

## Grande Canadian Rail Journey - Halifax to Vancouver



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22 Days / 21 Nights Halifax to Vancouver

From USD\$9,173 per person

**Grande Canadian Rail Journey highlights: Vancouver | Banff | Lake Louise | Jasper | Toronto | Niagara Falls | Montreal | Quebec | Halifax** | One-way tour from Halifax to Vancouver traveling through dynamic landscapes from Coast to Coast.

- ✓ Rocky Mountaineer Rail Tours
- ✓ VIA Rail
- ✓ Sightseeing tour of Banff with Gondola Ride
- ✓ Ice Explorer ride onto Athabasca Glacier
- ✓ Glacier Skywalk
- ✓ Travel the Scenic Icefield Parkway with picnic lunch included
- ✓ Niagara Falls sightseeing tour with lunch
- ✓ Quebec City sightseeing tour

2020 Summer Early Booking Bonus

Book by November 15, 2019, receive up to \$1,150 per couple in added value which can be used for additional hotel nights, city sightseeing tours, activities or private transfers.



## Inclusions

### Package Includes:

- Hotel accommodation including provincial taxes for 17 nights
- VIA Rail onboard accommodation for 4 nights
- Rocky Mountaineer Train between Banff and Vancouver
- Taxi transfers in Banff & Jasper
- Sightseeing tour of Banff
- Banff Gondola
- Scheduled coach transfer from Banff to Lake Louise
- Full day tour between Lake Louise & Jasper with picnic lunch included
- Ice Explorer ride onto Athabasca Glacier
- Glacier Skywalk
- Evening Wildlife Tour in Jasper
- Niagara Falls sightseeing tour with lunch
- Toronto City Tour
- Business class rail travel Montreal to Toronto (lunch included)
- Quebec City sightseeing tour
- Transfers between Moncton, Charlottetown & St Andrews-by-the-Sea
- Island Drive & Anne of Green Gables Tour
- Charlottetown Highlights Tours
- Hopewell Rocks & Bay of Fundy Coastal Tour
- Bay of Fundy Whale Watch Cruise
- National Park fees
- Travel Documentation
- Total # of meals: 2 breakfasts, 1 brunch, 2 lunches, 3 dinners

### Hotel & Rail Information: (Moderate Grade)

- Charlottetown - Rodd Charlottetown (Standard Room)
- Moncton - Rodd Moncton (Standard Room)
- St Andrews-by-the-Sea - The Algonquin Resort (Studio Room)
- Halifax to Montreal - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Berth)
- Montreal - Delta Montreal (Guest Room)
- Toronto - Chelsea Hotel (Chelsea Room)
- Toronto to Jasper - VIA Rail (Upper/Lower Semi Private Berth)
- Jasper - Lobstick Lodge (Standard Room)
- Lake Louise - Deer Lodge (Heritage Room)
- Banff - Elk+Avenue Hotel (Standard Room)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Rocky Mountaineer Train (SilverLeaf Service)

### Hotel & Rail Information: (Superior Grade)

- Charlottetown - The Great George (Classic Room)
- Moncton - Delta Beausejour (Guest Room)
- St Andrews-by-the-Sea - The Algonquin Resort (Studio Room)
- Halifax to Montreal - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Berth)
- Montreal - Le Saint-Sulpice (Superior Suite)
- Toronto - Hilton Toronto (Hilton Room)
- Toronto to Jasper - VIA Rail (Cabin)
- Jasper - Sawridge Inn (Outside Room with Balcony)
- Lake Louise - Lake Louise Inn (Deluxe Two Queen Room)
- Banff - Banff Caribou Lodge (Standard Room)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Rocky Mountaineer Train (SilverLeaf Service)

### Hotel & Rail Information: (Deluxe Grade)

- Charlottetown - The Great George (Classic Room)
- Moncton - Delta Beausejour (Guest Room)
- St Andrews-by-the-Sea - The Algonquin Resort (Studio Room)
- Halifax to Montreal - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Berth)
- Montreal - Fairmont the Queen Elizabeth (Fairmont View Room)
- Toronto - Fairmont Royal York Hotel (Fairmont Luxury Room)
- Toronto to Jasper - VIA Rail (Prestige Sleeper Cabin)
- Jasper - Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge (Deluxe Room)
- Lake Louise - Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise (Deluxe Lakeview Room)

- Banff - Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel (Deluxe Room)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Rocky Mountaineer Train (GoldLeaf Service)

### Rocky Mountaineer SilverLeaf Service

- Enjoy panoramic views from oversized windows in our single-level dome
- Relax in reclining dome-level seats
- Delicious, hot entrée options served at your seat and plated to your preference
- Complimentary beverages, including wine, beer, spirits and non-alcoholic drinks will be served throughout the journey, along with gourmet snacks

### Rocky Mountaineer GoldLeaf Service

- Fully domed windows that give you unparalleled panoramic views from your seat in the upper-level of the bi-level dome coach
- Hot gourmet meals prepared from regional cuisine by Executive Chefs
- Complimentary beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) throughout the journey, along with gourmet snacks
- An exclusive outdoor vestibule in the lower-level of your dome coach

## 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 Halifax to Charlottetown (Rail / Coach)** At midday depart onboard VIA Rail bound for Moncton. Enjoy the views of the Atlantic Ocean, rolling hills, and quaint coastal villages that appear frozen in time. Upon disembarking the train take an included private transfer to Charlottetown via the Confederation Bridge, this 13 km bridge which joins Cape Jourmain, New Brunswick and Borden-Carleton, Prince Edward Island and is the longest bridge over ice covered waters in the world. The Bridge was opened on May 31, 1997.

**Day 2 Morning sightseeing tour of Charlottetown** Discover the history and charm of Canada's Birthplace as you ride through the streets of Charlottetown. View Province House, Beaconsfield, Historic Great George Street, Charlottetown Driving Park, The Lieutenant Governor's House, Victoria Park, University of Prince Edward Island, residential areas, and much more. The afternoon is free to explore the city on your own.

**Day 3 Island Drives & Anne of Green Gables Tour, evening transfer to Moncton** Today enjoy views of rolling farmlands, stunning seascapes, tiny villages and bustling harbours along the Green Gables Shore (scenic drive) as we get ready to tour the North Shore area. Brief photo stops at quaint little fishing villages, lighthouses and world class PEI National Park – Cavendish Beach. Tour Green Gables House, an old farm site that inspired L.M. Montgomery's first novel, Anne of Green Gables, published in 1908. A must see attraction will be at Prince Edward Island Preserve Company, located in one of Canada's prettiest village. The company uses locally grown fruit to make delicious jams and marmalades. In the evening, depart on a private transfer over the Confederation Bridge to Moncton.

**Day 4 Hopewell Rocks & Bay of Fundy Coastal Tour** This full day tour is the best way to experience the dramatic rise and fall of the Bay of Fundy tides. You'll see the world's highest tides, pristine vistas, intriguing fossils, dramatic coastal landscapes near Cape Enrage, the charming fishing village of Alma and the oldest operational lighthouse on mainland New Brunswick. These world heritage sites will take your breath away.

**Day 5 Moncton to St. Andrews-by-the-Sea.** This morning is at leisure to enjoy the sites of Moncton before we transfer (included) to the resort town of St. Andrews-by-the-Sea.

**Day 6 St. Andrews-by-the-Sea Whale Watch Cruise** This afternoon experience the magnificence of the Bay of Fundy. Embark on a whale watching tour and immerse yourself in a marine ecosystem unlike anywhere else in the world. From nature's largest mammals to soaring seabirds and unspoiled coastal scenery Highlights and wildlife sights can include: Finback, Minke, Humpback, Right Whales, harbour porpoise, seals, bald eagles, various bird colonies, lighthouses, salmon farms, herring weirs.

**Day 7 St Andrews-by-the-Sea** Today is yours to explore. St. Andrews is a treasure trove of beautiful architecture, unparalleled scenery and rich marine life. A thriving modern resort, yet the streets remain steeped in turn-of-the-century charm.

**Day 8 St Andrews-by-the-Sea to Moncton to Montreal** This morning transfer (included) to the Moncton train station and board VIA Rail in the late afternoon. From Moncton, New Brunswick journey overnight in the comfort of 'Easterly Class' through the rural communities of Quebec's south shore to Montreal, Quebec. (dinner is included today)

**Day 9 Morning arrival into Montreal** Arrive in Montreal this morning and spend the rest of the day sightseeing at your leisure. (breakfast is included today)

**Day 10 Quebec City Sightseeing Tour** Quebec City is the heart of French Canada. Nowhere else in North America is the appearance and atmosphere of an old-world city so complete. Quebec City looks and feels very

European; perhaps that is why the entire old section of the town was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1985. Today qualified guides will help you discover the enchanting sights which are part of Quebec City's history.

**Day 11 Montreal to Toronto** Today you will travel on VIA Rail in Business class from Montreal to Toronto. (lunch is included today)

**Day 12 Niagara Falls Day Tour** Travel by air-conditioned motorcoach for a breathtaking, full-day tour through the orchard-laden Niagara Peninsula to Niagara Falls, one of the great wonders of the world. Tour includes: Hornblower Niagara Cruise or Journey Behind the Falls, a meal overlooking Niagara Falls, free time in Niagara on the Lake and a winery tour including a wine tasting.

**Day 13 Toronto to Jasper (Rail)** This morning, check in at Toronto's Union Station and board VIA Rail's 'Canadian' for the famous train journey across the prairies to the Canadian Rockies. Step back in time to the days of classic rail travel, riding in the original stainless steel 'streamliner' railcars made famous by the 'Canadian' in the 1950s. Each has been restored with air conditioning, a café car, lounge car, and access to the dome car. Today is spent crossing the scenic lake lands and forests of Ontario. (brunch & dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

**Day 14 On-board VIA Rail** Watch the scenery change as you enter Manitoba and travel through the prairies and great plains of Canada. (breakfast, lunch & dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

**Day 15 On-board VIA Rail** Continue west through the breadbasket of Canada: Manitoba and Saskatchewan each have golden wheat fields stretching as far as the eye can see. (breakfast, lunch & dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

**Day 16 Arrive Jasper (Rail)** This morning, awake to arrive in Jasper, a small alpine community located in the majestic Canadian Rockies.

**Day 17 Evening wildlife tour** Today is free to explore Jasper before departing this evening to experience the environs of Jasper, and for some amazing close-up photo opportunities of wildlife.

**Day 18 Jasper to Lake Louise (Coach)** Your sightseeing tour today will encompass the ultimate glacier exploration as you travel along the spectacular Icefields Parkway. From walking on ancient ice at the Glacier Adventure (included), to standing on a glass platform almost one thousand feet in the air at the Glacier Skywalk (included), today's experiences will leave you with a special appreciation for this treasured region of the Rockies (picnic lunch included today)

**Day 19 Lake Louise to Banff (Coach)** Depart Lake Louise mid-morning for a short drive via the scenic Bow Valley to Banff, arriving midday.

**Day 20 Morning sightseeing tour of Banff with Gondola** This morning, tour the town of Banff and its environs. Among the highlights are visits to the Hoodoos, Bow Valley Viewpoint, Surprise Corner, Bow Falls, Lake Minnewanka and the Banff Gondola for a breathtaking ascent to the pinnacle of Sulphur Mountain Return to downtown Banff at your leisure. (transfer not included)

**Day 21 & 22 Banff to Kamloops to Vancouver (Rocky Mountaineer Train)** Board the Rocky Mountaineer for the famous all-daylight rail journey through the Canadian Rockies. This trip offers breathtaking vistas and informative commentary along the way. Breakfast & lunch are served on board and hotel accommodation is provided mid-point in Kamloops. Your journey through history and across Canada concludes with your arrival at the Vancouver train station.

## Departure dates

### Depart from Halifax (Tour Code: TR165)

#### 2019 Season: Fridays

Jul 5, 12, 19, 26  
 Aug 2, 9, 16, 23, 30  
 Sep 6

#### 2020 Season: Fridays

Jul 3, 10, 17, 24, 31  
 Aug 7, 14, 21, 28  
 Sep 4

### Pricing All pricing is in USD\$

	TWIN	SINGLE	TRIPLE	CHILD
<b>Moderate Grade with Rocky Mountaineer SilverLeaf Service &amp; Semi-Private Berth on-board VIA Rail between Jasper &amp; Toronto</b>				
05 Jul - 06 Sep, 2019	\$9,173	\$12,938	\$8,124	\$5,238
Upgrade to GoldLeaf	\$573	\$573	\$573	\$573
Upgrade to Private Cabin	\$646	\$646	\$646	\$646
<b>2020 Season</b>				
03 Jul - 04 Sep, 2020	\$9,228	\$12,933	\$8,195	\$5,316
Upgrade to GoldLeaf	\$615	\$615	\$615	\$615
Upgrade to Private Cabin	\$842	\$842	\$842	\$842
<b>Superior Grade with Rocky Mountaineer SilverLeaf Service &amp; Private Cabin on-board VIA Rail</b>				
05 Jul - 06 Sep, 2019	\$10,050	\$13,946	\$8,978	\$6,040
Upgrade to GoldLeaf	\$573	\$573	\$573	\$573
<b>2020 Season</b>				
03 Jul - 04 Sep, 2020	\$10,464	\$14,432	\$9,365	\$6,345
Upgrade to GoldLeaf	\$615	\$615	\$615	\$615
<b>Deluxe Grade with Rocky Mountaineer GoldLeaf Service &amp; Prestige Private Cabin on-board VIA Rail</b>				
05 Jul - 06 Sep, 2019	\$14,500	\$24,353		
<b>2020 Season</b>				
03 Jul - 04 Sep, 2020	\$15,140	\$25,350		

Prices are per person and include all taxes. Child age 10 yrs & under



## Speak to a consultant



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