



BASE TORRES VIEWPOINT TREKKING



Base Torres Excursion

- **Experience one of the most iconic adventures in Torres del Paine National Park.**
- Join us on an unforgettable hike through stunning landscapes — forests, valleys, and crystal-clear rivers — leading to the famous Base Torres viewpoint, the closest spot to the park's majestic granite towers.
- A journey that blends nature, challenge, and excitement — perfect for those who want to connect with the true spirit of Patagonia.

Key Information



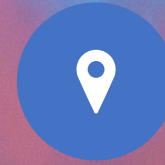
**TORRES DEL
PAINE**



**DURATION:
FULL DAY**



**DIFFICULTY:
HIGH**



**DEPARTURE:
PUERTO
NATALES**

**Reaching the Base Torres viewpoint is subject to weather conditions and the physical condition of the participants.*

Recommendations

Trekking clothes 1st, 2nd and 3rd layer.

Waterproof trekking shoes.

Sunglasses, sunscreen and gloves.

If you have any medical conditions, bring your medications.

Included

Semi-private
transportation

Certified
bilingual local
guide

Safety Briefing

Bottle of water

Not Included

Tickets for
National Parks

Meals

Personal and
medical
expenses

Personal
accident
insurance



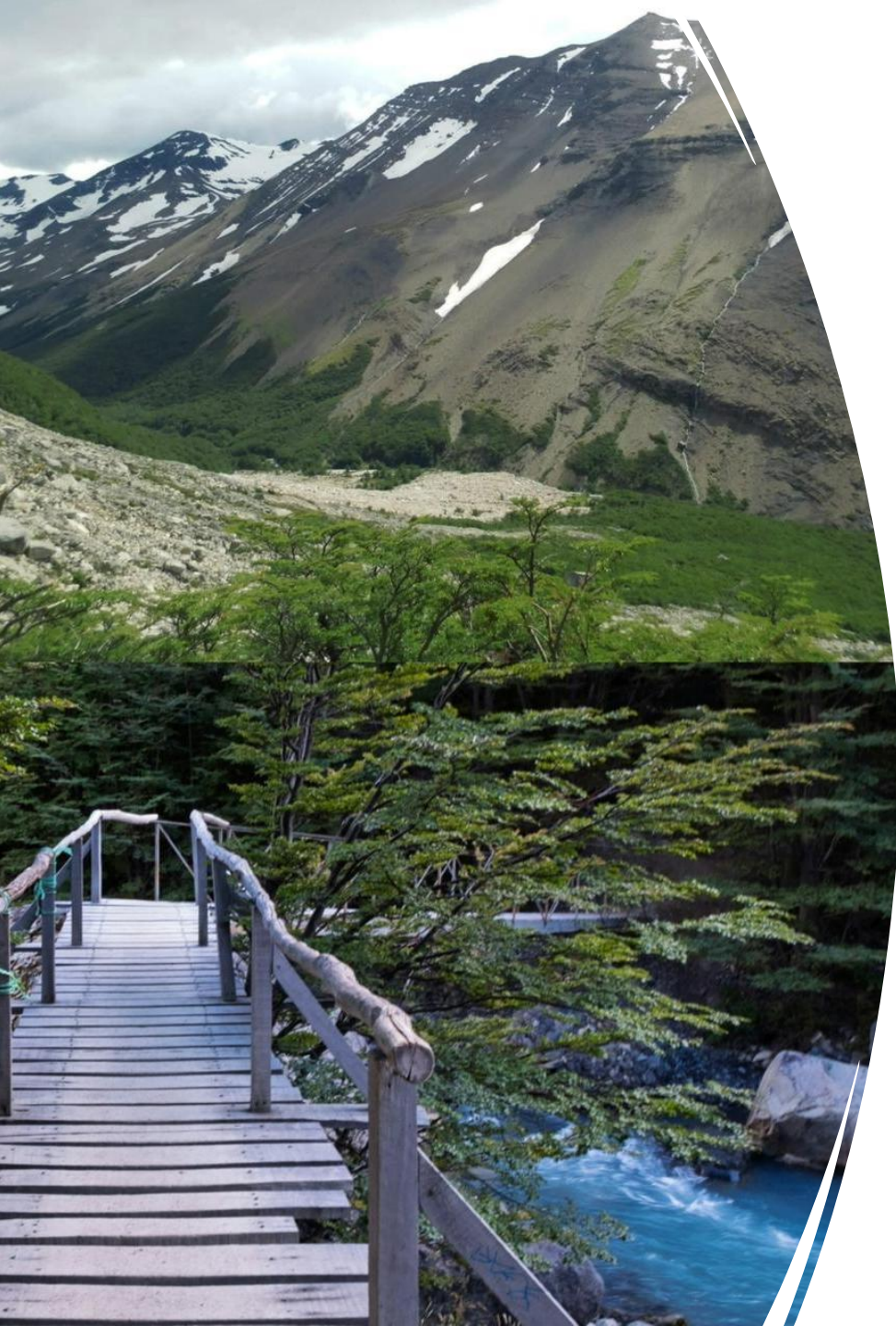
Itinerary Summary

- **06:15–06:45 AM:** Pick up from your accommodation in Puerto Natales and transfer to Torres del Paine National Park.
- Begin the trek at the park's Welcome Center.
- Hike through the Ascencio Valley, crossing Lenga forests and mountain streams from Mount Almirante Nieto, before reaching the final ascent along the glacial moraine.
- Arrive at the **Base Torres viewpoint (870 m a.s.l.)**, where you'll enjoy panoramic views of the **Towers, the Torres Lagoon and Glacier, Cerro Nido de Cóndores, and Cerro Peineta**.
- Time to rest and enjoy your **box lunch**.
- Descend along the same trail back to the Welcome Center.
- Return to **Puerto Natales**, arriving around **9:30 PM**.



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- **06:15–06:45 AM – Pick up from your accommodation.**
- We'll begin our adventure with a transfer from your hotel in Puerto Natales, heading north along Route 9 toward **Torres del Paine National Park**.
- After about an hour and a half of travel, we'll arrive at **Laguna Amarga Gate** to register before continuing to the **Las Torres Reserve Welcome Center**, where our guides will give a short briefing before starting the **Base Torres Trek**, the park's most famous — and internationally renowned — hike.
- This round-trip journey of about **22 km (approx. 8 hours)** will take us through **mountain scenery and Patagonian valleys**, always accompanied by our expert guides.
- We'll start by crossing the **Ascencio River** via an old bridge, and after about **1.5 hours of moderate uphill walking**, we'll reach **El Chileno Refuge**, located along the river — a perfect spot to rest and enjoy a snack..



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- We'll continue our hike through a **lush Lenga forest**, crossing small mountain streams that flow down from **Mount Almirante Nieto**. At the end of the forest, we'll take a short break to recharge before starting the **final ascent to the viewpoint**.
- From here, the trail becomes more challenging as we walk alongside the **glacial moraine**, surrounded by low mountain vegetation — a clear sign that we're entering a true **high-mountain environment**.
- After about **one hour of climbing**, we'll reach the **Base Torres Viewpoint** (870 m.a.s.l.), where we'll be rewarded with an **unforgettable panoramic view** of the three iconic granite towers — **South, Central, and North (De Agostini, Central, and Monzino)** — along with **Peineta Hill, Condors' Nest, and the stunning Torres Lake and Glacier**.




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- With this breathtaking view before us, we'll take some time to rest, enjoy our **box lunch**, and listen to our guides share the fascinating geological story behind these unique formations.
- Afterward, we'll begin our **descent along the same trail** back to the Welcome Center, where our vehicle will be waiting to take us **back to Puerto Natales**.
- **Estimated arrival time:** around **9:30 PM**.



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