PRIVATE EXPERIENCE / ENGLISH

El Tatio Geysers

An excursion to the geothermal field that combines observing steam vents, learning about subsurface activity, and enjoying breakfast on the high plateau (altiplano). The return journey includes the Machuca wetlands; the Valley of the Cacti is an optional extension, when included as part of the program.



Your itinerary

Approaching the high plateau

The vehicle gains altitude as it departs from San Pedro. The departure time is arranged based on the specific date and route; we do not guarantee a fixed arrival time in relation to the sunrise. During the approach, we take in the landscape and make necessary stops.

El Tatio Geothermal Field

We explore the designated paths amidst steam vents and mineral deposits. The visit lasts approximately an hour and a half, featuring insights into geology, water, and extreme environments. We remain strictly within the permitted circuit.

Breakfast during the excursion

Following the visit, a hearty breakfast is served. This break takes place in the Géiseres Blancos (White Geysers) area; the exact location is determined based on current conditions and authorizations. Access to thermal baths is not automatically included.

Machuca and the return journey

At the Machuca wetlands, we observe birds and other wildlife from designated viewpoints. We then return to San Pedro; by prior arrangement, this can include a visit to the Valley of the Cacti. If you have a flight to catch, we will coordinate a return time that fits your schedule.

DURATION

Extended morning

DISTANCE / ROUTE

Walking; distance varies

EFFORT

High altitude and cold temperatures

MEALS

Includes a full breakfast, snacks, and drinks, as well as all entrance fees. Lunch is not included in this version of the program.

TRANSPORT

Hotel pickup and drop-off in San Pedro (depending on location). Private transfers with stops coordinated by the guide.

PREPARATION

Bring warm clothing, gloves, a hat, and closed-toe footwear. The tour takes place strictly within authorized areas; please do not approach the hot springs or thermal vents.