

MONTREAL

3 Days | Economical Ville-Marie Student Tour

BrightsparkSM



TOUR SNAPSHOT

Inspire your class to travel with this 3-day economical student tour of Montreal. Along with Brightspark Exclusive activities, your tour leader will take your students through Old Montreal 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-a-Calliere Museum, you and your class will leave this educational trip with a love of Montreal and a newfound passion for travel.

WHATS INCLUDED:



Sites & Activities:

Montreal Planetarium, Mount Royal Lookout, Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal Underground, Old Montreal Tour, Cosmic Bowling, Guided Tour of Pointe-a-Calliere, 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 Dinner





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 Montreal, 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

With 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.**



"Overall experience from start to finish was fantastic. The kids had a great time and will have memories that will last a lifetime/our tour leaders, Phillipe & Adriele went above and beyond getting to know the students and helping us with special requests. Thank you for everything!"

Gatestone Staff & Students, HWDSB

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DAY 1

- 7:00 AM: **Board your** washroom equipped, climate controlled highway **motor coach** and depart for Montreal via Highway #407. En route, your Tour Leader will go through the bus and get to know the students on a first name basis.
- 8:00 AM: **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 PM: **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 PM: **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 PM: **Hotel check in**
- 5:30 PM: **Dinner**
- 7:00 PM: **Old Montreal Orientation Tour.** Your Tour Leader will guide you through Old Montreal to learn about this historic district. Students will see the historic Notre Dame Cathedral, Place Jacques-Cartier and the oldest skyscraper in Canada, the New York Life Building.
- 10:00 PM: **Night security** each evening between 10 PM and 5 AM.

DAY 2

- 8:00 AM: **Breakfast**
- 9:45 AM: **Escape the Port: City of Symbols.** Head to the heart of Old Montreal 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 AM: **Montreal 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 PM: **Montreal Underground.** Explore Montreal's underground pathway of shops and restaurants where you will get lunch on your own.
- 3:30 PM: **Self-Guided Tour at the Montreal 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 PM: **Hamburger and Poutine Dinner**
- 7:00 PM: **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 AM: **Breakfast**
- 8:30 AM: **Check out of your hotel**
- 9:00 AM: **Bagel Factory Visit.** There is nothing like a Montreal Bagel! St-Viateur Bagel has been a central part of the culture and daily life of Montreal 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 AM: **Guided Tour of Pointe-a-Calliere Museum.** Start the tour with a film that brings Montreal's history to life. After the show, your students will explore the foundations of aboriginal habitats and will learn the history of the region dating back thousands of years.
- 12:00 PM: **Explore Old Montreal.** Free time to shop and explore the cobblestone streets of Old Montreal.
- 8:00 PM: **Welcome Home!**

START PLANNING NOW!



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