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ROCKY MOUNTAINEER - First Passage to the West Tour

Vancouver | Kamloops | Banff | Calgary

September 22, 2024 - September 28, 2024



EXPERTS IN EXTRAORDINARY EXPERIENCES

Travel through the legendary Spiral Tunnels, traverse the Continental Divide, and be inspired as you wind through mountain passes and dramatic canyons. Experience the only passenger rail service on this historic route, celebrated for connecting Canada from East to West With Gold Leaf Service. Indulge your senses with gourmet meals prepared by Executive Chefs, and expansive views through the panoramic windows of a bi-level glass dome coach to the Canadian Rockies

Trip Inclusions:

- Luggage handling & Rail Station Transfers
- 2-day Rocky Mountaineer Train Experience- Gold Leaf
- 6 Nights Hotel Accommodation in Gold Leaf Level Hotels
- National Parks Pass
- Banff Gondola
- On-Board Train Gratuities
- Meals as Specified.

**Join us for
an
adventure,
an
experience
you'll
never
forget.**

**For More Information & Detailed
Itinerary, please call:**

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FIRST PASSAGE TO THE WEST

Since 1990, Rocky Mountaineer has been taking guests through majestic landscapes on their luxury trains. Travelling through stunning scenery with highlights best seen from their expansive glass-dome coaches, your journey will be complemented by vibrant storytelling, regionally inspired cuisine, and exceptional service onboard the train.

We look forward to welcoming you onboard our **Gold Leaf Service**

You'll find the details outlined in the itinerary below.



- **Bi-level glass-dome coach**
- **Oversized glass-dome windows**
- **Large, exclusive outdoor viewing platform**
- **Gourmet breakfast and lunch served in a lower-level dining room.**
- **Complimentary beverages and snacks**

TOUR PRICING: Taxes Included

**\$5744.53 CAD - Per Person
Double Occupancy**
**\$7566.42 CAD - Per Person
Single Occupancy**

Air Fare is Additional

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

DUE ON BOOKING:

**DEPOSIT 1: \$200 P/P to secure Booking
(Refundable) until March 1st, 2024**

DEPOSIT 2: \$575 April 19, 2024 (N.R.)

FINAL PAYMENT: July 17, 2024

REFUND POLICY:

1. The Initial Deposit of **\$200 per person** is REFUNDABLE until March 1st, 2024.

2. The Second Deposit Due on April 19, 2024 is **NON-REFUNDABLE** except through Cancellation Insurance.

3. **FINAL PAYMENT** is Due on July 17th, 2024.

Cancellation Penalties will apply once final payment is due dependent upon the date it is necessary to cancel.

Cancellation and Medical Insurance.

Both are highly recommended as all payments beyond April 19th are non-refundable & subject to cancellation fees (In accordance with Rocky Mountaineer's Cancellation Schedule.

INCLUSIONS:

- Luggage Handling & Rail Station Transfers
- 6 Nights Hotel Accommodation in Gold Leaf Level Hotels
- National Parks Pass
- Banff Gondola
- On-Board Gratuities
- Meals as specified.

EXCLUSIONS:

- Airport Transfers

- Meals, other than those specified.
- Activities. Other than those specified.
- Gratuities for Hotel & Transfer Staff
- Fuel Surcharges
- GST... as applicable.

ITINERARY: FIRST PASSAGE TO THE WEST

Travel with Rocky Mountaineer through Canada's stunning Rocky Mountains, alongside the powerful Kicking Horse River, and past monumental landmarks from early days of Canada's national railway on the historic First passage to the West Route. This Legendary route is famous for uniting Canada and connecting British Columbia to the rest of the country more than 125 years ago. Rocky Mountaineer is the only passenger rail service to travel this route between Vancouver, British Columbia and Lake Louise and Banff, Alberta.

DAY 1. VANCOUVER- September 22, 2024

Arrive in Vancouver and spend time exploring this scenic coastal city on your own. That could be discovering Stanley Park, taking a small ferry to Granville Island, or much more.

Overnight in Vancouver.

DAY 2. VANCOUVER- September 23, 2024

Enjoy the day with free time to relax or book your own activities at your leisure. Vancouver has activities for all interests, including visiting historic Gastown, dining in lively Yaletown, or enjoying a walk on the Stanley Park Seawall. Spend the day exploring Chinatown, and Grenville Island. Visit Canada Place and spend time on Robson Street with its multitude of shopping, pubs, and restaurants.

Spend time in Gastown and watch the Steam Clock Whistle the hour. Drive through beautiful Stanley Park, a magnificent 400-hectare natural West Coast rainforest green oasis amid the urban landscape of Vancouver. Get great city Views from Lookouts like Prospect Point. Later Cross the Lion's Gate Bridge and visit world famous Capilano Bridge, a 450 feet suspension bridge spanning the Capilano Bridge 230 feet above the river. You may want to pay a visit to Grouse Mountain to have a face to face view of the grizzlies Kola & Grinder

No matter what you choose to do, the Coast Mountains and the Pacific Ocean surround you.

Tours can be arranged for you.

Overnight in Vancouver.



DAY 3. KAMLOOPS. - September 24th, 2024

You will be Transferred from your Vancouver Hotel to The Rocky Mountaineer Rail Station

Travel onboard Rocky Mountaineer from the coastal city of Vancouver to Kamloops, located in the heart of British Columbia's interior. On today's journey, you will see dramatic changes in scenery, from the lush green fields of the Fraser Valley, through forests and winding river canyons surrounded by the peaks of the Coast and the Cascade Mountains, to the desert-like landscapes of the BC interior. Highlights include the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon and the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River.

Breakfast and Lunch are included onboard.

Your day ends as the train travels along the shores of Kamloops Lake into the town of Kamloops. Spend the evening exploring the city of Kamloops or relaxing in your hotel room.

Your expected arrival time in Kamlopps will be between 5:30pm and 7:30 pm

Please be aware that rail travel can be subject to unforeseen delays.

Overnight in Kamloops. B, L.





DAY 4. BANFF- September 25th, 2024

Board the Rocky Mountaineer at the Kamloops Station

Your journey continues eastward to the mighty Canadian Rockies and the province of Alberta. Once again, you will experience ever-changing scenery as you travel across ranch lands, along rocky lakeshores, over high mountain passes, and through the remarkable tunnels that form part of the rich rail history of the Canadian Rockies. Today's highlights include Craigellachie, where the last spike of the Canadian Pacific Railway was driven, the climb over Rogers Pass, Kicking Horse Canyon, the Spiral Tunnels, and, of course, the iconic glaciers and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies.

Breakfast & Lunch are included on board.

Your rail journey ends this evening in the resort town of Banff.

Overnight in Banff. B, L.



National Park Pass:

Your admission to Canadian National Parks is included in your package and is valid for the number of days you have accommodation in the National Park Through Rocky Mountaineer



DAY 5. BANFF- September 26th, 2024

Enjoy the day with free time to relax or book your own activities at your leisure. Banff has activities for all, from relaxing in the Banff hot springs, and exploring the bustling town, to outdoor wildlife adventures.

Tours can be arranged for individuals or groups.

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- Full Day Sightseeing Columbia Icefields; Columbia Icefields, Ice Explorer Ride on Athabasca Glacier. Visit to Glacier Skywalk
- Full day Sightseeing Banff or Lake Louise: Yoho National Park, Spiral Tunnels, Emerald Lake Natural Bridge & Takkakaw Falls

Enjoy Breakfast at your hotel.

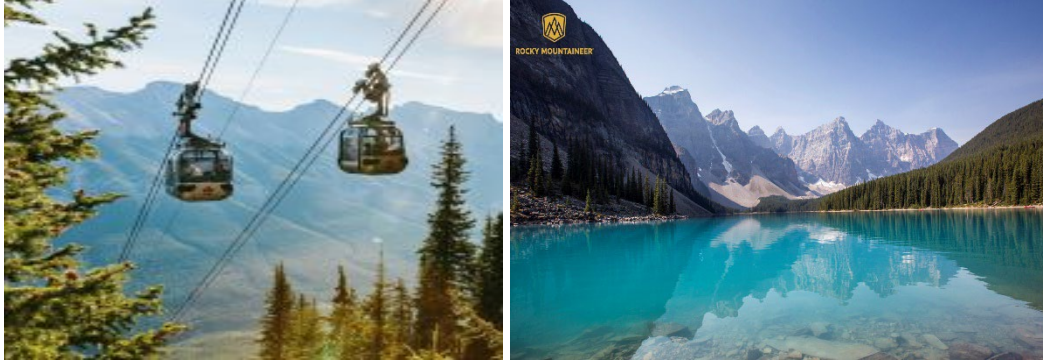
Overnight in Banff.

DAY 6, CALGARY-Sept 27, 2024

Group Breakfast at Banff Accommodation

Today you will enjoy a full-day transfer concluding in Calgary. Begin the morning with a sightseeing tour of Banff. Among the points of interest are Bow Falls, Surprise Corner, and the Hoodoos. Before leaving Banff, you will enjoy a visit to the Banff Gondola.

Overnight in Calgary



DAY 7. CALGARY- Sept 28th, 2024.

Your journey ends upon check-out from your Calgary hotel and your return flight home.