

Residence Inn by Marriott Vancouver Downtown - Associate Top 10 Attraction Picks for Vancouver

STANLEY PARK & THE VANCOUVER SEAWALL

Stanley Park is the grand daddy of all parks in Greater Vancouver. known around the world. It is a beautiful 1000 acre park that is located right in the city. The park is home to the Vancouver Aquarium, has 100's of walking trails, and is part of the famous 22km Seawall that surrounds the downtown core of Vancouver. Stanley park is a short drive, bus ride, or 25 minute walk from the Hotel.



CAPILANO SUSPENSION BRIDGE

Follow in the footsteps of the millions who have crossed Capilano Suspension Bridge since 1889! The 450 ft long, 230 ft high bridge, originally constructed of hemp rope and cedar planks attached to Douglas-firs, is today made with pre-stressed wire cable attached to 118 ton anchors. Also open this year is the Cliffwalk, a heart-stopping cliffside journey that takes you through rainforest vegetation on a series of unobtrusive cantilevered and suspended walkways.

Take the free shuttle from downtown May thru September!



GROUSE MOUNTAIN & SKYRIDE

High above towering Douglas firs, breathtaking views of the city, sparkling Pacific Ocean, Gulf Islands, and snowy peaks unfold as you journey up the mountainside. North America's largest aerial tramway system is your gateway to the majestic nature of Grouse Mountain. For those seeking an adrenaline pumping experience, you can opt to hike the 2.9KM, 2800 foot elevation trail to the top and ride the Gondola down. It is strongly recommended that you are in good physical condition and allow 1-2 hours. Free shuttle from downtown.



VANCOUVER AQUARIUM

The Aquarium is a self-supporting, non-profit society dedicated to effecting the conservation of aquatic life through display and interpretation, education, research, and direct action. With over 50,000 animals from across the world, there's no shortage of incredible things to see at the Vancouver Aquarium. Watch adorable sea otters holding hands, catch a beluga show or get an up-close and intimate look at some of the creepy crawlers in the Amazon, and be sure to visit Penguin Point. Open daily and conveniently located downtown Vancouver!



SCIENCE WORLD

In addition to the OMNIMAX Theatre and the Science Theatre, Science World is home to five permanent galleries: Eureka! Mitchell Odyssey Foundation Gallery, Search: The Sara Stern Gallery, the Kidspace Gallery, Our World: BMO Sustainability Gallery, and Illusions. It also boasts a feature gallery for special exhibitions. Science World is located within close proximity to downtown and easily accessible through public transportation.



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VANCOUVER LOOKOUT

Your adventure starts with a 40 second glass elevator ride, whisking you 550 ft skyward to a panoramic observation deck. Enjoy 360° aerial views of cosmopolitan Vancouver, historic Gastown and Coal Harbour. Look beyond for enchanting views of our stunning natural landscape including world famous Stanley Park, the Pacific Ocean, the majestic North Shore Mountains. The lookout is located within 10 minute walk from hotel.



GRANVILLE ISLAND & AQUABUS

Imagine an island in the middle of a city, a place moulded by a fascinating history, buzzing with a colourful artistic community. A living, breathing urban oasis filled with fine waterfront restaurants, theatres, galleries, studios, unique shops, cafes and the most spectacular fresh food market you've ever seen. Add a vibrant and diverse mix of people and activities, and you have a destination so dynamic, no visit to the city is complete without spending at least a day here. 10 minute walk from the hotel, the Aquabus service runs daily at the foot of Hornby Street.



VANCOUVER MUSEUMS & GALLERIES

Explore Canada and Vancouver's art, history, people and environment at the city's world-class museums and galleries, including the Vancouver Art Gallery located downtown Vancouver, the amazing UBC Museum of Anthropology, and the H.R. MacMillan Space Centre, Vancouver Maritime Museum, four major Vancouver attractions. Please inquire about transportation options to these world class sights.



HISTORIC GASTOWN & CHINATOWN

Two unique historic neighbourhoods, located within 15 minute walk from the hotel. Visit Gastown's famous Steam Clock, stroll through the many local retail stores and shop for souvenirs, or dine in one of the many restaurants located here. Chinatown Vancouver is one of the largest Chinatowns in the western hemisphere and is both vibrant and diverse. Home to shops, restaurants and historic sites, including the Dr. Sun Yat Sen Chinese Garden and the Chinese Cultural Centre, this is another great place to tour, explore and dine.



ROBSON STREET & YALETOWN SHOPPING

For shopaholics, Vancouver shopping certainly deserves a place on a list of Vancouver attractions! From luxury brands to inexpensive imports, you'll find what you need at Vancouver's best shopping destinations, which include downtown's famous Robson Street, Yaletown and Pacific Centre. All located within a 10 minute walk from the hotel.

