

The Alaska Railroad connects many of Alaska's most popular destinations: Anchorage, Seward, Talkeetna, Fairbanks, and of course Denali National Park – home to Denali, the tallest peak in North America. Just as spectacular as these destinations is the journey there on the Alaska Railroad. Our tracks span 500 miles/800 kilometers across this great land, traveling along dramatic coastlines, pristine river valleys, expansive alpine forests and traversing the Chugach mountains and Alaska Range. In summer, trains run daily to and from eight major stops along the Railroad. Our Alaskan reservationists are experts at helping travelers build custom adventure packages, from day trips to multi-day vacations including rail travel, premium accommodations and a wide range of activities.

ABOUT OUR SERVICE

The Alaska Railroad is proud to offer two classes of passenger service: Adventure Class and GoldStar Service. All guests enjoy large windows, knowledgeable Alaskan tour guides, assigned seating, forward-facing reclining seats, open-air vestibules, non-smoking cars and onboard dining options.

Adventure Class

Comfortable, forward-facing assigned seats paired with grand picture windows. Open-air vestibules allow for excellent views and unobstructed photos of the Great Land. Dining is available for purchase onboard. The Coastal Classic, Denali Star and Hurricane Turn Trains feature open seating in the upper viewing level of the Vista Dome cars. Adventure Class service is available on all Alaska Railroad trains.

GoldStar Service

With premium service aboard double-deck dome cars, luxury rail travel has never been better. GoldStar Service is offered on the Denali Star and Coastal Classic Trains and features panoramic views from glass-dome ceilings and an upper-level outdoor viewing deck – the only of its kind in the world. GoldStar tickets include meals in the onboard dining room, all soft beverages and two complimentary adult beverages per trip. Available in summer season only.

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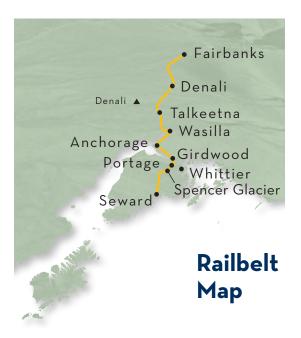


ABOUT OUR TRAINS









Coastal Classic Train

Mid-May to mid-September; operates round-trip daily between Anchorage and Seward, with a stop in Girdwood. Passengers enjoy spectacular views along the way, from the dramatic coastline of Turnagain Arm to several backcountry glaciers. In Seward, guests may choose to explore this charming seaside town independently, or embark on a glacier and wildlife cruise through Kenai Fjords National Park. One of National Geographic Traveler's Top Train Rides in America. GoldStar Service available.

Denali Star Train

Mid-May to mid-September; daily departures northbound and southbound linking Anchorage and Fairbanks with stops in Wasilla, Talkeetna and Denali National Park. The 356 mile/573 kilometer route features spectacular scenery, including frequent sightings of its namesake peak: Denali. GoldStar Service available.

> Glacier Discovery Train

June to mid-September; operates round-trip daily between Anchorage and Grandview, with stops in Girdwood, Portage, Whittier and Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop. Day trips abound: guests may travel to Whittier for a wildlife and glacier cruise through Prince William Sound, Portage to visit the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, or the Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop for guided hiking, rafting, ice climbing and more. Many guests stay onboard for the train's backcountry turnaround point, the aptly named Grandview.

Hurricane Turn Flagstop

Mid-May to mid-September; operates round-trip Thursday-Monday between Talkeetna and Hurricane. This unique flagstop service runs through 55 miles/86 kilometers of remote backcountry, allowing passengers to get on and off the train anywhere along the route. Locals ride this train for access to remote cabins and homes. Travelers consider the Hurricane Turn our best-kept secret for incredible views of Denali and Hurricane Gulch.

Aurora Winter Train

Mid-September to mid-May; operates weekends linking Anchorage and Fairbanks, with stops in Wasilla and Talkeetna (midweek service available select weeks in December, February and March). Travelers on this journey experience the splendor of Alaska in winter from the comfort of a warm railcar. Winter activities abound, including aurora viewing, natural hot springs and many unique winter festivals.



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