

Calgary is a dynamic city with an ever-changing list of signature attractions, and every visit offers new experiences and adventures. In addition to our Western history, Calgary has emerged as a must-visit culinary and craft brewery destination with a buzzing arts and culture scene. A year-round destination, Calgary features many unique attractions, dining and shopping and is at the heart of four UNESCO World Heritage Sites. With so much to see and do, you will want to schedule additional time here for your clients.



ONE DAY ITINERARY – THE GREAT OUTDOORS

MORNING:

DOWNTOWN WALKING TOUR

Experience Calgary one story at a time on an immersive walking tour. Discover what makes Calgary such an exciting place – history, architecture, public art, sculpture gardens and cool public spaces (1.5 hours).

CALGARY ZOO

From the splendor of the Rocky Mountains to the heart of Destination Africa, The Calgary Zoo takes you to see almost 1,000 animals from around the world. Visit the Giant Panda family at Panda Passage. Trek through the gorilla's rainforest, safari over the Savannah to watch the hippos swim, or climb the Canadian Wilds to see a grizzly bear. Wind down your trip with a walk through the fragrant Dorothy Harvie Gardens or sit with the butterflies in ENMAX Conservatory. You'll love knowing that every visit helps protect endangered animals at home and in the wild. (2 - 3 hours).

AFTERNOON:

NEIGHBORHOOD EXPLORATION LUNCH & SHOPPING: INGLEWOOD

Calgary's oldest neighbourhood, quirky Inglewood is home to boutiques selling vintage furniture, indie fashion and rare vinyl, and offers an eclectic dining scene spanning cuisine from around the world. Eat, stroll, shop, and stop for a pint of locally brewed craft beer at one of Inglewood's craft breweries (3 hours). From Inglewood, walk along the river pathway to Fort Calgary.

FORT CALGARY

Fort Calgary National Historic Site is the birthplace of the city of Calgary, where in 1875, the North West Mounted Police built a fort at the confluence of the Bow and Elbow Rivers (1 hour).

EVENING:

WALKING FOOD TOUR

Enjoy a walking food tour in one of Calgary's eclectic neighbourhoods, where you'll sip, sample and savour. Meet local food artisans and enjoy culinary delights (2.5 – 3 hours). Or stroll along the river pathway to Prince's Island Park, a parkland oasis in the city. Dine at the award-winning River Café in the park and take in one of many performances or concerts happening in the park throughout the summer (2.5 hours).

CALGARY TOWER

Cap off your evening with a visit to the Calgary Tower. Standing 191 metres above ground, stand on the glass floor of the world's highest 360-degree observation deck, enjoy panoramic views of the evening city skyline as the sun sets on the majestic Canadian Rocky Mountains (30 minutes).