# [Silver] Jasper+ Banff " VIA Rail Canada " 5-day Train Tour



Product information				
Tour No.	RJV5			
Departure city	Vancouver -VR			
Destination	Vancouver -VR	Way location	Okanagan Lake、Yoho National Park、Banff National Park、Maligne Lake、Columbia Icefield	
Travel days	5 Day 4 Night	Transportation	Vehicle Train	
Airport pick-up/drop-off		Currency	USD	

Product price		
Single occupancy: \$1398 / Person	Double occupancy: \$998 / Person	
Exist mandatory fee: Estimated total cost 1413	Exist mandatory fee: Estimated total cost 2026	
Number of rooms: 1; The number of tourist: 1;	Number of rooms: 1; The number of tourist: 2;	
Basic price[The number of tourist]: 1 x 1398 = 1398	Basic price[The number of tourist]: 2 x 998 = 1996	
Transportation Surcharge[The number of tourist]: 1 x 15 = 15	Transportation Surcharge[The number of tourist]: 2 x 15 = 30	
Triple occupancy: \$898 / Person	Quadruple occupancy: \$838 / Person	
Exist mandatory fee: Estimated total cost 2739	Exist mandatory fee: Estimated total cost 3412	
Number of rooms: 1; The number of tourist: 3;	Number of rooms: 1; The number of tourist: 4;	
Basic price[The number of tourist]: 3 x 898 = 2694	Basic price[The number of tourist]: 4 x 838 = 3352	
Transportation Surcharge[The number of tourist]: 3 x 15 = 45	Transportation Surcharge[The number of tourist]: 4 x 15 = 60	

# **Departure date**

05/05/2024-09/30/2024: Wednesday, Sunday

If the order includes children, please make sure to note and inform them of their age in advance when booking the itinerary, otherwise fees will be charged on-site as adults.

#### **Highlights**

- . Take the VIA Rail Canada, set out from Jasper, climb the mountains to Vancouver, and experience the beauty of the Rocky Mountains
- . Take a look at four famous lakes in one stop: Lake Louise, Moraine Lake, Bow Lake and Okanagan Lake.
- . Ride on the Banff Gondola to enjoy a 360-degree panoramic view of the Banff town and the magnificent Rocky Mountains (at your own expense).
- . Stay in two major national park towns: Banff Town and Jasper Town, convenient for shopping and tasting various delicacies
- . Ride the giant snowmobile to explore the world-famous ice field ruins Columbia Icefield!
- . Enjoy lunch at the famous Chateau Lake Louise Hotel (at your own expense).
- . Take a comfortable bus to travel, and more senior guides will escort your travel.

# **Promotional information**

# Join / leave point

# **Boarding location**

06:50Departure, Vancouver Chinatown; Address: 50 E Pender St, Vancouver, BC V6A 3V6, Canada;

07:30Departure, River Rock Casino Resort; Address: 8811 River Rd, Richmond, BC V6X 3P8, Canada;

07:45Departure, West Vancouver (on Cambie St & 42nd Ave.); Address: 5812 Cambie St. Scotiabank;

08:00Departure, Burnaby: HSBC Bank Crystal Mall; Address: 2829-4500 Kingsway, Burnaby, BC V5H 2A9, Canada;

08:30Departure, Real Canadian Superstore; Address: 1301 Lougheed Hwy., Coquitlam, BC V3K 6P9, Canada;

08:50Departure, Guildford Recreation Centre; Address: 15105 105 Ave, Surrey, BC V3R 7G8, Canada;

#### **Drop-off location**

Pacific Central Station; Address: 1150 Station St, Vancouver, BC V6A 4C7, Canada; Due to the frequent delay of the train, it is highly recommended to book a flight for the evening to leave.

#### **Tour introduction**

Day 1

Vancouver - Vehicle - Kelowna - Vehicle - Salmon Arm / Revelstoke

All day

Today we will depart from Vancouver in the morning and pass through the scenic Fraser Valley until arriving at the beautiful town of Marritt, which is the location of the famous movie Jurassic Park. After lunch, we will head to Kelowna, the hometown of fruits in BC Province, to visit the local famous "VQA" winery to taste red and white grape wines and buy world-famous Canadian ice wine. We will also pass by the Okanagan Lake (Okanagan Lake) and the color-changing lake known as the "Water Monster Lake." Following, we will drive to Vernon to take a visit the local bee farm and taste different flavors of natural honey or buy a premium royal jelly jar. We will also be staying overnight in Salmon Bay/Grizzly.

**Itinerary:** 

Vancouver → Merritt → Kelowna → Winery (45 mins) → Vernon Planet Bee Honey Farm (30 mins) → Salmon Arm / Revelstoke

All day

**Grizzli Winery** 

Grizzli Winery is located in the center of Okanagan, Canada. The Winery is surrounded by a number of mountains and lakes! The sunshine and large temperature differences between day and night helps create the uniquely tasting wines.

**Vernon Planet Bee Honey Farm** 

Planet Vernon Honey Farm is located in the suburbs of Vernon and produces featured local honey from their own beehives. Here, visitors have the opportunity to observe bees up close, stroll through a bee-friendly garden, and taste fresh honey.

Night

Hotel: Comfort Inn & Suites Salmon Arm; Sandman Hotel Revelstoke; similar

Day 2 Salmon Arm / Revelstoke - Vehicle - Banff National Park - Vehicle - Banff

All day

In the morning, we will visit the famous "Last Nail" in the Pacific Railway Memorial Park, which is a mark to commemorate the completion of the Pacific Railway and also witness the great contribution made by Chinese workers to the railway more than a hundred years ago. Then, we will drive through Glacier National Park and Yoho National Park, and we will finally enter into Banff National Park. After lunch, we will proceed to the beautiful Lake Louise. Then, we will go to one of the most photographic lakes Moraine Lake (depending on the road conditions). Following, we will

head to take a quick tour at the Bow River Falls. We will also take the Banff Gondola to enjoy the wonderful scenic views of the Rocky Mountains. Stay overnight in Baff.

## **Itinerary:**

Salmon Arm / Revelstoke → The Last Spike (20 mins) → Glacier National Park (Pass-by) → Yoho National Park (Pass-by) → Banff National Park → Lake Louise (60 mins) → Moraine Lake (30 mins) → Bow Falls (15 mins) → Banff Gondola (Mandatory, 60 mins) → Banff

#### **Special Note:**

1. The opening time of Moraine Lake is from June to mid-October. If it is not open during the tour, the scenic spot will be cancelled, and the tour time of Louise Lake will be increased accordingly.

#### Morning

### The Last Spike

The Last Spike was the final and ceremonial railway spike driven into the Canadian Pacific Railway (CPR) track by company director Donald Smith on the morning of November 7th, 1885. The ceremony marked the completion of the transcontinental CPR. It was a muted affair at which a group of company officials and laborers gathered at Craigellachie. The Last Spike symbolized more than just the completion of a railway. Contemporaries and historians have viewed the Last Spike as an event when national unity was recognized.

#### **Glacier National Park**

Glacier National Park is one of forty-three national parks located within Canada. It has approximately 521 square miles of protected areas and includes portions of the Columbia Mountains, as well as Rogers Pass National Historic Site. The park contains active glaciers and snowy peaks! It is also home to one of Canada's largest cave systems and even offers a large selection of plants and animals to see.

# Yoho National Park

Yoho National Park lies on the western slopes of the Canadian Rocky Mountains. Vertical rock walls, waterfalls and high peaks draw visitors from all around the world to this unique national park! Yoho offers exceptional hiking and sightseeing for everyone to enjoy! The park even offers a unique glimpse of Canada's natural wonders and an insight of this alpine majesty!

#### Afternoon

#### **Banff National Park**

Banff National Park is famously known for its colored lakes, majestic mountains, and endless outdoor adventures that it has to offer! It is also Canada's very first national park and the world's third! It has a rich heritage and is one of the

world's most awe-inspiring mountain destinations to discover! Make sure to even take a special look at its easy access

and close proximity that it has to the vast unspoiled wilderness of the Canadian Rockies. The park itself spans 6,641

square kilometers (2,564 square miles) of pure mountainous terrain. It is greatly packed with spectacular scenic valleys,

peaks, glaciers, forests, meadows, and rivers. Take a look at what makes Banff National Park so unique!

**Lake Louise** 

Lake Louise has a rich heritage as one of the world's most awe-inspiring mountain destinations. It is a hamlet within

Banff National Park. Lake Louise is named after Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll. Lake Lousie is one of the most

famous mountain vistas in the world and is truly a site to see!

**Moraine Lake** 

Moraine Lake is another beautiful site to discover. It is easily one of Canada's most amazing hidden gems that you must

discover with us today!

**Bow Falls** 

Bow Falls is a major waterfall on the Bow River. It offers breathtaking views and an experience to be closer to nature!

Bow Falls is also famously featured in the 1953 Marilyn Monroe film River of No Return. Embrace your inner nature

love and be amazed by its wonderous beauty.

**Banff Gondola** 

Explore the one-of-a-kind Gondola ride to the top of the Sulphur Mountain to experience a stunning view of six

incredible mountain ranges. Banff Gondola provides breathtaking views in every direction that you look at! It is an

eight-minute journey to the summit of Sulphur Mountain! On a clear and sunny day, the gondola becomes a perfect

activity for families, groups, and couples to enjoy.

**Banff Town** 

Banff is a town within Banff National Park in Alberta, Canada. Banff is a resort town and one of Canada's most popular

tourist destinations to discover. It is highly known for its mountainous surroundings and hot springs. It is also a perfect

destination for outdoor sports and extensive hiking, biking, scrambling and skiing.

Night

Hotel: Irwin's Mountain Inn; Red Carpet Inn; similar

Day 3

Banff National Park - Vehicle - Columbia Icefield - Vehicle - Jasper

All day

Rise and shine! Today we will head to Johnston Canyon in the morning. This canyon is a truly breathtaking natural

attraction in Banff National Park. The magnificent waterfalls of Johnston Creek will leave you with an unforgettable

impression. Then, we will drive along the Route 93, which was selected as "the most beautiful landscape road in the

world." Along the way, we will pass the Crowfoot Glacier and Bow Lake, and finally arrive at the famous Peyto Lake.

Following, we will take a visit to the Columbia Icefield. You can take a giant snowmobile to the Athabasca Glacier and

get in touch with the ancient ice. You may also walk on the 280-meter-high glass bridge! Finally, we will head to the

Athabasca Falls and stay overnight in Jasper.

**Itinerary:** 

Banff → Banff National Park → Johnston Canyon (45 mins) → Crowfoot Glacier (Pass-by) → Bow Lake (Pass-by) →

Peyto Lake (30 mins) → Columbia Icefield (3 hours, Ice Explorer and skywalk is mandatory) → Adabaska Falls (30

mins) → Jasper

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**Johnston Canyon** 

Johnston Canyon is a must-visit natural attraction and one of the most popular destinations in Banff National Park! The

dramatic Johnston Canyon is a breathtaking beauty and located in the Banff National Park. It is a scenic wooden canyon

filled perfect for hiking and biking. There are so many sites to discover along the way and many unique picture

opportunities.

**Crowfoot Glacier** 

**Bow Lake** 

**Peyto Lake** 

Columbia Icefield

Night

Hotel: Tonquin Inn; Maligne Lodge; similar

Day 4

Jasper - Vehicle - VIA Rail Canada - Train - Kamloops

All day

In the morning, we will go to the Jasper Station and board the VIA Rail Canada. Along the way, you can see Mount Robson, the highest peak of the Rocky Mountains, the pyramidal waterfall, the wild rock cliffs, and the vast forest. You can enjoy the beautiful scenery of mountains and valleys under the sunset. We will also be staying overnight on the VIA Rail Canada.

Itinerary:

Jasper → VIA Rail Canada → Kamloops

Jasper Station: 607 Connaught Dr, Jasper, AB T0E 1E0

Hotel: Overnight on the VIA Rail Canada

Meals: On your own expense

#### **Special Note:**

- 1. The itinerary is not accompanied by a tour guide, please go to Jasper Station by yourself;
- 2. The departure time is based on the departure time on the train ticket.
- 3. There is no tour guide on the train, and guests need to communicate in English by themselves.

All day

# **VIA Rail Canada**

Via Rail Canada Inc. (reporting mark VIA) (/'viːə/), operating as Via Rail or Via, is a Canadian Crown corporation that is mandated to operate intercity passenger rail service in Canada. Via Rail operates over 500 trains per week across eight Canadian provinces and 12,500 kilometres (7,800 mi) of track, 97 per cent of which is owned and maintained by other railway companies, mostly by Canadian National Railway (CN).

# Day 5

Kamloops - Vehicle - VIA Rail Canada - Train - Vancouver

All day

today will be the end of this pleasant five-day train trip. The train will pass through Kamloops and Hope Town and arrive at the Vancouver Station at 8 a.m. Guests need to go home by themselves.

**Itinerary:** 

Kamloops → VIA Rail Canada → Vancouver

## **Special Note:**

1. Due to the frequent delay of the train, it is highly recommended to book a flight at night to leave. There is no tour guide on the train, and guests need to communicate in English by themselves.

## **Cost Description**

#### **Cost includes**

- 1. Transportation: The type of vehicle used will based on the number of guests that day.
- 2. Tour guide.
- 3. Hotel listed in the itinerary.
- 4. Ticket: a train hard seat ticket.

#### **Cost excludes**

- 1. 5%GST of CAD price.
- 2. Service fee: USD\$12 or CAD\$15 per person per day.
- 3. Any food and beverages.
- 4. Admission fees mentioned in the itinerary (Prices are subject to change without prior notice; Tickets should be purchased from the tour guide).
- 5. Personal fees: such as laundry, telephone, diet, shopping, pay television etc.
- 6. Additional fees caused by irresistible reasons due to traffic, war, coup, strikes, weather, flight cancellation or date changes.
- 7. Any kinds of Travel Insurance.

# Extra expense

Item name	Days	Price description	Description
RJV Price Difference of Upgrade to a Sleeper	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Everyone: USD\$580.00 / CAD\$680.00;	Two sofa chairs during the day, and they will be changed to bunk beds covered by thick curtains at

			night (*this class includes lunch and dinner)
RJV Price Difference of Upgrade to a Private Box	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Everyone: USD\$1338.00 / CAD\$1598.00;	Two side-by-side seats during the day, and they will be changed to two beds. There are washstands and toilets in the cabin (*this cabin includes lunch and dinner).
RJV Price Difference of Upgrade to a Double Box	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Everyone: USD\$998.00 / CAD\$1188.00;	Two side-by-side seats during the day, and they will be changed to two beds. There are washstands and toilets in the cabin (*this cabin includes lunch and dinner).
RJV/RJR Mandatory Fee	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Adult: USD\$143.00 / CAD\$178.00; Child (6-15): USD\$100.00 / CAD\$120.00;	Include: Banff Gondola+ Ice snowmobile+ Glacier Adventure+ National Pass. CAD\$ price exclude 5%GST tax.
RJV 5-Day Meals	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Adult: USD\$96.00 / CAD\$115.00; Child (2-11): USD\$82.00 / CAD\$98.00;	Including: 2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner. CAD price exclude 5%GST tax.
Chateau Lake Louise Hotel Lunch Fee	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Adult: USD\$70.00 / CAD\$85.00; Child (2-11): USD\$42.00 /	Please book it together when ordering the itinerary, and inform

CAD\$50.00;	us the main course
	choice of the set
	meal (choose one
	from beef or chicken
	or vegetarian). Once
	the resource is
	booked, it cannot be
	canceled or changed
	within 7 days before
	the departure of the
	group and during the
	departure of the
	group. No additional
	booking service will
	be provided within 7
	days before and
	during the tour, and
	it will be determined
	according to the
	actual situation of the
	resources.
	CAD price exclude
	5%GST tax.

# **Know Before You Book**

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- 1. Customer under 18 years old MUST be accompanied by at least one adult. If the order includes children, please make sure to inform our customer service of the age of the children in advance when placing the order, otherwise the children will be charged on-site according as adults. In consideration of the guest safety, pregnant women are only allowed to join the tour if pregnant for 24 weeks or less by the end of the trip.
- 2. Please be sure to provide accurate and complete information upon booking. This includes name, gender, valid contact information (preferably a mobile phone), accurate flight information, tour location, etc., This helps to avoid any errors upon the reservation bookings because errors affect travel. Any losses due to inaccurate or invalid information will be at your own expense and the company will not be held responsible.
- 3. Hotels have different room types, such as a King/Queen size beds or two double size twin beds. The maximum number of people who can legally stay in a room is 2 to 4 people. In addition, each hotel has a different method of

charging the deposit, which requires the cooperation of the guests according to regulations. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL guarantee the number of rooms for guests but does not guarantee the specific room type and location. Hotel check-in time is usually after 15:00.

- 4. This tour does not accept any City Pass or your own tickets for any of the attractions. Tour attraction admission charges and meal expenses are subject to change at any time without notification. Any purchased ticket cannot be refunded for lower prices.
- 5. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL have the right to make appropriate adjustments to the itinerary under the conditions of facilitating the operation for the tour group. This, however, will not reduce the items that should be included in the itinerary.
- 6. During the actual trip, the tour guide or driver has the right to appropriately adjust the tour sequence, stay time or assembly time of scenic spots according to the weather, traffic, and other conditions to ensure the smooth progression of the trip.
- 7. If the scenic spots are temporarily closed or closed on a particular holiday, etc., the tour guide will adjust the appearance according to the actual situation or replace the location with another scenic spot to ensure the richness of the itinerary. The opening hours and capacity limits of certain attractions and national parks will be subject to change from time to time due to the COVID-19 pandemic. When the operating hours and capacity restrictions have an impact on the itinerary, it shall be regarded as force majeure. Thank you for your understanding.
- 8. Children under the age of 8 require a booster seat in order to participate in the group tour. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL provide the rental service for \$10.00/person/day. Please make a request when booking the itinerary so that we may have the booster seat ready in advance. Please understand that the violations and fines are borne by the guests themselves. There is no need for a booster seat for bus travel on the day of travel, and the fee can be refunded to the guest.
- 9. Normal health conditions are required in order to participate and enjoy our full itineraries. Contact us for specific policies or information regarding passengers with disabilities who do need to provide advance notifications to make a reservation. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL does not guarantee a wheelchair liftequipped bus and/or seating availability to disabled passengers without prior notification and approval.
- 10. In order to make your trip more complete, pleasant, and smooth, we strongly recommend that you choose to book event tickets, catering packages, etc. when making your order. Please be aware that we do not provide any additional booking services within 7 days before the departure date or during the tour.
- 11. The price in the system is US dollars which includes tax. If you need to pay in CAD dollars, all CAD dollar prices do not include 5% GST.
- 12. We may alter these terms and conditions from time to time and post the new version on our agents' website. It is your responsibility to check the [Terms & Conditions] on their website regularly and prior to making a reservation. Unless specifically stated otherwise herein or required by law, ALL AMERICA TRAVEL shall not be liable for any consequential, compensatory, indirect, incidental, or punitive damages arising out of or in connection with the performance of its obligations under these terms and conditions.
- 13. Due to the oil price soar and the cost of vehicle greatly increased, starting April 1, 2022, please be advised that all bus tours will be subject to an additional transportation surcharge of \$5 per person per day. This will be paid together with the tour fees upon placing your order.

#### **Know Before You Go**

- 1. The maximum waiting time for any late passengers is 10 minutes beyond the meeting time announced by the Tour Guide. While ALL AMERICA TRAVEL makes every effort to provide on-time service, it does not guarantee to arrive at or depart from any point at a specific time. This could be affected by a number of factors including weather, traffic, strikes, government shutdowns, war or terrorist attacks, or mechanical problems. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL is not liable for any inconvenience or expense caused as a result of such a delay. They are not liable for the expense of connecting air or train or bus services missed as a result of a delay and are not liable for any other travel expense caused as a result of a delay.
- 2. ALL AMERICA TRAVEL reserve the right, when operating conditions require, transferring passengers from one vehicle to another in route.
- 3. The following documents are recommended to make your check-in process smooth: A valid photo ID is required in order to board the bus. We recommend you bring a copy of your email confirmation to board the bus as well.
- 4. This product is a group activity. If you choose to leave the group, please inform in advance, and obtain the consent of the tour guide. You need to sign the departure agreement form and the unfinished part will be regarded as your own abandonment. The group fee will not be refunded.
- 5. Gift items in the itinerary that cannot be given away due to force majeure factors such as traffic and weather conditions or personal reasons may be subject to change. Please understand that the fees will not be fully refunded.
- 6. Smoking is prohibited aboard the bus in accordance with the law and prohibited in most hotel rooms. Customers are responsible for any penalty charged by the hotel in a non-smoking room at least CAD\$300 and more per night.
- 7. Pets and animals are not allowed on the vehicle.
- 8. Only for products with airport pick-up service: only one pick-up service within the free pick-up time range is provided for each order. If it is impossible to arrange due to weather and flight delay, etc., please pay for your own transportation costs.