

Canadian Rockies Circle (Circle Tour)

(12 nights/13 days)



Package Includes

- 4 day Rocky Mountaineer RedLeaf Service
- 4 breakfasts, 4 lunches
- 12 nights hotel accommodation
- Exclusive Attractions Pass
- Banff Tour, including Banff Gondola
- Summit Helicopter Flightseeing
- Yoho Park Tour, Banff to Lake Louise
- Guided lakeshore stroll at The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise
- Icefields Parkway Tour, including Ice Explorer, Lake Louise to Jasper
- Jasper Tour
- Rail station transfers in Vancouver, Kamloops, Banff and Jasper
- Luggage handling and National Park Pass

Not Included

- Transportation to/from Vancouver airport
- Meals, other than onboard the Rocky Mountaineer
- Gratuities for rail, hotel and transfer staff
- Fuel surcharges
- GST

Itinerary

Day	Activities	Overnight
1	Arrive in Vancouver	Vancouver
2	Rocky Mountaineer to Kamloops	Kamloops
3	Rocky Mountaineer to Banff	Banff
4	Banff Tour with Gondola and Summit Helicopter	Banff
5	Free day in Banff	Banff
6	Yoho Park Tour. Transfer to Lake Louise	Lake Louise
7	Free day in Lake Louise	Lake Louise
8	Icefields Parkway Tour, including Ice Explorer	Jasper
9	Jasper Highlights Tour	Jasper
10	Free day in Jasper	Jasper
11	Rocky Mountaineer to Kamloops	Kamloops
12	Rocky Mountaineer to Vancouver	Vancouver
13	Vacation ends	

This package is not offered in reverse

Changes to 2009 Product:

1 additional night in Banff and Jasper

2010 Package Tour Prices

RedLeaf Service						
Starts Vancouver	Single	Double	Triple	Child	Rail Seat Upgrade per person	Accommodation
22 Apr	\$3,719	\$2,829	\$2,739	\$1,849	\$1,120	Vancouver Hampton Inn
29 Apr–27 May	\$4,729	\$3,479	\$3,249	\$2,029	\$1,580	Banff Brewster’s Mountain Lodge
31 May–09 Sep	\$6,239	\$4,379	\$4,059	\$2,669	\$1,580	Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise, Fairmont room
Modified American Plan	\$954 per adult / \$549 per child					Jasper Sawridge Hotel

GoldLeaf Service						
Starts Vancouver	Single	Double	Triple	Child		Accommodation
22 Apr	\$5,949	\$4,549	\$4,399	\$3,259		Vancouver Fairmont Waterfront Hotel, Fairmont room
29 Apr–27 May	\$8,359	\$6,099	\$5,839	\$4,349		Banff Fairmont Banff Springs, Fairmont room
31 May–09 Sep	\$10,779	\$7,479	\$6,819	\$4,579		Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise, Fairmont Lakeview room
Modified American Plan	\$1,441 per adult / \$673 per child					Jasper Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge, Fairmont room

Fairmont Deluxe & GoldLeaf Service						
Starts Vancouver	Single	Double	Triple	Child		Accommodation
22 Apr	\$6,729	\$4,959	\$4,549	\$2,829		Vancouver Fairmont Waterfront, Portside Deluxe room
29 Apr–27 May	\$9,829	\$6,879	\$6,089	\$3,549		Banff Fairmont Banff Springs, Deluxe room
31 May–09 Sep	\$12,369	\$8,289	\$7,119	\$3,849		Lake Louise Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise, Deluxe Lakeview room
Modified American Plan	\$1,441 per adult / \$673 per child					Jasper Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge, Deluxe room

2010 Package Tour Start Dates:	
Starts Vancouver (Round Trip)	
Thursdays (+ Mondays, 03 May–31 May)	
Apr	22 29
May	2 3 6 9 10 13 16 17 20 23 24 27 31
Jun	3 10 17 24
Jul	1 8 15 22 29
Aug	5 12 19 26
Sep	2 9 16

Day 1 Vancouver Arrival

Arrive in Vancouver and spend time exploring this scenic city on your own. Overnight in Vancouver.

Day 2 Vancouver to Kamloops

Travel onboard the Rocky Mountaineer from the coastal city of Vancouver to Kamloops, 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 River valley, through forests and winding river canyons surrounded by the peaks of the Coast and Cascade mountains, to the desert-like environment of the 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. Your day concludes as the Rocky Mountaineer travels along the shores of Kamloops Lake and into Kamloops. Overnight in Kamloops. B, L.

Day 3 Kamloops to Banff

Your journey continues eastwards to the mighty Canadian Rockies and the province of Alberta. Once again you will see a spectacular array of scenery as you travel across ranchlands, 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, the Kicking Horse Canyon, the Spiral Tunnels and, of course, the glaciers and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies. Your rail journey ends in the resort town of Banff this evening. Overnight in Banff. B, L.

Day 4 Banff Sightseeing with Summit Helicopter Tour

Today you will enjoy a sightseeing tour of Banff. Among the highlights are visits to Bow Falls, the Banff Gondola (admission included), Lake Minnewanka, Surprise Corner and the Hoodoos. Continue on to Kananaskis for the highlight of today's adventure, a 12-minute Summit Helicopter Tour over the remarkable landscape of the Rockies. The rest of the day is free for you to spend at your leisure in Banff. Overnight in Banff.

A price reduction of \$119 will apply for the Summit Helicopter Tour in the event of inclement weather or if a guest chooses not to fly.

Day 5 Free Day in Banff

Today you will have an entire day to spend exploring Banff National Park on your own. Optional activities include soaking in the mineral pools at Upper Hot Springs, enjoying a nature walk on nearby mountain trails, visiting Banff's historic museums, cruising on Lake Minnewanka or playing a round of golf at The Fairmont Banff Springs. Overnight in Banff.

Day 6 Banff to Lake Louise

A half-day tour takes you into Yoho National Park to view some of its natural wonders. Among the attractions are the Spiral Tunnels, Emerald Lake and a natural rock bridge that spans the Kicking Horse River. The tour ends in Lake Louise where you will be treated to a one-hour guided lakeshore stroll. The remainder of the afternoon is at your leisure to enjoy this magnificent location. Overnight in Lake Louise at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise.

Please note: While arrival at The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise will be approximately 1:00 p.m., scheduled check-in time is not until 4:00 p.m. In the event that your room is not ready, your luggage will be stored and you are free to enjoy the amenities of the hotel.

Day 7 Free day in Lake Louise

Enjoy a free day in Lake Louise. Local activities include canoeing, hiking in the mountains or simply relaxing and taking in the magnificent views. Overnight in Lake Louise.

Day 8 Lake Louise to Jasper

Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Banff and Jasper national parks via the Icefields Parkway. Among the highlights are Bow Lake, the Columbia Icefield and Athabasca Falls. The Columbia Icefield is one of the largest accumulations of ice south of the Arctic Circle and one of the most accessible icefields in North America. Here you will ride on an Ice Explorer to the middle of the Athabasca Glacier to learn more about its geological features. Time will be available for lunch (not included). Arrive in Jasper late this afternoon. Overnight in Jasper.

Day 9 Jasper Highlights Tour

Jasper National Park is a World Heritage Site and Canada's largest National Park. Today you will enjoy a short scenic tour including the many natural attractions, rugged peaks, and perhaps even catch a glimpse of some of the many creatures that call this mountain park home. The remainder of the day is free for you to explore more of Jasper independently. Overnight in Jasper.

Day 10 Free day in Jasper

Enjoy a day at your leisure in Jasper National Park. Optional activities include a round of golf at The Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge, a walk through Maligne Canyon, a cruise on Maligne Lake or a gondola ride up Whistler's Mountain. Overnight in Jasper.

Day 11 Jasper to Kamloops

Travel onboard the Rocky Mountaineer from Jasper in the Canadian Rockies to Kamloops, in the heart of British Columbia's interior. As you journey west and south you will be surrounded by the dramatic scenery of the Continental Divide and by the river valleys of the Monashee and Cariboo mountains. Today's highlights include Mount Robson, Pyramid Falls, the climb over Yellowhead Pass and the journey along the North Thompson River as you approach Kamloops. Overnight in Kamloops. B, L.

Day 12 Kamloops to Vancouver

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 interior, through winding river canyons and pristine forests, to the Coast and Cascade mountains and the lush green fields of the Fraser River 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. B, L.

Day 13 Vancouver Departure

Your vacation ends with check-out from your Vancouver hotel.

