



CANADA

VICTORIA EXPERIENCE (TOUR CODE: 12300)

STARTS AND ENDS

in Vancouver

TRAVEL PERIODS

01 May 25 - 28 Oct 25

EXPERIENCE

Wildlife
City Stays

TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

British Columbia's capital city of Victoria celebrates a proud history, reflected in its stunning architecture, gardens, and culture.

Highlights

- Admission to the must-see oasis that is the Butchart Gardens, with its lush greens and colourful blooms
- Cruise across Georgia Strait through the beautiful Gulf Islands with BC Ferries
- End your experience on a high with a thrilling scenic floatplane to Vancouver
- Experience an exhilarating whale watching tour in search of Orca's!

You will begin this package with a scenic ferry from Vancouver bound for the colourful port lands of Victoria. On arrival into Victoria, enjoy an afternoon tour of the city including a visit to the magnificent Butchart Gardens.

Victoria, British Columbia, is an exquisite blend of old-world charm and modern sophistication. Known for its rich history, striking architecture, and stunning natural beauty, Victoria is a vibrant city and cultural hub. A jewel within Victoria's landscape is the world-renowned Butchart Gardens. This 55-acre botanical wonderland enchants visitors with its breathtaking array of colorful blooms, lush green spaces, and tranquil water features. Each corner of the gardens paints a different, vivid portrait: roses in the Rose Garden, fragrant and exotic plants in the Japanese Garden, and a striking display in the Sunken Garden. A visit to Butchart Gardens is a captivating journey through nature's splendor.

On your free in day in Victoria, experience a whale watching tour in search of Orcas, minke whales, grey whales, porpoises, harbour seals and other marine wildlife. You will ride aboard a comfortable covered vessel or a custom-built zodiac boat that offers high speed with extraordinary stability giving you an exhilarating, safe and intimate whale watching experience. Comments by a certified marine biologist and naturalist are provided.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights in Victoria at The Oswego Hotel
- 90 Minute scenic ferry through Southern Gulf Islands
- Victoria sightseeing tour
- Admission to the Butchart Gardens
- 3 hour whale watching excursion
- Floatplane from Victoria to Vancouver

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Day 1 Vancouver Victoria

Depart Vancouver this morning on a driver guided coach tour to Victoria. Cruise across Georgia Strait through the beautiful Gulf Islands with BC Ferries. Arriving on Vancouver Island, tour to Butchart Gardens (Admission included). A two hour stop allows time to enjoy these magnificent gardens. Tour scenic Ocean Drive, Uplands, Oak Bay, University of Victoria as well as the Victoria City Tour before being taken to your hotel.

Overnight in Victoria at **The Oswego Hotel**



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Day 2 Victoria

Get up close with the killer whales on the Salish Sea with this guided, 3.5-hour whale-watching cruise from Victoria. Climb aboard a covered or open boat equipped with hydrophones to hear the whales and bring the underwater experience to light.

Overnight in Victoria at **The Oswego Hotel**



Day **3** Victoria Vancouver

Your morning is free to explore Victoria before departing mid afternoon on a scenic floatplane flight to return to Coal Harbour Downtown Vancouver.



ACCOMMODATION

The Oswego Hotel

Victoria

Located in the residential neighbourhood of James Bay, this unique hotel offers an eclectic mix of rugged West Coast and contemporary design. As a sophisticated, urban boutique hotel just steps from the Inner Harbour and downtown, it's a chic destination for discerning and adventurous travellers.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

French & English

LOCAL CURRENCY

Canadian Dollars

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