

TRAVEL PASSES

## Eastern USA & Canada Ways (from New York City)

Backpacking

12 Days / 3 Countries

USA , Canada & USA

Departure city: **New York City, USA**

End city: **New York City, USA**

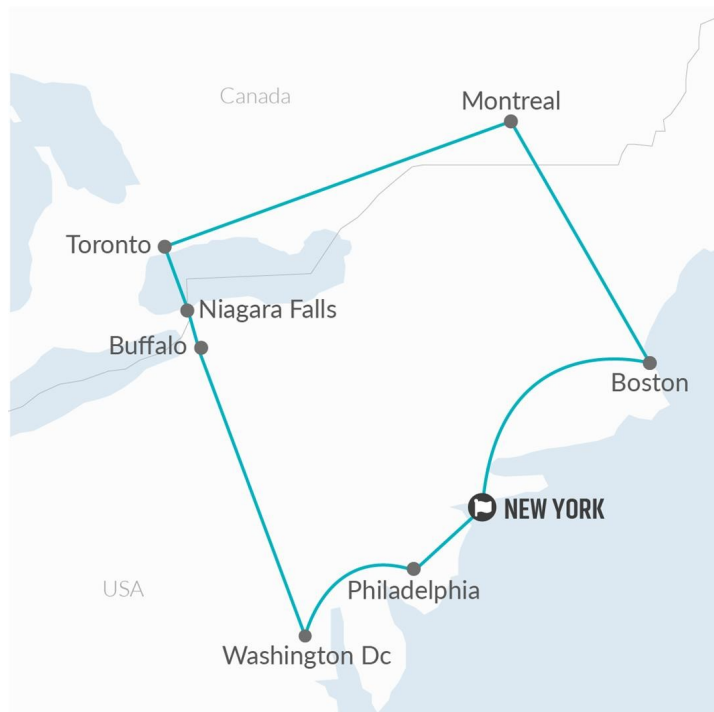


### HIGHLIGHTS

- Indulge your tastebuds with historic & diverse NYC & Philly cuisine
- Dive straight into the heart of Washington DC
- Experience the fascinating French-speaking city of Montreal
- See the Boston sights from a Hop-On Hop-Off Trolley

Travel from NYC to the historic United States cities of Philadelphia and it's capital city of Washington DC. Then see the breathtaking Niagara Falls and continue to the Canadian cities of Toronto and Montreal before returning to Boston on your way back to NYC.

### MAP



## What is included



### Travel Passes

Include all of your transport and experiences while giving you full flexibility to change the dates and pick your accommodation on the go.

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### Transport: 7

- Boston to New York
  - Montreal to Boston
  - Toronto to Montreal
  - Buffalo to Niagara Falls, ON
  - Niagara Falls, ON to Toronto
  - Philadelphia to Washington DC
  - New York to Philadelphia
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### Experiences: 5

- Boston Hop-On Hop-Off Trolley Experience
  - Montreal City Explorer
  - Washington Mall & Monuments by Electric Car
  - Foodie 9th Street Market Experience
  - New York Tenements, Tales & Tastes
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## What is not included

- Guide throughout the trip
- Meals not mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel Insurance
- Tips
- Personal Expenses
- Accommodation pick-up drop-off from Bus Stations

\*Prices for optional activities are subject to change at any time without prior notice. Please confirm these prices before departing on your trip.

# Experiences Included

## New York Tenements, Tales & Tastes



Tacos, dumplings, knishes, bagels: Join this New York tour to sample the delicious results of mass immigration while learning about the amazing diversity of New Yorkers that dared to live the American Dream.

### INCLUDED

- Local English-Speaking Guide
- Several Tastes of Different Ethnic Dishes
- Bottle of Water
- Small Group Experience (Max. 12 People)

### NOT INCLUDED

- Other Meals/Drinks
- Personal Expenses
- Tips
- Travel Insurance

## Foodie 9th Street Market Experience



Hit the oldest and largest open-air market, the famous 9th Street Market, for some authentic, Philly foodie action. Meander the 19th century stalls filled with authentic Philly cuisine, where you can indulge your tastebuds with cheese, chocolate and baked goods, then wash it all down with a Philly Cheesesteak at iconic Pat and Geno's restaurant. Spoil yourself with Italian, Mexican and Asian flavors, and learn about the rich history of the markets.

### INCLUDED

- Local English-speaking guide
- Small group experience; Max 12 people
- Not included-
- Personal shopping
- Food & Drinks
- Tips for Guide

### NOT INCLUDED

## Washington Mall & Monuments by Electric Car



Are you ready to take on the busiest area in DC avoiding the crowded sidewalks? Then this is the tour for you. Slide into an all-electric Red Roadster to be guided around the capital. From the Washington Monument, passing through the World War I and World War II memoriales and finishing in Capitol Hill, this Washington DC tour leaves the oversized tour buses behind to deliver you straight into the heart of Washington.

### INCLUDED

- Local English speaking guide
- Transportation on all-electric vehicle

### NOT INCLUDED

- Personal expenses
- Meals or drinks
- Tips for guide

## Montreal City Explorer



See all the best that charming Montreal has to offer on a comfortable 3.5-hour coach tour of all the local highlights.

### INCLUDED

- Accommodation pick-up in Downtown/Old Montreal locations
- English-speaking guide
- 3.5-hour coach tour

### NOT INCLUDED

- Admission fees
- Food & drinks
- Personal expenses
- Tips
- Travel insurance

## Boston Hop-On Hop-Off Trolley Experience



### INCLUDED

- 1) New England Aquarium/Faneuil Hall Marketplace
- 2) Historic North End
- 3) USS



# Recommended Itinerary

This is a recommendation for your trip, but travel passes are flexible and you can decide how long to stay in each destination.

## Day 1: New York, USA



### New York Tenements, Tales & Tastes

DepartureTimes: 10:00

Duration: 2 hrs.

Get in touch with the diverse, rich food culture of NYC on this tour that showcases the city's history of immigration and the tasty side effects of living in one of the most diverse places in the world. Starting at City Hall, we'll enjoy a traditional Dutch breakfast treat. Next we'll continue our foodie loop around the Lower East Side, visiting 100-year old bakeries, churches, markets, and other historic sites. Stroll the streets of Little Italy, dive into latin culture at the Essex St. Market, and take in unique cultural sites like the Tenement Museum and African Burial Ground. Finally we'll end up in the crowded and teeming streets of Chinatown, a place unlike any other.

Discover incredible flavours and even more incredible stories as you witness the unique history of the New York immigrant experience and the fascinating legacy of those who've chased the American Dream all the way to the Big Apple.

## Day 2: Philadelphia, USA



### New York to Philadelphia

Type: Transfer

DepartureTimes:

Duration: 2 hrs.

## Day 3: Philadelphia, USA



### Foodie 9th Street Market Experience

DepartureTimes: 10:00

Duration: 2 hrs.

Starting at the always colourful South Street, head off with your local guide through the neighbourhood of Bella Vista South Philly. Grab a drink at a local coffee shop and see one of the city's great murals located across from a typical neighborhood park. Swing by a historic deli, duck into a tempting bakery and stroll along Christian Street before getting to the noises, aromas and sights of the famous Italian or, more accurately, 9th Street Market.

The market is the oldest and largest everyday open-air market in the USA, and it's easy to understand why it is one of Philly's must-see attractions. With your local guide leading the way, explore the huge variety of stores located here, many of which are Italian in heritage. Tempt tastebuds as you wander past cheeses, chocolates, spices and olive oils. Discover bakeries, butchers and myriad other produce stalls plus a wonderful kitchen store. And don't worry, if the temptation to purchase becomes too great, you're likely to get a bargain as many of these stores discount for our travellers. Along the way you'll get the chance to talk to some of the owners and employees of these shops and stalls, and hear fascinating stories of the development of this area over the years.

After leaving the market, cross over the main intersection and head towards a variety of Mexican stores. If this area looks familiar it's probably because it was here that Rocky ran through the streets on one of his famous training runs. Nearby you'll also see a selection of Asian stores, brimming with aromas and sights that are sure to delight the senses. Continue on for another block or two and arrive at the intersection made famous by local restaurants Pat's and Geno's,

where you'll be able to choose between their competing Philly cheesesteaks. Select your topping, with or without onions, and what cheese you'd like, and pull up a seat on the street to enjoy a quintessential Philly culinary experience. It's a delicious way to end your market walking tour.

## Day 4: Washington DC, USA



### Philadelphia to Washington DC

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: **06:15, 06:45, 09:15, 10:45, 11:55, 13:40, 15:25, 17:30, 18:00, 18:55**

Duration: **3 hrs.**

## Day 5: Washington DC, USA



### Washington Mall & Monuments by Electric Car

DepartureTimes: **10:00, 10:30, 14:00**

Duration: **2 hrs.**

Our National Mall tour starts at the L'Enfant Plaza metro, where your guide will take you back to the city's origins and give you some tips for exploring the city on your own. Work your way through the Smithsonian area, breeze past the Washington Monument, Holocaust Museum, and Bureau of Engraving and Printing on your way to our beautiful Tidal Basin.

You also have the opportunity to hop out and explore on your own! You will do that at two stops: the FDR and MLK memorials, as well as at the Lincoln Memorial. Continue your journey through American history with a drive past the White House. Finally, feast your eyes on the buildings of Capitol Hill and learn the history behind them.

Don't just observe Washington, DC...experience it!

## Day 6: Buffalo - Toronto, Canada



### Buffalo to Niagara Falls, ON

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: **11:15, 21:00**

Duration: **1.5 hrs.**



### Niagara Falls, ON to Toronto

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: **04:55, 06:45, 07:30, 09:30, 11:15, 12:35, 13:45, 15:00, 16:30, 17:45, 19:30, 20:30, 22:15**

Duration: **2 hrs.**

## Day 7: Toronto, Canada

### ● Free Day

Explore on your own, or add an optional extra experience

## Day 8: Montreal, Canada



### Toronto to Montreal

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: **06:30, 07:30, 08:30, 09:30, 10:30, 12:00, 13:30, 15:00, 16:00, 17:00, 18:00, 19:00, 21:00**

Duration: **6 hrs.**

## Day 9: Montreal, Canada



### Montreal City Explorer

DepartureTimes: **09:00, 13:00**

Duration: **3.5 hrs.**

Experience the highlights of Montreal as well as its fascinating historical sites, and discover all of the charming characteristics this chic city has to offer. Your tour guide will show you around one of the world's largest French speaking cities with stops at Montreal's most captivating attractions.

Enjoy a journey through time as you visit Old Montréal, nestled between the scenic St. Lawrence seaway and the downtown skyscrapers. Founded in 1642, this old town is a main attraction for visitors and locals alike, with its many quaint boutiques and restaurants. It is in this part of the city where you will find the Notre-Dame-Basilica. Built in 1824, this church is amidst the most impressive landmarks in the world.

Next see the impressive Olympic Stadium. Created for the Summer Olympic Games in 1976, it is truly an architectural masterpiece. Its tower, integrated into the base, is the tallest inclined in the world, at 165m. Next see the Mount Royal Park Lookout with an impressive view of the city below before viewing Saint Joseph's Oratory, an Italian Renaissance style basilica. Its founder, Brother André had performed many miracles here in the early 1900's and still today, the basilica draws millions of visitors. Brother André was canonized in 2010 by Pope Benedict XVI.

Enjoy all these highlights and more as you cruise the city in a comfortable coach.

## Day 10: Boston, USA



### Montreal to Boston

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: **08:15, 10:45, 16:15, 23:30**

Duration: **8 hrs.**

## Day 11: Boston, USA



### Boston Hop-On Hop-Off Trolley Experience

DepartureTimes: **pax can hop on at any time**

Duration: **6 hrs.**

Discover Boston at your leisure with a hop-on hop-off tour on a classic trolley. See all the essential sights of Beantown with 18 opportunities to hop off and stroll around this iconic American city. See the USS 'Constitution', the Boston Tea Party Ships and Museum and Fenway Park, and more!

Enjoy the view with live commentary from an expert professional guide who knows all the city's history and locals-only secrets alike. With the freedom to hop on and off whenever you like, you can discover Boston and its colonial charms at your own pace and in your own style.

## Day 12: New York, USA



### Boston to New York

Type: **Transfer**

DepartureTimes: 06:00, 07:00, 08:00, 09:00, 10:30, 11:00, 12:00, 13:00, 14:00, 15:00, 15:30, 16:00, 17:00, 17:30, 18:00, 18:30, 19:30, 21:00

Duration: 5 hrs.

