

## Experience Jasper, Edmonton and Metis Crossing



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**Dates:** **Pre tour**  
May 19 to May 24, 2022

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**Hosted by:** Travel Alberta

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**Location:** Alberta

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**FAM description:** Reconnect with nature, land and people of Alberta.

We welcome you to experience an itinerary that will take you on a trip through Canada's Rocky Mountains and then across the Prairies where you will experience both the past and present of what this special area of Alberta has to offer. Your trip will take you to and through Jasper National Park where you can enjoy the incredible scenery and wildlife in this designated UNESCO World Heritage Site and home to the world's largest accessible Dark Sky Preserve. Your visit to the town of Jasper will allow you to experience just some of the wide array of outdoor activities offered in addition to some world-class culinary options. You will then make your way to the city of Edmonton where you will be immersed in the culture and experiences that Alberta's Capital City has to offer. Your trip through Alberta will culminate with a visit to Alberta's new Metis Cultural Centre in Smokey Lake at Metis Crossing. This will immerse you in the culture and history of some of the Indigenous people that made and make this area their home. We look forward to hosting you on this journey through the amazing scenery and experiences that Jasper and Edmonton have to offer.

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***Please note:***

While this adventure is not overly strenuous, participants must be of "fair" physical fitness. (e.g. must be able to walk on uneven terrain, endure outdoor conditions)

## Experience Calgary and the Badlands



**Dates:** **Pre tour**  
May 20 to May 24, 2022

**Hosted by:** Travel Alberta

**Location:** Alberta

**FAM description:** Discover the gorgeous variety of landscapes within an Urban City and Indigenous Experiences around Calgary. Immerse yourself in Alberta to connect with the land and people.

Exploring the vast drastic landscape of the Canadian Badlands, while enjoying the city of Calgary that exudes a youthful vitality; this tour will capture the uniqueness that Alberta has to offer. Today's Calgary will surprise and inspire visitors. Every visit offers new experiences, adventures and memories. Calgary has emerged as a must-visit culinary destination with a buzzing arts and culture scene. Known for its western hospitality, chef-driven cuisine, classic and quirky theatre and lively music events and outdoor festivals, Calgary is a vibrant city centered around four UNESCO World Heritage Sites - Canadian Rocky Mountain Parks, Dinosaur Provincial Park, Head-Smashed-in Buffalo Jump and Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park - making it the perfect complement to any Alberta adventure. This tour has a bit of everything and is a great way to learn how to include this part of Alberta in an itinerary. You will also have the opportunity to connect with a Indigenous experiences and local people of Alberta.

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## Experience Banff, Lake Louise and Canmore



**Dates:** **Post tour**  
May 28 to June 2, 2022

**Hosted by:** Travel Alberta

**Location:** Alberta

**FAM description:** Outdoor adventure & rejuvenation, while connecting with nature, land and locals of the Canadian Rockies.

Endless outdoor adventures are just waiting to be experienced in Banff National Park and Kananaskis, but it is also the ideal spot to rejuvenate and relax after attending Rendezvous Canada+. On this Post FAM, come experience what is new and connect with the land and locals in the Canadian Rockies. During this itinerary, experience three very distinct, authentic mountain towns: Banff, Lake Louise and Canmore. Discover the people and history of Banff & Lake Louise, famous for its vibrant turquoise lakes, dramatically beautiful mountains, and warm and vibrant community. Experience the picture-perfect scenery and rich history as they come together in the birthplace of Canada's national parks system. Canmore is located only 20 minutes from Banff and is home to artisans and entrepreneurs along with world-class mountain sports and dining you wouldn't expect to find in a small town. You'll fall in love with the heart and soul of this one-of-a-kind mountain town and learn about the history of the area by connecting with the local indigenous community. This itinerary will showcase new experiences and will highlight experiences that connect travellers to the land and people. A perfect combination of relaxation and adventure.

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