

ZERMATTERS

ALPINE SCHOOL

Freeriding - Andermatt

SHORT ASCENTS - LONG DESCENTS (CH) | 1 TAG

Treat yourself to a Monday or Friday away and discover the most stunning descents in the mountains around Andermatt. Our mountain guides will be looking for fresh powder or sunshine – with a bit of luck even both together. Plenty of space is guaranteed: in the ski lifts, at the summit and when skiing!

This tour is suitable only for skiers.

Technique

easy-moderate

Piste: confident on skis; Powder snow: beginner experience necessary; Terrain: moderately steep, some steeper sections

Condition

easy-moderate

Duration from 2 to 4 hours, up to approx. 300 to 400 vertical meters, approx. 250 vertical meters per hour, good level of fitness for all-day skiing

Meeting place

8.30 a.m. Mammut Store Piazza Gottardo, Furkagasse 2, 6490 Andermatt (train arrival 8.22 a.m.)

Departure

approx. 3.30 p.m. Mammut Store Piazza Gottardo

Services

Included

- Guiding and supervision by a mountain guide
- Mammut Safety Equipment to test (Avalanche Safety Equipment and Avalanche Airbag worth CHF 89.-)
- Eiger Extreme Hardshell Jacket to test
- 15% discount on mammut.com

Not included

- Travel to the course
- Transport (ski pass, approx. CHF 69.-)
- Snacks and drinks
- Freeride ski CHF 49.- (ski, poles, skins incl. insurance)
- Freerideboots CHF 25.-
- Contribution to the Travel Guarantee Fund (0.25% on total amount)

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Program

Day 1

Short ascents, long descents, that's the motto. Thanks to the touring equipment, you can quickly get out of the ski area into the remote valleys around Näschen and Gemsstock and almost always find fresh powder and unforgettable runs.

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Rental equipment

Our mountain guide will bring the ordered rental equipment to the meeting place. The following equipment can be rented:

- ☐ Barryvox (Avalanche Transceiver)
- ☐ Avalanche Probe
- ☐ Avalanche Shovel
- ☐ Avalanche-Airbag-Backpack
- ☐ Freeride skis with climbing skins, poles, ski crampons and insurance
- ☐ Freeride boots
- ☐ Eiger Extreme Hardshell Jacket to test

Technical equipment

- ☐ Barryvox (Avalanche Transceiver)
- ☐ Avalanche Probe
- ☐ Avalanche Shovel
- ☐ Touring backpack or avalanche airbag backpack (approx. 30 l with ski carrier)
- ☐ Freerideskis with touring or freeski binding (incl. climbing skins and ski crampons, waist at least 80 mm)
- ☐ Alpine ski boots or touring ski boots
- ☐ (telescopic) Ski poles
- ☐ Ski helmet

Clothing

- ☐ 1x Ski jacket and 1x ski pants (Gore-Tex or similar material)
- ☐ 1x Soft shell and/or fleece jacket
- ☐ 1x Short/long functional underwear
- ☐ 1x Beanie and 1x headband
- ☐ 2 pairs of gloves (1 thin pair, 1 warm, windproof and waterproof pair)
- ☐ 1x Functional socks and 1x spare socks

Food

- ☐ Snacks (e.g. energy bars, dried fruit,)
- ☐ Lunch at the restaurant or in open field (the guide will inform you)

Various

- ☐ Sunglasses and ski goggles
- ☐ Sun cream and lip cream (SPF 30 or higher)
- ☐ Camera (optional)
- ☐ Half fare travelcard (if existing)
- ☐ Thermos flask made from break-proof material
- ☐ Small medicinal supplies for personal requirements