

QUEBEC CITY

4 Days | Economical La Vieille Capitale Student Tour

BrightsparkSM



TOUR SNAPSHOT

Experience the history of Canada on this 4-day economical student tour through Quebec City. Available in French or English, your students will be guided throughout the city with an orientation walk through Lower Town, explore the Beaupré Coast and marvel at the majestic Montmorency Falls. Along with our Brightspark Exclusive activities, this class trip will inspire a passion for travel in your students as they explore a European city right in Canada!

WHAT'S INCLUDED:



Sites & Activities:

Onhoüa Chetek8e, Dufferin Terrace to Cap Diamant, Montmorency Falls, Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupre Basilica, Orientation Walk of Lower Town, Érablière du Lac Beauport, Soldier of the Martello Tower, Cosmic Bowling



Brightspark Exclusives:

The Adventure, La Chasse: the Hunt for Champlain's Remains, Quel Beau Pré, Flashback Challenge



Your Brightspark
Tour Leader



Accommodations

3 Nights Hotel



Transportation
Private Motor Coach



Meals

3 Breakfasts, 3 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 Quebec City 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.
- 5:00 PM: **Hotel check in**
- 6:00 PM: **Dinner**
- 7:30 PM: **La Chasse: The Hunt for Champlain's Remains.** Your students will become amateur sleuths as they try to uncover the lost remains of Samuel de Champlain. Learn about the real-life events that led to the disappearance of Champlain's burial site as you explore Quebec City with your Tour Leader.
- 10:00 PM: **Night security** each evening between 10 PM and 5 AM.

DAY 2

- 8:00 AM: **Breakfast**
- 9:30 AM: **Orientation Walk of Upper Town.** Experience the city as it was in the days of New France. Your Tour Leader will take you through the upper half of the UNESCO World Heritage Site to see Cannon Ball Tree, Rue du Trésor "Artist Alley", and the iconic Château Frontenac
- 10:00 AM: **Soldier of the Martello Tower.** Accompanied by British officers, learn all about the soldiers living in Martello Tower in the 1812 and experience the military lifestyle through competitions and games
- 12:00 PM: **Cap Diamant to Dufferin Terrace.** Walk the Promenade des Gouverneurs from Cap Diamant, the highest point in Quebec, down to the Dufferin Terrace.
- 12:45 PM: **Lunch**
- 3:30 PM: **Guided Tour at the Traditional Huron Site - Onhoüa Chetek8e.** Journey into the heart of Huron traditions, where students will discover their ancient way of life on a guided tour of the reconstructed Huron Village. Visit a long house and learn about the transportation, food preparation and spirituality of the Huron-Wendat people.
- 6:00 PM: **French Canadian Dinner at Érablière du Lac Beauport.** Enjoy a traditional sugar shack meal followed by lively folk music, dancing and maple taffy served on snow. You will also visit the maple sugar museum and the Trapper camp where you will learn about the ancient and modern techniques of Quebec trappers.

- 7:30 PM: **Evening Walk, Bonfire and Marshmallows.** Wander through a forest of over 10,000 maple trees in the Maple Sugar Bush, followed by an evening bonfire where students will relax and roast marshmallows.

DAY 3

- 8:30 AM: **Quel Beau Pré!** Explore the route to Nouvelle France and the people that inhabited the coast throughout history. As you drive along this historic coastline, your students will learn about a few of the important figures that once called this area home.
- 9:00 AM: **Breakfast**
- 10:15 AM: **Self-Guided Visit of Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupre Basilica.** Discover the Romanesque cathedral that began as a shrine to honour Saint Anne. Every year hundreds of thousands of tourists and pilgrims visit this impressive church where miracles are still believed to occur.
- 11:00 AM: **Visit Montmorency Falls.** Stop at one of the most spectacular natural wonders of the Beauport Coast, Montmorency Falls! Students will explore the top and bottom of the falls and the brave can get photos from the middle of a suspension bridge spanning the top of the falls.
- 12:30 PM: **Lunch**
- 2:00 PM: **Orientation Walk of Lower Town.** Experience the city as it was in the days of New France. Your Tour Leader will guide you through the lower half of the UNESCO World Heritage Site to see the Place Royal, and Fresque du Petit-Champlain.
- 2:30 PM: **The Flashback Challenge.** Get your selfie on with our interactive photo challenge! In small groups, you and your classmates will scour the streets of Old Quebec looking for facts about its founders, culture and secrets while documenting it on your camera or phone.
- 5:30 PM: **Buffet Dinner**
- 7:00 PM: **Cosmic Bowling at Quillorama Frontenac.** Strike! With two hours of cosmic bowling, black lights and hit music, this experience is out of this world.

DAY 4

- 8:00 AM: **Breakfast**
- 9:00 AM: **Check out of your hotel**
- 7:30 PM: **Welcome Home!**

START PLANNING NOW!



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