

Hundested, North Zealand, Denmark

A former fishing village reinvented as a creative harbor — glassblowers, smokehouse seafood, and the home of Denmark's greatest polar explorer, all within easy walking distance of the pier.

⚓ Pier (docked) ⌚ Typical call: 6-8 hrs 🇩🇰 Danish Krone (DKK) — but cards accepted everywhere 🗣️ Danish / English widely spoken

📌 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Direct pier at Hundested Havn — two cruise quays up to 350 m

Best For: Artisan culture, seafood, polar history, easy day trips

Walk to centre: ~5 min (300–400 m) to harbor shops and restaurants

Don't Miss: Knud Rasmussen's House and the glassblowing studios on the quay

🚗 Getting around: 🚕 **Taxi** ✅ 80–150 DKK (~\$12–23 USD) for short local trips

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Knud Rasmussen's House** — The preserved cottage of Denmark's greatest polar explorer sits on the cliffs above the lighthouse, filled with Arctic artifacts and ethnographic...
- **Artisan Harbor Walkabout** — Wander the Kulturhavn and duck into open glassblowing studios, ceramic workshops, and galleries.
- **Spodsbjerg Lighthouse & Coastal Path** — Follow the Fyrstien coastal path from the harbor up 30-metre moraine cliffs to the lighthouse (current tower built 1907, a light here since 1865).
- **Day Trip: Frederiksborg Castle** — Hop the local train to Hillerød for Denmark's finest Renaissance castle — the 'Danish Versailles' set on a lake, now home to the Museum of National...
- **Trekanten Beach** — A Blue Flag sandy beach protected by breakwaters, just 3 minutes' walk from the ship.

BEST WALKS

- **Harbor & Artisan Quarter Loop** 1.5 km · 25 min · flat — From the cruise quay, stroll the length of Kulturhavn past workshops and galleries, swing through town past the train station, and return along the waterfront.
- **Fyrstien — Lighthouse Cliff Walk** 3.5 km one-way · ~50 min · moderate — Head north from the harbor along the coastal path past Trekanten Beach, up the heathland cliffs to Spodsbjerg Lighthouse and Knud Rasmussen's House.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

🌤️ CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				🇩🇰 DAYLIGHT & 💰 MONEY	
	Mon	High	Low	Rain	
Apr		50°	40°	10d	Apr 6:07AM–8:19PM · Jun 4:26AM–10:00PM · Aug 5:44AM–8:48PM · Sep 6:44AM–7:29PM · Oct 7:44AM–6:11PM
Jun		67°	57°	10d	
Aug		69°	60°	15d	
Sep		63°	56°	12d	
Oct		55°	49°	14d	

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Go cashless. Denmark is virtually card-only — Visa and Mastercard are accepted everywhere in Hundested, including street food stalls and museum entry.
- Pack a windproof layer. Hundested is on a peninsula and can be breezy even in summer — the lighthouse walk especially feels the wind.
- Train day trips are easy. Hundested Station is 5 minutes from the ship. Hillerød (Frederiksborg Castle) takes 45 min; Copenhagen is about 1.5 hrs with one change.
- Ferry to Rørvig. A short ferry crossing to the picturesque thatched village of Rørvig makes a lovely detour if your schedule allows.
- Eat at the smokehouse. Hundested Røgeri's smoked mackerel and shrimp are local staples — grab a takeaway portion and eat on the harbor benches for the full experience.
- Beach is minutes away. Trekanten Beach is a 3-minute walk from the gangway — worth a stroll even if you don't swim.

Hundested, North Zealand, Denmark — Port Map

Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Knud Rasmussens House | Explorer Knud Rasmussen's home, now a museum with sea views. | 2 Hundested Sand Sculpture Festival | Annual festival displaying impressive, large-scale sand sculptures by artists. |
| 3 Skansen i Hundested | Historic coastal fort offering panoramic views of the harbour. | 4 TimeWinder Nostalgia Festival | Festival celebrating vintage vehicles, aircraft, and historical culture. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |