

## INCLUSIONS

- ▶ Incredible sightseeing over Antarctica
- ▶ Full Antarctic experience - Antarctic experts, videos and other informative activities
- ▶ Camera in Flight Deck relaying a bird's eye view throughout screens on the plane
- ▶ Comprehensive information kit
- ▶ Two full service Qantas meals plus in-flight snacks
- ▶ Full bar service - including wine, beer, spirits and soft drink
- ▶ Live jazz band on 31 December flight

## FACT FILE

- ▶ Antarctica was once part of the super-continent of Gondwana which broke up millions of years ago to form the separate continents of Antarctica, Australia, Africa, South America and India
- ▶ The Antarctic continent covers an area of approximately 14 million square kilometres and is almost twice the size of Australia
- ▶ Less than 2% of Antarctica is ice-free (exposed rock) and the ice sheet has an average thickness of approximately 2.4 kilometres
- ▶ During winter the pack-ice zone in the Southern Ocean extends to an area between 19 and 22 million square kilometres - almost doubling in size compared to summer
- ▶ The highest mountain in Antarctica is Vinson Massif (4,897 metres)
- ▶ The total volume of the Antarctic ice sheet is about 30 million cubic kilometres
- ▶ Antarctica contains about 70% of the world's freshwater - if this water (trapped as ice) were to melt the sea level would rise by approximately 70 metres
- ▶ Perhaps surprisingly Antarctica is the world's driest continent - it is often referred to as a 'polar desert' with the annual snowfall equating to around 200mm of water. This is less than the annual rainfall of the world's hot deserts
- ▶ The average coastal temperature in summer is 0° and the coldest temperature ever recorded on earth was in Antarctica: -89.6°C at Vostok station in July 1983
- ▶ The highest wind speed ever recorded was also in Antarctica: 327 kilometres per hour at the French base of Dumont d'Urville in July 1972

## SEATING PLAN AIRBUS A380

### FIRST CLASS \$6,299

All seats will be full length sleeper seats. First Class passengers have the opportunity to sit next to the window for the full time over the ice.

### BUSINESS CLASS DELUXE \$5,499

All seats will be either a window or aisle seat next to the window seat. The window and the adjacent aisle seats will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. Business Class Deluxe seats are located on the Upper Deck, clear of the wing for excellent viewing.

### BUSINESS CLASS \$4,999

All seats will be either a window or aisle seat next to the window seat. The window and the adjacent aisle seats will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. The wing is visible but the height of the Upper Deck offers good viewing well beyond the wing area.

### BUSINESS CLASS CENTRE \$2,999

These seats are the 2 seats in the centre of the Business Class cabin on the Upper Deck. While they do not rotate to a window seat, some viewing is possible past the passengers in the window seats. Full Business Class space, flat bed seat, food, bar service and facilities are provided.

### PREMIUM ECONOMY CLASS \$3,799

Qantas' international Premium Economy Class offers slightly larger seats and more space than regular Economy Class. Seats are located at the rear of the Upper Deck, offering views clear of the wing. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and a centre aisle seat or the adjacent seat for the other half of the flight. Seats will be exchanged at the halfway point of the flight.

### ECONOMY CLASS SUPERIOR \$2,399

Economy Class Superior seats are located at the leading edge of the wing and to the rear of the wing to provide excellent opportunities for viewing in Economy Class. Economy Class Superior seats are the four seats on each side of the aircraft and will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and an aisle seat for the other half of the flight.

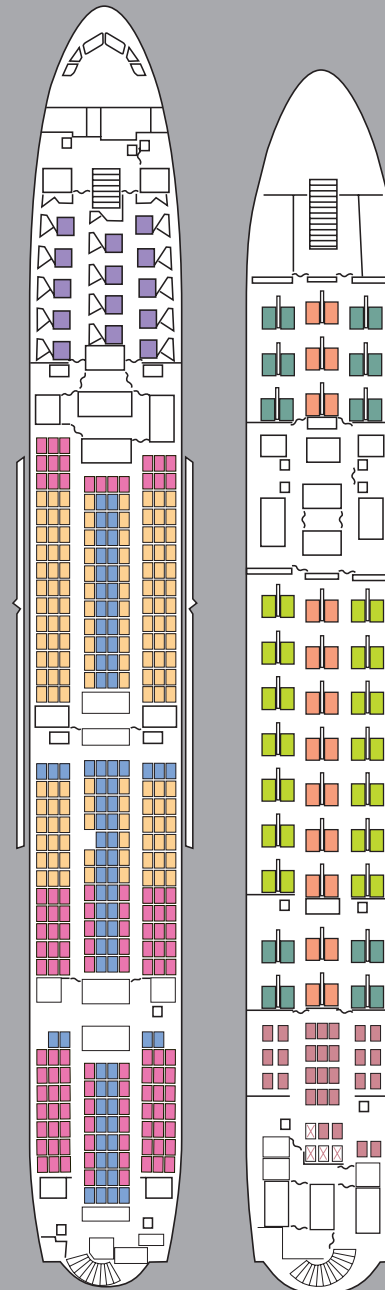
### ECONOMY CLASS STANDARD \$1,549

These will be the four seats on each side of the aircraft in the Economy Class section over or near the wing area and will be exchanged at the halfway point of the journey. Each passenger will have a window seat or the seat next to a window seat for half of the flight and an aisle seat for the other half of the flight.

### ECONOMY CLASS CENTRE \$999

These are the two seats in the middle rows of the Economy Class section (seats E, F). Centre seats do not rotate.

### MAIN DECK UPPER DECK



### SEAT EXCHANGE - FIRST CLASS

Qantas' luxurious First Class layout allows for excellent Antarctic viewing. For seat exchange details, please contact Croydon Travel.

### SEAT EXCHANGE - BUSINESS CLASS DELUXE



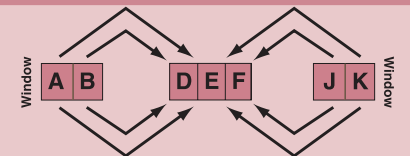
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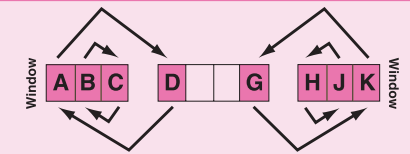
### SEATING - BUSINESS CLASS CENTRE



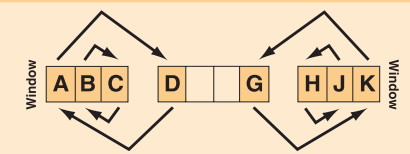
### SEAT EXCHANGE - PREMIUM ECONOMY CLASS



### SEAT EXCHANGE - ECONOMY CLASS SUPERIOR



### SEAT EXCHANGE - ECONOMY CLASS STANDARD



### SEATING - ECONOMY CLASS CENTRE

