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Atlantic Canada & New France Cruise

Sail the St. Lawrence, Discover Canada's Story.



Old Port & Old Montreal
Courtesy: Bonjour Québec

2027 DATES	Double	Single
May 28	\$8,095	\$13,095

Within 120 days of departure, cabins and prices are subject to availability. (See [Terms & Conditions - Prices](#))

TOUR DETAILS

Duration	12 Days
Holland America	Volendam
Fitness Scale	Level 3
Connections Pickup	Route C1

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Experience the best of Eastern Canada on a seamless land-and-sea journey through Québec and the Atlantic provinces. Begin with an overnight stay in Montréal before boarding your Holland America cruise for a scenic voyage along the St. Lawrence River.

Enjoy guided tours of Montréal and historic Québec City, a visit to the iconic Fairmont Le Château Frontenac, and free time to explore charming Old Québec.

Sail through the Saguenay Fjord, watch for whales in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and enjoy classic PEI hospitality with a lobster lunch and visit to Green Gables. Continue east to colourful St. John's, Newfoundland, with opportunities for puffin and whale watching, before relaxing with two peaceful days at sea.

Finish your adventure with a traditional sugar shack visit en route home, returning with lasting memories of Canada's most scenic and culturally rich regions.

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What's Included



- Our unique [Connections Program](#)
- Private coach transportation
- Cruise terminal transfers
- 1 pre-cruise hotel night
- 10 nights cruise on Holland America Volendam, Category DA Outside Cabins (other cabin types available upon request & subject to price change)
- 11 breakfasts, 11 lunches, 11 dinners
- Prepaid shipboard gratuities included for cabin steward & dining room servers
- Local professional guides and all entry fees to included highlights
- Services of a Professional Tour Director

Prices are in Canadian dollars, are per person, and include HST.

INCLUDED HIGHLIGHTS

- Cruising the St. Lawrence River
- Montreal Guided City Tour including St. Joseph's Oratory
- Québec City Guided Tour
- Chateau Frontenac: Lunch & Guided Tour
- PEI Preserve Co.
- Anne of Green Gables Heritage Place
- Puffin & Whale Watching Cruise
- Sugar Shack

POR TS OF CALL

- Montreal, QC
- Québec City, QC

- Saguenay, QC
- Charlottetown, PEI
- St. Johns, NL
- Saint Pierre & Miquelon, FR/PMS

Why This Tour is Great



Iconic Canadian Wildlife Encounters

Cruise the Gulf of St. Lawrence during prime whale-watching season in May, and experience an exclusive puffin and whale-watching excursion in Newfoundland, unique opportunities to connect with Canada's spectacular marine life.

Exclusive Included Excursions

Experience more than a cruise with our premium shore excursions. Enjoy a Montreal city tour with St. Joseph's Oratory, a Québec City tour with lunch at Château Frontenac, and explore PEI Preserve Co. and the Anne of Green Gables Heritage Place. Don't miss the exclusive puffin and whale-watching cruise, a truly unforgettable wildlife experience.

Comfort, Camaraderie & Carefree Travel

Sail aboard Holland America's Volendam, your floating boutique hotel offering superb comfort, cuisine, and entertainment. With meals, guided tours, and thoughtful details handled for you, this journey lets you relax, connect with fellow travellers, and enjoy the adventure.



St. Pierre & Miquelon
Courtesy: Holland America

Saguenay
Courtesy: Holland America

St. John's

Day-to-Day Itinerary



Day 1: Travel to Montreal

Enjoy a relaxed journey through eastern Ontario, making stops to pick up fellow travellers along the way to Québec. Arrive in Montreal by mid-afternoon, settle into your hotel, and take some time to freshen up before an included group dinner in charming Old Montreal.

Stay: Double Tree by Hilton, Montreal, QC (1 night)

Meals: D

Day 2: Montreal City Tour, Embarkation (7pm)

Begin the day with a guided Montreal city tour, taking in iconic landmarks including a stop at St. Joseph's Oratory. After an included lunch, transfer to the cruise terminal and board your ship. Settle in and take in the views as you begin your scenic journey along the St. Lawrence River.

Stay: Holland America Volendam, Cat DA Outside (10 nights)

Meals: B, L, D

Day 3: Québec City, QC (7am - 7pm)

Arrive in Québec City and disembark for a guided city tour, exploring the historic streets and landmarks of Old Québec. Enjoy lunch at the iconic Fairmont Le Château Frontenac, followed by a guided tour of the hotel. Conclude the day with free time to wander and soak in the charm of Old Québec, conveniently located within walking distance of the cruise ship.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 4: Saguenay, QC (7am - 4pm)

Arrive in Saguenay and enjoy a day surrounded by the region's stunning natural beauty. Explore the charming town, take in scenic views of the fjord, and discover local highlights at your own pace or with optional excursions.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 5: Gulf of St. Lawrence

Cruise the Gulf of St. Lawrence during May, prime time for spotting whales as they migrate through the region. Relax on deck and watch for these majestic creatures, surrounded by the stunning springtime scenery of the Gulf.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 6: Charlottetown, PEI (8am - 6pm)

After breakfast, step ashore in beautiful Charlottetown, the charming capital of Prince Edward Island. Enjoy a delicious lobster lunch, showcasing the island's world-famous seafood and maritime hospitality, then travel to the iconic Green Gables

Heritage Place, the setting that inspired L.M. Montgomery's beloved Anne of Green Gables. Tour the historic farmhouse and discover the life and legacy of the author in this carefully preserved and picturesque location. Return to the ship by mid-afternoon, with time to relax and refresh before enjoying dinner onboard.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 7: At Sea

Meals: B, L, D

Day 8: St. John's, NL (8am - 5pm *route times subject to weather*)

Arrive in St. John's, North America's oldest and most colourful city. With its steep streets, vibrant row houses, and dramatic harbour views, St. John's blends old-world charm with a lively modern spirit. Enhance your visit with an exclusive puffin and whale-watching cruise, offering the chance to experience the region's remarkable wildlife up close.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 9: St. Pierre & Miquelon (8am - 5pm)

After breakfast, explore Saint Pierre and Miquelon, a unique French territory just off the coast of Newfoundland. Wander charming streets lined with colourful houses, enjoy the blend of French and North American culture, and take in picturesque harbours and scenic coastal views.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 10 & 11: Cruising the Gulf of St. Lawrence and River Crossing

Spend the next two days cruising north along the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the St. Lawrence River. Take in the breathtaking coastal scenery from the deck, or unwind and indulge in the ship's wide range of amenities.

Meals: B, L, D

Day 12: Disembark, Sugar Shack, Home

Your journey concludes in vibrant Montreal. After breakfast, begin the journey home with a stop at a traditional sugar shack to savour classic local flavours. Along the way, pause for a final dinner stop (on your own), offering one last chance to reflect on the unforgettable experiences of your cruise adventure.

Meals: B, L, D

Important Info for this Tour



This tour follows pickup Route C1, picking up in the following locations:

- Brampton
- Whitby
- Bowmanville
- Lindsay
- Peterborough
- Port Hope
- Cobourg
- Trenton
- Belleville
- Napanee
- Kingston

We recommend comfortable rubber-soled shoes for the walking tours. You should also bring along a sweater, as evenings can be cool on the water or in the air conditioning on the ship. Don't forget your camera, sunscreen, and a hat.

Although for most people medication is not required, there may be some who may want to bring along a remedy for motion sickness. You don't want to let that spoil these amazing experiences.

WHAT TO WEAR ON A CRUISE

Dress casually anytime during the day, in the buffet and in most specialty restaurants. For women, it includes summer and casual dresses, skirts, regular or capri pants, shorts, jeans and tops. Khakis, jeans, shorts and casual shirts are fine for men. Swimwear is acceptable at the buffet and outdoor restaurant, but a shirt or a cover-up and footwear are required.

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