

# Discover Western Canada: From Majestic Mountains to Vibrant Cities

7 Days | 6 Nights 8 Days | 7 Nights JV- ET JYYCWESJRN

Calgary, AB

This tour can also be operated as a private tour exclusive to your group.

Join a breathtaking journey through Western Canada, starting in Calgary and moving through the stunning Rocky Mountains. Discover the beauty of Banff National Park, explore the turquoise waters of Lake Louise, and venture onto the Athabasca Glacier. Travel scenic routes like the Icefields Parkway and Kicking Horse Pass, relax in Whistler, and soak in the vibrant culture of Vancouver. This tour blends adventure with relaxation.

#### Don't miss out-book your adventure now!

Prices starting from US  $\$  1589 | CA  $\$  2069 per person sharing TWIN.

#### **Tour Operates: May to September**



#### Highlights

- Start your journey in Calgary, immersing yourself in its vibrant atmosphere and historic charm.
- Experience Banff's captivating beauty, surrounded by towering mountains, emerald waters, and lush forests.
- Enjoy free time in Banff, with opportunities for relaxation or a memorable Ice Explorer ride on the Athabasca Glacier.
- Continue through scenic national parks, where every turn reveals stunning views and natural wonders.
- Relax in Whistler or add adventure with a breathtaking floatplane tour over Garibaldi Park.
- Explore Vancouver's cultural gems, from Stanley Park to Granville Island.

#### Secure your place on this incredible tour today!

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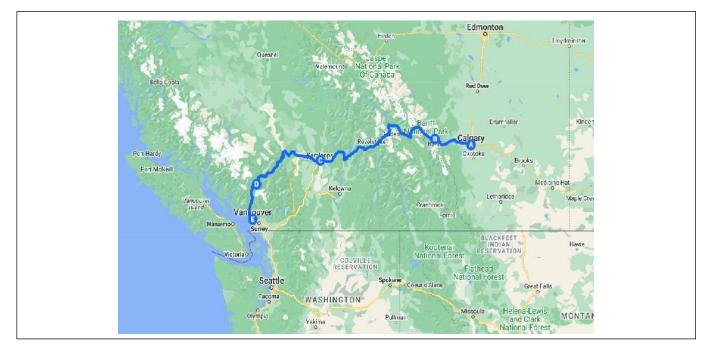


### Inclusions

- $\checkmark$  7 Nights accommodation.
  - o 1 Night in Calgary.
  - o 2 Nights in Canmore.
  - o 1 Night in Kamloops.
  - 1 Night in Whistler.
  - o 2 Nights in Vancouver.
- ✓ 7 breakfasts (6 breakfasts on 7-day itinerary).
- ✓ Banff sightseeing tour.
- ✓ Calgary sightseeing tour.
- ✓ Vancouver sightseeing tour.
- ✓ Sightseeing
  - Calgary Tower
  - o Fort Calgary
  - o Banff National Park
  - o Bow Falls
  - o Tunnel Mountain
  - o Yoho National Park
  - o Glacier National Park
  - o Stanley Park
  - o Prospect Point Lookout
  - o English Bay
  - Historic Gastown
  - o Bustling Chinatown
  - Stroll through the markets of Granville Island.
- ✓ Transportation by modern tour coach.
- ✓ Experienced tour driver.
- ✓ Dedicated tour director throughout.
- ✓ Baggage handling (1 piece per person).
- ✓ Provincial Taxes and Federal GST.



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### Day 1 – Arrive at Calgary, AB.

Arrive at Calgary's International Airport, and your adventure in Western Canada begins! Transfer to a downtown hotel where you can settle in and relax. The rest of your day is free to explore the vibrant streets of Calgary, a city bursting with life and known for its world-famous Calgary Stampede. In the late afternoon, your friendly tour director will reach out to welcome you and ensure you are ready for the journey ahead. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at your hotel in Calgary, surrounded by the excitement of this dynamic city.

### Enjoy your trip!

Overnight in Calgary, AB.

### Day 2 – Explore Calgary's Landmarks and Banff's Majestic Peaks in One Unforgettable Day.

### **Highlights**

- Start the day with a friendly breakfast, meeting new friends and exploring Calgary's famous sites like the Calgary Tower.
- Journey toward the Rocky Mountains, enjoying stunning views as they appear on the horizon.
- Discover the beauty of Banff National Park, with its snow-capped peaks, glaciers, and emerald lakes.



• Visit Banff's iconic spots, including the Banff Springs Hotel, Bow Falls, and Tunnel Mountain.

Your adventure starts with a warm breakfast, where you can connect with other travellers before setting out to explore the highlights of Calgary. Discover the stunning views from the Calgary Tower, the rich history of Fort Calgary, and the dynamic skyline of the city's commercial hub. Then, it's time to head toward the magnificent Rocky Mountains, which grow larger as you approach. Entering the stunning Banff National Park, you'll be amazed by the snow-covered peaks, glistening glaciers, and sparkling green lakes. The day continues with visits to the Banff Springs Hotel, Bow Falls, and Tunnel Mountain, ending with a relaxing night in Canmore.

\*Canadian breakfast included.

Overnight at Canmore, AB.

### Day 3 – Relax in Banff or Explore the Wonders of Lake Louise and the Columbia Icefield.

### **Highlights**

- Spend the day at your own pace in Banff, discovering unique shops and enjoying the lively atmosphere of Banff Avenue.
- Choose an optional adventure to the Columbia Icefield, beginning at the beautiful Lake Louise, known as the "Jewel of the Rockies."
- Travel along the Icefields Parkway, renowned for its dramatic landscapes and awe-inspiring views.
- Experience a thrilling ride on an Ice Explorer across the majestic Athabasca Glacier.

Today offers a perfect blend of relaxation and adventure in Banff. Take time to explore Banff Avenue, lined with delightful boutiques and unique shops. For those craving more excitement, the optional full-day tour to the Columbia Icefield starts with a visit to the dazzling Lake Louise, home to turquoise waters and a dramatic glacier. The journey then follows the scenic Icefields Parkway, leading to the majestic Columbia Icefield, where an Ice Explorer ride will take you across the vast Athabasca Glacier. The day concludes with an evening in Canmore, surrounded by nature's beauty.

\*Continental breakfast included.

Overnight at Canmore, AB.

Day 4 – Travel the Trans-Canada Highway: Icefields, Canyons, and Mountains Await on the Way to Kamloops.

#### **Highlights**

- Begin the adventure on the famous Trans-Canada Highway, tracing the steps of historic fur traders and railroad engineers.
- Enter Yoho National Park through Kicking Horse Pass, with its spectacular views of natural wonders.
- Discover breathtaking landscapes filled with glacier-fed streams, icefields, and deep canyons.
- Complete the journey by traveling through the Monashee and Selkirk Mountains to reach Kamloops.

Today's journey follows the historic Trans-Canada Highway, once mapped by fur traders and railroad pioneers. As the road climbs over the rugged Kicking Horse Pass, it leads into the breathtaking Yoho National Park in British



Columbia. Here, travelers will marvel at vast icefields, deep canyons, thick forests, and sparkling glacier-fed streams. The adventure continues through Glacier National Park, with stunning views of the Monashee and Selkirk Mountains, before reaching the charming town of Kamloops for an overnight stay.

\*Continental breakfast included.

### Overnight at Kamloops, BC.

### Day 5 – From Ranch Lands to Coastal Mountains: A Scenic Journey from Kamloops to Whistler.

### **Highlights**

- Journey from Kamloops through vast ranch lands to the stunning coastal mountains, experiencing a day of scenic wonders.
- Opt for an exciting Floatplane Sightseeing Tour over Garibaldi Park, with views of volcanic peaks, alpine lakes, and meadows.
- Spend a leisurely afternoon exploring the vibrant village of Whistler, nestled in a picturesque mountain setting.
- Enjoy an overnight stay in Whistler, surrounded by breathtaking landscapes and fresh mountain air.

Start the day with a drive across the sweeping ranch lands, moving into the dramatic landscape of the coastal mountains. For those eager for adventure, an optional Floatplane Sightseeing Tour over Garibaldi Park offers breathtaking aerial views of its volcanic peaks, pristine alpine lakes, and beautiful meadows. Afterward, enjoy free time in Whistler to soak in the mountain air or explore at your own pace. The night will be spent in the charming town of Whistler.

\*Continental breakfast included.

Overnight at Whistler, BC.

### Day 6 – Explore Vancouver: From Stunning Fjords to Iconic City Sights in One Day.

### **Highlights**

- Begin the day with a breathtaking drive on the Sea-to-Sky Highway, with views of dramatic fjords and glaciated peaks.
- Discover Vancouver's best sights, including the lush Stanley Park, scenic English Bay, and historic Gastown.
- Experience the rich culture and history of Vancouver with visits to Chinatown and other city highlights.
- Enjoy free time to explore more of this coastal gem, ending with an overnight stay in Vancouver.

Begin the day with a scenic drive along the renowned Sea-to-Sky Highway, winding past stunning fjords and dramatic mountain peaks. In Vancouver, the tour offers an exciting exploration of the city's top sights, from the natural beauty of Stanley Park and the panoramic views at Prospect Point to the cultural vibrancy of English Bay, Gastown, and Chinatown. The afternoon provides time for further exploration at your own pace, ending with a relaxing overnight stay in Vancouver.

\*Continental breakfast included.



### Overnight at Vancouver, BC.

### Day 7 – A Day in Vancouver: From Stanley Park to Butchart Gardens and Beyond.

### **Highlights**

- Relax in Vancouver with options to shop, explore, or simply enjoy the scenic backdrop of the Pacific and Coast Mountains.
- Walk through Robson Street, enjoy Stanley Park, or discover the charm of Granville Island's markets.
- Opt for a gondola adventure to Grouse Mountain or join a tour to Victoria, featuring a stop at Butchart Gardens.
- Return to Vancouver after a day of discoveries, ready to rest and recharge for the night.

Today is a day to explore Vancouver, beautifully nestled between the Pacific Ocean and the Coast Mountains. Guests can wander down Robson Street for shopping, relax in the peaceful greenery of Stanley Park, or enjoy the lively markets of Granville Island. For those seeking adventure, a gondola ride to the top of Grouse Mountain offers stunning views. Alternatively, choose an optional full-day tour to Victoria, where you will visit the historic Butchart Gardens before returning to Vancouver for an overnight stay.

\*7-day programme ends. Individual transfer to Vancouver's International Airport in time to check in for your return flight.

\*Canadian breakfast included.

Overnight at Vancouver, BC.

### Day 8 – Farewell Canada: Enjoy Last-Minute Shopping Before Your Departure.

The final day offers a chance to soak in Vancouver's unique charm one last time. Guests may choose to browse local shops or simply enjoy a leisurely morning in this beautiful city. When it is time to say goodbye, an individual transfer to Vancouver International Airport ensures a smooth journey home, filled with memories of their incredible Canadian experience.

\*Canadian breakfast included.

End of your Western Journey Escorted Tour.

### Exclusions

- × Airfare. Offered as a supplement on request.
- \* Transfer from (YYC) Calgary International Airport to a hotel in downtown Calgary. Offered as a supplement on request.
- \* Transfer from downtown Vancouver hotel to Vancouver International airport. Offered as a supplement on request.
- × Bottled Water while on tour.



- Travel Insurance is strongly recommended to all travelers. Travel Agents, please note If your client chooses to decline your offer to sell them Travel Insurance, you must secure a signed Liability Waiver, as required by the TICO, the Provincial Travel Regulatory Authorities of Ontario, Canada. DMCi Inc. sells Travel Insurance to residents of Ontario who are Canadian citizens or landed immigrants (Permanent Residence Card Holders) only. Non-Canadians and non-residents of Ontario or international clients must purchase Travel Insurance in their respective province, state, or country of residence.
- × Visa and Documentation Fees.
- × Telephone calls, Laundry, and other expenses.
- × Any personal expenses.
- × Resort Fees if applicable.
- \* Gratuities for Tour Guide. Gratuities are expected.

#### **Tour Departures**

2025 (English Commentary)	2025 (German Commentary)
17 May 2025	17 May 2025
31 May 2025	31 May 2025
14 June 2025	14 June 2025
21 June 2025	21 June 2025
05 July 2025	05 July 2025
19 July 2025	12 July 2025
02 August 2025	19 July 2025
23 August 2025	02 August 2025
30 August 2025	09 August 2025
06 September 2025	23 August 2025
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### **Hotels Featured**

Sandman Signature Calgary Downtown
Coast Canmore Hotel & Conference Center or Pocaterra Resort & Spa
Prestige Kamloops or Quality Inn Kamloops
Whistler Village Inn & Suites or The Listel Hotel Whistler or Aava Whistler or Pinnacle International Whistler
Sandman Hotel Vancouver City Centre or Sandman Suites on Daive
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### Rooms featured will be Standard ROH room unless specified otherwise.

Hotels featured will be as above or similar.

#### **Deposit & Payment Policy**

- 90-days or more prior to start date of tour \$300 per person.
- Full payment required 45-days prior to start date of your tour.

### **Change & Cancellation Policy**

- 45-days or more prior to start date of tour refundable less \$300
- 44-days or less 50% non-refundable.
- 29- Days or less 100% non-refundable.
- No Show 100% non-refundable.
- Unused Services 100% non-refundable.

#### FAQ

- Is this tour an Escorted Tour with a Tour Director? Yes. This is an Escorted Tour with a Tour Director. Commentary on sightseeing tours will be either a pre-recorded commentary or narrated by your driver-guide in English/German.
- Are there fixed dates of departure for this tour? Yes. This tour departs on fixed departure dates.
- Is this tour customizable? No. This tour is not customizable.



- Will I be sitting with the same group of people on this tour like on an Escorted Tour? Yes. You will be sitting with the same group of people through this tour.
- What size of coaches are used for transfers and tours? Most of our tours are operated with Mercedes Sprinter Vans or similar. We specialize in small groups unless otherwise specified on certain tours. Some tours will run with a full-sized Motorcoach as noted on that tour.
- What kind of clothing should I wear? Layers! Light-weight layers made of technical fabrics are best. Pants that convert into shorts also work well in the desert. Brimmed hat and sunglasses will add additional protection from the sun. See our Packing List page.
- What kind of footwear should I wear? We suggest lightweight, breathable, flexible hiking boots with ankle support. Additionally, you will want to add several pairs of socks, designed for desert hiking; breathable, wicking, technical fabrics work best.
- What kind of luggage should I bring? We recommend soft-sided, light-weight suitcase, convertible duffle, or backpack. Also, consider bringing a camera bag, small day pack, or fanny pack as well.
- How many miles should i hike each day? Hiking is not mandatory with the group. Let us know what you would like so we can be sure to place you on the right experience! There are elevation changes and there is uneven ground on some of the trails so please let us know your fitness level when you speak with us. Many amazing sites can be seen with 1-to-3-mile hikes. More strenuous hiking trips can be accommodated upon request.
- Do we have to hike as a group? No, hiking with the group is not mandatory.
- **Can we do longer hike if we wanted to?** Yes, just speak with your guide and they can make recommendations. They may not be able to accompany you, but they can advise you where/when to hike if you want further.
- How much time do we spending ach National Park? You will spend a minimum of 5-6 hours in each park, on average 6-8 hours depending on the tour.
- Do you have any age restrictions? We do not have any age restrictions for our tours; however, we ask that
  parents know their children's hiking abilities. If children are able to hike and keep up with the group, they are
  welcome to on tour.
- **Do you cater to dietary requirements?** Yes, we can provide vegetarian options. Vegan, gluten free, kosher options cannot be guaranteed but we will do our best to meet your needs.
- What is the Smoking Policy? For the safety and comfort of our guests and Tour Guides we have a no-smoking policy.
- Would the client require a credit card to check-in at confirmed hotels, lodges, and inns? Yes. Clients are required to present a Credit Card n their name at check-in. Hotel will typically take an authorization on the credit card for between \$500 and \$750 per stay to cover room incidentals and any damage to property. The authorization will auto-cancel within 72 hours of check-out less any incidentals or other charges relating to the room.
- Is it necessary to sign a Waiver to participate in your tours? In most cases, signing a Waiver is not required. However, if your tour package includes a tour component that is considered a soft adventure activity, you will be obliged to sign a Liability Waiver issued by the operator of that particular tour or activity. This requirement will be



clearly indicated on your tour voucher. Additionally, for all participants under the age of 18, a parent or legal guardian must sign the Waiver on their behalf.

- Can we expect to see wildlife on these tours? While there is always a chance to spot wildlife during our tours, and such sightings are not uncommon, we must clarify that seeing wildlife is not a guaranteed aspect of our tours. Our guides possess extensive knowledge about the animals in the park and will gladly share information about them, should you see any wildlife or have questions about the local fauna.
- Is it safe to approach or touch wild animals based on their behavior? Absolutely not. Under no circumstances should you approach, touch, or exit your vehicle to photograph wild animals, regardless of their apparent calmness or friendliness. Interacting with wild animals poses significant risks to both humans and the animals themselves.
- Is it mandatory to present Service Vouchers received from DMCi for availing confirmed services during our tour, including hotel accommodations and tours? Yes, it is mandatory. To avail of the services confirmed for your tour, including hotel accommodations and tours, you must present a digital or printed copy of the Service Voucher provided to you by DMCi or your travel agent at the time-of-service confirmation. Failure to present this voucher may result in denial of services. Please note that in such circumstances, no refunds, substitutions, or alternative tours or services will be provided.
- Do clients need a Credit Card for Hotel Check-Ins? It is mandatory for clients to provide a credit card under their name when checking in at hotels, lodges, and inns. The hotel typically places an authorization hold of \$500 to \$750 on the card for incidental expenses and possible damage. This hold is released within 72 hours after check-out, deducting any incurred charges.
- Can we use Cash or a Debit Card instead of a Credit Card at Hotel Properties? It is important to note that most of our hotel properties do not accept cash or debit cards as a substitute for a credit card. Guests are strongly advised to ensure they have a valid credit card available for use during their stay.
- Do guests need to provide a Photo-ID during Hotel Check-In? Absolutely yes. At the time of check-in, clients are required to present a government-issued photo-ID, such as a passport or driver's license. Please be aware that other forms of government-issued photo-IDs, like a Social Insurance Number card, health card, citizenship card, etc., may not be acceptable.

### What is the hotel check-in and check-out times?

Check-in: 4 PM

Check-out: 11 AM

Early Check-in and Late-Checkouts require prior approval by the hotel. Additional charges, possibly an additional night charge will apply.

What is the policy in case your client's flight gets cancelled or delayed, or if they are unable to travel and join the tour for other reasons? – DMCi Inc., our service providers, employees, contractors & sub-contractors etc. are responsible only for services booked through us. Therefore, your client's inability to travel or join the tour on time due any reasons including but not limited to delayed/cancelled flights, denied boarding, delayed/cancelled visas, refused admission into the country at the point of entry, health conditions, death in the family, etc. are not reasons for a refund or a substitution tour. If your client's are unable to join the tour or fail to join the tour on time, no refund/substitution tour will be provided. DMCi Inc. is not responsible for any disruptions



caused because of weather, traffic, road conditions, etc. All such circumstances should be covered by their Travel Insurance.

For More Information on this Tour Package, Operating Dates & Tariffs,

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