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Journey through the Canadian Rockies Rail & Road Trip | Rocky Mountaineer

2026

Canadian Rockies | Rail + Self-Drive

7 Days / 6 Nights Vancouver to Calgary Priced at CAD \$5,624 per person

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

INTRODUCTION

Thought about a Canadian Rockies Rail & Road Trip? Journey through the Canadian Rockies at your own pace on this 7-day combination train and drive tour. Beginning aboard Rocky Mountaineer for two days from Vancouver to Jasper, you can enjoy your train trip at a relaxed pace before exploring Lake Louise, Banff and Calgary by car. Designed in such a way to be personalized to your preferences, we've given you a choice of tours in both Jasper and Banff. Enjoy a Maligne Lake cruise, river float or nature walk in Jasper, then a gondola ride, Lake Minnewanka cruise, canoe tour or horseback adventure in Banff.

Itinerary at a Glance

DAY 1 Vancouver to Kamloops | Rocky Mountaineer

DAY 2 Kamloops to Jasper | Rocky Mountaineer

DAY 3 Jasper | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 3 Excursions

Option 1. Maligne Lake Cruise Option 2. Jasper River Float Option 3. Jasper Nature Walk

DAY 4 Jasper to Lake Louise | Ice Explorer + Skywalk

Ice Explorer Ride onto the Athabasca Glacier + Glacier Skywalk

DAY 5 Lake Louise to Banff

DAY 6 Banff | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 4 Excursions

Option 1. Banff Gondola

Option 2. Lake Minnewanka Cruise
Option 3. River Explorer Canoe Tour

Option 4. Bow River Horseback Adventure

DAY 7 Banff to Calgary



MAP



DETAILED ITINERARY

The below itinerary reflects our recommendations for this specific trip. This itinerary is also available in the reverse direction.

Day 1 Vancouver to Kamloops | Rocky Mountaineer

Just minutes from downtown Vancouver board the Rocky Mountaineer train. 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 included)

Day 2 Kamloops to Jasper | Rocky Mountaineer

Back on board the Rocky Mountaineer follow the Thompson River through rolling plateaus to the snowy peaks of the Monashee Mountains. View Pyramid Falls and the expansive glaciers of the Albreda Icefields. Pass by Mount Robson, which at 3954 metres is the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. Upon arrival into Jasper, collect your rental vehicle (not included) and proceed to your selected hotel. (Breakfast & lunch included)

Day 3 Jasper | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 3 Excursions

Today you can personalize your day by choosing one of three excursions

Option 1. Maligne Lake Cruise

Cruise Maligne Lake, where you can marvel at the magnificent shoreline and Spirit Island.

Option 2. Jasper River Float

Enjoy a gentle rafting tour on the Athabasca River for a unique perspective of Jasper National Park.

Option 3. Jasper Nature Walk

A guided nature walk featuring a spectacular array of rolling hills, jagged peaks, forests, meadows, marshes, streams, and stunning glacial lakes.

Day 4 Jasper to Lake Louise | Ice Explorer + Skywalk

Today, travel through the spine of the Canadian Rockies along the amazing Icefields Parkway and encompass the ultimate glacier exploration. From walking on ancient ice with the Ice Explorer ride, 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

Day 5 Lake Louise to Banff

Today we suggest taking the scenic Bow Valley Parkway route which runs parallel to the Trans-Canada highway. Be sure to stop at Johnston Canyon and walk along the paved footpath to either the lower or upper waterfalls

Day 6 Banff | Freedom of Choice - Choose 1 of 4 Excursions

Today you can personalize your day by choosing one of four excursions

Option 1. Banff Gondola

Maximize your views of Banff National Park with minimal exertion during this round-trip gondola ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain

Option 2. Lake Minnewanka Cruise

 $Admire\ views\ of\ the\ Canadian\ Rockies\ as\ you\ cruise\ across\ the\ turquoise-hued\ lake\ and\ over\ to\ Devil's\ Gap\ during\ this\ boat\ tour.$

Option 3. River Explorer Canoe Tour

Enjoy the serenity of the Bow River and marvel at the surrounding. A fun & interactive way with your guide to explore the waterways of Banff National Park. Perfect for families. No paddling experience necessary.

Option 4. Bow River Horseback Adventure

Saddle up for a journey through the celebrated landscape of Banff National Park on this guided horseback riding adventure.

Day 7 Banff to Calgary

It is time to say goodbye to Banff and your Canada adventure. Drive to Calgary to drop off your rental car and begin your journey home



INCLUDED

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Start planning your vacation in Canada by contacting our Canada specialists

Package Includes:

- Rocky Mountaineer Train between Vancouver and Jasper
- 1 night accommodation in Kamloops provided by Rocky Mountaineer
- 2 nights accommodation in Jasper
- 1 night accommodation in Lake Louise
- 2 nights accommodation in Banff
- Taxi transfer between Jasper Rail Station and Hotel
- Jasper | Freedom of Choice Choose 1 of 3 Excursions
- Maligne Lake Cruise
- Jasper River Float
- Jasper Nature Walk
- Ice Explorer ride onto Athabasca Glacier + Glacier Skywalk
- Banff | Freedom of Choice Choose 1 of 4 Excursions
- Banff Gondola
- Lake Minnewanka Cruise
- River Explorer Canoe Tour
- Bow River Horseback Adventure
- Meals as per itinerary

Hotel Information | Moderate Grade

- Rocky Mountaineer Train | SilverLeaf Service
- Kamloops Moderate Hotel | Provided by Rocky Mountaineer
- Jasper Moderate Hotel | Standard Room
- Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Fairmont Room
- Banff Elk+Avenue Hotel | Standard Room

Hotel Information | Superior Grade

- Rocky Mountaineer Train | SilverLeaf Service
- Kamloops Moderate Hotel | Provided by Rocky Mountaineer
- Jasper Forest Park Hotel | Woodland Balcony or Alpine Room
- Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Fairmont Room
- Banff Banff Caribou Lodge | Superior Room

Hotel Information | Deluxe Grade

- Rocky Mountaineer Train | GoldLeaf Service
- Kamloops Moderate Hotel | Provided by Rocky Mountaineer
- Jasper Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge | Fairmont Room
- Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Deluxe Mount Temple
- Banff Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel | Fairmont Room

Hotel & Rail Information | Deluxe Plus Grade

- Rocky Mountaineer Train | GoldLeaf Service
- Kamloops Moderate Hotel | Provided by Rocky Mountaineer
- Jasper Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge | Premier Deluxe Room
- Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Deluxe Mount Temple
- Banff Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel | Deluxe Mountainview Room

Not included:

- Rental Car
- Road Tolls

DATES & PRICING

Departs from Vancouver: Tuesday & Friday

(Tour Code: SD14) Not Operating: Jun 12, 16, 26, 30; Jul 10

Departs from Calgary: Tuesday & Saturday

(Tour Code: SD15) Not Operating: Jun 09, 13, 23, 27; Jul 07

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Moderate Grade with Rocky Mountaineer SilverLeaf Service				
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10 May 26 - 25 Aug 26	\$5,624	\$7,075	\$5,221	\$3,991
26 Aug 26 - 30 Sep 26	\$6,476	\$8,687	\$5,819	\$4,042
01 Oct 26 - 10 Oct 26	\$6,696	\$8,906	\$6,039	\$4,262
Rocky Mountaineer Upgrade available to GoldLeaf Between Vancouver &	\$5,878	\$7,689	\$5,354	\$3,924
Jasper	-	-	-	-
May	\$990	\$990	\$990	\$990
Jun - Aug	\$1,127	\$1,127	\$1,127	\$1,127
Sept	\$1,053	\$1,053	\$1,053	\$1,053
Oct	\$980	\$980	\$980	\$980
Superior Grade with Rocky Mountaineer SilverLeaf Service				
01 May 26 - 09 May 26				
10 May 26 - 25 Aug 26	\$5,533	\$6,894	\$5,160	\$3,991
26 Aug 26 - 30 Sep 26	\$6,678	\$9,092	\$5,954	\$4,042
01 Oct 26 - 10 Oct 26	\$6,898	\$9,311	\$6,174	\$4,262
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Jun - Aug	\$1,053	\$1,053	\$1,053	\$1,053
Sept	\$980	\$980	\$980	\$980
Oct				
Deluxe Grade with Rocky Mountaineer GoldLeaf Service				
01 May 26 - 09 May 26	\$8,169	\$10,946	\$7,386	\$5,209
10 May 26 - 25 Aug 26	\$9,772	\$13,893	\$8,542	\$5,429
26 Aug 26 - 30 Sep 26	\$9,902	\$14,022	\$8,671	\$5,558
01 Oct 26 - 10 Oct 26	\$9,393	\$13,513	\$8,163	\$5,130
Deluxe Plus Grade with Rocky Mountaineer GoldLeaf Service				
01 May 26 - 09 May 26	\$8,428	\$11,464	\$7,559	\$5,209
10 May 26 - 25 Aug 26	\$9,979	\$14,307	\$8,680	\$5,429
26 Aug 26 - 30 Sep 26	\$10,109	\$14,436	\$8,809	\$5,558
01 Oct 26 - 10 Oct 26	\$9,600	\$13,927	\$8,301	\$5,130

Pricing in CAD\$. Prices are per person and include all taxes. Child age 10 yrs & under