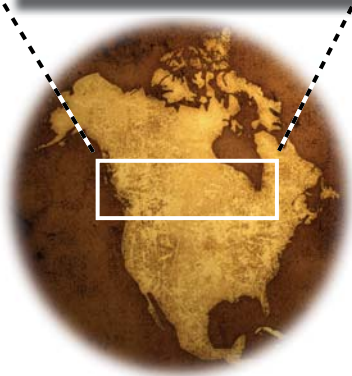




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Cross-Canada Classic Rail Journey East to West

Tour Highlights

VIA Rail's classic Canadian between Toronto and Vancouver, BC is one of the world's classic long-distance rail journeys. Tour includes 5 nights in the magnificent Canadian Rockies. A John Steel best-seller.

- Experience over 3000 miles (4800 km) of Canada's most diverse landscapes – from bustling Toronto, the rugged Canadian Shield, broad prairie vistas, to the Rockies and Vancouver on the Pacific coast.
- 3 National Parks: Jasper, Banff and Yoho plus Maligne Lake, Columbia Icefields, Lake Louise, Banff Sulphur Mountain Gondola
- Premiere option features Fairmont Hotels' legendary Banff Springs, Jasper Park Lodge, Chateau Lake Louise, & Royal York.



Day 1 – Toronto / VIA Rail's Canadian

Thursday / Saturday

Your classic rail journey begins late evening, Sleeper Plus Class guests enjoy several onboard services, including freshly prepared meals in the dining car and views of Canada's vast landscapes from the scenic dome car. *Overnight VIA Rail.*

Your Holiday, Your Way ...

Prefer to start in Vancouver and conclude in Toronto? Please see Cross-Canada Classic West to East.

Day 2 – VIA Rail's Canadian

Friday / Sunday

Take photos from the dome car, chat with friends old and new, and sit back in comfort in your Sleeper Plus Class car accommodations as Canada's grand wilderness passes by the train's large picture windows. *Overnight VIA Rail – breakfast, lunch, and dinner in dining car included.*

Day 3 – VIA Rail's Canadian

Saturday / Monday

The scenery changes markedly from Canadian Shield wilderness to the wide-open prairies, with a brief stop in Winnipeg, Manitoba. You will have enough time, check out some sights before boarding the train to continue your journey. *Breakfast, lunch dinner in dining car included.*

Day 4 – VIA Rail / Jasper National Park

Sunday / Tuesday

Morning stop in Edmonton, Alberta as your cross-Canada journey brings you closer to the Rockies.

By early afternoon, you'll catch glimpses of snowy mountain peaks. Guests often see bighorn sheep as the train approaches Jasper – have your camera ready! *Overnight Jasper – breakfast & lunch in dining car included.*

Day 5 – Jasper / Icefields Parkway / Lake Louise

Monday / Wednesday

Full-day sightseeing tour of Icefields Parkway, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Breathtaking scenery, from soaring mountain peaks to broad valley vistas, greets you at every turn on this 142 mile (230 km) scenic highway. Includes Athabasca Falls, Columbia Icefields Center, Crowfoot Glacier, Peyto Lake, plus a once-in-a-lifetime ride aboard the Brewster Ice Explorer, a vehicle specially designed to traverse the glacier. *Overnight Lake Louise.*

Day 6 – Lake Louise / Banff

Tuesday / Thursday

Mid afternoon motor coach departure for the Mountains, Lakes and Waterfalls Tour. Visit beautiful Yoho National Park, the Great Divide, and Takakaw Falls. *Overnight Banff.*

Day 7 – Banff / Jasper

Wednesday / Friday

Discover Banff with morning half-day tour, including Cave and Basin National Historic Site. You'll also ride the Banff Gondola with panoramic 360° views of the Canadian Rocky Mountains. Mid-day break followed by afternoon transfer to Jasper. *Overnight Jasper.*

