

City Streets VIA Mountain Peaks

9 Days / 8 Nights Vancouver to Calgary or Calgary to Vancouver

From USD\$2,505 per person

Winter Train Tours in the Canadian Rockies Highlights: Vancouver | Via Rail Train | Jasper | Lake Louise | Banff | Calgary | Embark on an iconic snow train to the Rockies for an inspiring journey that blends festive winter activities with superior mountain luxury. You and your loved ones will experience the best of the Canadian Rockies by day, and unwind in the deluxe comforts of Fairmont properties by night.

- ✓ Jasper Tour
- ✓ Snowshoeing to Paint Pots
- ✓ Picturesque Banff with its surrounding snow-capped mountains
- ✓ Enjoy winter magic at stunning Lake Louise
- ✓ Accommodation on VIA Rail

Early Booking Bonus

Book by June 27, 2019, receive up to \$600 per couple in added value which can be used for additional hotel nights, city sightseeing tours, activities or private transfers.



Inclusions

Package Includes:

- 7 nights hotel accommodation
- 1 night private cabin onboard VIA Rail
- Transfers between rail depot and hotel in Jasper
- Scheduled express coach between Jasper & Lake Louise
- Sleigh ride at Lake Louise (Dec 10th - Apr 10th, price for non-operating dates will be adjusted at time of booking)
- Scheduled express coach between Lake Louise & Banff
- Snowshoeing to Paint Pots (minimum age 8 yrs)
- Morning Discover Banff & its Wildlife Tour
- Scheduled express coach between Banff & Calgary Airport or downtown
- Total # of meals: 1 breakfast, 1 dinner
- National Park fees

Hotel Information (Deluxe Grade)

- VIA Rail (Private Bedroom)
- Jasper - Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge (Fairmont Room)
- Lake Louise - Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise (Fairmont Lakeview Room)
- Banff - Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel (Fairmont Room)

Itinerary

The below itinerary is only a suggestion, we offer tailor-made personal service and solutions to help you plan your perfect vacation. This itinerary is also available in the reverse direction

Day 1 Vancouver to Jasper (Rail) This afternoon, check in at Pacific Central Station and board VIA Rail's 'Canadian' for the famous train journey to the majestic 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. (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. Don't forget to visit the Dome Car – the true essence of travelling by train is all in the panoramic views. Some Sleeper Plus Class amenities include towels, pillows, cozy down duvets and a shower kit.

Day 2 Canadian Rockies by daylight onboard VIA Rail; arrive Jasper late morning (Rail) Rise to the snowy peaks of the Canadian Rockies today as you arrive in Jasper and transfer to your hotel. The day is free to explore this unique alpine community. (breakfast included today onboard VIA Rail)

Day 3 Jasper Trail Tour Travel through the silent undisturbed beauty of winter and all it has to offer. This is a great hands on opportunity to venture deep into the heart of the Canadian Rockies. Enjoy the crisp mountain air and the beautiful scenery that surrounds you while you warm up with a hearty trail side lunch, cooked over an open campfire, hot apple cider and homemade treats. During this time you will have the opportunity to learn the history of both the area and the people.

Day 4 Jasper to Lake Louise (evening sleigh ride) Travel southward along the Icefields Parkway to Lake Louise. This spectacular drive through glacier country will be highlighted by massive snow covered mountains, frozen waterfalls and broad-reaching valleys. Included this evening is a wonderful 40 minute Sleigh Ride that takes place beside the lake.

Day 5 Lake Louise Today is free for you to enjoy the winter activities surrounding Lake Louise.

Day 6 Lake Louise to Banff Depart Lake Louise mid-morning for a short drive to Banff via the scenic Bow Valley. Banff is situated in Banff National Park, this charming town has much to offer including winter walks, ice skating, world-class shopping, and unique dining.

Day 7 Morning Discover Banff & Its Wildlife Tour A morning tour of the Banff area will take you to many of Banff's landmarks and historical places. This will also be one of your best chances to see wildlife while in the park. Photo opportunities and short walks to viewpoints with your guide are abundant on this tour. This afternoon is at leisure to enjoy the town of Banff.

Day 8 Afternoon Snowshoeing to Paint Pots Tour In the afternoon, snowshoe on an easy trail winding through a forest of pine trees to the Paint Pots, a cultural treasure within the National Park. Along the way you will hear stories of Banff's indigenous people, explorers and fur traders who lived in and traveled through the Rockies. After this crisp winter walk, enjoy a uniquely Canadian treat: hot maple taffy poured into snow to make a sweet frozen dessert.

Day 9 Banff to Calgary Today, transfer to Calgary Airport or downtown Calgary. We will arrange a transfer to suit your flight schedule.

Departure dates

(Tour Code: TR166)

Departs from Vancouver: Mondays & Fridays

Dec 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30
 Jan 3, 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27, 31
 Feb 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 28
 Mar 2, 6, 9, 13

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Departs from Calgary: Wednesdays & Saturdays

Dec 14, 18, 21, 25, 28
 Jan 1, 4, 8, 11, 15, 18, 22, 25, 29
 Feb 1, 5, 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26, 29
 Mar 4, 7

Pricing All pricing is in USD\$

	TWIN	SINGLE	CHILD
Deluxe Grade			
13 Dec - 14 Dec, 2019	\$2,716	\$3,703	\$1,334
16 Dec, 2019 - 04 Jan, 2020	\$3,845	\$5,917	\$1,376
06 Jan - 25 Jan, 2020	\$2,690	\$3,610	\$1,376
27 Jan - 13 Mar, 2020	\$2,838	\$3,905	\$1,376

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



Speak to a consultant



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 Saturday & Sunday 9am - 5pm
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