

MONTREAL

3 Days | Economical Ville-Marie Student Tour

BrightsparkSM



TOUR SNAPSHOT

Inspire your class to travel with this 3-day economical student tour of Montréal. Along with Brightspark Exclusive activities, your tour leader will take your students through Old Montréal and will show them the city from the top of Mount Royal and the bottom of the Underground. With tours of the Planetarium, the Museum of Fine Arts and the Pointe-à-Callière Museum, you and your class will leave this educational trip with a love of Montréal and a newfound passion for travel.

WHAT'S INCLUDED:



Sites & Activities:

Montréal Planetarium, Mount Royal Lookout, Montréal Museum of Fine Arts, Montréal Underground, Old Montréal Tour, Cosmic Bowling, Guided Tour of Pointe-à-Callière, Bagel Factory



Brightspark Exclusives:

The Adventure, Spark Together, Escape the Port: City of Symbols



Your Brightspark
Tour Leader



Accommodations

2 nights hotel



Transportation

Private motor coach



Meals

2 breakfasts, 2 dinners





WHY BRIGHTSPARK?

PUTTING YOUR EXPERIENCE FIRST

- **Our Tour Leaders Make All The Difference:** They are experts in fun and are equipped with educational content and interactive games that keep your students engaged. Extensively trained and masters in logistics, they deal with all the details to ensure a stress-free class trip!
- **Always Something Fresh:** Brightspark Exclusive activities encourage participation through experiential education. Whether it's a Mystery Heist in Ottawa or Escaping the Port in Montréal, these activities add a WOW factor to your tour.
- **The Best Support:** Our team is with you every step of the way from itinerary planning to board paperwork, online payment collection and 24/7 on-tour assistance. We are dedicated to making the planning process simple and easy.
- **Go. Discover. Inspire:** You are not a tourist, but a traveller; we will expose you and your students to the soul of the destination and ignite your sense of wonder.

EXPERTS IN STUDENT TRAVEL

We have 40+ years of travel experience, exceptional supplier relationships, and an impeccable safety record, you can rest assured your tour will be sparktacular!

95%
OF TEACHERS
LOVE OUR
TOURS

40+
YEARS OF
TRAVEL
EXPERIENCE

33K+
PASSENGERS
TRAVELLED
LAST YEAR



WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED

THE BEST INSURANCE

Feel safe with the knowledge that your students are fully protected with cancellation insurance provided by Travel Guard, which includes school board cancellation for **ANY REASON.**



"We had a fantastic time in Montréal! The students were raving about all of their experiences."

Andrew, KPRDSB

MONTRÉAL - 3 Days | Economical Ville-Marie Student Tour

DAY 1

- 7:00 a.m. **Board your washroom equipped, climate controlled highway motor coach** and depart for Montréal via Highway #407. En route, your Tour Leader will get to know the students on a first name basis.
- 8:00 a.m. **Participate in The Adventure!** What time is it? Adventure Time! This Brightspark Exclusive spans the entire trip to keep your students engaged. The game bonds groups together as they try to win the most points, with correct answers to trivia, positivity and punctuality, by the end of the tour. Optional social media component with trip hashtags and a photo contest available.
- 2:00 p.m. **Mount Royal Lookout.** The group will head up to the top of Mount Royal to get a bird's eye view of the city. From the lookout, students will get a great view of the Saint Lawrence River and the Monteregian Hills - the perfect place for pictures!
- 3:00 p.m. **SparkTogether.** Your students will participate in fun, team building games led by your Tour Leader. This Brightspark Exclusive will challenge students' problem solving and decision making skills in an interactive setting.
- 4:30 p.m. **Hotel check in**
- 5:30 p.m. **Dinner**
- 7:00 p.m. **Old Montréal Orientation Tour.** Your Tour Leader will guide you through Old Montréal to learn about this historic district. Students will see the historic Notre Dame Basilica, Place Jacques-Cartier and the oldest skyscraper in Canada, the New York Life Insurance Building.
- 10:00 p.m. **Night security** each evening between 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.

DAY 2

- 8:00 a.m. **Breakfast**
- 9:45 a.m. **Escape the Port: City of Symbols.** Head to the heart of Old Montréal to hunt for symbols hidden by generations past. This Brightspark Exclusive brings your students together to help solve a mystery and explore the history of this fascinating city.
- 11:30 a.m. **Montréal Planetarium Visit.** The recently opened Planétarium Rio Tinto Alcan lets students explore the galaxy with two complementary shows, one science based and the other a whimsical journey through time and space. Between shows, students will learn more about astronomy through interactive exhibits.

- 1:30 p.m. **Montréal Underground.** Explore Montréal's underground pathway of shops and restaurants where you will get lunch on your own.
- 3:30 p.m. **Self-Guided Tour at the Montréal Museum of Fine Arts.** What makes art art? Your students will contemplate this question while they explore the permanent collection of the museum to see some of the finest Canadian artwork that spans centuries.
- 5:30 p.m. **Dinner**
- 7:00 p.m. **Cosmic Bowling.** Strike! With two hours of cosmic bowling, black lights and hit music, this experience is out of this world. Shoe rentals are included in this activity.

DAY 3

- 7:30 a.m. **Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. **Check out of your hotel**
- 9:00 a.m. **Bagel Factory Visit.** There is nothing like a Montréal Bagel! St-Viateur Bagel has been a central part of the culture and daily life of Montréal since 1957. Your students will learn the story of how it became a legendary landmark and are encouraged to pick up some bagels at their own cost.
- 10:30 a.m. **Guided Tour of Pointe-à-Callière Museum.** Start the tour with a film that brings Montréal's history to life. After the show, your students will explore the foundations of Indigenous habitats and will learn the history of the region dating back thousands of years.
- 12:00 p.m. **Explore Old Montréal.** Free time to shop and explore the cobblestone streets of Old Montréal.
- 8:00 p.m. **Welcome Home!**

START PLANNING NOW!



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