

Jungfrauoch – Top of Europe.

A mountain of distinction: Not only is the Jungfrauoch home to Europe’s highest situated railway station (3,454 m/11,332 ft a.s.l.), it also belongs to the UNESCO World Heritage Site “Swiss Alps Jungfrau-Aletsch”. Even the ride up on the cog railway is an unforgettable experience in itself.

Operation

- Year-round operation
- Leaves at 30-minute intervals

Top attractions

- Aletsch Glacier – the longest and largest glacier of the Alps
- Intermediate stops Eismeer and Jungfrau-Panorama
- Sphinx viewing terrace at 3,571 metres (11,716 feet) altitude
- Adventure tour “Alpine Sensation” to the Ice Palace
- Adventurous chilling at the “Snow Fun Park” (May to October)

Arrival

- From Interlaken Ost with change of train at Grindelwald/Lauterbrunnen and Kleine Scheidegg
- Travel time to the summit: 2 h

Catering, accommodation and shopping

- Refreshments available in various restaurants on the Jungfrauoch (Bollywood Indian Restaurant, self-service restaurant Aletsch, Crystal à la Carte, etc.)
- Chocolate adventure shop “Lindt Swiss Chocolate Heaven”
- “Top of Europe” souvenir shops

Tickets, reservation and surcharges

- 25% discount with Swiss Travel Pass (Flex) from Wengen/Grindelwald to Jungfrauoch
- 25% discount with ER/IR from Interlaken Ost to Jungfrauoch
- 50% discount with Swiss Half Fare Card from Interlaken Ost to Jungfrauoch



- Online seat reservation available Kleine Scheidegg–Jungfrauoch and back (recommended during peak season) jungfrau.ch/seatreservation

Timetable

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Sphinx and Aletsch Glacier, Jungfrauoch, Bernese Oberland

Mountain highlights.

Snow Fun Park.

At the Snow Fun Park, guests can get refreshed and try their hands at various winter sports. "Snowtubing" with pirouettes on an inflated hoop, speeding down the slope on a sledge, zip-lining over eternal ice on the Flying Fox or skiing and snowboarding – all of this is possible in the Snow Fun Park. What's more, it can be done spontaneously: Equipment is available for renting right there. The ultimate way to experience snow in summer!



Sphinx viewing platform.

Pressing a button, shooting up, enjoying the mountain panorama: It takes the lift a mere 25 seconds to overcome 108 metres (354 feet) altitude and arrive at the viewing platform at 3,571 metres (11,716 feet) a.s.l. Once there, it's just a matter of inhaling deeply and enjoying the view. Incidentally, Europe's highest research station is also located at the terrace. It is of paramount importance to environmental scientists, astrophysicists and meteorologists.

Ice Palace.

The more ephemeral – the more beautiful! This is especially true for the "Ice Palace" and its treasures. With ice pick and saw, mountain guides created the halls and corridors in the middle of the Jungfrau firn in the 1930s. Today, artists shape the ice – with a delicate touch. On an icy round tour through this frosty world, guests discover artworks in many niches. Eagles, penguins and bears look like they've just solidified into ice, that's how real they appear. A heart-melting experience, even at minus temperatures.



Alpine Sensation.

Anybody who steps into the 250-metre (820 feet) long corridor leading from the Sphinx hall to the Ice Palace experiences a shiver down the spine. And that's not only due to the freezing temperatures but also to the memory of the sacrifices that mountain workers made in order to open the Jungfrauoch to railway technology. 30 memorial plaques bear witness of it. The background music causes goose bumps as well: Together with pictures of touristic visionaries, it lets the beginnings of the Jungfrau Railways come to life.

Jungfrau-Panorama.

There are times that one "cannot see the mountain for all the clouds" on Jungfrauoch. That has nothing to do with bad weather, however – on the contrary. Clouds are fascinating. Who hasn't dreamed of bathing in that fleecy-soft miracle? The Jungfrau Panorama film makes it possible. It offers a 360° panoramic experience of the mountain world, the way it could never be had otherwise – 365 days a year. The camera takes visitors for a dive into the clouds, lets them sink into crevasses and plunge into masses of snow. Independent of what the weather is doing outside.

