

A scenic photograph of a Rocky Mountaineer train traveling through the Canadian Rockies. The train, with its distinctive blue, gold, and white livery, is seen from a side-on perspective as it curves through a lush green valley. In the background, majestic snow-capped mountains rise against a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. A turquoise river flows through the valley, surrounded by dense evergreen forests. The foreground is filled with wildflowers and greenery.

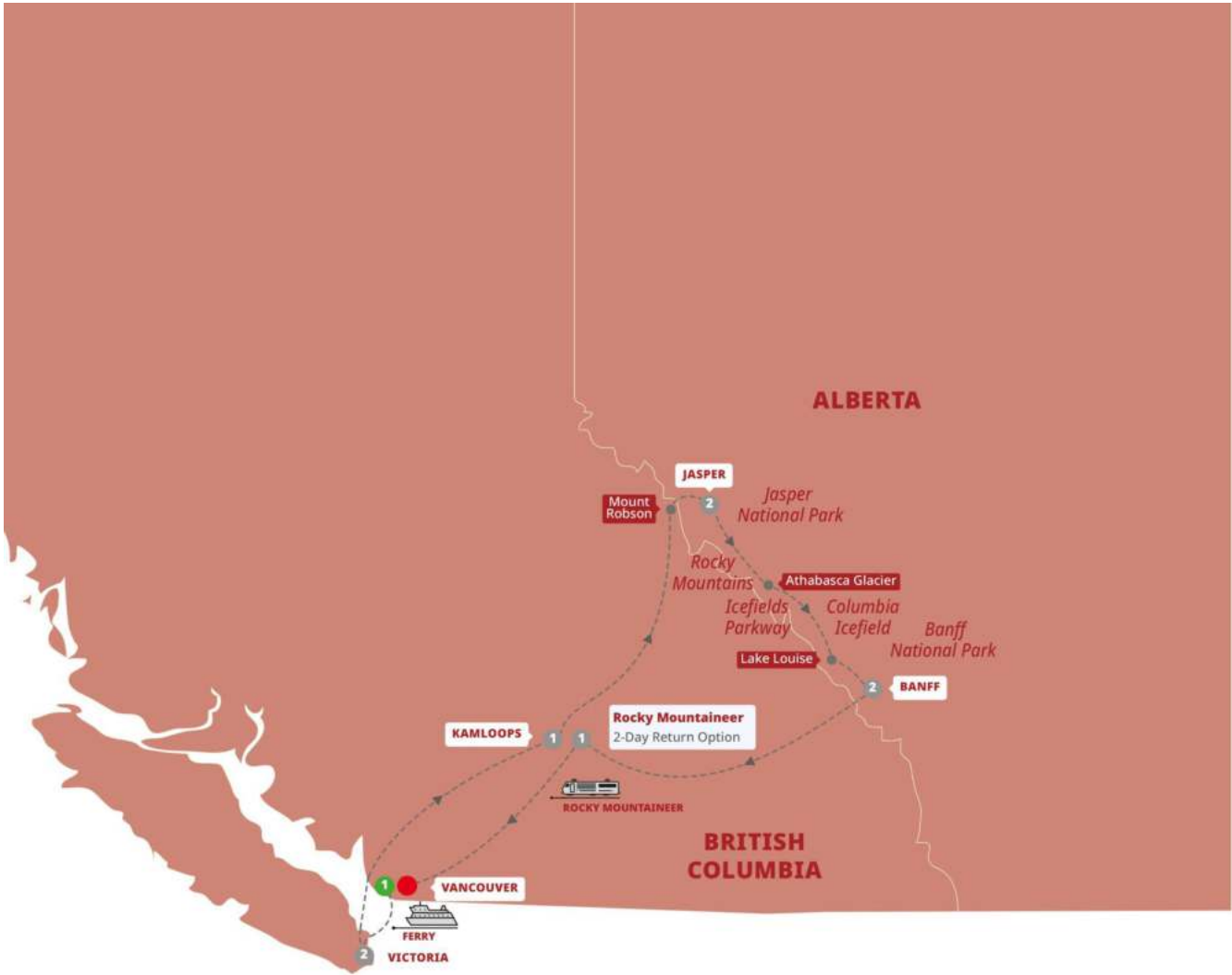
Spectacular Canadian Rockies

with Rocky Mountaineer (Silverleaf)

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 Start Location

 Plane

 Cruise

 Over night

 Visited Location

 End Location

 Train

 Ferry

Day 1 | Welcome to Vancouver



A warm welcome is waiting within the soaring peaks of Canada's Rockies. Your epic Canadian Rockies tour begins in Vancouver, one of the world's most international and liveable cities. Spend the day discovering the city's scenic surrounds, then join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner this evening.

Meals: Dinner

Hotel: Pinnacle Harbourfront

Day 2 | The Delights of Vancouver and Victoria



Vancouver, home to Gastown's Victorian façades, a vibrant Chinatown and towering Sitka Spruce. Make your way to the leafy sanctuary of Stanley Park for the first Indigenous experience of the day, viewing First Nations totem poles. Gain insights into Indigenous cultures and values during a visit to the Bill Reid Gallery, the only gallery in Canada dedicated to Northwest Indigenous art, on a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience including a docent-led tour and time to explore the gallery on your own. Continue by ferry to Vancouver Island for an orientation of gorgeous Victoria.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Chateau Victoria Hotel & Suites

Day 3 | Admire the Colours of Victoria



Today on your Canadian Rockies tour, the Garden City comes to life as you greet the day before opening hours with breakfast at Butchart Gardens, a 55-acre showcase of gorgeous floral gardens that have colourfully transformed a once unused quarry. After breakfast, enjoy time in the garden before the crowds. Spend the rest of the day exploring the walkable capital of British Columbia perhaps treating yourself to high tea or tucking into a local fish and chips shop. Or, join an optional Victoria Whale Watching cruise and keep your eyes peeled for orca and humpback whales, bald eagles, porpoises and seals.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Chateau Victoria Hotel & Suites

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Victoria Whale Watching Excursion - Get ready for an unforgettable three-hour whale-watching expedition in the waters off Victoria. You have the chance to spot magnificent bald eagles, porpoises or seals. In the spring and summer especially, you may see different species of whales including Bigg's killer whales (orca), humpback whales, South Resident orca, Minke and grey whales.

Adult: 171.00 CAD

**Please Note: This optional experience requires a signed liability waiver.*

Day 4 | Relax and Enjoy the Outdoors In Kamloops



Cruise by ferry to the home of the Maan Family for a Be My Guest experience at their family-run farm. Meet your hosts, fourth generation owners, and learn how they turned one small berry stand into a farm that now provides quality produce to locals. Get the inside scoop on a behind-the-scenes winery tour or seasonal U-pick experience of their strawberries, raspberries or blueberries followed by a tasty lunch of Indian-inspired fare. Next up, you'll make your way to Kamloops for a Stays with Stories experience at The South Thompson Inn. Admire the original brick manor and carriage houses of this former racing stable.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel: South Thompson Inn & Conference Centre

Day 5 | Gaze Upon Mount Robson



The grand peak of UNESCO-listed Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies at 3,954 m (12,972 ft), will make you gasp. Stop at the Mount Robson Visitor Center for postcard-worthy views before continuing to the raw wilderness of Jasper National Park, another UNESCO World Heritage Site, where you'll spend the next two nights of your Canadian Rockies tour. If you're eager to start your exploration of the park, join an optional Jasper Guided Hike taking in hills, jagged peaks, forests, meadows, marshes, streams and glacial lakes with a licensed guide.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Chateau Jasper

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Ultimate Jasper Guided Hike - From snow-capped peaks to alpine meadows, Jasper National Park is an endless playground. Take a guided nature hike past hills, peaks, forests, meadows, marshes, streams and glacial lakes. Your licensed guide shares facts about the flora and fauna along the way. Whether you admire wildflowers in shades of red, blue, yellow and white, or the glow of the red, orange and golden Larch and Aspen trees, this hike is beautiful any time of year.

Adult: 77.00 CAD

Day 6 | Admire Jasper National Park



Maligne Canyon springs to life this morning on a guided walk. Later, cruise the aqua waters of Maligne Lake (seasonal), admiring views of its three glaciers and Spirit Island. Then kick back with more stunning views over a delicious lunch with wine at the lakeside Maligne Lake Chalet. Continue your exploration with an Optional Experience rafting trip down the Athabasca River, a route used by “fur traders” over two centuries ago — keep your eyes peeled for local wildlife. Tonight, enjoy an optional theatre performance highlighting the best of this mountain town.

Note: Maligne Canyon is currently closed due to safety concerns following significant fire damage from the 2024 Jasper wildfire. Assessments are ongoing, and the canyon will stay closed until further notice.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel: Chateau Jasper

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

From Jasper with Love! - Get ready to fall in love with Jasper. In this energetic, one-hour live theatre show, your hosts will show off the best this little mountain town has to offer from hilarious stories to must-see sights. You'll leave appreciating your stop in Jasper and ready to explore more.

Adult: 40.00 CAD

Jasper Float Trip - Float down the Athabasca River, a designated Canadian Heritage River. A National Park licensed guide provides commentary on the human and natural history of Jasper while navigating you along the same route used by the “fur traders” over two centuries ago. Sit back and relax as the guides do the rowing. Keep your eyes peeled for elk, deer, moose, coyotes, wolves, eagles, ospreys, mountain sheep and bears.

Adult: 97.00 CAD

**Please Note: This optional experience requires a signed liability waiver.*

Day 7 | Voyage to Athabasca Glacier



Get ready for the icy fingers of the Columbia Icefield as you journey along the Icefields Parkway to Athabasca Glacier. With your Local Specialist, cross its icy terrain, one of the largest non-polar ice fields in the world, on board a specially designed ‘Ice Explorer’. Your Canadian Rockies tour takes you to Lake Louise, where there is time to soak in the majestic beauty of the lake and its turquoise, glacier-fed waters fringed by high peaks, deep forests and overlooked by Victoria Glacier. Continue on to the township of Banff, in the heart of UNESCO-listed Banff National Park.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Banff Park Lodge

Day 8 | Explore Banff



Banff is yours to explore – and your Travel Director is eager to help plan the perfect day. Opt to take the Banff Gondola Ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain for a bird's eye view of six mountain ranges of the Canadian Rockies. And after lunch on your own, the Three Sisters Peak or Mt Assiniboine will impress on optional helicopter flights. Tonight, join your fellow travellers for a dinner celebrating all you've seen on your Canadian Rockies Tour.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Banff Park Lodge

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Banff Gondola - Unlock incredible views of six mountain ranges of the Canadian Rockies on the Banff Gondola. Ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain in a fully enclosed four-passenger gondola cabin, soaking in the scenery as you climb to an elevation of 7,486 feet to the Summit Upper Terminal. Enjoy the restaurant or take the Banff Skywalk for a short self-guided interpretive walkway along the summit ridge leading to the Cosmic Ray Station National Historic Site of Canada.

Adult: 85.00 CAD

**Please Note: this optional experience is weather permitting.*

Mt. Assiniboine Helicopter Tour - It's one blockbuster after another zipping in a helicopter to Mount Assiniboine - "the Matterhorn" of the Canadian Rockies. Get your camera ready to snap one pic after the next of this photogenic peak rising to 11,870 feet along the Great Divide. And just when you think you've seen it all, the Gloria and Assiniboine Glaciers will make your jaw drop. The duration of the flight is thirty-five minutes.

Adult: 452.00 CAD

Three Sisters Peaks Tour (25 min) - Gear up for the most action packed twenty minutes of your life. You won't want to miss your chance fly past famous Three Sisters Peaks. Get up close to the peaks before escaping into the Spray Valley where you will explore the wild colours of the Spray Lakes. Return along the Goat Range before following the pristine Bow River back to Canmore.

Adult: 336.00 CAD

Day 9 | Start Your Railway Journey to Kamloops



Your train journey starts as you travel through the Rockies on your way to Vancouver, stopping overnight in Kamloops.

The Rocky Mountaineer: The train operates on tracks shared with freight trains, which can sometimes cause delays along the route, resulting in a late arrival. We recommend guests book post accommodation in Vancouver. If booking a flight from Vancouver on the same day, we recommend scheduling it after midnight.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel: Assigned by Rocky Mountaineer

Day 10 | Depart Vancouver



Continue your journey by rail through British Colombia to Vancouver.

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch