake Line, Ermatingen
② Grossmünster, Zurich

Alternative connections

There's not always enough time to see it all.
These shortcuts will help you to shorten your trip if needed.

Chur–Zürich
94km, 1 ¼h

This direct connection from Chur back to Zurich rewards you with magnificent views of the Bündner Herrschaft, the Churfirsten, Lake Walensee and Lake Zurich.

Spiez–Domodossola (IT)–Locarno
125km, 4 ¾h

A worthwhile trip with the BLS Lötschberger and Vigezzina-Centovalli Railway. The route offers views of untouched natural surroundings, deep ravines and mountain ranges.

Locarno–Luzern
198km, 3h

The Treno Gottardo is a comfortable train ride that operates all year round, passing by lakes and mountains, over the 120-year-old scenic Gotthard panorama line.

St. Moritz–Lugano
178km, 4h

The Palm Express travels over the Maloja Pass and through the Bregaglia Valley to Lugano. This year-round alternative bus connection takes you directly to Lugano.

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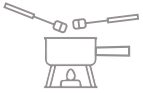
***my*Favourite** day in Switzerland



***my*Favourite** Swiss food

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