



KLOSTERS - ST MORITZ - ZERMATT

Tick off those bucket list ski destinations and enjoy one of the best railway journeys Switzerland has to offer.

1. Zurich Airport > Klosters

Thanks to its royal associations, Klosters is a well-known ski resort with British skiers. Just over 2 hours by train from Zurich Airport, this charming resort offers everything you'd expect from a classic Swiss ski destination: charming chalet-style buildings, a picturesque village centre and masses of skiing to explore. Linked to neighbouring Davos, you'll find an impressive 300km of pistes and plenty of welcoming mountain restaurants to sample. Hotel Piz Buin offers cosy, modern, Alpine accommodation in a great location by the river. Spend a few days here getting to know this Swiss gem.

2. Klosters > St Moritz

When you're ready to move on from Klosters, take the direct train to St Moritz and you'll be in this spectacular winter wonderland in just over an hour. For unrivalled access to the 350km of slopes, the 4-star superior Hotel Nira Alpina offers direct access to the Corvatsch cable car where you'll find some of the best skiing in the area. If being in the centre of this glitzy resort is more your bag, for incredible luxury, the 5-star Badrutt's Palace is hard to beat. Here, you'll be rubbing shoulders with glamorous guests in opulent surroundings with your every whim catered for. You'll also be well-placed to explore the designer boutiques along Via Serlas. Once you've had your fill of skiing and shopping, an epic rail journey awaits...

3. St Moritz > Zermatt on the Glacier Express

The Glacier Express is a stunning panoramic train journey linking the resorts of St Moritz and Zermatt. In a modern, comfortable train with huge panoramic windows you'll travel across Switzerland enjoying some of the best scenery the country has to offer. The journey takes just over 8 hours and it's a real opportunity to sit back, relax and let nature entertain you. You'll pass over the Landwasser Viaduct, travel through the Domleschg Region famous for its numerous castles, pass through the Rhine Gorge also known as the 'Swiss Grand Canyon' and lastly through the Matter Valley before arriving at magical Zermatt with the incredible Matterhorn in view. If you really want to travel in style, you can upgrade to Excellence class where you'll benefit from a guaranteed window seat, personalised concierge service and gastronomic tasting menu with wine pairing.

If you love skiing and beautiful landscapes, this is definitely the trip for you. Best of all, your friends will be incredibly jealous hearing about your spectacular trip through these big-name resorts!



Recommended duration:
10-12 days, including 9 days of skiing.

Fly to: Zurich
Return from: Zurich or Geneva



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3. St Moritz > Zermatt on the Glacier Express (cont.)

We defy anyone not to fall in love with Zermatt. It's a magical destination with so much to offer – amazing skiing stretching over into Cervinia in Italy, a quaint village feel, stunning scenery, outstanding hospitality, an amazing choice of bars and restaurants and all framed perfectly by the superb views of the Matterhorn. Whether you're skiing or not, Zermatt is just a great place to be. A journey up to the Gornergrat at 3100m on the cog railway is an absolute must while you're here. The 4-star superior Hotel Mirabeau offers stylish accommodation with excellent facilities and spectacular views of the Matterhorn. For a 5-star experience, the Hotel Mont Cervin Palace offers complete luxury right in the centre of the town.

4. Zermatt > Zurich or Geneva Airport

Sadly it's time to go home but you have a choice of flying back from Zurich or Geneva Airport. Either way, the rail journey is straightforward and gives you one last chance to admire the famous Swiss scenery.

Zermatt's ski area is linked to the neighbouring Italian resort of Cervinia. The ski runs down from Switzerland into Italy are among the best in the world and you can tick off another ski destination (and country) into the bargain.

