# East Coast & Canada 8-Day Deluxe Tour (IAD Airport Pick-up)

**Departure Day: Thursday, Sunday** 

**Tour Code: DAP8C** 

#### Price List: buy 2 get 2 free Standard price per person is based on double-bed room.

1st&2nd Person	3rd&4th Person	Single	Share
\$789/person	\$0	\$1184	\$1017

# **Itinerary Highlights:**

- 1) [Delicacy] Skylon Tower Revolving Restaurant, Toronto Seafood Dinner, 1000 Island Breakfast, traditional Ottawa hotdog, Authentic Quebec French Restaurant, Boston lobster dinner and New England clam chowder!
- 2) [Accommodation] All deluxe hotels.
- 3) [Expert] Tour experts. The only tour operator provides 24/7 uninterrupted customer service hotline.
- 4) [Explore] Visit 9 different cities in US and Canada. Have a taste of the elegant lifestyle of New York and Toronto. Visit two iconic cities that are the hearts of two powerful nations, Washington D.C. and Ottawa. Understand the historical importance and heritage of Boston. Admire the magnificent architecture of Montreal and Quebec City. Enjoy the majestic view of the natural wonder, Niagara Falls and Thousand Islands.
- 5) [Shopping] Duty-free shop at US/Canadian Border for ice wine, and maple syrup.
- 6) [Entertainment] Learn about US/Canadian politics, economy, culture, and their education system within the shortest period of time.

# Enjoy visiting 9 world famous cities in the United States and Canada:

New York, Washington D.C., Corning, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec City, Boston

#### **Airport Pick-up/Drop-off Information**:

Start-off Day: (Airport Pick- up)	Airport Drop-off Note	End Day
Thursday, Sunday	JFK/LGA/EWR: Departures after 19:00	Thursday, Sunday

- 1. Free IAD airport pick-up: 9:00AM-10:00PM. You may need to wait for other passengers in the airport;
- 2. Guests who arrive at DCA/BWI can choose paid pick-up service or go to the hotel by themselves;
- 3. Paid 24-hour airport pick-up service: For IAD/DCA passengers, \$120 per first two persons with \$10 for each additional person. For BWI passengers, \$200 per first two persons with \$10 for each additional person.

# **Itinerary**

#### Day 1: Home – Washington, D.C.

The first day itinerary is for your reference only; the schedule is subject to change upon your arrival. Thanks for choosing your vacation with us! Arriving at Dulles International Airport (IAD), our tour guide will meet you at the Baggage Claim area. Take our shuttle to the hotel and catch some rest. Complimentary group airport pick-up service is provided 9:00AM - 10:00PM. Guests might need to wait for other passengers. For the other time or other airports, paid pick-up service is also available. In addition, an optional night tour (\$25/person, minimum 4 people) will be offered to the guests who arrive at the hotel before 5:00PM. (Complimentary transfer excludes service fee \$10/per person)

Hotel: Holiday Inn/Crowne Plaza/Shippen Place Hotel or equivalent

## Day 2: Washington, D.C.

After we leave the hotel, we will firstly head to U.S. Capitol (Inside tour - If the U.S. Capitol was closed, we would only take pictures from outside. U.S. Capitol is closed on Sunday.) Next, we will visit the Lincoln Memorial. This grand monument overlooks the Reflecting Pool, the Washington Monument and the U.S. Capitol. Inside, the 19-foot marble statue of the 16th president is flanked by inscriptions of his Second Inaugural Address and the famous Gettysburg Address. We will also stop at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and the Korean War Memorial. The two monuments honor members of the U.S. armed forces who fought in the wars. Later we can take photos with backdrops of the White House due to the visit limitation for the public. Afterwards, you surely don't want to miss the opportunity to take our exclusive DC cruise for sightseeing of the town along the Potomac River. (If the cruise closed, we will visit International Spy Museum instead. The museum is a museum exploring the craft, practice, history, and contemporary role of espionage. It is the only public museum in the United States solely dedicated to espionage and the only one in the world to provide a global perspective on an all-but-invisible profession. It also features the largest collection of international espionage artifacts ever placed on public display. Many of these objects are being seen by the public for the first time. ) In addition, along the way, you will see the Washington Monument, the World War II Memorial, the Thomas Jefferson Memorial and etc. You are also able to visit the Smithsonian Institution freely which includes a group of museums: Air and Space Museum, American Indian Museum, American History Museum, Portrait Gallery, African American History Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, etc. In the evening, guests need to gather in front of Air and Space Museum and then will be taken to have dinner.

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# **Day 3: Corning – Niagara Falls**

# Summer schedule: apply when Maid of Mist resume.

We will arrive at one of Fortune Global 500's headquarter, Corning, to visit the Museum of Glass, which is dedicated to the history, art, and science behind glassmaking. Its collection contains more than 45,000 objects, some of which date back millennia. Guests here will be invited to enjoy the Hot Glass Show which is performed by professional glass craftsmen. After lunch, we are going to see the renowned Niagara Falls. Overlooking American Fall, the Horseshoe Fall and the Bridal Veil Fall, you will be astounded by the deafening roar of the falls. It's the combination of height and volume that makes Niagara Falls so beautiful. More than 6 million cubic ft. (168,000 cubic meters) of water goes over the crest line of the falls every minute during peak daytime tourist hours. Take the voyage on the famous "Maid of the Mist" which gets passengers as close as possible to the Niagara Falls! The Maid rides right into the mists thrown up by the roaring cascade as the Niagara River tumbles over the edge of the falls. You can also optionally watch a Niagara IMAX movie which chronicles more than 12,000 years of history and examines human interaction with the falls from ancient time through the people - like you - who come to see them today.

Later we will go for Niagara In-depth Tour. This interesting and exciting tour includes two popular attractions: the magnificent natural wonder - Niagara Whirlpool State Park and the U.S. historic landmark - Old Fort Niagara. The Niagara Whirlpool's greatest depth is 125 feet. It is estimated the whirlpool formed approximately 4,200 years ago by the upstream erosion of the Niagara escarpment by Niagara River. Old Fort Niagara is a rich historic landmark; it spans more than 300 years. Its commanding presence on the great lake caused it to play a critical role in the French and Indian War, the American Revolution and the War of 1812. The gorgeous Lake Ontario lies behind the Fort (You may stay in the Falls Park for self-exploration if you are not joining the In-Depth tour). (The completeness of night view on certain summer evenings may be limited or not available due to late sunset time and US Federal Government regulations on driving hours.) Later we will go to the hotel when night falls.

#### Winter schedule: apply when Maid of Mist close.

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## Hotel: Adam's Mark/Radisson/Holiday Inn or equivalent

# Day 4: Niagara Falls – Toronto, Canada Summer schedule: apply when Lake Ontario cruise resume.

In the morning, guests will continue sightseeing in the Niagara Falls. We will cross the border to Canada through the Rainbow Bridge. You will also watch a dramatic 45-minute IMAX film which will further discover the culture and history of the Niagara Fall! Later, take the ride to the top of the Skylon Tower which is 775 feet above the falls! Relax and enjoy your meal at the 360 degree Revolving Dining Room. After lunch, guests will arrive in Toronto - the largest city and financial center of Canada - in the afternoon. The CN Tower will be the first stop here for fabulous views of the city and Lake Ontario. It is Toronto's famous landmark, the tallest freestanding structure in Canada, and also the most impossible to miss in our trip. The highest viewing area on the CN Tower is from the Sky Pod at 447 meters and a lower viewing area, the Glass Floor, offers a bird's eye view straight down over the city as visitors stand on a glass floor as the name suggests.

We will also see the Ontario's Provincial Parliament which completed in a Romanesque style in 1893 and then the modernist styled City Hall which consists of two arc-shaped high-rise blocks, 20 and 27 stories high respectively, whose stunning structure makes it another popular landmark. Next, Lake Ontario cruise offers gorgeous views of the city and vicinity from the waters. See the city of Toronto and vicinity in a new way! Around the evening, we will go to the historical Chinatown. It is one of the largest Chinatowns in North America, located in downtown Toronto, where you will find authentic Chinese food!

If time allows, we will additionally visit Ripley's Aquarium of Canada.

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Around the corner of CN Tower is the Ripley's Aquarium of Canada. It holds over 16,000 fantastic aquatic animals, featuring with North America's longest underwater viewing tunnel (96 meters) which allow you to walk by the Sharks, Rough tail Stingrays, and dangerous lagoon. Guests will be both entertained and inspired to protect the waters of the world. We will also see the Ontario's Provincial Parliament which completed in a Romanesque style in 1893 and then the modernist styled City Hall which consists of two arc-shaped high-rise blocks, 20 and 27 stories high respectively, whose stunning structure makes it another popular landmark. Furthermore, experience the elegance and splendor of the Edwardian era at Casa Loma, the only full sized castle in North America and Toronto's premier historic attraction. Explore secret passageways, elaborately decorated rooms with authentic period furnishings or take in the breathtaking view of Toronto from one of the towers. Then we will go to the historical Chinatown to have dinner. It is one of the largest Chinatowns in North America, located in downtown Toronto, where you will find authentic Chinese food!

Hotel: Crowne Plaza /Marriott/Don Valley hotel or equivalent

# Day 5: Toronto – Thousand Islands – Ottawa – Montreal Summer schedule: apply when Thousand Island cruise resume.

In the morning, guests will enjoy the beauty of Thousand Islands on a cruise boat. As the name indicated, the Thousand Islands constitute an archipelago of 1,864 islands that straddles the Canada-U.S. border in the Saint Lawrence River as it emerges from the northeast corner of Lake Ontario. We will be driving on Highway 401 along St. Lawrence River and reach Canada's Capital and political center, Ottawa. Here we will visit the National War Memorial, Parliament buildings and Peace Tower with the height of 295 feet. Canada's Parliament buildings are commonly viewed as the one of the most magnificent government centers in the world with firm stone exterior and vivid setting on the cliffs! The buildings consist of the House of Commons, the Library of Parliament, the Hall of Honor, the Senate, and the impressive Peace Tower. After a short stay, we will drive to the Montreal, known as "Paris of North America", a French-speaking and second largest city of Canada. The famous Olympic Tower together with the Olympics stadium has become the symbol of the city. The 175-meter inclined tower leans at a 45-degree angle and functions as an observation deck with a funicular that whisks passengers to the top in 95 seconds. Amble around and soak up the European charm of the Old Montreal, you will marvel at how you can step back in time at every cobblestone corner. Along the way, we will pass by the grand Notre-Dame Basilica. Winter schedule: apply when Thousand Island cruise close.

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Hotel: Best Western Plus/Hotel Gouverneur/Grand Times or equivalent

# Day 6: Montreal – Quebec (\*) – Boston Summer Schedule: *April – December*

In the morning, we will go to another beautiful French style city, Quebec. Everything in the town such as the street signs, cafes, buildings, people's dressing look and the atmosphere will tell its rich French descent. As you wander past period buildings along cobblestone streets, enjoy the area's boutiques, art galleries, and restaurants. A visit to Place Royale is like a step back in time to the early days of New France. Quebec is the only fortified city in North America north of Mexico, with close to 4.6 km of walls and imposing gates to explore. Visit the Notre-

Dame de Quebec Basilica-Cathedral and you will see a large number of pieces of art. You will also have chance to take pictures with the world's most photographed hotel Château Frontenac and the Parliament Building as well as enjoy an authentic French cuisine. After a short stay at duty-free stores, we will head to Boston, a cultural city rich in American history. Upon your arrival, it's time for dinner and you will be recommended with its famous fresh lobsters feast - get excited! (\*In case of delays by U.S. Customs and Border entry procedure, you may have other meals instead of the lobster dinner.)

#### Winter Schedule: January - March

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\*\* The itinerary will not include Quebec for weather consideration and there's no substitution. \*\* Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton/Four Points by Sheraton/Radisson or equivalent

## Day 7: Boston – New York

The first stop will be the Harvard University at Cambridge, MA. Here, guests will be invited to visit its oldest campus district and take pictures with the Statue of Three Lies - Harvard Statue. Also, we have a chance to walk around the campus of Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and take pictures with its main building. For the rest of our Boston city tour, we will pass by old Trinity Cathedral, Hancock Building, Boston Athenaeum, Boston Park, Swan Lake Park, and overlook the Golden Dome of the State House. Another fun will begin as soon as you board the cruise ship and enjoy a breathtaking view of the Boston harbor. Furthermore, the old Quincy Market is opportune for strolling through, or to get a taste of the historical ambience as well as to pick out souvenirs among the assorted merchants and artisans. The Market was also surrounded by dozens of restaurants for dining option with a variety of authentic cuisines, and absolutely, you cannot miss the famous New England clam chowder In the afternoon, we will head to New York.

Hotel: Crowne(or Ramada) Plaza/Sheraton/Hilton/Courtyard by Marriott or equivalent

# **Day 8: New York City – Home**

At a first glance, travelling around the entire of New York City seems like the mission impossible; however, our highly organized tour is especially designed for you: by visiting amounts of famous landmarks, you will learn more of the city's unique history, culture, and the core spirit of the New Yorkers! By stepping up to the Empire State Building Observation deck, guests could overlook the beautiful view of the central park and the entire of New York City. Empire State Building stood as the world's tallest building for nearly 40 years, and has been surpassed in late 1970. Its name is derived from the nickname of New York, the Empire State. Nowadays it is still the most famed landmark of the city. Also, Guests will take a sightseeing cruise tour on the Hudson River to enjoy the city view from a totally different angle, as well as take pictures with the backdrops of Statue of Liberty and Brooklyn Bridge. Furthermore, visit USS Intrepid, the national heritage that costs \$120 million, which is reopen for visitors. Concorde supersonic airliner and a variety of aircrafts will be all in the exhibition. In addition, wandering around Wall Street, the world financial and securities trading center, and taking pictures with Trinity Church, New York Stock Exchange and its signature sculpture Charging Bull - will be included into our tour later. In the end of the day, our tour bus will pass by the Fifth Avenue, Rockefeller Center, Ground Zero and the new "Freedom tower" - One World Trade Center ... When time allows, we will add Metropolitan Museum, Times Square and Madame Tussauds into the trip.

# **Scenic Spots Notes:**

- (1) Itinerary will be subject to traffic and weather. The sequence of the attractions might be changed according to actual and practical situation for better service.
- (2) In case of attraction closures (due to holidays or construction, etc.), tour guide may make some

- necessary changes to the itinerary accordingly.
- (3) This tour does not accept any City Pass or your own tickets for the attraction. Guests need to purchase admission tickets from tour guides.

# **Refund Remark:**

- (1) If the weather condition, war, general strikes and other unforeseen circumstances interrupt the journey, our company reserve the right to rearrange the journey without refunding the tour fee.
- (2) If visitors cannot join the tour because of personal reason, the fee for hotels and transportation is not refundable.

**Tour fee exclude:** the meals, attractions tickets, service fee (\$10 per person per day), and any private costs (such as hotel telephone charges, laundry etc.).

# **Ticket Price:**

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Attraction Admission List	Adult	(65+)	(3-12)
New York			
U.S.S. Intrepid	\$33.00	\$31.00	\$24.00 (5-12)
Empire State Building	\$37.00	\$35.00 (62+)	\$31.00 (6-12) Free(5&Under)
Liberty Cruise	\$29.00	\$24.00	\$17.00
*Madame Tussauds Wax Museum	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$23.00
*Metropolitan Museum	\$25.00	\$17.00	FREE(under 12)
Washington D.C./Corning			
DC Night Tour	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
DC Cruise	\$26.00	\$23.00	\$18.00
** International Spy Museum	\$21.95	\$15.95	\$14.95(7-11)
Corning Glass Museum	\$19.50	\$16.60(55+)	Free(Under 17)
Niagara Fall, NY			
Maid of the Mist  **Either in U.S. or in Canada, which is subject to actual situation	\$19.25	\$19.25	\$11.20(6-12) Free(5 or Under)
IMAX Movie  **Either in U.S. or in Canada, which is subject to actual situation	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Niagara In-depth tour (Include Old Fort Niagara Ticket)	\$25.00	\$22.00	\$15.00
**Niagara Jetboat Adventures *Winter	\$66.00	\$56.00(55+)	\$56.00(12&under minimum of 40 inches tall)
Boston			
Boston Harbor Cruise	\$22.00	\$20.00	\$17.00(3-11)
Canada			
IMAX Movie-Canada **Either in U.S. or in Canada, which is subject to actual situation	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$11.00(6-12)

Hornblower Niagara Cruise - Canada **Either in U.S. or in Canada, which is subject to actual situation	\$29.32 (\$25.95+Tax)	\$29.32 (\$25.95+Tax)	\$18.02(5-12) (\$15.95+Tax)
Skylon Tower	\$14.63	\$14.63	\$9.00
Mariposa Toronto Harbour Cruise*Summer	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$18.00(5-15)
CN Tower	\$43 (\$38+Tax)	\$38.5 (\$34+Tax)	\$31.5 (\$28+Tax)
Ripley's Aquarium of Canada *Winter	\$35.00 (\$30.98+Tax)	\$23.50 (\$20.98+Tax)	\$11.00/(3-5) (\$9.98+Tax); \$23.50/(6-13) (\$19.98+Tax)
Thousand Islands Cruise *Summer	\$28.00 (\$23.9+Tax)	\$24.75 (\$23.9+Tax)	\$13.25 (\$15.89+Tax)
Olympic Stadium	\$23.25	\$21.00	\$11.50(5-17)
Old Quebec Tour *Summer	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Casa Loma *Winter	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00(4-13) Free(3 and Under)
Meal			
Lobster Dinner	\$32.00	\$32.00	\$32.00
Skylon Tower Lunch	\$45.00 (\$35.5+Tax+Tips)	\$45.00 (\$35.5+Tax+Tips)	\$39.00 (\$30.5+Tax+Tips)
Toronto Seafood Dinner	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00
Thousand Islands Cruise Breakfast	\$11.50	\$11.50	\$9.50
Quebec French Banquet	\$37.00	\$37.00	\$30.00

<sup>\*</sup>Price and schedule are subject to seasonal change without notice.