





**▼** 15 Days



Last date to book 01/11/2025



7,360 per person - Twin share 10,330 sole occupancy

## Sail into Paradise: Fiji & New Zealand with Princess Cruises

Set sail on an unforgettable journey across the South Pacific with Princess Cruises. From the French flair of New Caledonia to Fiji's warm island spirit and the breathtaking landscapes of New Zealand, this itinerary brings together the very best of the region.

Discover vibrant cultures and pristine beaches in New Caledonia, then unwind in Fiji's turquoise waters and lush island settings. Continue on to New Zealand, where the Bay of Islands and Auckland offer a mix of natural beauty and cultural experiences, enhanced by Princess' exclusive "Across the Ditch" program.

Life on board is just as rewarding as time ashore. Indulge in world-class dining, enjoy live entertainment, or simply relax with ocean views from your private balcony. With every detail taken care of, you're free to immerse yourself in the magic of the journey.

By the time you return, you'll carry with you the warmth of Fiji, the charm of New Caledonia, and the unforgettable beauty of New Zealand.

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Cruise accommodation with private facilities
- Meals, activities and entertainment onboard
- Coach transfers from Canberra to Sydney and return
- Potter Travel Tour Leader
- Specialty dining in Sabatini's Restaurant onboard
- Specialty dining onboard
- Welcome Cocktail party
- Full day private group tour in Auckland



















Date	Port of Call	Arrive	Depart	Notes
Sat, Apr 25	Sydney, Australia	_	4:00 PM	Embarkation Day
Sun, Apr 26	At Sea	_	_	Enjoy onboard activities
Mon, Apr 27	At Sea	_	_	Relax and explore the ship
Tue, Apr 28	Noumea, New Caledonia	8:00 AM	6:00 PM	Shore excursions available
Wed, Apr 29	Mystery Island, Vanuatu	8:00 AM	6:00 PM	Water shuttle required; wheelchair access limited
Thu, Apr 30	At Sea	_	_	Onboard entertainment
Fri, May 1	Suva, Fiji	8:00 AM	6:00 PM	Discover the capital of Fiji
Sat, May 2	Dravuni Island, Fiji	7:00 AM	5:00 PM	Water shuttle required; wheelchair access limited
Sun, May 3	At Sea	_	_	Leisure day at sea
Mon, May 4	At Sea	_	_	Continue enjoying ship amenities
Tue, May 5	Tauranga, New Zealand	10:15 AM	9:30 PM	Explore Bay of Plenty region
Wed, May 6	Auckland, New Zealand	10:00 AM	10:00 PM	Vibrant city and harbour
Thu, May 7	At Sea	_	_	Cruise activities and relaxation
Fri, May 8	At Sea	_	_	Final full sea day
Sat, May 9	At Sea	_	_	Prepare for disembarkation
Sun, May 10	Sydney, Australia	6:00 AM	_	Disembarkation















## Canberra to Sydney Day 1 - Saturday 25th April 2026

Join your friendly Tour Leader and Coach Captain as we depart Canberra to travel to Sydney, stopping for morning tea along the way. Mid Afternoon we arrive at Circular Quay where the magnificent Crown Princess is preparing for us to board. Once onboard, enjoy a late lunch at the Lido Market and freshen up in our staterooms before a Sunset Cocktail meet and greet as we prepare to sail away. Enjoy the sights of Sydney's famed harbour and heads and out into open water, as we dine on the Ships culinary delights.



#### At Sea

Day 2 - Sunday 26th April 2026

Once we have found our sea legs we are have a full day to enjoy the Ship. Your onboard daily program will list a variety of activities and entertainment or simply grab a good book and a sunny deck chair and relax with a view of the endless horizon. Meet up for Lunch with the group at Sabatini's Restaurant.



#### At Sea

Day 3 - Monday 27th April 2026

Relax and explore the ship. As evening falls, why not join the group for some live entertainment such as Broadway-style show, live music or comedy act.



## Noumea, New Caledonia Day 4 - Tuesday 28th April 2026

Today we are docked in Noumea, the capital of New Caledonia, is a delightful fusion of French culture and Pacific Island charm. Once a little-known French possession known for its penal colony and natural resources, Noumea has evolved into a popular travel destination renowned for its white-sand beaches, clear blue waters, and the world's second-longest barrier reef—making it a paradise for snorkelling and diving enthusiasts. In 1774, Captain James Cook named the island New Caledonia after noting its resemblance to the rugged hills of his native Scotland. It became a French colony in 1854 and an overseas department of France in 1956.



Suggested Shore Excursion: Tjibaou Cultural Centre Tour Duration: 2.5 hours | Price: \$119.95 per person Activity Level: Easy Discover the rich cultural heritage of New Caledonia with a guided tour of the Tjibaou Cultural Centre—an architectural icon designed by award-winning architect Renzo Piano. Inspired by traditional Kanak huts, the centre's striking sail-like structures are home to fascinating exhibits celebrating Kanak art, history, and spiritual beliefs. Stroll along the Kanak path, featuring native plants and mythological symbols, and explore themed gardens representing key cultural concepts such as rebirth, duality, and the unseen world. A highlight is the moving exhibit dedicated to Jean-Marie Tjibaou, whose vision brought this cultural landmark to life.

















#### Mystery Island, Vanuatu

Day 5 - Wednesday 29th April 2026

Water shuttle required; wheelchair access limited



Step ashore at Mystery Island, a tiny, uninhabited paradise in southern Vanuatu. Once used as a World War II airstrip, its hidden location earned it the name "Mystery Island." Today, it offers the charm of a secret oasis with pristine white-sand beaches, crystal-clear waters, and swaying palms. Upon arrival, enjoy live island music and browse a vibrant local market offering handicrafts, and local foods.



At Sea
Day 6 - Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Enjoy the activities and onboard entertainment.



Suva, Fiji Day 7 - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026

Located in the heart of the South Pacific, Fiji is a tropical paradise made up of 333 islands, offering everything from adventure to relaxation. Once known as "The Cannibal Isles," Fiji's ancient warrior past now lives on through cultural rituals like firewalking, Kava ceremonies, and traditional dance and music. Suva, the capital and cultural heart of Fiji, sits on a reef-protected natural harbour surrounded by lush rainforest. A lively mix of colonial charm and modern life, Suva is home to vibrant markets, diverse architecture, and a multicultural population reflected in its many churches, temples, mosques, and shrines.



Suggested Shore Excursion: Pure Fiji & Suva City Sights
Duration: 3 hours | Price: \$115 per person Activity Level: Moderate
Relax in air-conditioned comfort as you take a guided sightseeing tour
through Suva, passing lush landscapes and learning about Fiji's rich
and colourful history. A highlight of the tour is a visit to the
headquarters of Pure Fiji, an internationally acclaimed skincare brand
that blends traditional island beauty rituals with modern techniques.
Meet the founder and gain insight into the use of coconut oil and
native flower extracts in their luxurious products. Conclude your
experience with a scenic drive through Suva's bustling city streets
before returning to port.



Suggested Shore Excursion: Suva Village Cultural Experience Duration: 3.5 hours | Price: \$84.95 per person | Activity Level: Moderate (includes snack)

Travel by bus enjoying scenic views of Suva Harbour and Lacala Bay, passing through charming suburbs and notable landmarks. Cross the Waimanu River, known for its water lilies, and visit a local village where you'll receive a warm traditional Fijian welcome. Fiji warriors in traditional attire will escort you to meet the chief and village men for a Kava ceremony. Learn about Fijian history, lifestyle, and enjoy demonstrations of traditional arts and crafts. Take a guided walk around the village, savor light refreshments, and browse unique handmade souvenirs.



















#### Dravuni Island, Fiji Day 8 - Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

Today we dock at Dravuni Island, a small and charming island in Fiji's Kadavu group. Less than two miles long, this peaceful island is home to a friendly village of around 200 residents who often welcome visitors with traditional songs. You'll find unspoiled beaches and coconut-lined trails inviting you to explore, while the crystal-clear waters offer excellent snorkelling opportunities on the Great Astrolabe Reef. For those seeking adventure, a hike to Dravuni's volcanic peak rewards you with stunning panoramic views of the surrounding islands.



At Sea Day 9 - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2026

Enjoy a relaxing day at sea aboard the Crown Princess, where a wealth of activities and entertainment options await you. Start your morning with a refreshing swim in the pool or a workout at the state-of-the-art fitness center. For a more leisurely pace, explore the beautifully appointed shops or unwind with a spa treatment at the Lotus Spa.



At Sea
Day 10 - Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Throughout the day, engage in fun and enriching activities such as cooking demonstrations, trivia contests, dance classes, and art auctions. Take in stunning ocean views from the top deck or curl up with a good book in one of the ship's inviting lounges or the onboard library.



## Tauranga, New Zealand Day 11 - Tuesday 5th May 2026

Today we awake to stunning views of New Zealand's Bay of Plenty, a region celebrated for its natural beauty and rich Maori heritage. Our ship docks near the foot of Mt. Maunganui, which towers 761 feet above the sparkling bay. Across the harbor lies Tauranga, a vibrant port city known for its bustling marina, scenic tidal beaches, and thriving agricultural and timber industries. This area also serves as the gateway to Rotorua, New Zealand's geothermal wonderland and cultural heartland of the Maori people, located just a 90-minute drive away. Enjoy the day exploring the region's fine beaches, thermal springs, and opportunities for big-game fishing or relaxing seaside resorts.



















#### Day 11 - Suggested Shore Excursion: Te Pā Tū Māori Village Experience Duration: 6 Hours | Price: \$344.95 per person

Activity Level: Easy (includes meal)

Enjoy a scenic 90-minute coach ride from the ship to the award-winning Te Pā Tū Māori Village. Upon arrival, experience a traditional Māori welcome with the powerful Haka Powhiri ceremony and explore the village nestled in a Tawa forest. Immerse yourself in ancient customs, traditional games, and native foods and medicines used by the local iwi.

Watch captivating performances of haka, song, and drama in a forest amphitheatre before enjoying a delicious buffet lunch featuring Māori fusion dishes such as hāngi lamb, baked fish, and smoked chicken. After lunch, join in the celebration with songs and stories, then return to the ship, having gained a heartfelt connection to the people, land, and history of Te Pā Tū.



# Day 11 - Suggested Shore Excursion: Wai-o-Tapu Geothermal Exploration Duration: 6 Hours | Price: \$429.95 per person

Activity Level: Moderate

Travel to Rotorua to explore Wai-o-Tapu, one of New Zealand's most remarkable geothermal parks. Accompanied by a knowledgeable local guide, discover stunning natural features shaped by volcanic activity, including the vibrant Champagne Pool, bubbling mud pools, the vividly green Devil's Bath, and the cascading Sinter Terraces. Learn about the geological processes behind these wonders as well as the cultural significance of the area through Maori legends and scientific insights. Observe unique flora adapted to this mineral-rich environment during your guided walking tour, which also includes free time to explore independently.

Enjoy a traditional Hangi lunch prepared by a local Maori chef before returning to Tauranga.



# Auckland, New Zealand Day 12 - Wednesday 6th May 2026

Today we arrive in Auckland, New Zealand's vibrant former capital, uniquely situated on a narrow isthmus formed by 60 volcanoes. This dynamic city offers a captivating blend of scenic beauty and rich history, with landmarks such as Rangitoto Island - Auckland's largest and youngest volcano - rising majestically just offshore. Overlooking the city are Mt. Eden and One Tree Hill, both sites of ancient Māori earthworks that reflect the region's deep indigenous heritage. Auckland's cosmopolitan vibe shines through its diverse shops, restaurants, museums, galleries, and lush gardens. To the north lies one of New Zealand's premier wine regions, inviting exploration and tastings. Having served as the nation's capital from 1841 to 1865 before the government moved to Wellington, Auckland remains a bustling cultural and economic hub that beautifully blends its volcanic landscape with modern city life. Sightseeing and lunch.



















#### At Sea Day 13 - Thursday 7th May 2026

Feeling energetic, why not start your day with a sunrise stroll around the deck. Enjoy a full day to relax onboard the Ship or get together to partake in some of the activities onboard.



#### At Sea Day 14 - Friday 8th May 2026

A sea day is your chance to pause, breathe, and simply enjoy life at sea. Stretch out by the pool, wander the decks with a coffee in hand, or find a quiet corner with a good book and sweeping ocean views. With nothing but time, you can relax completely and recharge for the adventures ahead.



#### Last Day At Sea Day 15 - Saturday 9th May 2026

Today marks our final day at sea aboard the Crown Princess—a perfect opportunity to revisit all our favourite places onboard the ship or browse the boutiques for a last-minute souvenir.

This evening, we come together for a special Farewell Dinner—an elegant and memorable celebration of new friendships, shared experiences, and unforgettable destinations. Raise a glass, savour a delicious meal, and toast to the adventures that brought us together on this remarkable voyage.



#### Disembarkation - Sydney to Canberra Day 16 - Sunday 10th May 2026

This morning we arrive back in port and it's time to farewell our ship. After breakfast, disembark at your leisure with memories of sundrenched islands, cultural discoveries, and days of relaxation at sea.

#### Solo Travellers

are warmly welcomed, with plenty of opportunities to connect, mingle, and enjoy the journey at your own pace.

#### Twin Share

Travel with a friend or like-minded companion to enjoy the twin share experience

#### **Payment Options**

20% deposit required within 3 days of booking to hold your place. Final payment by 11 January 2026.

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#### **BOOKING CONDITIONS**

#### **SHIP INFORMATION - CROWN PRINCESS**

Facts about Crown Princess Guests 3,080

Crew 1,200

Inaugural Cruise: June 14, 2006

Tonnage: 113,561

Christener: Martha Stewart

Length: 952 feet Guest Cabins: 1,547 Height: 195 feet Number of Decks: 19

#### **ACCOMODATION**

**Balcony Staterooms** 

This impressive stateroom offers the added indulgence of a balcony and gives you more space than a standard stateroom. Enjoy your own private outdoor space with a table, two chairs, and a relaxing view of the inspiring scenery surrounding you, whether a beautiful sunset over the ocean or a new city to explore. It's also perfect to enjoy cocktails before dinner or a leisurely breakfast.

- Approx. 214 to 222 sq. ft., including balcony
- Balcony with 2 chairs and table
- · Comfortable queen or two twin bed
- Flat-panel television
- 100% cotton, high-thread count linens
- Spacious closet
- Hair dryer & bathroom amenities
- Floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors
- Refrigerator
- Private bathroom with shower
- Desk with chair
- Digital security safe



Balcony staterooms have been held for our group, however they are not necessarily located together, your stateroom number will be allocated at the time of booking. In some cased the cabin number may not be allocated until closer to the departure date. Interior and Oceanview (Window) can be booked upon request, subject to availability.

Princess Cruises might need to change your stateroom allocation before or during your Cruise for operational reasons including health and safety matters, when the number of people booked in the stateroom is less than the number of beds in the stateroom (for example, 2 people booked in a quad stateroom), or if You have selected a wheelchair accessible stateroom and do not require one.

#### DINING

Complimentary Dining: Guests can enjoy a range of included dining experiences such as the elegant main dining rooms offering multi-course meals for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. The Horizon Court buffet provides casual, all-day dining with international dishes, while the International Café serves light snacks, pastries, and coffee 24/7. Additional casual options include Slice Pizzeria, Salty Dog Grill for burgers and hot dogs, and Swirls for soft-serve ice cream.

Specialty Dining (Extra Cost): For a more elevated dining experience, specialty venues are available at an additional charge. These include Sabatini's Italian Trattoria, known for authentic Italian cuisine; Crown Grill, offering premium steaks and seafood; and Chef's Table, a multi-course gourmet experience hosted by the Executive Chef. For a relaxed pub-style meal, The Salty Dog Gastropub serves creative comfort food with a twist. Specialty dining reservations are recommended due to limited seating.

Potter Travel Group Dining: We have arranged a table for the group to be seated together each evening in the Main Dining room as well as a group lunch at Sabatini's and a group dinner at the Crown Grill included in your cruise fare.















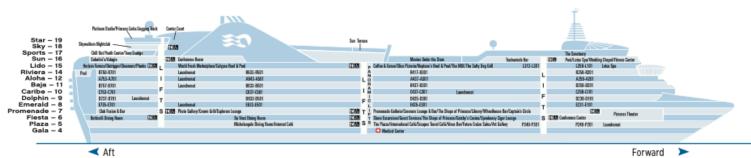
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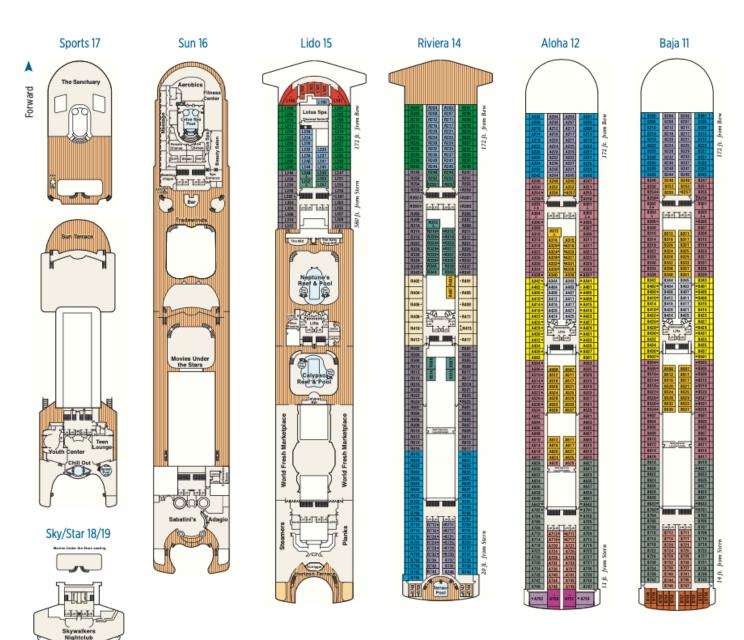
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**▲** Aft

Center Court

Christened by: Martha Stewart (TV personality & entrepreneur)







#### **BOOKING CONDITIONS**

#### **BEVERAGES**

Onboard Crown Princess, a wide variety of beverages is available to suit every taste—from specialty coffees and fresh juices to cocktails, fine wines, beers, and soft drinks. Guests can purchase drinks individually or choose from a selection of convenient beverage packages. These include the Plus Beverage Package, which covers cocktails, spirits, wine by the glass, beer, specialty coffees, bottled water, and more up to a set value per drink; the Premier Beverage Package, offering a broader selection including top-shelf brands and higher-value drinks; and the Classic Soda Package, ideal for unlimited soft drinks. There's also the Zero Alcohol Package for those preferring mocktails, juices, and non-alcoholic beverages. Beverage packages can be prepurchased or added once onboard for added convenience and value.

#### **ONBOARD FACILITIES**

- Pools & Spas:
  - Multiple swimming pools and whirlpools
  - Lotus Spa® offering massages, facials, and beauty treatments
  - The Sanctuary® adults-only retreat with private cabanas
- Dining Options:
  - Main dining rooms (complimentary)
  - Horizon Court buffet
  - o International Café, Slice Pizzeria, Salty Dog Grill, Swirls ice cream bar
  - Specialty restaurants including Crown Grill, Sabatini's, Chef's Table (extra cost)\*
- Bars & Lounges:
  - Multiple themed bars and lounges
  - Vines Wine Bar, Wheelhouse Bar, Crooners Lounge, and more
- Entertainment:
  - Princess Theatre with Broadway-style shows
  - Movies Under the Stars® (outdoor cinema)
  - Live music venues, comedians, magicians, and game shows
  - Casino
- Fitness & Recreation:
  - Fully equipped fitness center
  - Jogging track and sports court
  - Shuffleboard, table tennis
- Shopping & Services:
  - Duty-free boutiques
  - Art gallery and auctions
  - Photo & video gallery
  - Internet Café and Wi-Fi available ship wide (MedallionNet®)
- Other Amenities:
  - Library and card room
  - Medical centre
  - Self-service laundry facilities
  - Shore excursions desk and guest services

#### **ONBOARD ENTERTAINMENT**

Onboard Crown Princess, dazzling entertainment awaits with a variety of exclusive performances and world-class productions. Enjoy Princess Originals like The Secret Silk, a magical puppet-filled musical created with Jim Henson's Creature Shop, or be amazed by 5-SKIES, a high-tech show blending acrobatics and digital effects. Delight in original performances by award-winning composer Stephen Schwartz, including Born to Dance and Magic to Do. For a more modern twist, Spotlight Bar offers an energetic mix of music and storytelling. From themed parties, comedians, magicians and live jazz at Take Five (on select ships), to Movies Under the Stars with cozy blankets and popcorn, every night aboard Crown Princess promises unforgettable entertainment.

#### MEDICAL DIETARY AND MOBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To ensure a safe and enjoyable cruise, all guests must be medically, physically, and mentally fit to travel, and it is your responsibility to obtain any required medical clearance. If you have a condition requiring medication, treatment, or special care, we need to inform Princess Cruises at the time of booking. A health questionnaire will be provided so appropriate arrangements or advice can be offered. Guests should bring enough medication for the entire cruise, plus a few extra days in case of delays. Please note that access to water shuttle ports may be limited for some, but plenty of onboard activities will still be available.

















#### **BOOKING CONDITIONS**

#### **ONBOARD PAYMENTS**

Princess Cruises operates a cashless system onboard, using the Medallion linked to your credit or debit card via the Princess® App. This Medallion is used for all onboard purchases. Alternatively, you can load funds onto it using cash. Daily pre-authorisations (not actual charges) are placed on your card to ensure sufficient funds, and a single final charge is processed at the end of the cruise for your total spend. While holds are released by Princess, some banks may take up to 30 days to return the funds, so it's important to have enough available balance. All accounts must be settled before disembarkation to avoid future booking issues or withheld refunds.

#### **IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Passports with a minimum 6 months from the return travel date are required for this cruise. You booking must include your full name including title, first name, middle name, surname and gender for each guest as it appears on your passport.

#### **NAME CHANGES**

Correcting or changing a name on your booking may incur a fee. Please be aware that one original guest from the booking must always remain on the booking or the booking will be subject to the applicable cancellation charges. Princess Cruises are unable to accept name changes, new bookings or new guests on existing bookings within 48 hours of departure

#### **CANCELLATION FEES**

Should You need to cancel your booking, You must notify us as soon as possible. Please note that at the time of publication the following cancellation fees from Princess Cruises are applicable:

90 to 180 days
75 to 89 days
61 to 74 days
50% of cruise fare
75% of cruise fare

Please note that these fees are in addition to Potter Travel cancellation charges as per our booking conditions.

#### TRAVEL INSURANCE

Onboard medical expenses are not covered under Australian Medicare. Onboard treatment is billed at private rates and if emergency evacuation is required it can cost thousands. Potter Travel requires all passengers to have taken out a travel insurance policy that covers cruise travel medical. It is also advisable to have in your policy cruise fare protection for unforeseen circumstances resulting in cancellation prior to travel, loss or damage to baggage and personal effects, illness, medical expenses, accidental injury, or emergency evacuation. Currently all ports in New Caledonia require guests to have comprehensive international travel insurance.

#### **SHORE EXCURSIONS**

Princess Cruises offers a wide range of shore excursions, available at an additional cost, designed to suit all interests and activity levels—from guided cultural tours and scenic drives to adventure activities and wildlife encounters. These experiences are carefully selected to provide memorable, safe, and enriching ways to explore each destination. It's recommended to book early, as popular excursions can fill quickly.

#### **CRUISE ITINERARY**

Please note that itineraries are subject to change. Many factors may affect the ability to provide any particular itinerary. These include weather, mechanical difficulties, civil unrest or other unforeseen circumstances.

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