Weather & Destination Specific Information

Railroading in the Rockies

feat. Rocky Mountaineer

For any questions or concerns about your upcoming tour not addressed here, please call 1-800-826-2266

Time Zones: This tour is in the Mountain Time Zone and Pacific Time Zone.

Weather: Average High/Low

City	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
Seattle, WA | USA	70°F/52°F	75°F/56°F	76°F/56°F	71°F/52°F
Victoria	67°F/51°F	71°F/53°F	71°F/54°F	67°F/51°F
Vancouver	66°F/51°F	71°F/54°F	71°F/55°F	65°F/50°F
Kamloops	66°F/42°F	72°F/45°F	71°F/44°F	61°F/37°F
Banff	66°F/42°F	72°F/45°F	71°F/44°F	61°F/37°F
Calgary	69°F/45°F	74°F/49°F	73°F/48°F	63°F/39°F

Travel to Canada

Passport Required: Travel on these tours requires a valid passport. Passports should be valid for six months beyond your return date. While on tour the safety of your passport is your responsibility. Always keep your passport with you, not in your luggage. It is recommended that you keep two copies of your passport; one with you on tour in a separate location from the actual passport and one at home where someone can access it if necessary. Your passport will be needed at airport ticket counters, border crossings, immigration, and customs.

Currency: The unit of currency in Canada is the Canadian dollar. Currency exchange rates fluctuate on a daily basis.

A helpful website for referencing current rates is www.oanda.com. The US dollar can often be used in Canada, but you may receive Canadian currency as change for these transactions.

Electrical Current: Canada runs on the same electrical current and uses the same electrical outlets as the United States. You will not need to purchase a converter or adapter for your travels in Canada.

A Note on Travel to Canada: Even with a required passport, Canada considers people with certain criminal records as inadmissible. Canada classifies DWI's, DUI's, OWI's, DUAI's, and DWAI's as felonies and automatically considers a person inadmissible if they have one of these on their record. Other offenses such as shoplifting, theft, or assault can bar entry even if committed decades ago. More information can be found at www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca or contact a lawyer. Holiday Vacations does not accept any responsibility for losses or expenses due to inadmissibility or an individual's legal status.

Gratuities: The gratuity to Motorcoach Drivers is not included in your tour price and may be given at your discretion. This tour will have two drivers. The first driver will take the group from Seattle to Vancouver. The second driver will take the group from Jasper to Calgary. Holiday Vacations' suggested gratuity to the Seattle to Vancouver driver $7-8 USD per person per day. The suggested gratuity to the Jasper to Calgary driver is $7-8 CAD per person per day.

For Tours Featuring Rail: *Rocky Mountaineer*

While onboard Rocky Mountaineer, train space is limited. It is suggested that you pack a small carry-on bag for your time on the train. Be sure to pack medication and other necessities in this bag as you will not have access to your large luggage.

Rocky Mountaineer Silver Leaf: The Silver Leaf cars have panoramic views. All meals and beverages are brought right to your seat.

Rocky Mountaineer Gold Leaf: The Gold Leaf cars are bi-level glass dome cars with panoramic views on the upper level where your seats are located. Meals will be served in the dining room located on the lower level.

Telephones: Rocky Mountaineer trains do not have public phones on board. If friends or family need to contact you while you are traveling on the train, they can do so by calling Rocky Mountaineer at 1-800-653-4105. Rocky Mountaineer will relay any messages to you at the next train station.

Rocky Mountaineer Routes & Scheduling: Train schedules and/or routes are subject to change by Rocky Mountaineer. You will be advised by Holiday Vacations if any changes occur. No liability shall be incurred by Holiday Vacations for subsequent changes to train schedules and/or routes.

Smoking: While on board the train smoking is prohibited.

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