

Grizzlies Orcas and Black Bears

7 Days / 6 Nights Vancouver to Vancouver

From USD\$2,370 per person

Vancouver Island Road Trip Highlights: Vancouver | Grizzly Bear Viewing at Knight Inlet Lodge | Tofino | Victoria | Perfect for nature and wildlife lovers. Go in search of the grizzly & black bears, Orca's, Humpback & Gray whales that can be found off the coast of Vancouver Island. Stay in some of the most beautiful locations including remote floating Knight Inlet Lodge and Vancouver Island's Pacific coastal town of Tofino.

- ✓ Watch for Orca and Minke whales in Victoria
- ✓ Grizzly Bear Viewing at Knight Inlet Lodge
- ✓ Black bears, gray & humpback whale watching off Tofino

Bring on Summer Bonus Offer

Book by April 11, 2019, receive up to \$400 per couple in added value which can be used for additional hotel nights, city sightseeing tours, activities or private transfers.

[See Terms & Conditions](#)



Inclusions

Included:

- Accommodation including provincial taxes for 6 nights
- Return BC Ferries tolls for vehicle & passengers between Vancouver and Vancouver Island included
- Return BC Ferries toll for vehicle & passengers between Vancouver and Nanaimo Included
- Total # of meals: 1 breakfast, 1 lunch, 1 dinner
- Floatplane return transfers to Knight Inlet Lodge
- Grizzly Bear viewing at Knight Inlet Lodge
- Whale Watch Tour (Gray Whale) or Black Bear Viewing in Clayoquot Sound
- Admission to the Butchart Gardens
- Whale Watch Tour (Orcas) in Victoria
- PDF Travel Documentation (Emailed)

Not included:

- Rental Car
- Road Tolls
- BC Ferry reservation Fee

Hotel Information (Moderate Grade)

- Campbell River - Comfort Inn & Suites (Standard Room)
- Knight Inlet Lodge - Knight Inlet Lodge (Deluxe Room)
- Tofino / Ucluelet - Best Western Tin Wis Resort (Standard Room)
- Victoria - Doubletree by Hilton Victoria (Standard Room)

Hotel Information (Superior Grade)

- Campbell River - Comfort Inn & Suites (Standard Room)
- Knight Inlet Lodge - Knight Inlet Lodge (Deluxe Room)
- Tofino / Ucluelet - Black Rock Resort (One Bedroom)
- Victoria - Inn at Laurel Point (Laurel Wing Guest Room)

Hotel Information (Deluxe Grade)

- Campbell River - Comfort Inn & Suites (Standard Room)
- Knight Inlet Lodge - Knight Inlet Lodge (Deluxe Room)
- Tofino / Ucluelet - Black Rock Resort (One Bedroom)
- Victoria - Fairmont Empress Hotel (Fairmont Room)

Note: Comfort Inn & Suites is a 3 star hotel

Itinerary

The below itinerary is only a suggestion, we offer tailor-made personal service and solutions to help you plan your perfect vacation.

Day 1 Vancouver to Campbell River (177 km/105 mi + Ferry) Depart Vancouver for Horseshoe Bay and sail for 1 hr 45 min on BC Ferries (ferry toll included) to Vancouver Island. Upon departing BC Ferries head north through Vancouver Island's second largest city, Nanaimo, known as the Harbour City, and Parksville, the beginning of Beach Country and home of the annual International Sandcastle Competition. Your destination today is the city of Campbell River, historically renowned as the "Salmon Capital of the World," lying at the heart of neighbouring Strathcona Park, Desolation Sound, Mount Washington and Robson Bight. Surrounded by the backdrop of Strathcona Provincial Park to the west and the Coastal Mountain range to the east, massive cruise ships pass right by Campbell River's doorstep, and their parade of lights is best viewed from world-famous Discovery Pier as they venture up the Inside Passage for Alaskan destinations.

Day 2 Campbell River to Knight Inlet Lodge and the Grizzly Bears Today's destination, Knight Inlet Lodge, is not accessible by road, so you'll fly in by floatplane from Campbell River. A thrilling 30 minute flight brings you to the mouth of the Glendale River where Knight Inlet Lodge floats on large cedar booms. Bring your camera - you'll be going on a bear watching and wildlife viewing tour in search of the grizzly bears that frequent this area. Overnight at Knight Inlet Lodge (lunch and dinner is included).

Day 3 Knight Inlet Lodge to Tofino (225 km / 140 mi) Early this morning return to the Bear Viewing platforms for a last photo opportunity before departing for Campbell River by floatplane. Arrival time is between 10.30 & 11.00am. Collect your car and head south west to Tofino on the rugged West Coast. En-route, picture stops should be made at Cathedral Grove to enjoy the splendour of 800 year old Douglas Fir and Cedar and the Mars Water-Bombers at Sproat Lake, the world's two largest water-bombers used for the sole purpose of putting out forest fires. After the Mars Water-Bombers, drive through the majestic Sutton Pass and the Sawtooth Range of the Cascade Mountains to arrive in Tofino around mid-afternoon (breakfast included).

Day 4 - Tofino Choose 1 of 2 cruises Whale Watch or Black Bear Cruise Today enjoy a Whale Watch cruise in search of gray whales, humpback whales, sea lions, sea birds and resident bald eagles or a Bear Viewing Cruise in search of black bears who head for the closest food source - the ocean!

Day 5 Tofino to Victoria (313 km/195 mi) Travel back to the East Coast of Vancouver Island and head south to Victoria. En-route stops should be made at the artist community of Chemainus, where you can admire the giant murals which adorn the exterior walls throughout the town, and Duncan the "City of Totems". If time permits visit the Quw'utsun' Heritage Village which provides you with an insight into the lives of the northwest coast people (seasonal hours - admission not included).

Day 6 Whale Watch Cruise & Victoria Exploring This morning depart on an exhilarating round trip of 50 to 80 kilometres in search of orcas, minke whales, grey whales, porpoises, harbour seals and other marine wildlife. This afternoon is free to explore Victoria, with its turn of the century architecture, British traditions (such as high tea) and shops full of woolens and china.

Day 7 Victoria to Vancouver (69 km/43 mi + Ferry) Leaving Victoria drive the short and richly scenic route to Butchart Gardens (admission included) - fifty-five acres of wonderful floral display, continue driving north to Swartz Bay Ferry Terminal for a 90 min Ferry ride (ferry toll included) to Tsawwassen. On board BC Ferries enjoy the scenery of the Gulf Islands as you cross the Strait of Georgia. From Tsawwassen continue on to downtown Vancouver where your Flexidrive ends.

Departure dates

(Tour Code: SD48)

Departing from Vancouver: Daily

Pricing All pricing is in USD\$

	TWIN	SINGLE	TRIPLE	CHILD
Moderate Grade				
21 May - 10 Jun, 2019	\$2,487	\$3,907	\$2,177	\$1,133
11 Jun - 23 Aug, 2019	\$2,657	\$4,244	\$2,292	\$1,135
24 Aug - 26 Sep, 2019	\$2,865	\$4,547	\$2,462	\$1,236
27 Sep - 07 Oct, 2019	\$2,551	\$3,924	\$2,250	\$1,235
08 Oct - 14 Oct, 2019	\$2,370	\$3,561	\$2,129	\$1,235
Superior Grade				
21 May - 10 Jun, 2019	\$2,388	\$3,708	\$2,116	\$1,133
11 Jun - 23 Aug, 2019	\$2,509	\$3,948	\$2,197	\$1,135
24 Aug - 26 Sep, 2019	\$2,717	\$4,250	\$2,368	\$1,236
27 Sep - 14 Oct, 2019	\$2,491	\$3,806	\$2,215	\$1,235
Deluxe Grade				
21 May - 10 Jun, 2019	\$2,563	\$4,058	\$2,256	\$1,133
11 Jun - 23 Aug, 2019	\$2,685	\$4,299	\$2,338	\$1,135
24 Aug - 26 Sep, 2019	\$2,892	\$4,600	\$2,508	\$1,236
27 Sep - 14 Oct, 2019	\$2,767	\$4,357	\$2,422	\$1,235

Prices are per person and include all taxes. Child age 10 - 8 yrs (Knight Inlet Lodge is not suitable for children 7 yrs & under)



Speak to a consultant



Call 1-800-217-0973

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