Arrival in Calgary

Arrive at Calgary's International Airport and transfer independently to your hotel. The Roadbook you received has all the information needed for your trip. Depending on your time of arrival, you might visit Heritage Park Historical Village, Canada's largest living history museum or go up the Calgary Tower's observation deck which offers a spectacular 360° view across the bustling city, the majestic Rocky Mountains, rolling foothills, and expansive prairie landscape. Alternatively, you can always browse the boutique shops and other attractions of the downtown area.

Overnight Calgary

Duration 1 Night

Day 2

Calgary to Kananaskis (75 km / 47 miles)

Leave Calgary for the Kananaskis Valley in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains. The amazing Kananaskis Country, named after the scenic Kananaskis River, includes five provincial parks, four wildland provincial parks and one ecological reserve.

Overnight Kananaskis

Duration 2 Nights

Day 3

Kananaskis Valley

Enjoy a full day as beautiful scenery surrounds you in Kananaskis, with numerous outdoor activities at your disposal. The list is endless, so you might want to plan your day carefully. Depending on your favourite outdoor pursuits and the weather, you can try hiking biking, swimming, tennis, horseback riding, even a round of golf.

Overnight Kananaskis

Kananaskis to Banff (144 km / 89 miles)

Today's drive to the famous resort town of Banff is scenic in every respect. Travelling past Canmore and Harvey Heights, and depending on your time of arrival, you can consider a visit to the Banff Springs Hotel, Bow Falls or ride the Sulphur Mountain Gondola.

Overnight Banff

Duration 2 Nights

Day 5

Banff National Park

The entire day is free to tour Banff and the surrounding area. If you prefer to stay in town, we suggest a visit to the Luxton Museum. You should, however, consider the wonderful outdoor opportunities such as a gondola ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain, river rafting on the Bow River or a boat tour on beautiful Lake Minnewanka.

Overnight Banff

Day 6

Banff to Jasper (288 km / 179 miles)

Drive to Jasper via the spectacular Icefields Parkway, said to be one of the most scenic routes in all the world. We suggest stops at Lake Louise and Peyto Lake en route. A visit to Maligne Canyon in Jasper National Park offers more riveting views if time permits. Return to the road for the final stretch to the famous resort town of Jasper.

Overnight Jasper

Duration 2 Nights

Day 7

Jasper National Park

You have a full day to relax and tour Jasper and its surrounding area. For an unforgettable 'postcard moment' we suggest a Maligne Lake boat cruise. Alternatively, try visit Miette Hot Springs or treat

yourself to an amazingly exhilarating view riding on the Jasper SkyTram, Canada's highest guided aerial tramway.

Overnight Jasper

Day 8

Jasper to Sun Peaks (430 km / 267 miles)

The Yellowhead Highway takes you on a route first explored by trappers and traders. Mount Terry Fox as well as Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Rockies, are prominently in view as you enjoy your drive. If time permits, we suggest exploring Wells Gray Provincial Park, a nature reserve priding itself on the untamed and pristine state of its wilderness. Continue to Sun Peaks, a year-round resort catering to families as well as sports enthusiasts.

Overnight Sun Peaks

Duration 1 Night

Day 9

Sun Peaks to Harrison Hot Springs (301 km / 187 miles)

Today's drive continues to serve up stunning vistas as you drive past Kamloops and continue into the breathtaking landscape of the Fraser Canyon. Go past Hell's Gate, an abrupt narrowing of the Fraser River, and through the Fraser Valley to the resort of Harrison Hot Springs.

Overnight Harrison Hot Springs

Duration 2 Nights

Day 10

Harrison Hot Springs

Enjoy a relaxing day in the soothing waters of the mineral hot springs at Harrison Hot Springs. The village of Harrison Hot Springs famous for the healing properties of its hots springs but consider exploring other parts of the Harrison River Valley including gorgeous pristine, sandy beaches.

Overnight Harrison Hot Springs

Harrison Hot Springs to Victoria (170 km / 106 miles Land Only)

Today you head westward to the coast en route to Vancouver Island and British Columbia's provincial capital, Victoria. After passing through the outlying Vancouver suburbs of Abbotsford and Surrey, board the ferry at Tsawwassen and cross over to Swartz Bay before driving south to Victoria. Perhaps make a short stop at world-famous Butchart Gardens and marvel at the thousands of ornamental flowers and plants that cover this former aggregate quarry.

Overnight Victoria

Duration 1 Night

Day 12

Victoria to Vancouver (70 km / 43 miles Land Only)

This morning you drive northward for a taste of small-town island life. The communities of Duncan and Chemainus are a mixture of ancient First Nations culture, colonial history, and a modern embracing of outdoor and eco-tourism. The Quw'utsun Cultural Centre in Duncan tells the story of the original inhabitants of the area, while the over 40 murals around the streets of Chemainus depict both modern life and a reverence of those that founded the community. Board the ferry in Nanaimo and arrive in Horseshoe Bay before continuing along the coast to Vancouver.

Overnight Vancouver

Duration 2 Nights

Day 13

Vancouver

This fabulous city on the shores of the Pacific effortlessly fuses British heritage with vibrant international flair, including Asian-influenced restaurants, spectacular urban parks, and near-endless local attractions Take the day and explore the city at your own pace, maybe neighborhoods such as Yaletown or Gastown, Grouse Mountain, the Capilano Suspension Bridge, world-renowned Stanley Park or follow the meandering pathways along the ocean, visit a gallery, or include in some shopping on Robson Street.

Overnight Vancouver

Vancouver

When it's time, make your way to Vancouver International Airport for your flight home unless you plan to extend your stay.