Trans Canada Rail Adventure - Vancouver to Halifax

16 Days / 15 Nights  Vancouver to Halifax

From USD$5,533 per person

Trans Canada Rail Tours highlights: Vancouver | Banff | Lake Louise | Jasper | Toronto | Niagara Falls | Montreal | Quebec | Halifax |
One-way tour from Vancouver to Halifax 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

19th Anniversary Offer
Book by May 30, 2019, receive up to $750 per couple in added value which can be used for additional hotel nights, city sightseeing tours, activities or private transfers.
See Terms & Conditions
Inclusions

Package Includes:

- Hotel accommodation including provincial taxes for 11 nights
- VIA Rail onboard accommodation for 3 nights between Jasper and Toronto
- VIA Rail onboard accommodation for 1 night between Montreal and Halifax
- Rocky Mountaineer Train between Vancouver and Banff
- 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 weather permitting
- Glacier Skywalk
- Niagara Falls sightseeing tour with lunch
- Business class rail travel Toronto to Montreal (lunch included)
- Quebec City sightseeing tour
- Montreal City Tour
- Total # of meals: 3 breakfasts, 1 brunch, 2 lunches, 3 dinners
- National Park fees
- Travel Documentation

Hotel Information (Moderate Grade)

- Rocky Mountaineer Train (SilverLeaf Service)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Banff - Elk+Avenue Hotel (Standard Room)
- Lake Louise - Deer Lodge (Heritage Room)
- Jasper - Lobstick Lodge (Standard Room)
- Jasper to Toronto - VIA Rail (Upper/Lower Semi Private Bedroom)
- Toronto - Chelsea Hotel (Chelsea Room)
- Montreal - Delta Montreal (Guest Room)
- Montreal to Halifax - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Bedroom)
- Halifax - Lord Nelson Hotel (Classic Room)

Hotel Information (Superior Grade)

- Rocky Mountaineer Train (SilverLeaf Service)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Banff - Banff Caribou Lodge (Standard Room)
- Lake Louise - Lake Louise Inn (Deluxe Two Queen Room)
- Jasper - Sawridge Inn (Outside Room with Balcony)
- Jasper to Toronto - VIA Rail (Cabin)
- Toronto - Hilton Toronto (Hilton Room)
- Montreal - Le Saint-Sulpice (Superior Suite)
- Montreal to Halifax - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Bedroom)
- Halifax - Lord Nelson Hotel (Classic Room)

Hotel Information (Deluxe Grade)

- Rocky Mountaineer Train (GoldLeaf Service)
- Kamloops - Moderate Hotel (Provided by Rocky Mountaineer)
- Banff - Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel (Deluxe Room)
- Lake Louise - Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise (Deluxe Lakeview Room)
- Jasper - Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge (Deluxe Room)
- Jasper to Toronto - VIA Rail (Prestige Sleeper Cabin)
- Toronto - Fairmont Royal York Hotel (Fairmont Luxury Room)
- Montreal - Fairmont the Queen Elizabeth (Fairmont View Room)
- Montreal to Halifax - VIA Rail (Sleeper Plus Private Bedroom)
- Halifax - Lord Nelson Hotel (Classic Room)

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 Vancouver to Kamloops (Rail)  All aboard Rocky Mountaineer for the scenic rail journey to Kamloops in the interior of British Columbia. Pass through the rich fields of the Fraser River Valley and the towering peaks of the Coastal Mountains before entering the Fraser Canyon. Follow the Thompson River through spectacular landscapes to historic Kamloops. (breakfast & lunch is included today)

Day 2 Kamloops to Banff (Rail)  Back on-board the Rocky Mountaineer following the South Thompson River to Shuswap Lake with its thousand miles of shoreline. Pass Craigellachie, where the “last spike” was driven completing the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1885. Enter Rogers Pass, with its tunnels, snow-sheds and glistening Glaciers. The Kicking Horse river leads you to Kicking Horse Pass, the Spiral Tunnels and over the Continental Divide to Banff, and Banff National Park. (breakfast & lunch is included today)

Day 3 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 (shaped by centuries of wind) & Bow Valley Viewpoint, Surprise Corner, Bow Falls, Lake Minnewanka and Bankhead: an abandoned mining town and the relic of Banff’s industrial past. At the end of the tour you will be taken to the Banff Gondola for a breathtaking ascent to the pinnacle of Sulphur Mountain for an awe-inspiring 360-degree panorama of sheer mountain majesty. Return to downtown Banff at your leisure. (transfer not included)

Day 4 Banff to Lake Louise (Coach)  Depart Banff early afternoon for a short drive via the scenic Bow Valley to Lake Louise.

Day 5 Lake Louise to Jasper (Coach)  Travel by coach today via one of the most scenic highways in North America - the Icefields Parkway. Visit the Columbia Icefield that covers an area of nearly 125 sq mi (325 sq km) and reaches a depth of 1050 ft (320 m). Time allows for an Ice Explorer ride (included) on the Athabasca Glacier, then a stop at the award-winning Glacier Skywalk (included) experiencing a glass-floored observation platform 918 ft (280 m) over spectacular glacier-formed valleys and rushing waterfalls. Photo stops along the Parkway will be made at Bow Lake, the Crowfoot Glacier and the Athabasca Falls. This highway is renowned for sightings of bears, elk, moose & mountain sheep, so keep your camera handy. Please note: mountain lakes in this region will be frozen through to mid-June. (picnic lunch included today)

Day 6 Jasper to Toronto (Rail)  Spend the day relaxing in the mountain town of Jasper. This afternoon, board VIA Rail’s ‘Canadian’ for the famous train journey across the prairies to Toronto. (dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

Exclusive to Sleeper Touring Class: By day, sit back in comfortable seating and enjoy the exclusive comfort of your own accommodation. Come evening, attendants will transform your quarters into cozy bunks or a bedroom. Guests have access to the Park Car, located at the tail end of the train and recognized by its distinct tapered shape. Some Sleeper Plus Class amenities include towels, pillows, cozy down duvets and a shower kit.

Day 7 On-board VIA Rail  Watch the scenery change as you travel through the prairies and great plains of Canada. Overnight onboard the train. (breakfast, lunch & dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

Day 8 On-board VIA Rail  Today is spent crossing the scenic lake lands and forests of Ontario. Overnight onboard the train. (breakfast, lunch & dinner included today onboard VIA Rail)

Day 9 Arrive Toronto (Rail)  Arrival in Toronto this afternoon. The rest of the day is yours to explore Canada's largest and most diverse city. Suggested places to visit include the Eaton Centre, Chinatown, CN Tower, and Old and New City Halls with opportunity for pictures along the way. (continental breakfast & brunch included today onboard VIA Rail)

Day 10 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 Falls 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 11 Toronto to Montreal (Rail)  Enjoy the facilities of the Business class lounge while waiting for boarding instructions. Complimentary newspapers and non-alcoholic beverages are available in the lounge. Follow the shores of Lake Ontario, one of the five Great Lakes of North America, to Trenton Junction, where the St. Lawrence River flows from the lake. Passing the village of Napanee, look south as you cross the river to view a series of beautiful waterfalls. The city of Kingston is an historic Canadian city, being the early capital of the “Province of Canada” (1841-1867) and is the birthplace of Canada’s first Prime Minister, Sir John A. Macdonald. Here, you cross the Rideau Canal, built in 1832 to connect Kingston with Ottawa and was originally designed after the War of 1812 to guarantee a supply route north of the US border in the event of another war. Past Cornwall, the line enters the Province of Quebec. Approaching Montreal, cross the Ottawa River to Dorval, before arriving at Central Station in Montreal. The station is located below the Queen Elizabeth Hotel in the heart of downtown. (lunch is included today)

Day 12 Montreal City Tour  This morning enjoy a comprehensive 3 hour tour of Montreal, taking in over 20 points of interest including the Notre Dame Basilica, St. Joseph’s Oratory, Old Montreal, the French Quarter, views of the Olympic Site and a panoramic view over the city from Mt. Royal. The rest of the day is at leisure.

Day 13 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 14 Montreal to Halifax (Rail)  Spend the day at leisure sightseeing in Montreal before boarding VIA Rail to Halifax in the early evening. Overnight on VIA Rail. (lunch is included today)

Day 15 Montreal to Halifax (Rail)  On-board VIA Rail  Enjoy the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick landscapes before arriving in Halifax this afternoon. Spend the rest of the day exploring this small Atlantic coastal city. (breakfast & lunch is included today)

Day 16 Halifax  Your vacation ends upon checkout from your Halifax hotel.

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Departure dates
(Tour Code: TR139)
Departs from Vancouver: Mondays
Apr 29
May 6, 13, 20
Jun 3, 10, 17, 24
Jul 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
Aug 5, 12, 19, 26
Sep 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Oct 7

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| Superior Grade       |         |          |          |         |
| Rocky Mountaineer    |         |          |          |         |
| SilverLeaf Service   |         |          |          |         |
| Private Cabin on-board VIA Rail |    |          |          |         |
| 29 Apr, 2019         | $6,082  | $7,505   | $5,777   | $4,536  |
| 06 May - 20 May, 2019| $6,461  | $7,920   | $6,143   | $4,905  |
| 03 Jun - 23 Sep, 2019| $7,364  | $9,171   | $6,930   | $5,460  |
| 30 Sep - 07 Oct, 2019| $7,333  | $9,109   | $6,908   | $5,460  |
| **Upgrade to GoldLeaf** |       |          |          |         |
| 26 Apr - 30 Apr, 2019| $475    | $475     | $475     | $475    |
| 01 May - 31 Jul, 2019| $557    | $557     | $557     | $557    |
| 01 Aug - 30 Sep, 2019| $573    | $573     | $573     | $573    |
| 01 Oct - 11 Oct, 2019| $475    | $475     | $475     | $475    |

| Deluxe Grade         |         |          |          |         |
| Rocky Mountaineer    |         |          |          |         |
| GoldLeaf Service     |         |          |          |         |
| Private Cabin on-board VIA Rail |      |          |          |         |
| 29 Apr, 2019         | $10,005 | $16,305  |          |         |
| 06 May - 20 May, 2019| $10,899 | $17,643  |          |         |
| 03 Jun - 23 Sep, 2019| $11,411 | $18,626  |          |         |
| 30 Sep - 07 Oct, 2019| $11,195 | $18,194  |          |         |

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

Speak to a consultant
Call 1-800-217-0973

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Saturday & Sunday 9am - 5pm
Pacific time

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