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FAMILY ADVENTURE IN RV THROUGH QUEBEC'S MOST AUTHENTIC LANDSCAPES

MONTREAL > QUÉBEC > RIMOUSKI > BONAVENTURE > PÉRCÉ > GASPÉ > TADOUSSAC > LA MALBAIE

Far from mass tourism, this road-trip in Gaspésie is perfect for wilderness lovers.

Your journey begins with an exploration of the beautiful city of Quebec, and why not its Frontenac castle. Then on to Rimouski and its wildlife reserve, Bonaventure and Percé, with its famous arch off the steep coast. An unforgettable gannet hike awaits you! After a stopover in Tadoussac to meet the whales of the St. Lawrence River, you're off to the magnificent Charlevoix region.

Beautiful parks, varied hikes and breathtaking vistas promise an authentic trip off the beaten track!

 Region	Eastern Canada
 Activity	Self-drive
	Summer
 Duration	16 days
 Code	WEDCAEQ
 Price	From €2,178
 Level	2/5
 Comfort	4/5

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Day 1 Montreal



Welcome to Canada! Arriving in Montreal means entering the French-speaking metropolis of North America. This city is able to blend its history with its modernity, while maintaining the dynamism of a constantly evolving community. You can enjoy its vibrant neighbourhoods for the evening, while enjoying a meal in the old port, Chinatown or the more quiet Mile-end.

- Accommodation: Hotel

Day 2 Montreal / Quebec city



Pick-up your RV in the morning and head to Quebec city! Exceptional both for the dazzling richness of its architectural heritage and for the beauty of its setting. The picturesque old town is also a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Not to be missed are the Château Frontenac, which dominates the city's skyline, as well as the Plains of Abraham, Old Quebec, the armoury, and the terrace Dufferin.

- Accommodation: RV

- Transportation: 260KM, approx. 2h50

Day 3 Québec city



Take the opportunity to visit the icon that is Quebec city. Explore its streets, its many hip neighbourhoods or surroundings. Many treasures awaits, just a 20-30 minute drive away: Montmorency Falls (83 m high), the 1.2 billion year old Ste-Anne Canyon and its 74 m high waterfall, the traditional Huron site to learn more about the culture and history of the First Nations, Île d'Orléans surrounded by the St-Laurent with its picturesque villages and various producers (vineyards, wine, cheese, cider and other local products).

- Accommodation: RV

Day 4 Québec / Bic national park



Head to Bic National Park, one of the most beautiful parks in Quebec. Admire its rugged landscapes, exceptional views of the St. Lawrence Estuary, and adorable seal colonies. With its 12 hiking trails of varying difficulty, it's a favorite destination for nature lovers. Along the Mariners' Route, you can stop at the charming little village of Kamouraska, Fort Ingall (an authentic reconstruction of a British fortress, payable directly on site) at Lake Temiscouata National Park, or the incredible 90-meter-high Gates of Hell Canyon.

Suggested activities (\$):

- Visit Fort Ingall
- Visit Gates of Hell Canyon in St-Narcisse-de-Rimouski
- Accommodation: RV
- Transportation: 289KM , approx. 3h30

📍 Day 5 **Bic national park**



It's your second day in Quebec's unique nature. Don't forget to stay until sunset to enjoy this absolutely magical spectacle. Spend the day trekking through scenic paths, where each turn reveals breathtaking coastal views, diverse wildlife, and the serene rhythm of nature. Whether you're walking along the shoreline or venturing deeper into the forest, the journey offers a perfect blend of adventure and tranquility.

- Accommodation: RV

📍 Day 6 **Bic national park / Bonaventure**



Time to visit Bonaventure and immerse yourself in the natural beauty and rich culture of this charming Gaspésie town. Paddle down the crystal-clear Bonaventure River, relax along the beaches of Chaleur Bay, or explore scenic trails and coastal landscapes. Discover the region's Acadian roots at the Musée acadien du Québec, stroll through local artisan shops, or unwind with fresh pastries and craft brews in the village. Whether you're kayaking, walking along the shore, or soaking in the peaceful rhythm of coastal life, Bonaventure offers a perfect blend of adventure and relaxation.

- Accommodation: RV
- Transportation: approx. 199 mi, approx. 4h

📍 Day 7 **Bonaventure**



Feel like going for a swim? Bonaventure offers an enchanting landscape where the blue waters of its river, known as Chaleur Bay, contrast beautifully with the deep greens of the surrounding forests. Canoes, kayaks, and salmon fishing allow you to better enjoy this wilderness. On the cultural side, summer festivals, craft markets, and Gaspé traditions enliven the town, offering visitors an enriching immersion in local life.

Suggested activity (\$):

- Canoe descent on Bonaventure river

- Accommodation: RV

Day 8 Bonaventure / Percé



Head to Percé, one of Quebec's most charming villages, where the coastal landscapes will leave you speechless! Discover the legendary Percé Rock, an iconic symbol of the region. Don't miss the Percé UNESCO Global Geopark, which will immerse you in fascinating geological history while offering breathtaking panoramas.

- Accommodation: RV

- Transportation: approx. 136KM, approx. 2h30

Day 9 Percé



Today, head for Bonaventure Island. Known for hosting one of the largest northern gannet colonies in the world, the island is a paradise for birdwatchers and nature lovers alike. Hike along scenic trails through wildflower-filled meadows and coastal cliffs, where you can get remarkably close to thousands of nesting seabirds. The island also offers a glimpse into the region's maritime heritage, with historic buildings and interpretation centers that tell the story of the fishermen who once lived there. With its stunning views of Percé Rock and vibrant wildlife, Bonaventure Island is a must-see stop in Gaspésie.

- Accommodation: RV

Day 10 Percé / Gaspé



After your cruise to Bonaventure Island, head to Gaspé and Forillon National Park, a true gem of exceptional beauty! Admire breathtaking coastal landscapes, with majestic cliffs, verdant forests, and unique mountains that will take your breath away.

- Accommodation: RV

- Transportation: approx. 24KM, approx. 30min

📍 Day 11 **Gaspé / Gaspésie National Park**



Head for Parc National de la Gaspésie, one of Quebec's top hiking destinations. In the heart of this exceptional mountain environment, you may be lucky enough to spot the last remaining herd of caribou in the region south of the St. Lawrence River.

- Accommodation: RV

- Transportation: approx. 66KM, approx. 2h15

📍 Day 12 **Gaspésie national park**



Continue exploring the exceptional Parc national de la Gaspésie! Here, you can observe the last herd of caribou still present in the region south of the St. Lawrence River. A hiking hotspot, it offers trails ranging from easy to very difficult.

- Accommodation: RV

📍 Day 13 **Gaspésie National Park / Tadoussac**



After a scenic five-hour drive filled with rolling hills, winding roads, and postcard-perfect villages, you'll reach one of the most memorable parts of your journey—crossing the majestic Saint-Laurent River by ferry to reach Tadoussac. As you glide across the water, take a moment to step outside, breathe in the salty air, and soak in the panoramic views.

- Accommodation: RV

- Transportation: approx. 347KM, approx. 5h15

📍 Day 14 **Tadoussac / Baie-Saint-Paul**



This quaint village is one of the world's top whale-watching destinations—and it doesn't take long to see why. Whether you're on a zodiac boat skimming the waves or simply standing on the shore, you might spot belugas, humpbacks, or even the elusive blue whale surfacing in the deep waters. The salty breeze, the silence broken only by a whale's breath, and the vastness of the horizon create a magical experience that's both humbling and unforgettable.

You spend the evening in Baie-saint-paul.

- Included activity : Whale watching cruise
- Accommodation: RV
- Transportation: approx. 122KM, approx. 2h15

📍 Day 15 **Baie-Saint-Paul**

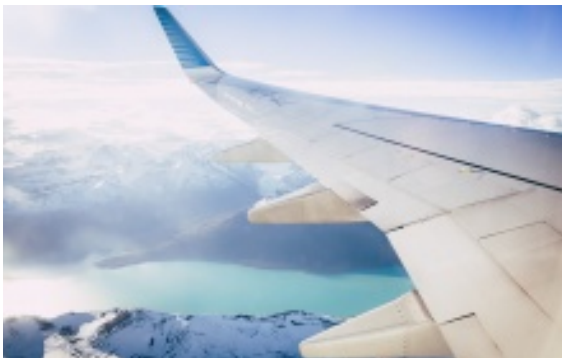


Baie-Saint-Paul, the pearl of Quebec's Charlevoix region, captivates with its picturesque charm and exceptional gastronomy. Nestled along the St. Lawrence River, this historic town is a true paradise for lovers of authentic cuisine. Local products, such as cheese and fresh seafood, are featured in local restaurants. Between tastings, visitors can explore art galleries and enjoy spectacular views of the mountains and bay.

- Suggested activity (\$):
- Local farm and artisan tour

- Accommodation: RV

📍 Day 16 **Baie-Saint-Paul / Montreal**



It's time to leave. Enjoy the last moments in the province of Quebec as well as a last poutine before dropping-off your RV and heading to the airport. Enjoy your meal!

- Transportation: approx. 358KM, approx. 4h10

PERIOD & BUDGET

When to travel?

The best period for travelling is during the following months:

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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Price

From C\$3250 / person (based on two people)

The budget is an indication of the price per person, subject to availability. Your local agent will send you a customized quote with the exact price. The price can vary according to availability, level of services, period of travel, number of participants, booking time frame and other items.

Included

- 2 nights of standard accommodation and 12 campsites
- 13 days of RV rental, LDW and ALI insurance, local taxes, unlimited mileage, kitchen kit, and bedding
- The following activity: whale watching cruise by zodiac (2h)
- Roadbook (electronic version)
- Canadian taxes (federal and provincial)
- 24-hour assistance

Not included

- International flights (available on request)
- Gasoline
- Personal expenses
- Meals
- Beverages (except tea and coffee for included meals)
- Entrance fees to national parks
- Optional activities
- Travel insurance

International flights

Why bother with multiple reservations? We can offer you your entire holiday under one roof, and we'll be there to help you if you have any problems. As we have excellent contracts with major airlines in both Canada and the USA, we're in a position to help you take advantage of our low prices. All you have to do is specify it when you request your initial quote, in the "Describe your project precisely" box on our form, and we'll be happy to include it in our proposal.

Terms and conditions

Booking conditions

By registering for one of our travel, the customer bindingly accepts the General Terms and Conditions of Sale. Each customer must complete a registration form. The booking is definitively recorded when the customer has settled the payment of a deposit of 35 % of the total travel price (subject to availability at the time of registration). In case of short term bookings – within 35 days prior to the travel departure – the full travel price is due immediately. Payments can be settled via bank transfer (SWIFT code/IBAN number) or online, directly from our website (soon available). You will receive an email with a booking confirmation as quickly as possible

Invoice procedure

Once your booking is registered, we send you an email with the invoice. Full payment is required at least 35 days before your arrival. If the customer does not settle the payment of the travel price within the period agreed upon, Altaï Canada reserves the right to cancel the booking free of charge.

Cancellation policy

If, for any reason, you need to cancel your trip, any payments already made will be refunded **subject to the following deductions:**

If cancellation occurs:

- **More than 31 days before departure:** 20% of the total booking amount (excluding insurance and fixed fees)
- **Between 30 and 21 days before departure:** 35% of the total booking amount (excluding insurance and fixed fees)
- **Between 20 and 14 days before departure:** 50% of the total booking amount (excluding insurance and fixed fees)
- **Between 13 and 7 days before departure:** 75% of the total booking amount (excluding insurance and fixed fees)
- **Less than 7 days before departure:** 100% of the total booking amount (excluding insurance and fixed fees)

Special Cases:

Regardless of the cancellation or contract modification date, the following fees **are added** to the standard cancellation terms above:

- **Airfare fees:** If your flight ticket has to be issued well in advance—often to secure the best fare—**100% of the non-refundable flight costs** will be charged in case of cancellation or change. In this case, the standard cancellation terms apply **only to the land portion** of the trip.
- **Land service fees:** Any non-refundable fees incurred early for firm bookings will be charged in case of cancellation.
- **Insurance:** Whether you purchased multi-risk or cancellation insurance, the **insurance premium is non-refundable** under any circumstances.

If you are forced to cancel your trip before departure, you must inform both **Altai Canada** and your insurance provider as soon as possible, using **written communication that provides proof of receipt**.

The **date the written notice is received** will be considered the official cancellation date and will determine the applicable cancellation fees.

If Altai Canada is required to cancel a group departure due to an insufficient number of participants, this decision will be made, and customers notified, **no later than 21 days before departure**.

Altai Canada may also cancel a trip due to **exceptional circumstances** considered force majeure (e.g., volcanic eruptions, social unrest, strikes, severe weather) that could compromise the safety of participants. In such cases, **all amounts paid will be fully refunded**, but **no additional compensation** can be claimed.

Changes to travel contract

If a change to travel contract is made at the customer's request, any fee that might arise from this change shall be paid by the customer. In any cases, every request for changes shall be notified in writing. In case of external events that could not be foreseen, Altai Canada might change some aspects of the travel contract. We will endeavour to advise you of any changes as quickly as possible.

Pricing

All group travel prices on our website have been calculated for the indicated number of participants for each trip. The price list is confirmed after the booking. If the number of participants is lower than expected, an additional payment charge might be applied. For each travel and program, we mention the price per person – valid for the minimum number of participants – and we provide you with detailed explanations about the services included or not. Any change in the exchange rates or in the price of travel services in particular regarding the cost of the fuel, might entail price revision.

Contract transfer

In case of transfer of the contract by the customer to an assignee, modification and cancellation conditions apply.

Insurance

We recommend that you get personal insurance before your departure to cover the activities undertaken by Altai Canada. If you have not purchased your insurance directly with us, we ask that you email us your insurance contract information (company, policy name, policy number, phone number) and bring this information with you on your trip.

