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CANADA

INSPIRING CANADIAN ROCKIES BY RAIL & ALASKA WITH EXPLORA JOURNEYS (TOUR CODE: 15810)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
Calgary to Vancouver	April - August	Cruising Food & Wine Luxury Rail	Rail Journeys

From the soaring peaks of the Canadian Rockies to Alaska's glacial seas, this is a journey of effortless discovery and relaxed luxury with Rocky Mountaineer and Explora Journeys.

Highlights

- Explore Banff and Lake Louise with iconic lakes and mountain vistas
- Enjoy a three-hour wellness experience at BASIN Glacial Waters at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
- Travel aboard the Rocky Mountaineer in panoramic GoldLeaf coaches
- Discover Yoho National Park with the Spiral Tunnels, Emerald Lake, and the Kicking Horse River rock bridge
- Sail Alaska's fjords with Explora Journeys, witnessing glaciers and abundant wildlife from spacious suites

Entire Bonus

Peace of Mind, Every Step of the Way

This holiday package is carefully designed by our team to give you complete Peace of Mind, with access to trusted local partners and expert support at your destination.

Leading Industry-Accredited Canada Specialist

Canada Travel is a leading, industry-accredited Canada specialist, combining genuine destination expertise with the strength and stability of an established travel group – so you can book with total confidence.

Begin your adventure in Calgary, exploring the city's cosmopolitan charms before travelling into the heart of the Rockies. Experience Banff and Lake Louise, with their iconic lakes, waterfalls, and mountain vistas, and enjoy a boat cruise on Lake Minnewanka and admission to the Banff Gondola. Pause along the way to discover Yoho National Park's natural wonders, including Emerald Lake, Spiral Tunnels, and the Kicking Horse River rock bridge.

Board Rocky Mountaineer for the GoldLeaf experience, travelling through ever-changing landscapes — from glacier-capped peaks and mountain passes to lush ranchlands and remarkable tunnels — all the way to Kamloops and then to Vancouver, where dramatic coastal vistas mark the journey's end.

Framed by mountains and ocean, Vancouver sets the stage for a remarkable Alaska voyage with Explora Journeys. Sail north along the Inside Passage, discovering lesser-visited coastal towns and untamed wilderness. Explore Wrangell's rich frontier heritage, experience Sitka's blend of Russian and Alaskan culture, and immerse yourself in the wild landscapes of Haines. Witness the striking beauty of Endicott Arm and Dawes Glacier, cruise into Ketchikan's coastal rainforest, and enjoy time in Victoria before returning to Vancouver.

Throughout your journey, enjoy spacious suites, exceptional dining, refined wellness spaces, intuitive service and modern luxury as you explore some of the most captivating landscapes in North America.



INCLUSIONS

- 9 Nights onboard Explora III in an Ocean Terrace Suite
- 2 days onboard Rocky Mountaineer in GoldLeaf Service
- 1 night in Calgary at Fairmont Palliser
- 2 nights in Banff at Rimrock Resort
- 2 nights in Lake Louise at Fairmont Chateau
- 1 night in Kamloops
- 2 nights in Vancouver at Fairmont Hotel Vancouver
- 2 nights in Victoria at Fairmont Empress
- 2 breakfast & 2 lunch onboard Rocky Mountaineer
- Nine distinct culinary experiences onboard Explora III, including In-Suite Dining
- All Drinks while onboard Explora III (Includes fine wines and premium spirits)
- In suite mini-bar with spirit and wine of choice onboard Explora III
- Access to the Ocean Wellness Spa Thermal area onboard Explora III
- Sightseeing transfer from Calgary to Banff
- Banff Gondola Admission
- Sightseeing transfer from Banff to Lake Louise
- BASIN Glacial Waters Wellness Experience
- Sightseeing tour from Vancouver to Victoria
- Butchart Gardens Admission
- Scenic floatplane from Victoria to Vancouver
- Onboard Train & Cruise Gratuities
- Included Wi-Fi onboard Explora III

Freedom of Choice Days

Freedom of Choice



Our Freedom of Choice program offers flexibility, by allowing you to choose from different options on pre-selected days.

Our per person price includes one tour on each Freedom of Choice day, as follows:

- One "Freedom of Choice" tour on day 8
- One "Freedom of Choice" tour on day 10

Expand the itinerary below for more details.

Please note, if more than one room is selected during the booking process, our team will contact you afterwards to discuss options.

ITINERARY

Rail Onboard Rocky Mountaineer - GoldLeaf Service

Picture yourself onboard the world's leading luxury rail experience. From the moment you set foot onboard, experience hosts that will go above and beyond to make your journey as comfortable as it is unforgettable. The custom-designed glass-dome coaches provide you with panoramic views – or get a bit closer by stepping into the outdoor viewing area. See the sights by day, sleep in a hotel at night. With Rocky Mountaineer, you get the best of both worlds: maximum views, and maximum comfort.

GoldLeaf Service Inclusions:

- Bi-level dome with seating above and dining below
- Full glass-dome windows with panoramic views
- Gourmet à la carte meals in the lower-level dining room
- Reclining, comfortable pre-assigned seating
- Complimentary alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- Attended by up to four Hosts, plus a full culinary team
- Complimentary alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- Gourmet sweet and savoury snacks
- Large exclusive outdoor viewing platform
- Luggage handling

Breakfast, Lunch

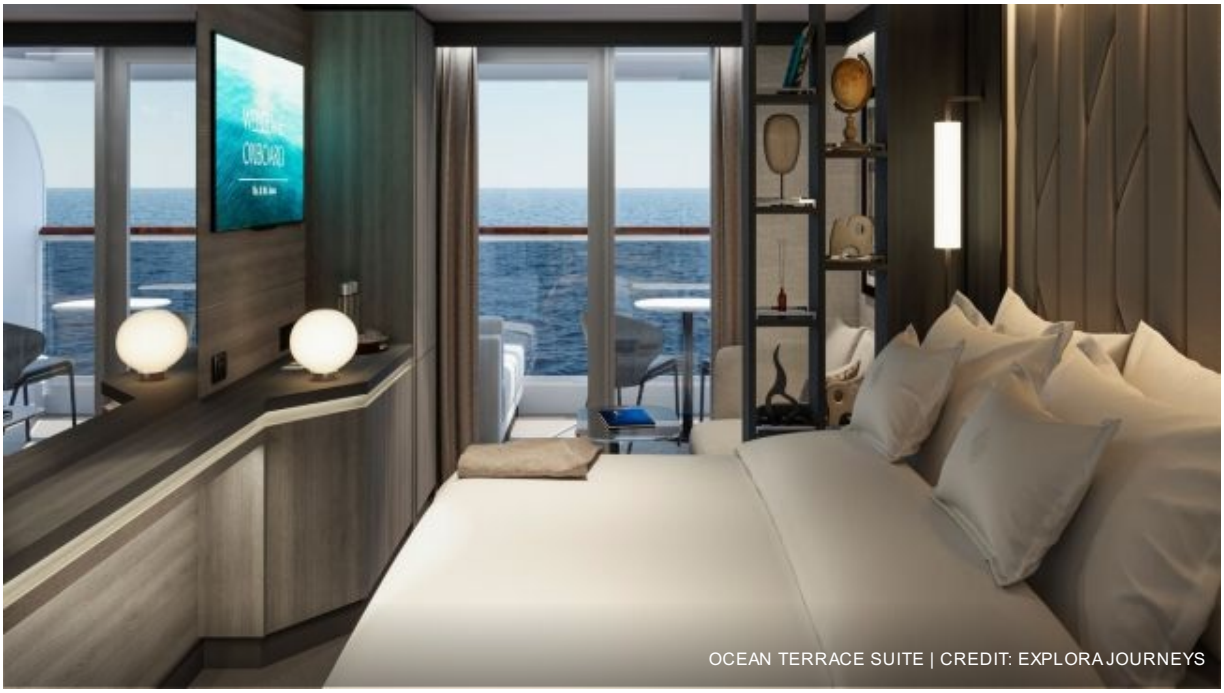

CREDIT: ROCKY MOUNTAINEER

Sail Onboard Explora Journeys - Explora III

Explora III brings a new level of contemporary European luxury to the ocean, blending elegant design with relaxed sophistication. With refined dining, curated enrichment, and immersive destination experiences, the ship offers a boutique resort-style atmosphere where every detail is crafted for comfort and discovery.

The **Ocean Terrace Suite** provides one of the most spacious entry-level retreats at sea, featuring floor-to-ceiling windows and a private sun terrace with a dining area and daybed. Inside, guests enjoy an elegant lounge space, personalised minibar, espresso machine, and a welcome bottle of champagne, along with a generous walk-in wardrobe, bespoke king-size bed, and a spa-inspired bathroom with heated floors, premium Mandala Blue amenities, and a Dyson Supersonic™ hairdryer.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



OCEAN TERRACE SUITE | CREDIT: EXPLORA JOURNEYS

Day 1 Calgary

Arrive in Calgary and spend time exploring this cosmopolitan city on your own. That could be going to the top of the Calgary Tower, exploring Prince's Island Park or much more.

Overnight in Calgary at the **Fairmont Palliser**



CALGARY | CREDIT: KELLY HOFER TOURISM CALGARY

Day 2 Calgary Banff

Depart Calgary this morning for a full-day transfer concluding in Banff. Journey to Banff on a sightseeing transfer including a stop at the Banff Gondola (cost of admission included). Highlights include Bow Falls, Surprise Corner and the Hoodoos. Your tour ends on arrival in Banff late this afternoon.

Overnight in Banff at the **Rimrock Resort**



BANFF GONDOLA | CREDIT: PURSUIT

Day 3 Banff

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, exploring the bustling town, to outdoor wildlife adventures.

Overnight in Banff at the **Rimrock Resort**



AERIAL OF BANFF TOWNSITE | CREDIT: PAUL ZIZKA

Day 4 Banff Lake Louise

Enjoy a sightseeing transfer from Banff to Lake Louise today, with stops including Emerald Lake. The tour ends in Lake Louise where the remainder of the afternoon is at your leisure to enjoy this magnificent location.

Overnight in Lake Louise at the **Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise**



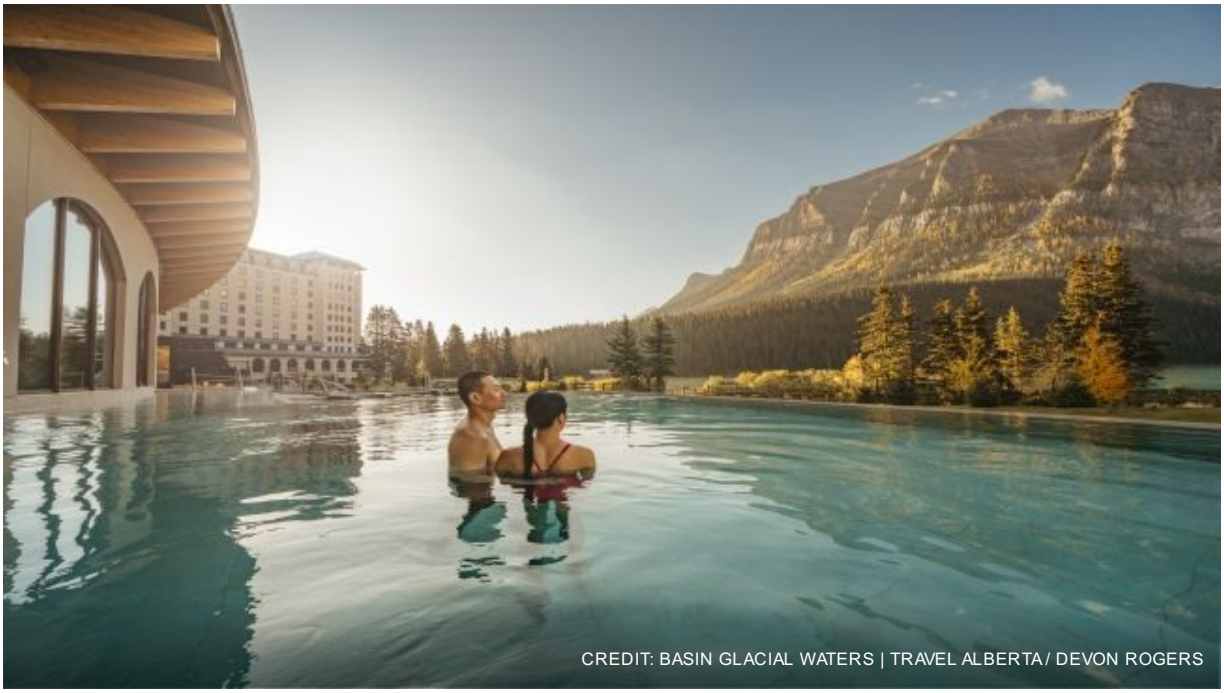
CREDIT: FAIRMONT CHATEAU LAKE LOUISE

Day 5 Lake Louise

Enjoy a day at leisure to relax or book optional activities as you wish. With its rich history and breathtaking alpine scenery, Lake Louise is a destination that never fails to inspire. Learn about local wildlife, take to the turquoise waters by canoe, or simply soak up the natural beauty surrounding the lake.

Included today is access to BASIN Glacial Waters, the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise's immersive wellness experience. Inspired by the pure elements of the Canadian Rockies, BASIN offers a transformative journey rooted in thermotherapy. Guests enjoy three hours of access to the thermal circuit, moving at their own pace or following curated Trails designed to support specific wellness outcomes.

Overnight in Lake Louise at the **Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise**



CREDIT: BASIN GLACIAL WATERS | TRAVEL ALBERTA/ DEVON ROGERS

Day 6 Rocky Mountaineer: Lake Louise Kamloops

Departing early in the morning, travel onboard Rocky Mountaineer from the mountain resort town of Banff to Kamloops, in

the heart of the British Columbia Interior. Your journey takes you through ever-changing scenery as you travel between the iconic glacier and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies over mountain passes and through remarkable tunnels, along rocky lakeshores and across the ranchlands of the Interior. Today's highlights include the Continental Divide, the Spiral Tunnels, Kicking Horse Canyon, Rogers Pass and Craigellachie, where the last spike of the Canadian Pacific Railway was driven. You will arrive in Kamloops in the evening.

Overnight in Kamloops

Breakfast, Lunch



CREDIT: ROCKY MOUNTAINEER

Day 7 Rocky Mountaineer: Kamloops Vancouver

Early in the morning, your journey continues west towards the Pacific Ocean and the coastal city of Vancouver. On today's journey, you will again see dramatic changes in scenery, from the desert-like environment of the B.C. Interior, through winding river canyons and pristine forests, to the Cascade and Coast Mountains and the lush green fields of the Fraser Valley. Highlights include the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River and the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon. Your rail journey ends on arrival in Vancouver this evening.

Overnight in Vancouver at the **Fairmont Hotel Vancouver**

Breakfast, Lunch


CREDIT: ROCKY MOUNTAINEER

Day 8 Vancouver

Today, you can personalise your day by choosing your pre-selected tour from our Freedom of Choice options below.

Overnight in Vancouver at the **Fairmont Hotel Vancouver**

Freedom of Choice Options

- **Vancouver City Highlights Tour including Capilano Suspension Bridge:**

  Explore the urban elements of downtown Vancouver and immerse yourself in the wilds of Vancouver's rugged North Shore. Combine the highlights of downtown Vancouver with a stop at Capilano Suspension Bridge Park. Drive by some of the most renowned sights including historic neighborhoods, scenic beaches, and a picturesque harbour and learn how Vancouver became the city it is today. Stops in Stanley Park feature Indigenous Peoples' Totem Poles, and spectacular views of the mountains and the Lions Gate Bridge. Take in the jaw-dropping 360-degree view of the city and beyond from Vancouver Lookout's Observation Deck, and wander through the charming farmer's market at Granville Island.

OR

- **Granville Island Market Tour:**

  Granville Island is Canada's second most-visited destination, behind Niagara Falls, and Vancouver's destination for lovers of food, art and culture. During the tour, guests eat their way through the world-famous Public Market and hear the intriguing stories, culture, and history behind the tasty creations. As the colourful market buzzes around you, step behind the scenes to experience a side that many never see — even the locals. Tuck into savory and sweet bites by renowned culinary artisans, and connect with their passion for food and heritage

OR

- **Stanley Park Bicycle Tour:**

  Stanley Park is uniquely situated with incredibly scenic views of downtown Vancouver, the North Shore, the Lion's Gate Bridge, as well as English Bay and the West End. Weave down the pristine forest trails that criss-cross through the park, and receive incisive information about the amazing wilderness in the city. This is definitely more than just a ride in the park. You will walk or ride away with a deeper understanding of both Vancouver and its green treasure. An easy 12 km ride on dedicated bike trails. Tours always ride at a relaxed pace to take in the sights, so anyone with moderate fitness can easily do this ride!



AERIAL OF VANCOUVER | CREDIT: DESTINATION VANCOUVER / ALBERT NORMANDIN

Day 9 Vancouver Victoria

Your journey today begins with a scenic ferry ride across the Georgia Strait — keep a lookout for seals and whales as you sail toward Vancouver Island. Once ashore you'll visit the majestic Butchart Gardens, a 22-hectare garden wonderland filled with meticulously landscaped grounds, including the Sunken Garden, Japanese Garden and award-winning Rose Garden. Afterwards, enjoy time exploring the historic seaside city of Victoria, British Columbia: stroll the charming Inner Harbour, wander through North America's second-oldest Chinatown, and admire landmarks like the provincial Parliament Buildings and the iconic Empress Hotel.

Overnight in Victoria at **Fairmont Empress**



BUTCHART GARDENS | CREDIT: DESTINATION BC / LOCAL WANDERER

Day 10 Victoria

Today, you can personalise your day by choosing your pre-selected tour from our Freedom of Choice options below.

Overnight in Victoria at **Fairmont Empress**

Freedom of Choice Options

- **Whale Watching:**

  Experience the thrill of whale watching from Victoria, with options to stay dry and comfortable on a covered vessel or get closer to the action aboard a Zodiac. Expert guides share insights into local marine wildlife and their natural behaviours, creating an unforgettable adventure on the waters of British Columbia.

OR

- **Sip, Savor, Stroll Evening Tour:**

  Discover Victoria after dark on the Sip, Savour & Stroll tour, a guided evening experience that combines culinary delights with local culture. Wander the city's charming streets, stopping at select eateries and artisan tasting spots to sample wines, craft beers, and gourmet bites. Along the way, learn about the city's history, architecture, and vibrant food scene, making for a relaxed and delicious way to explore Victoria by night.

OR

- **Hoods & Legends Cycling Tour:**

  Explore Victoria on two wheels with the Hoods & Legends Cycling Tour, a guided ride through the city's most historic neighbourhoods. Discover hidden laneways, local stories, and architectural gems as you cycle at a leisurely pace, combining active adventure with fascinating insights into Victoria's culture and heritage.



Day 11 Victoria Vancouver: Embark Explora Journeys

Begin your day with a breathtaking floatplane transfer from Victoria to Vancouver, enjoying stunning aerial views of the Gulf Islands, coastal inlets, and the city skyline from above. Upon arrival in Vancouver, make your way to the dock to embark on Explora III, where your luxury suite awaits and the adventure begins. As the ship sets sail, immerse yourself in the spectacular natural beauty and wild landscapes of Alaska on this Journey of Spectacular Nature & Wild Adventure, combining unforgettable coastal scenery, wildlife encounters, and world-class onboard comfort.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Dinner


CREDIT: HARBOUR AIR SEAPLANES

Day 12 Explora Journeys: At Sea

With more time to reflect, rejuvenate, and embrace the Ocean State of Mind, days at sea with Explora Journeys invite moments of unhurried exploration. Against a backdrop of endless blue, indulge in a varied programme of wellness, dining and entertainment, enriching the mind and indulging the senses, designed to satisfy even the most curious of minds. These moments at sea offer a rare chance to disconnect from the outside world and reconnect with yourself and your loved ones. With so many onboard experiences, each day at sea is unique and memorable.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner


CREDIT: EXPLORA JOURNEYS

Day 13 Explora Journeys: Wrangell

The terrain is big and the crowds are small in this lesser travelled wonder that wholly embraces the ‘Last Frontier’ spirit. Primal nature reigns in the Anan Bear & Wildlife Observatory, where both brown and black bears feast on pink salmon

during a few frenzied weeks each year. Cosy comforts of town open to adventures beyond: follow a boardwalk to Rainbow Falls; take a jet boat into the great Stikine River; spy Bald Eagles riding air currents between craggy glaciers and jagged peaks. Then ponder the history and mystery of 3,000-year-old messages at Petroglyph Beach, left by the indigenous Tlingit peoples.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner


CREDIT: EXPLORA JOURNEYS

Day 14 Explora Journeys: Sitka

Fishing is famous; whale and wildlife sightings are epic; stories of battles between Russian fur traders and Tlingit are legendary. Lace up your hiking shoes, for Sitka won't let you down with its vast wilderness of volcanoes, mountain forests, islands and glaciers. Seek scenic walking trails amongst rocketing Tlingit and Haida totem poles. Flock to the Raptor Center, where eagles, owls, and hawks are restored to health. Kayak Sitka Sound, witness former WWII installations, spy dormant Mount Edgecumbe through percolating clouds, then ponder the peace within the blue-domed St. Michael's Russian Orthodox Cathedral, where Russia officially handed over the reign of Sitka to the United States.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



SITKA | CREDIT: TRAVEL ALASKA / MARK KELLEY

Day 15 Explora Journeys: Haines

Since time immemorial, bears and bald eagles have gathered in Haines, where the great Alaskan wilderness meets the fjords and glaciers of the Inside Passage. Humans too now join the migration to fish for sockeye and chinook in paradisical streams or float and hike riverside trails in Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve, where feathered councils congregate all year round. Chart mankind’s arrival in this northern wilderness in the galleries of Fort William H. Seward and pause to gorge on Alaskan scenery around the lakes and rivers of Chilkoot State Park.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



HAINES | CREDIT: TRAVEL ALASKA / BRIAN ADAMS

Day 16 Explora Journeys: Endicott Arm (Dawes Glacier)

Endicott Arm is mystic; a wild fjord extending inland some 48 kilometers (30 miles); a photographer's paradise, a naturalist’s Valhalla, and an escapist's Utopia. Sailing between towering rock walls, we slip past unconquered mountains, the tumbling

mirth of waterfalls, and forests without footpaths or blemish of an axe. Our quest at the fjord head is the daunting Dawes Glacier— over 182 meters tall (600 ft)—slowly shouldering her way from the Stikine Icefield. She sparkles with an other-worldly blue hue and, with regularity, dramatically calves huge, hulking icebergs into the fjord. Here, Mother Nature presides in all her dignity.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 17 Explora Journeys: Ketchikan

In Ketchikan, step back into thousands years of history and discover a landscape that is alive beneath your feet and find moose and mountain goats, brown bears and black-tailed deer; a micro world that reminds us what it is to be wild and free. First steps lead to the picturesque Creek Street Historic District, where bridges cross creeks teeming with salmon during spawning season. Thrills go far beyond: soar in a seaplane to Misty Fjords National Monument, a seldom seen American national treasure with awe inspiring topography of sheer walls of granite plunging 3,000 feet into the fjords, lush forests of spruce, hemlock, and cedar clinging to snowcapped peaks of rugged grandeur. Scout some of the oldest and most beloved Totems of indigenous Tlingit and Haida people.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



KETCHIKAN | CREDIT: TRAVEL ALASKA

Day 18 Explora Journeys: At Sea

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Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



CREDIT: EXPLORA JOURNEYS

Day 19 Explora Journeys: Victoria

On the rugged southern edge of Vancouver Island, Victoria, bustling capital of British Columbia, dynamically harmonizes with the magnificent Olympic Mountains. Victoria's history dates to pre-colonial time when native peoples inhabited the area. In

1849, Vancouver Island became a British crown colony, widely evident in Victorian architecture, including the majestic Craigdarroch Castle. Indigenous Peoples' legacies live on in festivals, ceremonies, dances, and art. Along the rugged Pacific coastline, lush rainforests, gardens, lakes, waterfalls, and charming fishing villages. Majestic mammals and marine wildlife abound in its waters, including four species of whales. Vibrant and verdant, you too will blossom in its perfect climate.

Overnight onboard **Explora III**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day **20** Vancouver: Disembark Explora Journeys

After an unforgettable voyage through the wilds of Alaska and the scenic beauty of Canada, disembark Explora III in Vancouver. Guests will travel independently to the airport or continue their onward journey at leisure, taking with them memories of majestic landscapes, incredible wildlife encounters, and the luxury and comfort of a truly inspiring Canada & Alaska adventure.

Breakfast

ACCOMMODATION

Fairmont Palliser

Calgary

This refined hotel in a downtown building dating from 1914 is a minutes' walk from the Calgary Tower and 1 km from Fort Calgary. Amenities include an elegant bar and lounge, plus a coffee shop and a 1920s-themed restaurant. There's also a spa, an indoor pool, a hot tub and a fitness centre.



Rimrock Resort Banff

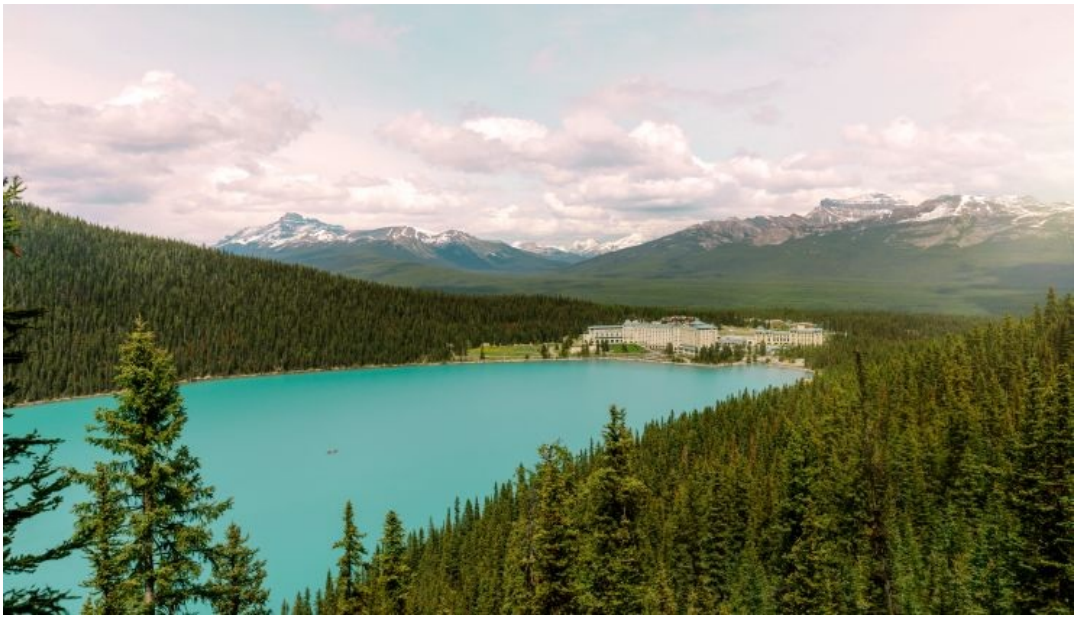
Perched on the slopes of Sulphur Mountain, the elegant Rimrock Resort Hotel offers a luxurious retreat with sweeping views over the Bow Valley. This refined mountain resort blends upscale comfort with classic alpine charm, featuring stylish rooms, exceptional dining, and easy access to Banff Upper Hot Springs and the Banff Gondola. Guests can unwind in serene surroundings while still being just moments from the heart of Banff, making it an ideal base for exploring the Rockies in style.



Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise

Lake Louise

Surrounded by soaring mountain peaks, the majestic Victoria Glacier and a glistening emerald lake, the iconic Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise hotel is located in Alberta's Banff National Park. Discover endless outdoor recreational activities including hiking, canoeing, horseback riding, fishing, mountain biking and river rafting.



Fairmont Hotel Vancouver

Vancouver

Fairmont Hotel Vancouver is known as the 'Castle in the City', symbolizing timeless elegance and luxury since 1939. Holding a prime downtown location, we are minutes away from Vancouver's biggest attractions including Granville Island, Robson Street shopping, Stanley Park Seawall, Vancouver Aquarium, Gastown, and Science World. Our knowledgeable concierge team is delighted to assist with suggestions, dining reservations and more. Be sure to meet our Labrador canine ambassadors, Elly and Ella.



Fairmont Empress Victoria

Victoria

Welcome to Canada's *Castle on the Coast*. The Empress Hotel sits proudly at the centre of culture and history in Victoria, British Columbia. This is the best of all worlds – where contrast meets distinction, opulence blends harmoniously with the understated and fabled history meshes with contemporary affairs. This award-winning Victoria hotel and National Historic Site is an alluring blend of classic and contemporary, vintage and cutting-edge: Where Modern meets Iconic.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
French & English	Canadian Dollars

FROM price reflects the lowest available price within the advertised travel period (e.g. April to October). Pricing varies depending on travel dates, availability and demand, and may not be available on all departures. Higher pricing applies during peak and shoulder periods. Final pricing is confirmed at the time of enquiry or booking. Please refer to **Pricing & Price Conditions** for full details, including inclusions, exclusions and other conditions.

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