

Golden Gate Bridge Tour Disclaimer

This is a 45 minute (Day Tour) or 60 minute (Evening Tour) personally guided experience in which you will be standing or walking the entire time. There are no seating areas available during the tour. You will be walking over slightly uneven surfaces in all forms of weather that may include fog, mild rain, wind and direct sunlight.

The tour takes place entirely outdoors. The tour distance is approximately three-quarters of a mile (1.2 km). We recommend that visitors be without significant physical or mental conditions that would impair their ability to participate in the tour without significant assistance from others, including:

- Heart conditions
- Respiratory conditions
- Acrophobia (fear of heights)
- Vertigo (dizziness)
- Depression
- Difficulty walking three-quarters of a mile (1.2 km)
- Any other condition that may be adversely affected by the outdoor nature of the tour

Anyone wanting to sit out the tour can do so comfortably in the plaza while the rest of the group does the tour. The tour does not go across the bridge or into any off-limits areas, but does go onto the bridge before returning to the Plaza.

To ensure the safety and return of audio equipment used on the tours, a photo ID or major credit card is required to be left as collateral during the tour. Only one photo ID or credit card is required per party. IDs and credit cards will be kept in a locked storage container under management supervision and will be returned immediately at the end of the tour after the party's audio equipment is collected. Tour equipment cannot be distributed unless this collateral is exchanged.

Visitors are encouraged to keep belongings to a minimum as this is a narrow walkway with many visitors and bicyclists on it. There are no lockers or storage facilities available for luggage, backpacks or large packages. While you may bring these items on the tour, they must remain under your direct control at all times.

Backpacks, handbags, parcels, and packages are subject to search by law enforcement authorities at any time, especially during times of heightened security levels.

The following items are not allowed on Bridge Tours:

- Bicycles
- Skateboards
- Scooters
- Motor-driven bicycles/cycles
- Roller blades, roller skates, or "wheelie" shoes
- Segways
- Weapons
- Pets or companion animals
- Alcohol

Service animals as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (any guide dog, signal dog, or other animal individually trained to provide assistance to an individual with a disability) are allowed.

Visitors who are, or appear to be, intoxicated will not be allowed to take the tour.

The tour takes place in an open public area, adjacent to a very busy roadway. The premises are by nature dangerous and we recommend caution when traveling to ensure your safety during the entire time.

Minors under the age of 18 attending a Bridge Tour must be accompanied by an adult. **Minors must be closely supervised at all times while on the Bridge Tour for their own safety.** Safety issues include but are not limited to speeding bicycles, highway traffic, and a roadway that is 223 feet above water with a railing that is easily climbable. **Children 5 and under must be under direct physical parental control during the entirety of the tour by being secured in a stroller, harness, or carrier or through hand-holding.**

If children are present on the tour, ages 6 to 17, we require one adult chaperone for every five children. For groups with toddlers, we ask that you maintain a 1 to 1 ratio of adults to children.

Visitors are under video surveillance and there are regular security personnel present on the bridge.