



Final Itinerary

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

- 08:30 AM The day has arrived; the trip you've been waiting for is finally here! Hop aboard your locally chartered luxury motorcoach, get comfortable and get ready for your adventure!
- 12:30 PM Hooray! You've arrived in Montreal! Your tour leader will greet you in Old Montreal (350 Place Royale, Montreal, Quebec H2Y 3Y5) and get the show underway. The fun starts now :)
- Let's explore charming Old Montreal with your tour leader. There's so much to see! The Place Jacques Cartier, City Hall, Marché Bonsecours, the Old Port and more!
- 01:15 PM Time for lunch and to explore in Old Montreal! Hang out with your friends, grab some food and practice your conversational French. Your tour leader will give you a meeting place and time.
- 03:30 PM See the fabled stained glass art, the world-famous organ and, of course, the stunning Sacred Heart Chapel during your self-guided visit of the Notre-Dame Basilica.
- 04:00 PM With a local guide, discover one of Montreal's most vibrant, colorful and tasty neighborhoods: Chinatown! Bonus: you will be able to taste two different products (a dumpling and dragon fruit candy) during your tour. Yum!
- 06:00 PM Restaurant Universel is the ideal place to enjoy a trendy atmosphere in a modern setting. Sit back, relax and enjoy your meal while watching the bustle of downtown in this magnificent city of knowledge and culture! Bon appétit!
- 07:30 PM Explore the Quartier des Spectacles with your tour leader, where, within a square kilometer in the heart of Montreal, one can find over 80 cultural venues, including 30 performance halls!
- 08:30 PM Let the rhythm guide you during your hands-on percussion workshop with our buddies from Saya Percussion.
- 09:30 PM Departure for the hotel.
- 10:00 PM Arrive at the hotel and unload the motorcoach. Hang in there a few more minutes as your tour leader gives you instructions for proper hotel conduct and for the next day full of exciting activities!

Spend the night at the Sandman Hotel
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Thursday, April 16, 2026

- 08:00 AM Departure from the hotel. Get into the groove of things and travel like a true Montrealer...by metro (aka: the subway)! Who needs a car anyway? (1 ticket is included per participant.)
- 08:30 AM Start the day with a delicious breakfast at La Petite Marche, a quaint French restaurant in the Plateau Mont Royal.
- 09:30 AM Meet back with your well-rested driver.
- 10:00 AM You can't go to Montreal without learning a bit about the Montreal Canadiens hockey team! The best place for this is the Bell Centre, the Habs' state-of-the-art arena. You will also get a chance to check out the gift store for some sweet souvenirs. GO HABS GO!
- 12:00 PM Free time in Montreal's famous Underground City, a network of malls, museums and restaurants! Here's your chance to explore with your friends, grab lunch, and practice your conversational French. Your tour leader will give you a meeting place and time. Enjoy!
- 02:00 PM With your tour leader, stroll through the grounds of the McGill University downtown campus, a public research university and true world-class educational facility. If you're lucky, you may even stumble upon a practice of the McGill Quidditch team!

- 03:30 PM Discover Quebec's fauna at the Zoo Ecomuseum, the one and only outdoor zoo on the island of Montreal. Learn how each animal was adopted by the zoo for a specific reason as you stroll through this natural and enchanted setting. Let's get curious and learn all about the animals that share our environment!
- 05:00 PM All aboard! Next stop: the SUGAR SHACK!
Discover how the people of Quebec managed to brave the difficult winters through the tradition of maple syrup production as your tour leader shares their Sugar Shack story.
- 06:00 PM Get ready to party like it's 1699! At La Sucrerie de la Montagne, an authentic French Canadian cabane à sucre outside of the city, you're going to learn about maple syrup production methods, feast on a 17th Century meal and get down to traditional songs and dances. Don't forget to add some syrup to your pea soup (we're not kidding).
- 09:00 PM Departure for the hotel.

Friday, April 17, 2026

- 08:00 AM You won't believe it, but the time has come...for your last day of this fantastic journey! Don't forget your luggage.
- 08:30 AM Eggs, pancakes, avocado toasts? Start your day with a delicious breakfast at the French bistro Le Cartet, a local secret in Old Montreal.
- 10:00 AM Head out on a sightseeing tour of the multicultural communities of Montreal with a local guide to see Little Italy, Chinatown, the Portuguese neighborhood and more!
- 12:00 PM Walk through the vibrant neighborhood of Little Italy as you make your way to the Jean-Talon Market.
- 12:30 PM Take in the sights and sounds of Le Marché Jean-Talon, Montreal's busiest outdoor market, as you partake in our Grocery Scavenger Hunt. Don't forget to grab lunch along the way.
- 02:30 PM Retrace the steps that De Maisonneuve took to the top of the city's iconic Mont-Royal. You'll make your way up to Beaver Lake and the Chalet de la Montagne for a stunning view of the greater Montreal area.
- 04:00 PM Already time to leave! Wave goodbye to your tour leader and head back home.
- 08:00 PM This is when you're expected to arrive back at your school, where your family and friends will be eager to hear all about your adventure!