

Kat's Great Adventures

Finland – Island Hopping the Finnish Archipelago Bicycle Tour 2023
Individual Self-Guided Tour
7 Days / 6 Nights



Off Finland's south-west coast lies one of the country's most amazing and unique regions. The Turku archipelago consists of over 20,000 islands, and is a stunning area of natural beauty. Our hugely popular cycling tour hops from island to island using local ferries.

Itinerary Day to Day

Day 1: Arrival to Turku

Personal arrival to Turku, a bustling summer city on the south-west coast of Finland. There is a medieval castle and cathedral, and a wide selection of bars, cafes, and restaurants.

Day 2: Turku – Nauvo 57 km + ferry

Collect your bicycles and ride south-east out of the city. A fine system of bike lanes keeps you out of the traffic as you head into the archipelago. One short ferry brings you to the island of Nauvo for an overnight stay by the sea.

Day 3: Kustavi - Houtskär 38 km + ferries

A choice of routes takes you across a couple of islands to Houtskär. An excellent dinner is included tonight in hotel's top-rated restaurant.



Day 4: Houtskär – Korpo 20 km + ferry between hotels + extra cycling according to own wishes)

There is one relaxing ferry journey today between two of the biggest of the archipelago islands. Its 20 kilometers riding distance between the overnight hotels but there are various possible ways to get extra cycling in for those who wish. Dinner tonight is a five course local tasting menu in the highly-regarded hotel restaurant.

Day 5: Korpo - Naantali 57 km + ferries

Returning to Nauvo, the main archipelago island, take the ferry north back to the mainland and continue by bike to Naantali, an idyllic harbor village of cobbled streets and old wooden houses. There is a selection of local restaurants to choose from for dinner.

Day 6: Naantali – Turku 17 km

Free time in Naantali, or in Turku according to your preference. Short ride back to Turku. Return your bicycles. Overnight in Turku center.

Day 7: Personal departure from Turku

Individual departure or extension



Price per Person:

Double Occupancy B&B	€ 1050.00
Single Occupancy Surcharge	€ 1515.00
Luggage Transfer (two pieces)	€ 440.00
E-Bike Rental	€ 175.00
Extra Nights in Turku Double Occupancy	On Request
Extra Nights in Turku Single Occupancy	On Request
Extra Nights in Helsinki Double Occupancy	On Request
Extra Nights in Helsinki Single Occupancy	On Request

Accommodation:

Combination of spas, city hotels, converted barns, and locally thatched cabins. All accommodations have private bathrooms except Kustavi which has private WC, with showers in shared sauna.

Included:

- 6 nights' accommodation with breakfast
- 2 dinners (3 course and 5 course)
- 24 speed hybrid bicycle with panniers, repair kit, pump, helmet
- All necessary island ferry fees
- Cycling road map (1 for up to 2 persons)
- Route information leaflet
- Route in electronic GPX format
- Emergency phone service
- Luggage storage at start/end hotel if luggage transfer option not taken

Not included:

- Meals not included in itinerary
- Personal expenses



Bikes

24 Speed Ladies Bike



24 Speed Men's Bike

