

# ALASKA BY DESIGN

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## Denali Alaska Railroad Highlights

2026

Alaska Rail Vacation

3 Days / 2 Nights Anchorage to Fairbanks  
Priced at USD **\$1,416** per person

Prices are per person and include all taxes. Child age 10 yrs & under

### INTRODUCTION

Explore Denali National Park on this 3-day Denali Alaska Railroad highlights tour between Anchorage and Fairbanks. Traveling in style on Alaska Railroad you'll enjoy the comforts of a Goldstar railcar, with glass-domed ceilings, upper-level outdoor viewing platforms, inclusive dining, a private bar and full commentary of your journey. Adventure deep into Denali National Park with your choice of tours from a Backcountry Adventure Jeep excursion, Tundra Wilderness Tour or Denali Flightseeing.

#### Itinerary at a Glance

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| <b>DAY 1</b> | Anchorage to Denali National Park Entrance   Alaska Railroad              |
| <b>DAY 2</b> | Denali   Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 4 Excursions                     |
|              | Option 1. Denali Highway Jeep Excursion   Self-Drive Guided 4x4 Excursion |
|              | Option 2. Tundra Wilderness Tour   Coach Tour                             |
|              | Option 3. Upgrade Option: Denali Summit Flightseeing   Small Aircraft     |
|              | Option 4. Upgrade Option: Denali Glacier Landing   Helicopter             |
| <b>DAY 3</b> | Denali National Park Entrance to Fairbanks   Alaska Railroad              |

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## MAP



## DETAILED ITINERARY

*The below itinerary reflects our recommendations for this specific trip. This itinerary is also available in the reverse direction.*

### **Day 1 Anchorage to Denali National Park Entrance | Alaska Railroad**

Early this morning take the Denali Star, the Alaska Railroad's flagship train, in the Goldstar Railcar with service to Denali National Park. Watch for views of Denali and keep an eye out for wildlife. Arrive mid-afternoon; the rest of the day is at leisure to enjoy an optional activity. (Breakfast & lunch is included onboard the train today)

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## Day 2 Denali | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 4 Excursions

### *Option 1. Denali Highway Jeep Excursion | Self-Drive Guided 4x4 Excursion*

Ranked #2 in Drives of a Lifetime by National Geographic Traveler magazine, experience the natural wonders of Alaska's Denali Highway — this time by Jeep! This 4-hour guided excursion travels along a 135 mi (217 km) gravel road & takes you off the beaten path in a 4 x 4 to enjoy scenic views of Denali, the Alaska Range, glaciers and wildlife.

### *Option 2. Tundra Wilderness Tour | Coach Tour*

This half day tour offers incredible scenery, a narrated history of the park road and opportunities to view the park's wildlife inhabitants. Picturesque highlights include the craggy cliffs of Cathedral Mountain, wildlife rich Sable Pass and braided wash of the East Fork River in Denali National Park.

### *Option 3. Upgrade Option: Denali Summit Flightseeing | Small Aircraft*

Get a closer look at Alaska's majestic Denali from the comfortable window seat of a small aircraft. Slip on your provided headset to hear commentary from your guide as you fly over the snow-covered peaks, jagged ridgelines, and glacier carved valleys of Denali National Park, and get within half a mile of the mountain peak.

### *Option 4. Upgrade Option: Denali Glacier Landing | Helicopter*

Be immersed in the vastness of the Denali National Preserve. On your way to the massive Yanert Glacier, your pilot will serve as your guide through this unique glacially-carved environment. Soar over the rolling tundra, keeping an eye out for local residents – caribou, moose, bear, and Dall sheep. Snow capped peaks and glaciers abound on this journey before you set down on a river of ice.

## Day 3 Denali National Park Entrance to Fairbanks | Alaska Railroad

This morning is at leisure to enjoy optional activities such as: whitewater rafting down the Nenana River, helicopter flightseeing over the park, landing on a glacier or hiking. By early afternoon, board Alaska Railroad's Denali Star Train in the Goldstar Railcar to Fairbanks. Enjoy the late afternoon scenery as you travel north to Fairbanks where your incredible Alaskan adventure ends. (Dinner is included on board the train today)



## INCLUDED

### Package Includes:

- Accommodation including taxes for 2 nights
- Alaska Railroad - Anchorage to Denali Goldstar Service  
(Dome car seating, private outdoor viewing deck & Meals included onboard train)
- Denali hotel shuttle transfer between train station & hotel
- Denali | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 4 Excursions
- Denali Highway Jeep Excursion
- Tundra Wilderness Tour
- Upgrade Option: Denali Summit Flightseeing by Plane
- Upgrade Option: Denali Glacier Landing by Helicopter

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- Alaska Railroad - Denali to Fairbanks Goldstar Service  
(Dome car seating, private outdoor viewing deck & Meals included onboard train)
- Meals as per Itinerary

**Hotel & Rail Information | Moderate Grade**

- Denali Park Entrance - Denali Cabins | Standard Cabins

**Hotel & Rail Information | Superior Grade**

- Denali Park Entrance - Grande Denali Lodge | Standard Room

**Alaska Railroad | Goldstar** All our itineraries except the Glacier Discovery Train includes Gold Star Dome Service. These railcars feature large, curved glass windows that run the full length of the car, allowing excellent 360 degree viewing plus a private outdoor viewing deck. The service is inclusive of all meals that are served in the lower-level dining room.

**Not Included:**

- Gratuities
- Activities other than specified
- Portage fees

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## DATES & PRICING

Departs from Anchorage: Daily

(Tour Code: TRA1)

Departs from Fairbanks: Daily

(Tour Code: TRA2)

DATE	TWIN	SINGLE	TRIPLE	CHILD
<b>Moderate Grade</b>				
17 May 25 - 28 May 25	\$1,416	\$1,651	\$1,334	\$739
29 May 25 - 05 Sep 25	\$1,818	\$2,267	\$1,665	\$828
06 Sep 25 - 12 Sep 25	\$1,416	\$1,651	\$1,334	\$739
<b>Superior Grade</b>				
17 May 25 - 28 May 25	\$1,725	\$2,268	\$1,545	\$739
29 May 25 - 05 Sep 25	\$1,947	\$2,525	\$1,756	\$828
06 Sep 25 - 12 Sep 25	\$1,725	\$2,268	\$1,545	\$739
<b>Freedom of Choice Upgrade &amp; Optional Excursions</b>				
<b>Denali Freedom of Choice Upgrade Option</b>	-	-	-	-
Denali Summit Flightseeing by Plane	\$222	-	-	-
Denali Glacier Landing by Helicopter	\$434	-	-	-

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