

# BEST OF SCANDINAVIA CRUISE



Ocean Cruise

15 Days

\$11,990 CAD  
All inclusive from, per guest, double occ.

May 22 - June 5,  
2025



# Journey Through Scandinavia



Join us for an unforgettable 15-day journey as we explore the iconic cities of Northern Europe, including London, Copenhagen, Stockholm, Helsinki, and Tallinn, aboard the luxurious Celebrity APEX cruise in May 2025.

Every detail of this voyage has been thoughtfully curated for our valued Journeys by Van Dyke guests. Enjoy exclusive private shore excursions, expertly led local guides and accompanied by our dedicated Journey Manager, ensuring a seamless and enriching travel experience. Discover the rich culture and heritage of each destination through comprehensive city tours, savor local cuisines, and immerse yourself in the charm of historic old towns.

As you read through our meticulously crafted itinerary, we hope you share in the excitement we've felt while planning this adventure for you. We eagerly look forward to embarking on this extraordinary journey and creating lasting memories together. Let's continue exploring the world, one remarkable destination at a time.

**JOURNEYS**  
by Van Dyke 





# ① LONDON, ENGLAND

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London, a vibrant fusion of tradition and modernity, boasts iconic landmarks like Buckingham Palace and a dynamic cultural scene. Its diverse culinary offerings, world-renowned museums, and bustling markets reflect its cosmopolitan essence. Every street corner narrates a tale, making every visit a unique adventure in this bustling metropolis.





## ② COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

Copenhagen, a vibrant hub of creativity and culture, showcases iconic attractions like Nyhavn and the enchanting Tivoli Gardens. Its culinary scene, featuring everything from gourmet dining to street food delights, reflects the city's diverse influences. With a commitment to sustainability and an abundance of green spaces like the Botanical Garden, Copenhagen offers a unique blend of urban excitement and natural beauty.





## ③ STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

Stockholm, the “capital of Scandinavia,” seamlessly blends history with modern urban life, offering diverse experiences. From cultural treasures to lush green spaces, Sweden’s cosmopolitan hub captivates visitors. Explore Stockholm’s allure, where past and present converge, inviting you to delve into its rich tapestry of experiences.





## ④ HELSINKI, FINLAND

Helsinki's cosmopolitan allure enchants with its stunning waterfront vistas, diverse architecture, and delectable Nordic cuisine. Explore neoclassical streets, immerse in dynamic design scenes, and savor picturesque harbor views. Helsinki's blend of culture, innovation, and Nordic charm promises an unforgettable journey through Finland's capital.





## ⑤ TALLINN, ESTONIA

Tallinn, nestled atop a limestone hill, boasts a rich history and architectural marvels. Its Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, offers cobblestone streets, medieval churches, and secret tunnels. From ancient charm to modern vibrancy, Tallinn seamlessly invites exploration of its timeless treasures.



A narrow, cobblestone alleyway between yellow buildings. A bicycle is parked on the left side of the path. The path leads towards a building with a white door and a small window. The scene is bathed in warm, golden light.

# Journey Itinerary



Day 1

# DEPART FOR LONDON, ENGLAND

Start your Journey with us by enjoying a private car pick-up service from your home. Upon arrival at the airport, guests departing from the Toronto airport are assisted with their check-in. Meet your Journey Manager and fellow guests, and board your flights to London, England. Our Journey Manager travels with you to take care of all the details, allowing you to embrace your Journey.

Overnight flight







Day 2

## WELCOME TO LONDON

Upon arrival in London, you'll be transferred from Heathrow Airport to your centrally located hotel. Get acquainted with the city through a panoramic tour, soaking in its iconic sights. Satisfy your appetite with a delightful 2-course lunch and drinks at a local restaurant or pub. Later, settle into your accommodation at the hotel. In the evening, settle into your accommodations before joining fellow travelers for a welcome dinner at the hotel, marking the beginning of your memorable stay in London.

Overnight: London City, Canopy Hilton Hotel

Meals: L, D



## Day 3

# WESTMINSTER ABBEY & BUCKINGHAM PALACE

Enjoy a London sightseeing tour that begins with a visit to the historic Tower of London and the magnificent Westminster Abbey, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. As an active place of worship founded in 960 AD, and Britain's coronation church, it has hosted significant ceremonies like royal weddings and state funerals. Explore the abbey, home to the ancient Coronation Chair and the final resting place of numerous monarchs. Don't miss Poets' Corner, where literary greats such as Geoffrey Chaucer, William Shakespeare, and Charles Dickens are commemorated. Conclude your tour with a photo stop at Buckingham Palace, the iconic residence of the monarch and the backdrop for the famous Changing of the Guard ceremony.

Overnight: London City, Hilton Canopy Hotel

Meals: B,L,D







Day 4

## SOUTHAMPTON & STONEHENGE

Leaving London behind, we venture to the timeless wonder of Stonehenge, where ancient mysteries await exploration amidst the tranquil Wiltshire countryside. As we wander among the towering stones, we ponder the rituals and stories of civilizations past. After our visit, our journey leads us to Southampton port, where we'll board the Celebrity Apex, your home for the next 11 nights.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D



Day 5

## DAY AT SEA

Today, we embark on a leisurely day at sea aboard the magnificent Celebrity Apex. It's a perfect opportunity to unwind and fully embrace the serenity of oceanic vistas. Spend your day luxuriating in the ship's amenities, from lounging by the pool to indulging in spa treatments. With its innovative design, including the industry-first Magic Carpet providing stunning sea views, the Celebrity Apex ensures that every moment is an opportunity to relax and enjoy the beauty of the ship and the endless expanse of the sea. So kick back, soak in the sunshine, and let the soothing rhythm of the waves create a sense of tranquility as we sail towards our next destination.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D







Day 6

## COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

Your exploration of Copenhagen begins as you're greeted by your local guide at the harbor. Embark on a scenic journey, pausing for a photo stop at the picturesque Nyhavn, known for its vibrant canal-side atmosphere. Admire the exterior of the Royal Family's Winter residence at Amalienborg Palace and pass by iconic landmarks like Christiansborg Palace, City Hall, and Christianshavn. Conclude your tour as you're driven back to the pier, accompanied by insightful commentary along the way.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D



## Day 7

# COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

Your second day in Copenhagen begins with a coach tour through the city, highlighting significant landmarks as pointed out by your English-speaking guide. Enjoy a leisurely stroll through the serene Botanical Garden, a haven of natural beauty. Afterwards, visit the renowned Tivoli Gardens, one of the world's oldest amusement parks, offering a delightful blend of attractions, entertainment, and charming landscapes. The bus will then return the group to the pier in good time for the ship's departure or the end of the tour.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D







Day 8

## DAY AT SEA

Enjoy another relaxing day at sea aboard the Celebrity Apex. Spend your day exploring the ship's luxurious amenities, such as the tranquil Eden room, the vibrant entertainment venues, or the serene adults-only Solarium pool. Unwind poolside at the Main Pool, where the terraced deck offers stunning ocean views. Whether you choose to lounge in the Rooftop Garden, try your luck at the casino, or simply relax and enjoy the Baltic Sea views, today is all about savoring the ship's offerings and recharging for the journey ahead.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D



## Day 9

# STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

Upon disembarking in Stockholm, your adventure unfolds with a guided tour of the Old Town, revealing iconic landmarks such as City Hall and the Parliament. Wander through the medieval allure of Gamla Stan's narrow lanes and quaint bungalows. Then, delight in a traditional Swedish lunch at Skansen before delving into the captivating world of Metro Art underground. For a quintessentially Swedish experience, opt for a FIKA break at a local café, where you can savor coffee and a cinnamon bun amidst the city's lively ambiance.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D







Day 10

## HELSINKI, FINLAND

Today, we tour through the heart of Finland's capital, Helsinki. Marvel at the magnificent neoclassical architecture of Senate Square, including the impressive Senate Cathedral. Explore the central area, strolling along the elegant Esplanadi avenue and bustling Mannerheim with iconic landmarks like the Congress Palace and Finlandia House. Discover Helsinki's vibrant culture at the picturesque harbor market and admire the monumental Sibelius Park honoring the Finnish musician.

Delve into Helsinki's rich design heritage with a visit to the Arabia district, designated World Design Capital in 2012. Later, journey to the historic town of Porvoo, where charming cobblestone streets and colorful houses await. Explore the picturesque Old Town, home to quaint shops and the 15th-century Porvoo Cathedral. We conclude our day and return to the ship, enriched by the beauty and history of Helsinki and Porvoo.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D



Day 11

# TALLINN, ESTONIA

In Tallinn, Estonia's capital city, our exploration begins and concludes at the harbor. The focal point of Tallinn's pride lies in its Medieval Old Town, a vibrant hub developed from the 13th to 16th centuries during its prosperous tenure in the Hanseatic Trade League. We'll meander through the picturesque Town Hall Square, flanked by merchant houses, and admire the majestic Toompea Castle and the graceful St. Nicholas' Orthodox Church, unraveling the historical tapestry of this captivating city.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D







Day 12

## VISBY, SWEDEN

In our tour of Visby, the main town on the east coast of the island, you'll find yourself transported back to medieval times as you wander the cobbled streets. Designated as a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1995, Visby boasts the best-preserved fortified trading town in northern Europe. From the 12th to the 14th century, it served as the primary center of the Hanseatic League in the Baltic, with buildings and structures dating back to the 13th century. Surrounding the centuries-old center, the Visby City Wall, known as Ringmuren, stands as a testament to its rich history, with towers and gates built between 1250 and 1288, stretching across 3.5 kilometers.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D



Day 13 & 14

## DAYS AT SEA

As we sail back to Southampton from Visby, we have two leisurely days cruising the Baltic Sea aboard the Celebrity Apex. These serene days offer a chance to reflect on our journey, sharing stories and enjoying the tranquility of the sea. It's a time to commemorate the sights seen and experiences shared, as we relax and soak in the beauty of the Baltic coast from the comfort of the ship.

Overnight: Celebrity APEX

Meals: B,L,D







Day 15

## SOUTHAMPTON & HOME

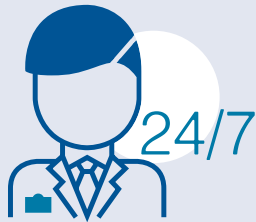
Today we say goodbye to the English countryside and Baltic sea as make our way to the airport for our flight home. Enjoy a private car to your home upon arrival.

Meals: B



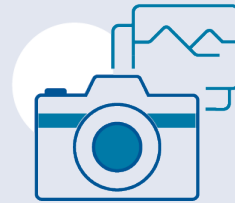
# Signature Inclusions on this Journey

In addition to our essentials, your Journey includes our following Signature Inclusions:



## 24/7 Professional Journey Manager

- Will travel with you from Canada and handle every detail
- In addition to knowledgeable local guides



## Memorable Private Excursions

- Private excursions crafted by our team
- All sightseeing & entrance fees included



## Private Car Pick-up Service

- Within a 200-kilometre radius, let your Journey begin in elegant comfort with a private chauffeured car to the airport



## Generous Tips & Gratuities

- For the porters, local guides, hotel staff & many more, paid by us on your behalf

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## Our essentials included with your Journey:

- 11 nights on the Celebrity APEX
- 2 nights in an outstanding hotel
- All meals included ( 13 breakfasts, 13 lunches, 13 dinners)
- Classic Drinks Package Included on Cruise (surcharges will apply to drinks not included as part of the Classic Drink Package)
- Round-trip airfare from Toronto with
- All taxes as well as port & service charges
- "Whisper" radios included for use during excursions
- Other gateways & travel classes available
- Portage for one piece of luggage per person
- Complete information & assistance leading up to your departure
- Branded overnight carry-on or backpack



# Hotels

A photograph of a modern building at night. The building's facade is composed of numerous vertical, faceted panels that create a complex, crystalline pattern. The panels are illuminated from within, casting a warm, golden glow. The building's entrance is visible at the bottom, featuring a curved, overhanging roof structure. The sky is a deep blue, and the overall scene is lit with a mix of warm interior lights and cool exterior lighting.



Day 2-4

# CANOPY BY HILTON, LONDON CITY

Discover Canopy by Hilton, where elevated, boutique hotel experiences immerse guests in the essence of the locale. With sophisticated design, bespoke food & beverage offerings, and crafted touchpoints, enjoy a locally inspired, high-end stay. Located in the heart of East London, Canopy by Hilton London City invites you to explore the vibrant energy of the area, just a short stroll from Tower Bridge, premier markets, historic landmarks, and museums.





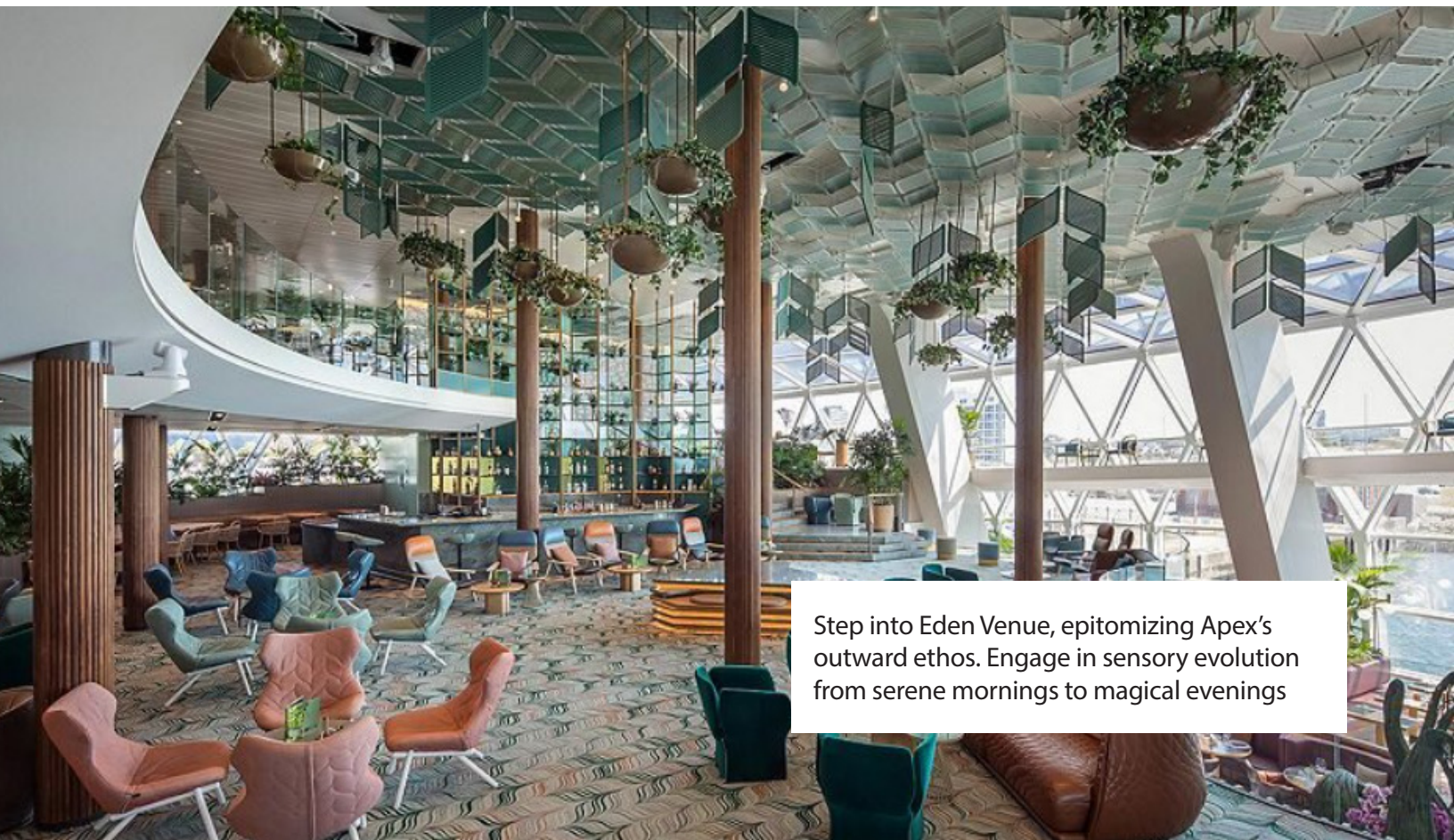
Experience a new world with Celebrity Apex. Enjoy innovative accommodations blending indoor-outdoor living, and savor diverse dining at restaurants, bars, and lounges.



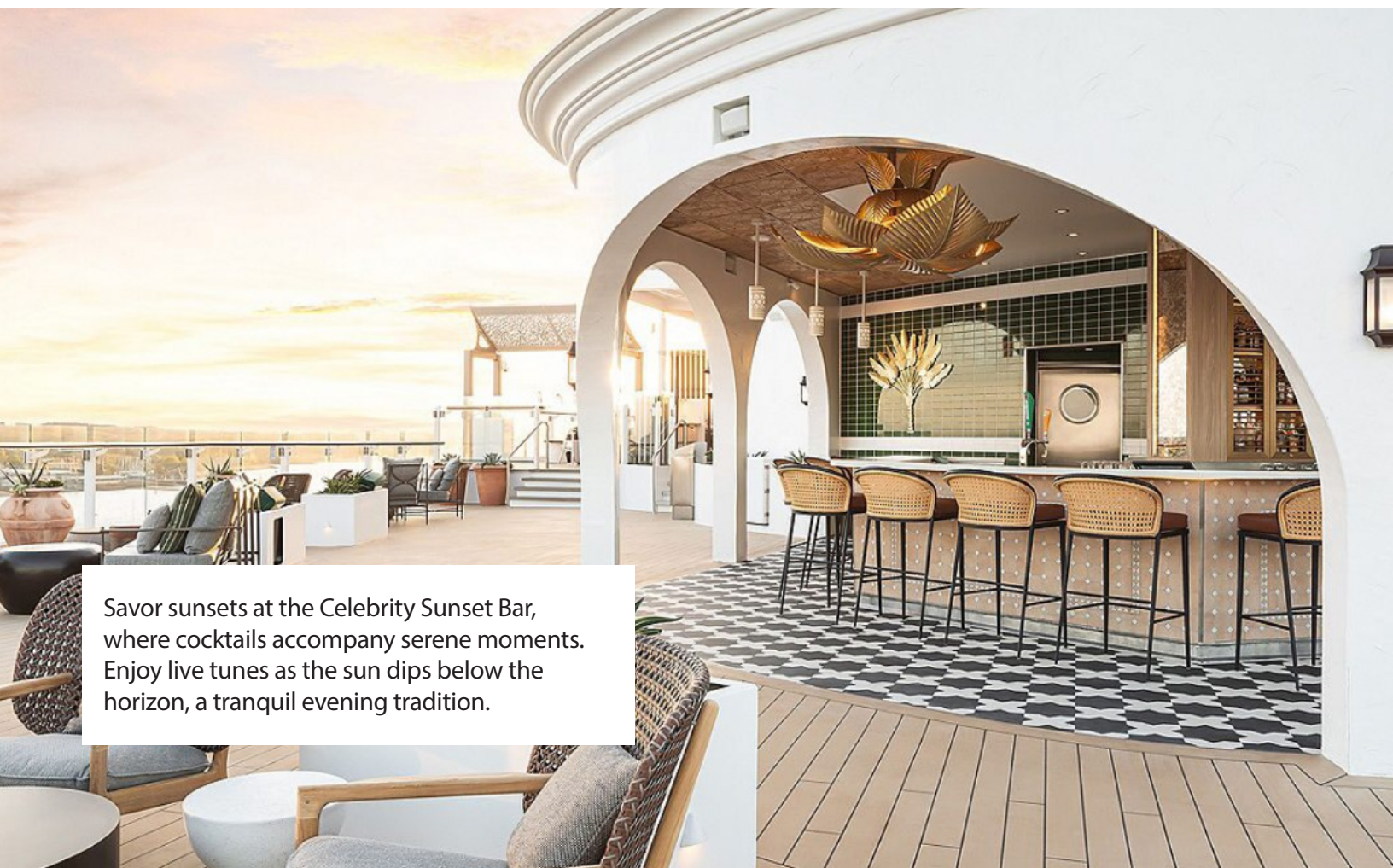
# Discover the Celebrity APEX







Step into Eden Venue, epitomizing Apex's outward ethos. Engage in sensory evolution from serene mornings to magical evenings

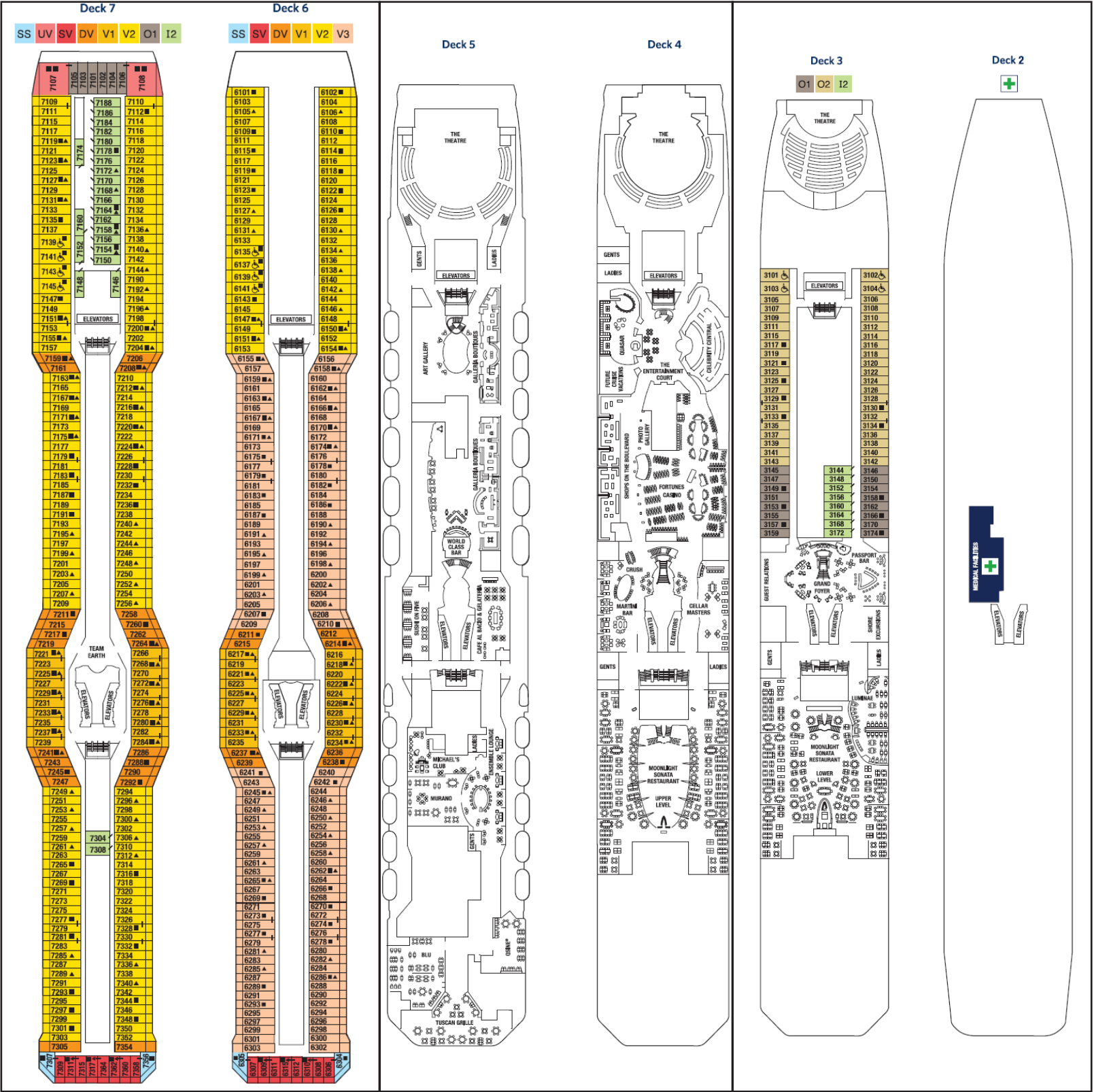


Savor sunsets at the Celebrity Sunset Bar, where cocktails accompany serene moments. Enjoy live tunes as the sun dips below the horizon, a tranquil evening tradition.











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# Fares & Staterooms



O2 — Ocean View

200 sqft

Staterooms with a large window and a sitting area where you can kick back and relax after a day that has been as busy or relaxing as you want it. Enjoy in-room automation that allows you to control everything from lighting, to temperature, and service with a simple touch screen. You can even choose a setting that will tuck you in and gently wake you in the morning. It's world-class service at the touch of a button.

- Located on Deck 3
- Large window
- Expansive view of the ocean
- King sized Cashmere™ Mattress & eXhale® bedding
- Plentiful storage space in your bathroom and wardrobe
- Plush 100% cotton bathrobes and towels
- Four pillows in every stateroom
- Premium Custom blended bathroom products
- Fresh ice delivered to stateroom upon request
- Celebrity Shopping bag
- In-room Automation
- Interactive television system
- Hair dryer

## Double Occupancy

\$11,990

## Single Occupancy

\$17,490



O1 — Prime Ocean View

200 sqft

Staterooms with a large window and a sitting area where you can kick back and relax after a day that has been as busy or relaxing as you want it. Enjoy in-room automation that allows you to control everything from lighting, to temperature, and service with a simple touch screen. You can even choose a setting that will tuck you in and gently wake you in the morning. It's world-class service at the touch of a button.

- Located midship on Deck 3
- Large window
- Expansive view of the ocean
- King sized Cashmere™ Mattress & eXhale® bedding
- Plentiful storage space in your bathroom and wardrobe
- Plush 100% cotton bathrobes and towels
- Four pillows in every stateroom
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- In-room Automation
- Interactive television system
- Hair dryer

## Double Occupancy

\$12,090

## Single Occupancy

\$17,590

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# Fares & Staterooms



## E2 — Veranda

243 sqft - 42 sqft Veranda

The Veranda seamlessly blends indoor and outdoor living with the touch of a button. You can step right out to the water's edge, enjoying open air access to the sea whenever you desire. The stateroom offers advanced technology for adjusting various comfort features such as lighting, shades, temperature, and service through a user-friendly touch screen. With a luxurious king-sized bed and expanded bathroom with larger modern shower, the stateroom embodies both design and comfort enhancements.

- Located in aft and forward ship areas
- Floor-to-ceiling windows transform into balcony with touch of button
- One of the largest veranda staterooms at sea
- Innovative design merges inside and outside space
- Enjoy an even closer connection to the ocean
- King sized Cashmere™ Mattress & eXhale® bedding
- Plentiful storage space in your bathroom and wardrobe
- Plush 100% cotton bathrobes and towels
- Four pillows in every stateroom
- Premium Custom blended bathroom products
- Fresh ice delivered to stateroom upon request
- Celebrity Shopping bag
- In-room Automation
- Interactive television system
- Hair dryer

### Double Occupancy

\$12,490

### Single Occupancy

\$18,490



## C1 — Prime Concierge

243 sqft - 42 sqft Veranda

The Prime Concierge Class staterooms with infinite veranda, is where the little details make a world of difference. Prime Concierge Class staterooms are well-appointed, personal retreats located in the most-desirable locations on the ship and include a team of dedicated professionals will take care of all your vacation needs. The in-room automation allows you to control everything from lighting, to shades, to temperature, and service with a simple touch screen. You can even choose a setting that will tuck you in and gently wake you in the morning. It's world-class service at the touch of a button.

- Infinite Veranda stateroom located on high deck. Midship locations
- Floor-to-ceiling windows transform into balcony with touch of button
- Innovative design merges inside and outside space
- Veranda with lounge seating
- Sitting area with sofa
- Welcome bottle of sparkling wine & pillow menu upon request
- King sized\* Mattress & eXhale® bedding
- Premium Bathroom Products
- Plush 100% cotton bathrobes, slippers and towels
- Complimentary use of umbrella and binoculars
- Daily delivery of delectable delights
- Fresh ice delivered to stateroom upon request
- Celebrity Shopping bag
- Interactive television system
- Hair dryer

### Double Occupancy

\$12,690

### Single Occupancy

\$18,990

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