



Round trip to UNESCO Geiranger & Trollstigen

Ålesund – Sjøholt - Geiranger – Trollstigen – Ålesund

This is a “Travel like the locals” tour. The tours use public transport, i.e. regular buses, ferries and boats, but we have done the planning for you so that you can concentrate on enjoying your trip. You travel on your own - there is no guide or tour leader. On most of our tours you must change several times between different buses/ferries/boats, and it is up to you to make sure you catch your connections – truly travelling like a local! (The tours are set up so that the buses, ferries and boats connect.)

Experience two of the most amazing roads in Norway!

This round trip starts in Ålesund and head for the UNESCO World Heritage listed Geirangerfjord. After a one hour stop in Geiranger the bus continues via Valldal towards Åndalsnes. The trip to Åndalsnes goes via Trollstigen, one of the best known and most visited tourist sites in Norway.

The highest point of the road lies 850 meters above sea level. The bus stops here for 25 minutes, enabling you to enjoy the spectacular view. The bus then curves down the 11 hairpin turns towards Åndalsnes.

From Åndalsnes, the return to Ålesund goes along the Romsdalsfjord and over the 1290 meters long Tresfjord bridge.

Option

It is possible to stop at Valldal instead of going to Geiranger. Those who wish to do this, must continue by bus 210 from Linge ferry harbor to Valldal instead of taking the Linge–Eidsdal ferry.

You then have time to explore Valldal on your own until bus 220 returns from Geiranger via Valldal to Trollstigen and Åndalsnes with return to Ålesund. See the timetable for the departure from Valldal.

Departure from: Ålesund bus terminal (“Rutebilstasjonen”), track 4

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Itinerary and transport information

Ålesund - Sjøholt - Geiranger - Trollstigen - Ålesund		
24 June - 18 August 2024		
	Monday - Friday	Bus/ferry line
From Ålesund bus terminal (Rutebilstasjonen)	07:55	905 (Bus)
To Sjøholt	08:52	
From Sjøholt	09:00	210 (Bus)
To Linge ferry quay	09:53*	
From Linge ferry quay	Ferry**	15 (Ferry)
From Eidsdal ferry quay	10:35	220 (Bus)
Eagle Bend	11:05	Short stop at Eagle Bend for photos if possible.
To Geiranger	11:20	
From Geiranger	12:25	220 (Bus)
From Valldal	13:40*	
To Trollstigen	14:20	
From Trollstigen	14:45	
To Åndalsnes	15:20	
From Åndalsnes	16:15	482 (Bus)
To Vestnes (Vestnes sentrum)	17:10	
From Vestnes (Vestnes sentrum)	17:27	100 (bus)
To Ålesund town centre (Rådhuset i Ålesund)	18:45	

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** Ferry departure times vary slightly during the summer, but the buses always connect with the ferry.

Ålesund-Sjøholt: Take bus no. 905 towards Trondheim to Sjøholt. The bus departs from track 4 at Ålesund bus terminal (Rutebilstasjonen) and stops at Sjøholt bus terminal track 2.

Sjøholt-Valldal: At Sjøholt switch to bus 210 towards Valldal. This bus departs from track 3 at Sjøholt bus terminal. Take this bus to Linge ferry quay ("Linge ferjekai"). Leave the bus at the ferry quay.

Linge-Eidsdal-Geiranger: At Linge ferry quay you walk on board the ferry. Bus 220 drives on board the ferry. Enter the bus during the ferry crossing to Eidsdal.

Geiranger-Åndalsnes: Take bus no. 220 from Geiranger towards Åndalsnes. The bus starts from the bus shelter across the road from the ferry harbor in Geiranger. The bus goes to Trollstigen before taking you to Åndalsnes after the pause. You take the bus all the way to Åndalsnes railway/bus station ("Åndalsnes stasjon").

Åndalsnes-Ålesund: From Åndalsnes railway/bus station you take bus no. 482 back to Ålesund. The bus goes via Vestnes and Sjøholt.

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