



Banff area

Rocky Mountain Winter Magic East to West

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Enjoy passage aboard VIA Rail's legendary train, *The Canadian*, in Sleeper Class or Prestige Class.

- The wondrous Canadian Rocky Mountains
- Premiere hotel option includes Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel, Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise & Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge

7 days / 6 nights

Departs Sundays & Thursdays
Jan-Apr & Nov-Dec 2018

**From Calgary Westbound to
Vancouver**

Day 1 – Calgary / Banff

Sun / Thu

Transfer from Calgary Int'l Airport or downtown Calgary to the beautiful mountain town of Banff. Surrounded by majestic mountains, Banff is the doorway to winter fun and variety of activities to enjoy the great outdoors. From dog sledding to cross country skiing, area tours, and hot springs, Banff provides endless adventures for both the young and young at heart. *Overnight Banff.*

Day 2 – Banff

Mon / Fri

Begin your day with an area tour of Banff and its wildlife. Visit Banff's landmarks and view wildlife in their natural habitats. Free time this afternoon allows for a visit to the Sulphur Mountain Gondola, or Banff Hot Springs. Enjoy a wide selection of dining choices throughout the town ranging from Western style locally sourced meals to pub dining, cafes or fine dining. *Overnight Banff.*

Day 3 – Banff / Lake Louise

Tue / Sat

Afternoon transfer service from Banff to Lake Louise today with time this afternoon to relax and view the surrounding mountains. Enjoy the indoor pool or sit on the deck. *Overnight Lake Louise.*

Day 4 – Lake Louise / Jasper

Wed / Sun

Mid-afternoon transfer service takes you north on the Icefields Parkway. Travel through some of the most majestic mountains vistas in Canada. Watch for wildlife as you continue your winter adventure north to the town of Jasper. *Overnight Jasper.*

Popular from \$1889 Cdn pp



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Day 5 – Jasper

Thu / Mon

Enjoy a morning sightseeing tour of Jasper town site and surrounding areas. Led by knowledgeable tour guides who are well versed in the history, geology and ecology, your adventure takes you to visit the Athabasca Valley as well as some of the parks most beautiful scenery. It may be possible to add in a Canyon Ice Walk for you this evening. Ask about the options! *Overnight Jasper.*

Day 6 – Jasper / VIA Rail

Fri / Tue

Morning is at leisure today with time for last minute shopping, exploring, and photography. This afternoon transfer from hotel to rail station to begin your overnight stay aboard VIA Rail's train the *Canadian*, in Sleeper Plus Class. Enjoy comfortable accommodations, private or semi-private, access to the Skyline & Park cars, and sumptuous meals prepared by the chef in the dining car. Whether you're relaxing in your accommodations, dining or sitting in the dome area, enjoy gorgeous views of the passing winter scenery, snow laden pine trees, ice covered lakes, and dramatic skylines. *Overnight VIA Rail ~ dinner aboard VIA Rail included.*

Day 7 – VIA Rail / Vancouver

Sat / Wed

This morning enjoy a full hot breakfast in the dining car prior to arrival into Vancouver, BC, home to the mildest winters in Canada. Your tour includes transfer service to hotel or airport. *Breakfast aboard VIA Rail included.*

Need more time in Vancouver? Our John Steel Tour Consultants are happy to work with you to provide the perfect tour. Customize your stay to ensure they very best experience.

Price includes

- 5 nights' accommodation in hotels.
- 1 night in VIA Rail's Sleeper Plus Class accommodation.
- Transportation and transfers, as described.
- Select sightseeing, activities, and admissions, as described (Seasonal Availability).
- 2 meals: 1 breakfast; 1 dinner.
- Not included – any items not listed such as but not limited to Goods & Service Tax and/or Harmonized Sales Tax; meals (other than listed); baggage handling; gratuities; travel insurance; personal expenses; custom tour add-ons.



- Please read Things To Know Before You Go for further information.

Info to know

- Reservations are confirmed upon receipt of \$250 CDN per person deposit.
- A complete self-guiding itinerary and vouchers are provided after receipt of full and final payment, due no later than 60 (sixty) days prior to date of Day 1 of your itinerary. (VISA, Mastercard, AmEx, bank draft)
- All monies paid are non-refundable. Ask your John Steel Tour Consultant about travel insurance, its coverages, conditions, and limitations
- If applicable, pack an overnight bag for all overnight rail journeys. Safety rules limit carry-on luggage.
- Please do not make closely connecting travel arrangements before &/or after tour. John Steel is not responsible for missed connections.
- All products &/or services are subject to John Sharp's Rail Tours Ltd., operating as John Steel Rail Tours' (JSRT), "General Conditions & Waiver."
- Please ask your John Steel Tour Consultant for family pricing.

Prices and inclusions are subject to change without notice and vary by season. Prices shown have been adjusted where necessary to reflect seasonal availability of sightseeing and attractions.

TRAVEL TIPS

FAMILY HOLIDAYS - make memories on the train! Rail journeys are a great way for guests of all ages to travel together. Visit www.johnsteel.com or ask your John Steel Tour Consultant for family-friendly recommendations and prices.

SUITE - Honeymoons, anniversaries, birthdays and other special occasions call for upgraded comfort in a nostalgic, romantic Suite. Your John Steel Tour Consultant has all the details.

CUSTOMIZE

CUSTOMIZE YOUR HOLIDAY - your holiday, your way — John Steel's Tour Consultants can add extra days, activities, and other options to your itinerary. Call for prices.

PRE- AND POST-TOUR ADD-ONS: Call John Steel Rail Tours for additional tours that you can add on to your classic rail journey.

FULL-SERVICE CONVENIENCE: your John Steel Consultant can arrange Amtrak and flights for you.

PRICE DETAILS:

2018 Canadian dollar prices - per guest, double occupancy in hotels • Senior prices available (60 years and better).

2018 SEASON

JAN-APR & NOV-DEC
SLEEPER PLUS CLASS

	ADULT	SENIOR
JAN-MAR	\$2039	\$1929
APR	\$2199	\$2089
NOV-DEC	\$1999	\$1889

Pricing for accommodation and rail travel varies considerably throughout the year, please call for further details.



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