



**ICELAND 2026: 12TH-15TH FEBRUARY
INFORMATION EVENING**

FLIGHT DETAILS

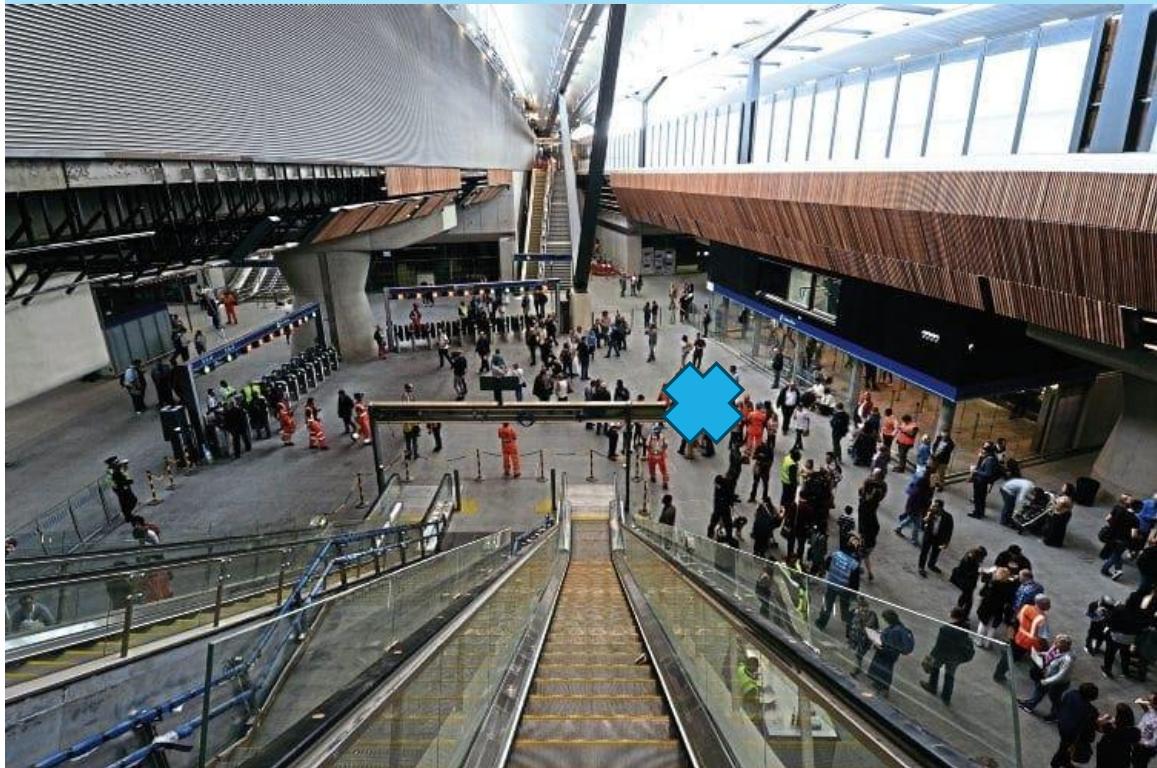
Flights								
Departure Date	Departure Airport	Departure Time	Arrival Date	Arrival Airport	Arrival Time	Airline	Flight Number	Locator
12/02/2026	London Gatwick Airport	13:55	12/02/2026	Keflavik International Airport	17:15	Easyjet	EZY8845	K9WRZ4G
15/02/2026	Keflavik International Airport	11:20	15/02/2026	London Gatwick Airport	14:30	Easyjet	EZY8844	K9WRZ4G

Feel free to track the flights using the flight number and locator. This will be important in order to gauge an ETA on arrival back to school.

DEPARTURE AND ARRIVAL DETAILS

We will be travelling together to the airport.

We will meet at London Bridge Station outside the main ticket office at **09.30am**



ITINERARY- DAY ONE

09.30 hrs	Meet at London Bridge Rail Station - in front of main ticket office
10.00 hrs	Train to Gatwick Airport (trains run every 5 - 15 minutes)
10.55 hrs	Arrival and check in at Gatwick- flight No EZY8845
13.55 hrs	Flight departs
17.15 hrs	Arrive at Keflavik International Airport (local time)
18.15 hrs	Arrival at Blue Lagoon
20.00 hrs	Visit ends and depart on coach
20.45 hrs	Arrive at hotel (Hotel Viking Village)
21.10 hrs	Dinner at hotel
	Group to spend the evening at leisure



ITINERARY DAY TWO

Arrive for a confirmed visit to **Hellisheiði Power Station**. Here the group will see a film about geothermal power and the development of the power plant. There is also the opportunity to view the turbine area from a viewing platform.

Kerid

The Kerið crater is an almost perfect miniature volcano and northern most of a row of spatter cone formed by an eruption 3000 years ago. There is a lake within the crater whose level changes with fluctuations in the water table. A fee of 500 ISK per person is payable on arrival.



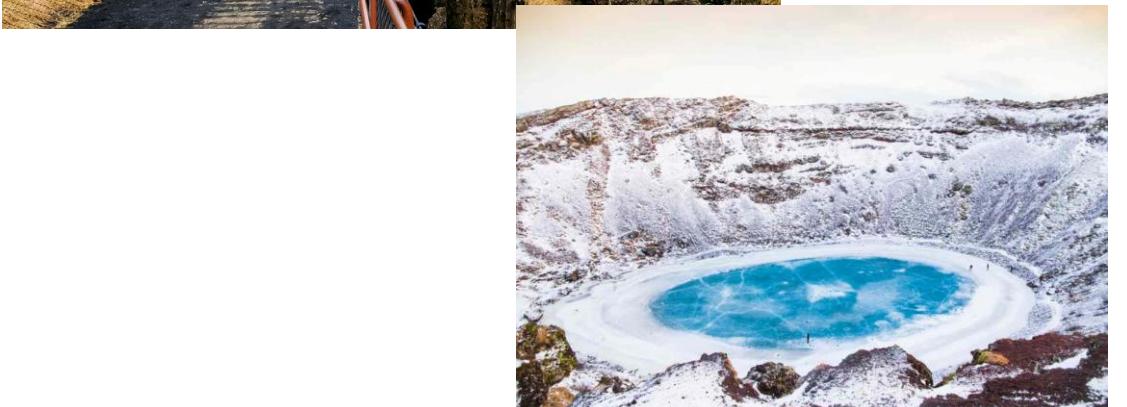
Gullfoss waterfall

One of the most impressive waterfalls in Europe which is approached along the rim of a 2.5 km canyon where students can observe a classic example of waterfall formation caused by a resistant basalt cap rock. There is a gift shop and public toilet here.



Great Geysir

You will see one of the most active geysers in the area, Strokkur, spouting up to 25 metres every 5-7 minutes. Nearby there is a café and gift shop.



Þingvellir National Park

A beautiful canyon running through the park forms the meeting point of two of the earth's tectonic plates and a unique opportunity to witness the mid-Atlantic ridge. A visitors' centre with multimedia exhibits and a gift shop can be found here.

17.00 hrs - Free time in Reykjavik

ITINERARY DAY THREE

Skógar waterfall, which is more than 200 ft high. There are steps leading up to the top of the waterfall, however, I would advise against allowing the students the climb these, as there are subsidiary paths at the top which lead to grassy terraces and unguarded edges. In addition to this, the steps and path are often icy during the winter.



Reynishverfi, a black sand beach with views of sea stacks and Dyrolaey, a peninsular with a good example of an arch. There is a coffee shop with toilets nearby.

Sólheimajökull, a glacier tongue that lies south of the Mýrdalsjökull Glacier. The glacier tongue will be viewed from the car park; it is not currently possible to get close to the glacier. Groups are advised not to approach or climb onto the glacier unless accompanied by an experienced mountain guide.

Please note: The visit to Sólheimajökull is weather and time dependent.



Seljalandsfoss waterfall. If the path is free of ice it may possible to walk behind the falls- waterproof clothing is essential. There are public toilets here.



ITINERARY DAY FOUR

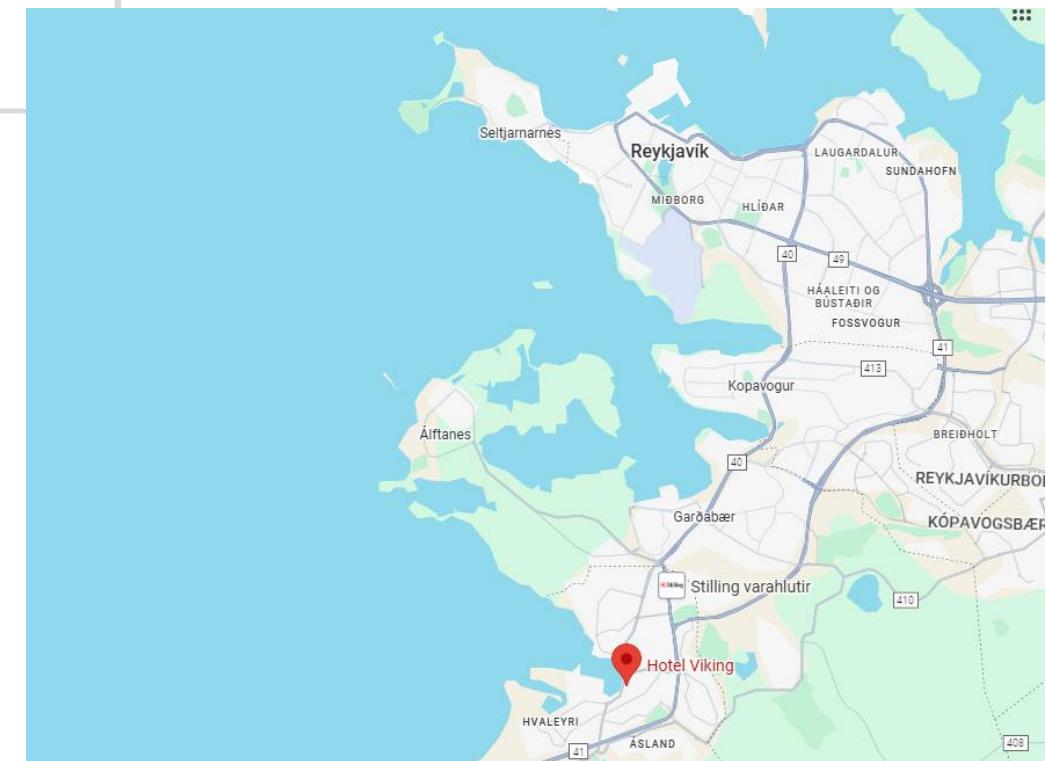
Day 4: Sunday, 15 February 2026

06:30 hrs	Continental breakfast will be served at the hotel. Packed lunches will be <u>provided</u> , however it is necessary to re-confirm arrangements with hotel staff
07:30 hrs	Group to be met at the accommodation by the airport transfer.
07:40 hrs	Depart for transfer to the airport.
08:20 hrs	Check in at Keflavik International Airport for Easyjet flight number EZY8844
11:20 hrs	Flight departs. No meals are served on this flight; however, snacks and beverages may be purchased on board.
14:30 hrs	Arrive at London Gatwick Airport, North <u>Terminal</u> (local time).

We expect to be back to London Bridge at approximately 16.30hrs where students will be dismissed. We will ask students to message you when we one hour away.

HOTEL DETAILS

Hotel/Centre	Telephone
Hotel Viking - Reykjavik Strandgata 50A + 55 IS Hafnarfjordur Iceland 220	00354 565 1213



INSURANCE



Department
for Education

Confirmation of Risk Protection Arrangement (RPA) Overseas Travel

The Department for Education's risk protection arrangement (RPA) is a voluntary arrangement for academies, free schools and local authority maintained schools. It is an alternative to insurance through which the cost of risks that materialise will be covered by government funds.

The following academy trust or multi-academy trust is a member of the RPA.

NAME OF MEMBER ORGANISATION:	Bacon's College	
MEMBERSHIP NO/URN:	145313	
MEMBERSHIP PERIOD:	01 September 2025 to 31 August 2026	

The RPA includes cover for school trips overseas travel which is summarised below. Please see membership rules for full cover.

OVERSEAS TRAVEL INCLUDING WINTER SPORTS		Limit
Medical Expenses, Repatriation and Emergency Travel	Per person	£10,000,000
Baggage	Per person	£2,000 in total (inner limits apply)
Money	Per person Per event	£750 £5,000
Cancellation, Curtailment, Replacement, Rearrangement and Change of Itinerary	Per person Per trip	£4,000 £250,000
Political and Natural Disaster Evacuation	Per person Per trip	£10,000 £80,000
Missed Departure	Per person	£1,000
Disruptive Pupil Expenses	Per event	£5,000
Loss of Passport/Travel Documents	Per person and/or trips	£2,000
Search and Rescue Expenses	Per event	£100,000
Kidnap Consultants Costs	Per person and/or trips	£250,000
Piste Closure	Per day per person Total Per person	£35 per full day of closure £350
Legal Expenses	Per person	£50,000
Personal Liability	Per occurrence	£5,000,000
Personal Accident	Per Person	Death and capital benefits £100,000

A summary of the
insurance policy is included
in the pack you have.

GLOBAL HEALTH INSURANCE CARD

EHIC: Current European Health Insurance Cards (EHIC) are valid as long as they are in date. When your EHIC has expired you need to apply for a new **Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC)**. The new GHIC card is **free** to obtain from the official website and should be **applied for at least 4 weeks before travel**:

<https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-healthinsurance-card-ghic/>

Both cards will offer equivalent protection for emergency and medically necessary healthcare needs when in the EU on holiday.

PASSPORT

- A valid passport is required.
- The travel company requires travellers to have a passport expiry date of at least 6 months after the day we leave, which means they must have an **expiry date any time after 12th August 2026**. 3 months is the absolute minimum (12th May 2026)
- If you do not hold a UK passport, you are responsible for applying for any visas required.
- It is absolutely the parents' responsibility to ensure their child can travel to Iceland and neither the school or travel company accepts any liability if anyone is refused.

WHAT TO BRING

- One large suitcase (**Max. 15kg** – not a lot) and **one** carry on (45 x 36 x 20cm) which must fit under your seat. Correct at time of publishing but you must check Easyjet before travel.
- Toiletries
- Very warm and waterproof jacket and trousers
- Long sleeve tops, including thermals
- Hat and gloves
- Comfortable, waterproof shoes (walking shoes ideally)
- Swimwear
- Bath towel *Optional
- Pyjamas
- Water bottle
- Snacks (in suitcase)
- Leisure wear
- Plastic bag for dirty clothes
- Money for snacks and souvenirs (optional)- most places accept card- please exchange any money before you go to the airport- ICELANDIC KRONA
- Books/games for free time (optional)
- Phone charger and two-pin plug adapter

SAFETY AND BEHAVIOR

Keeping safe whilst we are away is very important. Therefore, each child will be given a “I’m lost” card to carry on their person whenever we are on outdoor activities. The card will be in a booklet that will consist of accommodation details and a number to call the trip leader.

While we are away, please remember your child’s behaviour represents our school. Therefore, your child is expected to conduct themselves appropriately and have respect for both staff and their peers. We want everyone to have an enjoyable experience. This goes for students 18+, we have a duty of care to ensure their safety.

Phones will be allowed but we urge all to limit their use in order to fully enjoy the experience! Also, mobile data will cost for some providers, but WiFi is provided at the hotel.

Any
questions?



PLEASE FOLLOW QR CODE AND COMPLETE FORM

Iceland Trip- 2026

