

# ANTARCTICA IN A DAY

The world's most unique scenic flight

Depart round trip from Hobart – Sunday 30 January 2022

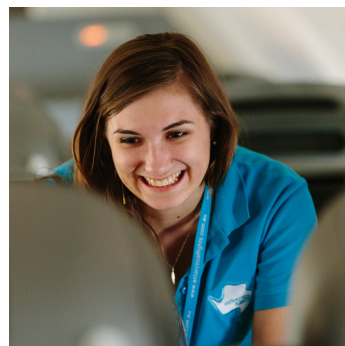




# EXPERIENCE INCREDIBLE ANTARCTICA

## Departure

Hobart ..... Sunday 30 January 2022



## A new chapter for Antarctica Flights

Welcome to Antarctica – the world’s last great wilderness. We’ve been exploring Antarctica by air since 1994 – that’s over 150 flights and 26 years pioneering a land that remains almost entirely undiscovered. Aboard a cruise ship you would only touch the edge of the coast. Aboard our privately chartered plane, you will soar over a continent that escapes the boundaries of perception. For the first time in our history of touring, we board the 787 Dreamliner, which affords us optimal views to the vast white wilderness, thanks to windows larger than those on a similar sized aircraft. The lower cabin altitude also creates a more comfortable environment in which to enjoy your flight. This new chapter promises to be the very best yet.

## What to expect on board

Become one of the privileged few to witness the desolate beauty of this untamed polar desert. Aboard our privately chartered state-of-the-art 787 Dreamliner, you will experience unparalleled Antarctic viewing over the vast and various landscapes of this wild continent. And with 19 planned routes to match the day’s weather conditions, no two flights are ever the same, each with a duration between 12 and 14 hours. Enjoy the bespoke full Qantas service – including premium drinks, delicious meals and talks from Antarctic expeditioners. With up to four hours over the ice and the remaining time to enjoy on board – it’s an experience like no other.





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*Here and there are cracks across the barren landscape like the fine shatter-line on a broken mirror. It's an eerie, utterly uninhabited world above which we spend hours of compelling and companionable cruising.*

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Anthony Dennis

Editor, *Traveller*, *Sydney Morning Herald* and *The Age*



## Our commitment to carbon neutrality

Every Antarctica Flight is carbon neutral. We are proud to work with carbon solutions provider Carbon Neutral in offsetting the carbon emissions from every flight. Through certified carbon credits purchased under the Gold Standard, we are contributing to projects that not only provide positive benefits to the climate, but also achieve social and economic 'co-benefits'. We're committed to protecting our planet, and it's our mission to leave Antarctica's pristine landscape the way we found it.

Inspired by their Antarctic experience, many of our guests go on to become environmental ambassadors. Recognising the immediacy of Antarctica's vulnerability to climate change, their generosity aids in furthering research and education, in order to protect this precious and vital part of our world.



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# NATURE'S MASTERPIECE

It's over 100 years since Ernest Shackleton made his pioneering expedition across Antarctica. Knowledge of the driest, coldest and windiest continent on Earth has come a long way since then...

## Antarctica facts

- > Antarctica is larger than Europe and almost twice as big as Australia, but only 2% is ice-free
- > It's the world's driest continent, with an annual snowfall equating to just 200 millimetres of water. That's even less than the annual rainfall of the world's hot deserts!
- > The coldest temperature ever recorded on Earth was in Antarctica:  $-89.6^{\circ}\text{C}$  at Vostok Station in July 1983
- > Antarctica holds 70% of the planet's fresh water and 90% of the planet's freshwater ice. The average ice sheet is a whopping 1.4 kilometres thick!
- > During winter, the pack-ice zone in the Southern Ocean almost doubles in size, extending to between 19 and 22 million square kilometres
- > Australia has three permanent bases in the wilderness: Mawson (1954), Davis (1957) and Casey (1969). Don't forget to give them a wave if we fly over!







## Tour inclusions

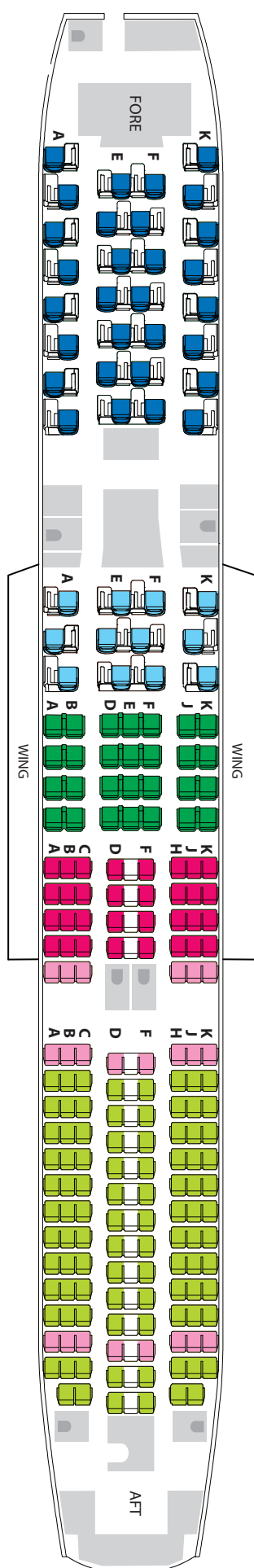
Choose your seating options from Business Deluxe, Business, Premium Economy, Superior Economy, Standard Economy and Explorer Economy.

All seating classes will experience spectacular views over the ice and an unforgettable round-trip including:

- > The ultimate birds-eye view over the continent
- > The complete Antarctic experience – meet Antarctic explorers on board, experience live crosses to research stations and watch documentaries
- > Take home your Explorer Kit, with all the maps and stats you need to become an Antarctic expert
- > Two full-service Qantas meals plus in-flight snacks
- > Full bar service – toast your discovery with champagne, wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- > Watch *Happy Feet* on the way there, on the state-of-the-art entertainment system



# SEATING PLAN



- BUSINESS CLASS DELUXE
- BUSINESS CLASS
- PREMIUM ECONOMY CLASS
- SUPERIOR ECONOMY CLASS
- STANDARD ECONOMY CLASS
- EXPLORER ECONOMY CLASS

## BUSINESS CLASS DELUXE

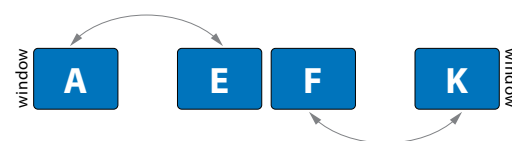
### SOLD OUT!

Admire aerial views of Antarctica in utmost comfort in Business Deluxe seats with full international business class service. All seats are either a window or aisle seat, and passengers will swap at the halfway point of the journey, which means everyone will have unobstructed views of Antarctica. With ample space between each seat, enjoy the room to spread out.

Halfway through journey:

Seat A swaps with Seat E

Seat F swaps with Seat K



## BUSINESS CLASS

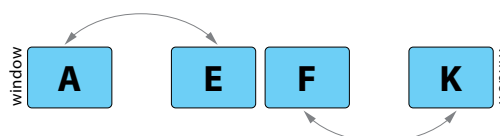
### SOLD OUT!

Business seats are set at the leading edge of the plane's wing, which means there will be a slight viewing obstruction. With full international business class service, all seats are either a window or aisle seat. Passengers will swap at the halfway point of the journey. With ample space between each seat, enjoy the room to spread out.

Halfway through journey:

Seat A swaps with Seat E

Seat F swaps with Seat K



## PREMIUM ECONOMY CLASS

\$3,999

Qantas' International Premium seats, with larger seats and seat pitch than Economy Class seats. Seats are located over the wing, which can obstruct viewing. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and an aisle seat or adjacent for the other half of the flight.

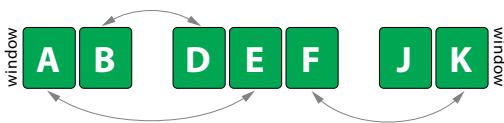
Halfway through journey:

Seat A swaps with Seat E

Seat B swaps with Seat D

Seat F swaps with Seat K

Seat J remains in seat throughout journey



## SUPERIOR ECONOMY CLASS

\$3,199

The rear Economy Class section is reserved for Superior passengers. All seat rows are well clear of the wing for excellent viewing. Superior seats are the four seats on each side of the aircraft and will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and an aisle seat or adjacent for the other half of the flight.

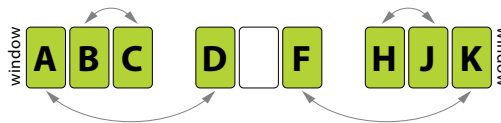
Halfway through journey:

Seat A swaps with Seat D

Seat B swaps with Seat C

Seat F swaps with Seat K

Seat H swaps with Seat J



## STANDARD ECONOMY CLASS

\$2,199

These are the four seats on each side of the aircraft in the Economy Class section over or near the wing, which can obstruct viewing. The window and the adjacent aisle seats will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and an aisle seat or adjacent for the other half of the flight.

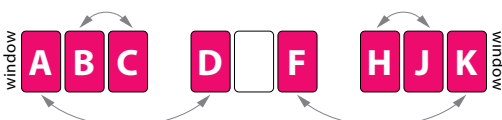
Halfway through journey:

Seat A swaps with Seat D

Seat B swaps with Seat C

Seat F swaps with Seat K

Seat H swaps with Seat J



## EXPLORER ECONOMY CLASS

**SOLD OUT!**

Explorer seats do not have direct access to a window. Passengers are free to stand in the aisles and common areas to enjoy the views of Antarctica. Passengers will enjoy Qantas International service and award-winning inflight entertainment system.

These seats do not rotate.





## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**Charter manager** Captain's Choice Pty. Ltd. (ACN 063 895 876, ABN 82 063 895 876) trading as Antarctica Flights and Captain's Choice, Level 4, 1230 Nepean Highway, Cheltenham, Victoria 3192, Australia.

**Charter airline** Qantas Airways Limited has been contracted as the operating airline. However, Qantas is not involved in the organisation of the flights.

### Deposit and final payments

A non-refundable AU\$300 deposit per passenger is due at the time of booking. Final payment of your booking balance is required 8 weeks prior to your departure date. Please note if you are booking online, full payment is required at time of booking.

**Fares** All fares and charges are per person in Australian dollars.

**Photo identification** is required upon check-in e.g. Valid drivers licence, passport or equivalent.

**Cancellation fees** Should your Antarctica Flight not be able to depart due to government restrictions with coronavirus, a full refund will be provided. If you cancel, the following fees will apply:

1. Between confirmation and 56 days prior to departure – full refund less AU\$300 per passenger cancellation fee.

2. Between 55 days and 28 days prior to departure – full refund less 50% cancellation fee.

3. Between 27 days and departure date – no refund.

Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Please contact our team if you are interested.

**Amendment/transfer** Your ticket can be transferred to another person up to 24 hours prior to departure. An AU\$100 name change service fee per change will apply. This same service fee will apply for change of class.

**Travel credit** Passengers will require a contactless temperature test before embarking the aircraft. Those people with a fever (38°C or higher) will be denied boarding, but, will receive a travel credit for a future Antarctica Flight to the value of their ticket.

**Travel documents** Trip information and travel documents will be forwarded to you approximately 2-3 weeks prior to travel, providing full payment has been received.

**Seat numbers** Will not be confirmed in advance of the flight. They will be issued on your boarding pass at the departure airport.

**Force Majeure** Force Majeure means the occurrence of an event that is beyond Antarctica Flights reasonable control and which could not have been reasonably

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5. To the full extent permitted by law, Antarctica Flights liability arising under or in connection with these booking conditions: (a) is limited to the resupply of the products or services or the payment of the cost of resupply of the products or services to you; and (b) excludes liability for any indirect or consequential losses suffered by you or any third party, howsoever caused, including but not limited to pure economic loss or any

special, extraordinary or punitive damage to you or any other party.

6. Your travel agent will forward deposits and other payments to us on your behalf, but your travel agent is not our agent for the purpose of receipt of monies. Receipt of deposits and subsequent payments by the travel agent does not constitute receipt of those monies by us and the travel agent has no authority expressed or implied to receive monies on our behalf. There is no liability on the part of Antarctica Flights in respect to any monies paid to your travel agent, unless and until Antarctica Flights notifies you (by way of a booking confirmation advice or payment receipt advice) that monies have been received by Antarctica Flights. Antarctica Flights reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or refuse to carry any passenger where payment has not been received by Antarctica Flights within the specified time.

7. The photographs appearing in the brochure and on the website are representational only and are not a guarantee that everything will be exactly as depicted at the location upon arrival. Whilst every endeavour will be made to adhere to the proposed route, weather conditions may determine the actual route, according to the absolute discretion of the Captain of the aircraft. No guarantee can be given of clear viewing conditions and no refund or part refund will be made if the views are fully or partially obscured. Alternative routes will be selected to give the best viewing if the planned route has unfavourable weather conditions.

**Governing rule** The charter proposal set out herein and the participants' acceptance by completion of the registration form creates an agreement between the Charter Manager and the participants subject to the law of the State of Victoria. The registration forms part of this documentation.

**Special note** A Qantas 787 aircraft will operate all flights; however, other Qantas aircraft may be substituted without notice. Frequent flyer points do not apply. Depending on prevailing weather conditions the points of interest viewed may vary. Alternative flight paths may enable viewing of many spectacular points of interest but clear views cannot be guaranteed.

**Photos/videos** Photographs or videos of the flight may be used for promotional purposes. Agreeing to these terms online and acceptance of the documents indicates your acceptance and release for this material to be used for promotional and/or resale purposes.

**Airline levy** Airline fuel and/or security levies may apply.

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