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CANADA

JEWELS OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES (TOUR CODE: 12292)

STARTS AND ENDS

Vancouver to
Calgary

TRAVEL PERIODS

02 May 25 - 10 Oct 25

EXPERIENCE

Rail

TRAVEL STYLE

Rail Journeys

Embark on an unforgettable journey through the heart of the Canadian Rockies with Rocky Mountaineer. Brace yourself for breathtaking vistas, towering mountain peaks, and shimmering turquoise lakes that will leave you awe-inspired at every turn.

Highlights

- Enjoy a Freedom of Choice activity in the majestic mountain town of Banff
- Enjoy 2 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer in SilverLeaf Service
- Included sightseeing tour that will encompass the ultimate glacier exploration as you travel along the spectacular Icefields Parkway
- Experience the elegant and lavish grand spaces and crafted decorative details during your stay at the historical Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise

Your journey commences in the beautiful coastal city of Vancouver, famous for its backdrop of snow-capped mountains and glistening ocean waters. Board the Rocky Mountaineer in SilverLeaf Service on the First Passage to the West rail route, heading eastbound towards Lake Louise.

Start the day taking in views of the Fraser Valley before being served a delicious breakfast that warms you to the core. From fertile greenery, the landscape transforms to the towering peaks of the Coast Mountains. You'll see the mighty Fraser River and the raging whitewater of Hell's Gate.

On the second day, awaken your senses to the newfound surroundings. One of the many memorable landmarks between Banff and Lake Louise, Castle Mountain, is named for its imposing appearance, which early explorers compared to that of a medieval castle. Overnight at the iconic Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise.

Experience the power of glaciers up-close on a day tour that highlights the most unique attraction in the Canadian Rockies; the Ice Explorer Glacier Tour. Travel on a Ice Explorer onto an ancient glacier and step out onto ice that is deep enough to bury the Eiffel Tower. Stand in the sky at the Glacier Skywalk, a curved glass walkway that stretches 30 metres from the sheer face of a cliff and hangs mid-air. This tour is filled with exciting experiences, spectacular sights, intriguing stories and the best photo opportunities.

When in Banff, enjoy a freedom of choice activity, to personalise your time in the beautiful mountain town. After enjoying two nights in Banff, your package will end upon arrival in Calgary in the afternoon.

INCLUSIONS

- 2 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer in SilverLeaf Service
- 1 night in Kamloops
- 1 night at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
- 2 nights at the Banff Caribou Lodge
- 2 breakfasts and 2 lunches onboard Rocky Mountaineer
- Scheduled coach transfer between Banff and Calgary
- Columbia Icefield Discovery Tour
- Glacier Skywalk Admission

Freedom of Choice Days

Freedom of Choice



Our Freedom of Choice program offers flexibility, by allowing you to choose from different options on pre-selected days.

Our per person price includes one tour on each Freedom of Choice day, as follows:

- One "Freedom of Choice" tour on day 4

Expand the itinerary below for more details.

Please note, if more than one room is selected during the booking process, our team will contact you afterwards to discuss options.

ITINERARY

Rail Onboard Rocky Mountaineer - SilverLeaf Service

Picture yourself onboard the world's leading luxury rail experience. From the moment you set foot onboard, experience hosts that will go above and beyond to make your journey as comfortable as it is unforgettable. The custom-designed glass-dome coaches provide you with panoramic views – or get a bit closer by stepping into the outdoor viewing area. See the sights by day, sleep in a hotel at night. With Rocky Mountaineer, you get the best of both worlds: maximum views, and maximum comfort.

SilverLeaf Service Inclusions:

- Breakfast and lunch served in the comfort of your seat
- Complimentary alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- Gourmet sweet and savoury snacks
- Reclining, comfortable pre-assigned seating
- Attended by up to three Hosts, plus one culinary team member
- Luggage handling

- Small outdoor viewing platform
- Custom-designed single-level dome

Breakfast, Lunch



Day 1

Rocky Mountaineer: Vancouver Kamloops

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.

Overnight in **Kamloops**

Breakfast, Lunch



Day 2

Rocky Mountaineer: Kamloops Lake Louise

Departing Kamloops, follow 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 and the Spiral Tunnels.

Overnight in Lake Louise at **Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise**

Breakfast, Lunch



Day **3**

Lake Louise Banff

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.

Overnight in Banff at **Banff Caribou Lodge**



Day **4**

Banff

Today, you can personalize your day by choosing your pre-selected tour from our Freedom of Choice options below.

Overnight in Banff at **Banff Caribou Lodge**

Freedom of Choice Options

- **Discover Banff and Its Wildlife Tour + Banff Gondola:**

Explore the natural wonders near the town of Banff on this half-day, small-group tour. Admire the unparalleled beauty of natural sights including Bow Falls, the surreal Hoodoos rock formation, and beautiful Lake Minnewanka, among others. Then maximize your views of Banff National Park with minimal exertion during this round-trip gondola ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain.

OR

- **Banff National Park Explorer Moraine Lake & Lake Louise:**

Join this small group tour for a curated experience of Banff National Park's highlights, with the added chance to spot wildlife through expert local guidance. Enjoy unhindered access to Moraine Lake & Lake Louise, spending over 11/2 hours at each, discovering hidden gems and serene trails. The final phase of the tour is tailor-made in Banff by your guide, considering recent wildlife sightings and your interests, ensuring the day concludes on a high note.

OR

- **Rockies Hidden Gems Yoho & Kootenay National Parks:**

Avoid the crowds with this full-day adventure in the Kootenay and Yoho National Parks, featuring picturesque waterfalls and Canadian Rockies views. Start with a relaxing stroll in Kootenay National Park's Marble Canyon, marveling at turquoise glacial waters and striking canyon walls. Enjoy Emerald Lake's neon blue waters, where optional canoe rentals, hiking trails, and lakeside picnics are available. The day concludes with a visit to Canada's 2nd tallest waterfall, Takakkaw Falls, accessible through backroads offering mountain vistas and wildlife sightings.



Day **5**

Banff Calgary

Today, you will leave behind the fresh mountain air and colourful sights of the Rockies. You'll be scheduled to transfer to Calgary Downtown or to the Calgary Airport to connect with your flight home.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS

GoldLeaf Upgrade

Features of GoldLeaf Service:

- Bi-level dome with seating above and dining below
- Full glass-dome windows with panoramic views
- Gourmet à la carte meals in the lower-level dining room
- Reclining, comfortable pre-assigned seating with ample leg room
- Attended by up to four Hosts, plus a full culinary team
- Complimentary alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- Gourmet sweet and savoury snacks included
- Large exclusive outdoor viewing platform
- Engaging Hosts with stories about historic sites, scenery and wildlife



Prices are dynamic based on travel dates. Please proceed to [Book Now](#) or [Contact Us](#) for details.

ACCOMMODATION

Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise

Lake Louise

Surrounded by soaring mountain peaks, the majestic Victoria Glacier and a glistening emerald lake, the iconic Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise hotel is located in Alberta's Banff National Park. Discover endless outdoor recreational activities including hiking, canoeing, horseback riding, fishing, mountain biking and river rafting.



Banff Caribou Lodge & Spa

Banff

Located in Banff National Park, the Banff Caribou Lodge & Spa offers a mountain lodge hotel, a great steakhouse restaurant and a full-service spa, all in one outstanding location. This ideal vacation spot is located on Banff Avenue, the main street in the town of Banff. Surrounded by mountains, there are plenty of activities to keep you busy.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

French & English

LOCAL CURRENCY

Canadian Dollars

2025 Dates

- **May:** 2, 5, 6, 9, 12, 13, 16, 19, 20, 23, 26, 27, 30
- **June:** 2, 3, 6, 9, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 27, 30
- **July:** 1, 4, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15, 18, 21, 22, 25, 28, 29
- **August:** 1, 4, 5, 8, 11, 12, 15, 18, 19, 22, 25, 26, 29
- **September:** 1, 2, 5, 8, 9, 12, 15, 16, 19, 22, 23, 26, 29, 30
- **October:** 3, 6, 7, 10

Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.)
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package