

# Ottawa & French Canada

## Ottawa, Montreal & Québec City

#### **Inspiring Moments**



- View the exceptional art collections of Ottawa's National Gallery of Canada.
- Appreciate fascinating facets of Canada's history, archaeology and diverse cultures at the Canadian Museum of History.
- Get to know Montreal's beautiful old town and enjoy a light show inside the exquisite Basilique Notre-Dame.
- Delve into enchanting Old Québec,
   the birthplace of French North America
   and the only fortified city north of Mexico.
- Relish an immersive cultural experience at the Wendake Huron reserve.
- Savor fresh maple syrup and lunch at an authentic sugar shack in a forest.
- Delight in the distinctive charms of the villages of pastoral Île d'Orléans.
- Experience two UNESCO World Heritage sites.



#### **Itinerary**

Day 1	Depart gateway city 🛟. Arrive in
	Ottawa and transfer 🕽 to hotel.

Day 2 Ottawa

Day 3 Ottawa

Day 4 Ottawa | Rigaud | Montreal

Day 5 Montreal

Day 6 Montreal

Day 7 Wendake | Québec City

Day 8 Old Québec

Day 9 Montmorency Falls | Île d'Orléans

Day 10 Transfer → to Québec City airport and depart for gateway city ↔

Flights and transfers provided for AHI FlexAir participants.

Note: Itinerary may change due to local conditions.

#### Included Features



#### Accommodations (with baggage handling)

- -3 nights in Ottawa, Canada, at the first-class Lord Elgin Hotel.
- -3 nights in Montreal at the first-class InterContinental Montreal.
- -3 nights in Québec City at the first-class Clarendon Hotel.

#### Transfers (with baggage handling)

 Deluxe motor coach transfers during the Land Program.

#### **Extensive Meal Program**

 9 breakfasts, 4 lunches and 3 dinners, including Welcome and Farewell Dinners; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner.

#### Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

- -Small group: Sized just right at 28 guests.
- Enrichment by expert speakers enhances your insight into the region.
- **Engaging excursions** showcase the local culture, heritage and history.
- AHI Connects | Local immersion.
- Free time to pursue your individual interests.
- Welcome and Farewell Receptions to mingle with fellow travelers.
- A personal VOX headset to hear your English-speaking guide clearly.
- -Tipping of guides and drivers.
- AHI Sustainability Promise | Striving to make a positive impact wherever we travel.

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#### A World of Discovery

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**Montagne.** In a maple forest near Rigaud, step back in time and watch syrup being produced the old-fashioned way! The sugar shack owners tap the trees, collect sap and cook it over wood-fired equipment. Enjoy lunch and music during your visit.

**Ottawa Walking Tour.** Hear about the capital city's evolution as you admire the grand Gothic Revival government buildings on Parliament Hill and other top sites. Relax over lunch later in the Byward Market area.

**National Gallery of Canada.** On a guided tour, view remarkable Canadian art from the 18th to 20th centuries and works by Indigenous Peoples from across Canada.

**Canadian Museum of History.** Learn about Canada's First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples and study striking totem poles on a guided tour with free time afterward.

**Rideau Canal Cruise.** Travel along this 19th-century waterway, a lovely centerpiece of the city enjoyed by residents year-round.

**Old Montreal Walking Tour.** See elegant architecture on buzzing Rue St-Paul and in Place Jacques-Cartier and the Old Port, where the city was founded in 1642 on the St. Lawrence River.

**St. Joseph's Oratory.** In Mont Royal Park, take a guided tour of Canada's largest church. Head next to colorful Jean-Talon Market for free time for lunch and shopping.

**AURA at Basilique Notre-Dame de Montreal.** Take in a marvelous light show showcasing the church's stunning interior.

**Habitat 67.** Tour these groundbreaking, modular residences designed by architect Moshe Safdie, part of the Canadian Pavilion for the World Exposition of 1967.

Bourgie Hall at the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts. Attend a musical performance.

Wendake Huron Traditional Site. Gain interesting insights about the rich culture of the Huron-Wendat Nation on a guided tour. Visit a longhouse and smokehouse, and learn about sweat lodge purification rituals.

**Old Québec Walking Tour.** Soak up this picturesque district's historic ambience on a stroll and funicular ride. See the Petit-Champlain, the Place de Royal, the magnificent Château Frontenac and more.

**Cathedral-Basilica of Notre-Dame de Québec & Citadelle.** Tour two icons: the cathedral, a National Historic Site, and the imposing fortress atop Cape Diamond.

#### Montmorency Falls & Île d'Orléans.

Get fantastic views of the falls  $-\ 30\ \text{meters}$  taller than Niagara Falls  $-\ \text{from a cable car.}$ 

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Montmorency Falls

Then, be charmed by the six communities on a serene island in the St. Lawrence River with free time on your own for lunch.

**Winery Visit.** Taste fine local wines near Île d'Orléans before returning to Québec City.

#### **Enrichment**

- History of Canada
- Spotlight on Québec City

#### **UNESCO World Heritage**

- 1. Historic District of Old Québec
- 2. Rideau Canal

#### Accommodations

Lord Elgin Hotel | Ottawa

InterContinental Montreal | Montreal

Clarendon Hotel | Québec City

Tripadvisor

**Activity Level:** We have rated all of our excursions with activity levels to help you assess this program's physical expectations. Please call or visit our website for full details.



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For more than six decades, our dedicated team has helped travelers explore the world safely and securely.

**Travel & Air Coordinators |** Help with everything from arranging flights to fulfilling special requests.

**Travel Director |** Manages all details to ensure a safe and memorable trip.

**Travel information |** Prepares you fully for your journey.

**Expert local guides and lecturers |**Provide friendly, knowledgeable service and share their passion for the destination.

#### Let us arrange your flights!

**AHI FlexAir** | Our personalized air program features transfers, assistance and flexibility.

#### 2026 Departures & Pricing

### September 6-15, 2026

Full Price	\$5,745
Special Savings	\$750

#### Special Savings Price\*

The Special Savings consist of \$250 Early Booking and \$500 Pay-in-Full Savings.

\*Special Savings Price is valid if booked by the expiration date on the website and paid in full at booking.

All prices quoted are in USD, per person, based on double occupancy, includes applicable program taxes and do not include air transportation costs (unless otherwise stated). Single accommodations are an additional \$1,495 (limited availability)

\$4,995