

# FIT (Independent Touring) – Multi Destination Tour **Best of Vancouver & Pacific Coast**



**Vancouver, BC, Canada**

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**DM MDT-BSTYVRPAC**

## Highlights

Vancouver – Whistler – Vancouver – Victoria - Vancouver

Duration: 8 Days / 7 Nights

City tour of Vancouver

Capilano Suspension Bridge

One way tour from Vancouver to Victoria including Butchart Gardens.

Whale Watching Tour

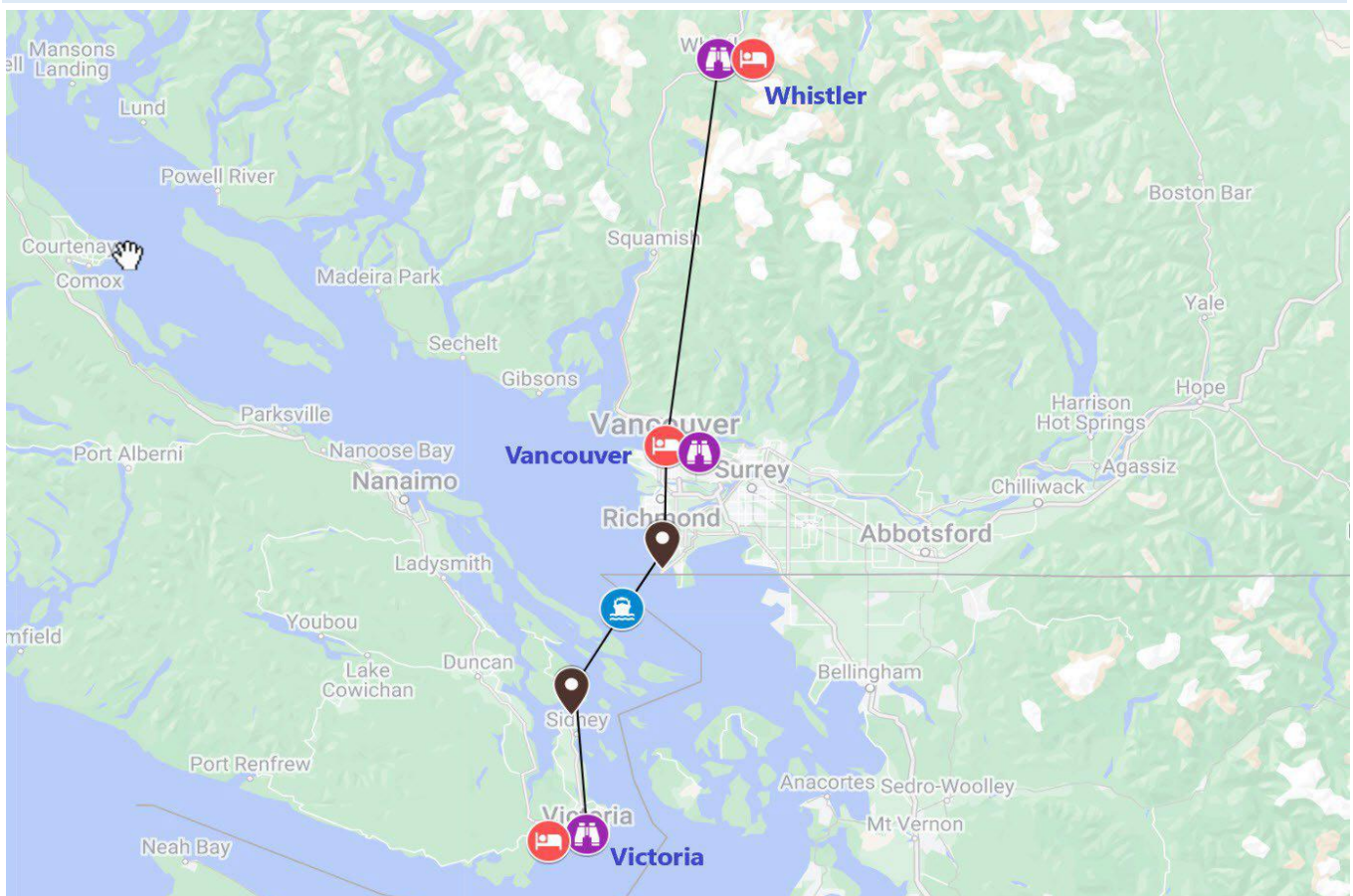
Available - 01 May to 31 Oct 2023.

Tour can be operated in the opposite direction.

**This is not an Escorted Group Tour.**

**This tour is 100% customizable.**

**This tour can also be operated as a Private Tour.**



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Take a journey through Vancouver and the Pacific Coast with our Best of Vancouver & Pacific Coast tour! With 8 days and 7 nights, you'll be able to explore everything this great city has to offer. Enjoy a guided tour of Vancouver, and then make your way across the iconic Capilano Suspension Bridge. Experience a one-way journey from Vancouver to Victoria, including the renowned Butchart Gardens. Your trip wouldn't be complete without one of our exciting whale-watching tours! This is an opportunity that should not be missed - let us show you why so many people are drawn to the beauty of Vancouver and the Pacific Coast.

### **Day 1: Arrive in Vancouver. Transfer by coach from YVR to Whistler.**

Upon arriving in Vancouver this afternoon, make your way to the coach pick-up point for transfer to the alpine village of Whistler. The breathtaking Sea-to-Sky Highway guarantees a scenic journey of roughly two hours.

Once you arrive in Whistler, hotel check-in starts at 4 PM PT and with the rest of the afternoon free you can explore all that Whistler Village has to offer. Make sure to take advantage of the time and get an early start on exploring!

*Overnight in Whistler, BC.*

### **Day 2: Day free to enjoy Whistler.**

With stunning mountain backdrops, Whistler is the fun and adventure capital on Canada's west coast and as popular during the summer months as it is during the winter. Hiking, biking, rafting and adrenaline-fuelled activities can be found in abundance, and a friendly welcome from the locals is assured. The hub of Whistler is a compact, chalet-style pedestrian village at the base of Whistler and Blackcomb mountains.

Check with us on the list of many optional activities and soft adventures we offer in Whistler.

*Overnight in Whistler, BC.*

### **Day 3: Transfer by coach from Whistler to Vancouver.**

After a leisurely day in Whistler, hop aboard the shuttle for the transfer to downtown Vancouver this afternoon. Check-in will begin at 4:00 PM PT, after which you can explore all that the city has to offer.

Immerse yourself in the vibrant culture of Vancouver and its surrounding areas, trying out exquisite restaurants from around the world and discovering new places. Whether you're looking to explore or relax, take this evening to discover what Vancouver has in store before setting out on your next adventure.

*Overnight in Vancouver, BC.*

### **Day 4: City tour of Vancouver + Capilano Suspension Bridge.**

Vancouver fascinating past and present comes together in this engaging tour that traverses through urban cityscapes, seaside parks, and ancient rain forests. Begin with the highlights of downtown, including Canada Place, home of the 2010 Olympic Cauldron. Wind through impressive modern and historic architecture, past the Arts and Financial Districts, and the fashion hub of Robson Street. Enter the 1,000-acre urban rainforest, Stanley Park, for a unique perspective of the city from a quiet forest setting. Visit the First Nations Totem Poles before whisking off to North Vancouver.

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Continue across the Lions Gate Bridge to Vancouver's scenic North Shore, and the Capilano Suspension Bridge Park. Do not miss the impressive collection of First Nations artwork and the historic Story Centre. From the spectacular Cliffwalk, gaze out over towering cedars, and the Capilano River winding through the valley far below. Take an exhilarating walk across the Capilano Suspension Bridge to the other side where many unique and informative experiences await, including the Treetops Adventure.

*Overnight in Vancouver, BC.*

### **Day 5: Day free.**

Vancouver is the most cosmopolitan city on Canada's west coast. Nestled between the Pacific coast and the Coastal Mountain Range, Vancouver is perhaps the most beautiful city in Canada. This city offers both, the amenities of a world class city including world class dining, a variety of cuisines from round the world, a range of tours, and soft adventure activity options.

*Check with us on the various tours and activities offered.*

*Overnight in Vancouver, BC.*

### **Day 6: One-way tour from Vancouver to Victoria including Butchart Gardens.**

Depart today morning for Victoria, on Vancouver Island and the capital of the Province of British Columbia. The journey to Victoria will include a 90-minute ferry crossing across the Straits of Georgia from Tsawwassen on the mainland to Swartz Bay on Vancouver Island.

On arrival at Swartz Bay, we will head to Butchart Gardens, spanning over 22 breathtaking hectares (55 acres) of meticulously manicured beauty. Post the visit to Butchart gardens, we head off to downtown Victoria and the majestic Victoria Inner Harbour to take in the historic sights of the capital city, named after British monarch Queen Victoria

*Overnight in Victoria, BC.*

### **Day 7: Whale Watching Tour.**

The best place on earth to view whales in the wild is in Victoria, BC. Enjoy this 3-hour whale watching & ocean wildlife in the Salish Sea. You will get to experience over 70 whales belonging to families, such as Juan de Fuca and Haro Straits home to three resident orca (killer whales) pods. The success rate for spotting whales in the peak season is greater than 95%. There is also a good chance of seeing Humpback, Minke, and Gray whales.

*Overnight in Victoria, BC.*

### **Day 8: Transfer by coach from Victoria to YVR. End of your Best of Vancouver & Pacific Coast tour.**

This morning check-out of your hotel and depart for Vancouver International Airport. Today's journey will include a transfer by coach and ferry and the trip to Vancouver will take around 4 hours including 90 minutes of ferry crossing.

Your tour ends on arrival at YVR International Airport.

*End of your Best of Vancouver & Pacific Coast Tour.*

## **Inclusions**

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- ✓ 7 Night accommodations.
  - 02 nights in Whistler
  - 03 nights in Vancouver
  - 02 nights in Victoria
- ✓ City tour of Vancouver
- ✓ Admissions to Capilano Suspension Bridge
- ✓ One way tour from Vancouver to Victoria including admissions to Butchart Gardens and BC Ferry Tickets.
- ✓ Whale Watching Tour in Victoria.
- ✓ Transfer by coach from YVR international airport to Whistler.
- ✓ Transfer by coach from Whistler to Vancouver.
- ✓ Transfer by coach and ferry from Victoria to Vancouver international Airport (YVR) or downtown Vancouver.
- ✓ Resort fees, Taxes & GST/HST.

## Exclusions

- × Airfare. Offered as a supplement on request.
- × Breakfast and other meals.
- × Porterage at hotels.
- × Bottled Water in hotel rooms.
- × Visa and Documentation Fees.
- × Telephone calls, Laundry, and other expenses.
- × Any personal expenses.
- × Gratuities for hotel staff (optional).
- × Travel Insurance – highly recommended. We require clients to provide us a signed Waiver in the event your client opts to decline your offer to sell Travel Insurance. DMCI Inc. sells Manulife Travel Insurance to residents of Ontario. Please check with us for rates. Residents of other provinces as well as those coming from overseas must purchase Travel insurance in the province/country where they reside.
- × Optional Tours and activities.
- × Early Check-in and Late Check-out charges. Charges will apply.
- × Gratuities for Tour Guides/Driver cum Guides (Expected)
- × If applicable, cost of any RTPCR/Antigen Test or costs related to quarantine.

## Hotels Featured

**Destination   Standard Hotels**

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Whistler	Aava Whistler
Vancouver	Sandman Hotel Vancouver Downtown
Victoria	Embassy Inn

Rooms featured will be Standard ROH room unless specified otherwise.

Hotels featured will be as above or similar. We feature a range of hotel properties. Hotel upgrades are available. Please check with us for rates and availability.

## Deposit Policy

100% Deposit required on confirmation of this Tour.

## Change & Cancellation Policy

- 31-days prior to start of tour – 100% refundable less \$250 per person.
- 30-days or less – 100% non-refundable.
- No Show – 100% non-refundable.
- Unused services – 100% non-refundable.

## Note

1. The Federal and/or Provincial health authorities may require that clients are double vaccinated and produce a vaccination certificate on demand. Please refer to [Health Canada](#) site for most up to date information in this regard.
2. Federal, Provincial, Municipal Health Authorities and/or certain service providers may require clients to wear a face mask.
3. We recommend clients carry a digital/paper copy of their Vaccination Certificate on person to be produced on demand.

## FAQ

- **Is this tour an Escorted Tour with a Tour Director?** No. This is not an Escorted Tour with a Tour Director. Some services offered on an escorted tour such as check-in assistance by a dedicated Tour Director, etc. are therefore not offered on our Multi Destination Tours. Commentary on sightseeing tours will be either a pre-recorded commentary or narrated by your driver-guide in English.



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- **Are there fixed dates of departure for this tour?** The tour departs every day of the season. There is no such thing as tour departs only on certain fixed days like on a fully escorted coach tour.
- **Is this tour customizable?** Absolutely yes. This tour is fully customizable. Additional costs may apply depending on how much customization is required.
- **Will I be sitting with the same group of people on this tour like on an Escorted Tour?** No. The participants on each of the tour may vary.
- **Where should I go to board my coach transfer from Vancouver International Airport (YVR) to Whistler?** After you have collected your luggage, please proceed to the YVR SKYLYNX desk in the arrival hall. The agent at the desk will direct you to the boarding point.
- **Will be dropped off at my hotel in Whistler?** No. Our coach will drop you off at Whistler Village Centre (Gateway loop) or at Creekside Village. Both the points are within walking distance (4 minutes typically) from your hotel.
- **Will we be picked up from our hotel in Whistler for coach transfer to downtown Vancouver?** No. you must proceed to the boarding point at Whistler Village Centre (Gateway loop) or at Creekside Village for your transfer to downtown Vancouver.
- **Where will we be dropped off in downtown Vancouver?** Our coach will drop you off at the Burrard Skytrain Station (Hyatt Regency Hotel) in downtown Vancouver. You must make your way from here to your hotel in downtown Vancouver, typically a 6-minute cab ride. Cabs and UBER are easily available from the drop off point and should cost no more than \$20 for the ride.
- **Do you not offer transfers that will drop us off/pick us up at our hotel?** At the time publishing this package, there is very limited service available. Please check with us when you are ready to book.
- **Will I be picked up from my hotel for the tours?** In most cases yes. This information will be provided to you along with the confirmations. If you have to travel to a tour pickup point, it is never more than 15 minutes by cab or Uber.
- **Will we be picked up from our hotel for our departure transfer from Victoria to Vancouver International Airport (YVR)?** No. you must proceed to Victoria Bus Depot in downtown Vancouver or one of the other boarding points close to your hotel. This information will be provided to you at the time of booking your package. Cab and UBER rides are easily available from your hotel to the Victoria Bus Depot, and it should cost about CA \$25 for the ride.
- **How many pieces of luggage are we allowed on our coach transfers?** Our coaches accommodate only one piece of standard airline check-in bag and one cabin bag per person. No luggage is allowed inside the cabin for passenger comfort and safety reasons.
- **How many persons are allowed to ride in a cab or UBER?** Typically, Cabs and UBER vehicles in Canada accommodate 3 passengers and two suitcases. No luggage is allowed inside the cabin of the vehicle.
- **What size of coaches are used for transfers and tours?** We use 56-, 33- and 24-seater coaches for our tours and transfers.

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- **Would the client require a credit card to check-in** at confirmed hotels, lodges, and inns? Yes. Clients are required to present a Credit Card in their name at check-in. Hotel will typically take an authorization on the credit card for between \$500 and \$750 per stay to cover room incidentals and any damage to property. The authorization will auto-cancel within 72 hours of check-out less any incidentals or other charges relating to the room.
- **What is the hotel check-in and check-out times?**
  - Check-in: 4 PM
  - Check-out: 11 AM

Early Check-in and Late-Checkouts require prior approval by the hotel. Additional charges, possibly an additional night charge will apply.

- **What is your policy should our flight be cancelled and therefore we are unable to join the tour?** – DMCi Inc. is responsible only for services booked through us. Therefore, your inability to travel or join the tour on time due any reasons including but not limited to delayed/cancelled flights, denied boarding, delayed/cancelled visas, health conditions, death in the family, etc. are not reasons for a refund or a substitution tour. If you are unable to join the tour or fail to join the tour on time, no refund/substitution tour will be provided. All such circumstances should be covered by your Travel Insurance.

### For More Information on this Tour Package, Operating Dates & Tariffs,

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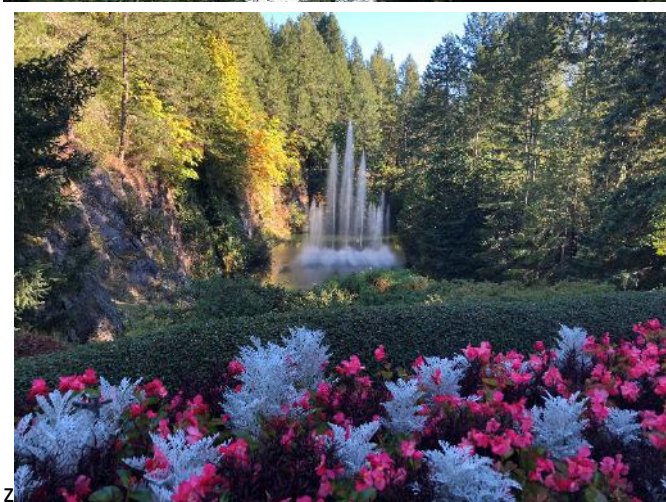
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