

The starting point for all itineraries is the Royal British Columbia Museum at 675 Belleville Street, corner of Belleville and Government, on the Inner Harbour between the Fairmont Empress and the Parliament Buildings.

Please check the Victoria Heritage Group brochure before heading to your destination for hours and tour times. Some sites are not open all year.

Castle Itinerary- Craigdarroch Castle and Hatley Park National Historic Site. This itinerary takes approximately 3-4 hours.

Craigdarroch Castle from starting point.

1. Start out going NORTH on DOUGLAS ST toward FORT ST
2. Turn RIGHT onto FORT ST (one-way EAST)
3. Turn RIGHT onto JOAN CRES

5. Take the LEFT fork and follow JOAN CRES
 6. End At Craigdarroch Castle, 1050 Joan Crescent
- ¥ Approximate Distance: 2 km

Hatley Park National Historic Site from Craigdarroch Castle

1. Exit parking lot and turn LEFT on JOAN CRES toward FORT ST
 2. Turn RIGHT onto FORT ST and immediately move into the farthest left lane
 3. Stay in immediate LEFT lane and turn LEFT onto YATES ST (one-way WEST)
 4. Turn RIGHT onto DOUGLAS ST/PROVINCIAL ROUTE 1/TRANS CANADA HWY. Continue to follow PROVINCIAL ROUTE 1 N/TRANS CANADA HWY N.
 5. Take the HWY-14 exit- EXIT 10- toward HWY-1A/COLWOOD/SOOKE/PORT RENFREW
 6. Turn SLIGHT LEFT onto PROVINCIAL RTE 14 W/ BURNSIDE RD W. Continue to follow PROVINCIAL RTE 14
 7. Stay STRAIGHT to go onto SOOKE RD
 8. 10. End At Royal Roads University, 2005 Sooke Road
- ¥ Approximate Distance: 14 km

Garden Itinerary

St. Ann's Academy Historic Site, Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, Point Ellice House and Hatley Park National Historic Site. This itinerary takes approximately 5-7 hours.

St. Ann's Academy Historic Site from starting point

1. Start out going EAST on BELLEVILLE ST toward BLANSHARD ST/PROVINCIAL ROUTE 17
2. Turn RIGHT on HUMBOLDT ST
3. End at St. Ann's Academy Historic Site, 835 Humboldt Street

¥ Approximate Distance: .5 km

Art Gallery of Greater Victoria from St. Ann's Academy Historic Site

1. Start out going EAST on HUMBOLDT ST toward QUADRA ST
2. Turn LEFT on QUADRA ST
3. Turn RIGHT on FORT ST
4. TURN RIGHT on MOSS ST
5. End at Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, 1040 Moss Street

¥ Approximate Distance: 2 km

Point Ellice House from Art Gallery of Greater Victoria

1. Start out going NORTH on MOSS ST toward FORT ST

2. Turn RIGHT on FORT ST
3. Turn LEFT onto FERNWOOD RD
4. Turn LEFT onto BAY ST
5. Turn RIGHT onto PLEASANT ST
6. End at Point Ellice House, 2616 Pleasant Street

¥ Approximate Distance: 4 km

Hatley Park National Historic Site from Point Ellice House

1. Start out going SOUTH on PLEASANT ST toward BAY ST
2. Turn LEFT on BAY ST
3. Turn LEFT on DOUGLAS ST/PROVINCIAL ROUTE 1/TRANS CANADA HWY. Continue to follow PROVINCIAL ROUTE 1 N/TRANS CANADA HWY N
4. Take the HWY-14 exit- EXIT 10- toward HWY-1A/COLWOOD/SOOKE/PORT RENFREW
5. Turn SLIGHT LEFT onto PROVINCIAL RTE 14 W/ BURNSIDE ROAD W. Continue to follow PROVINCIAL RTE 14
6. Stay STRAIGHT to go onto SOOKE RD
7. End At Royal Roads University, 2005 Sooke Road

¥ Approximate Distance: 12 km

Galleries and Museums

Itinerary- Royal British Columbia Museum, Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, Maltwood Gallery, CFB Esquimalt Naval and Military Museum. This itinerary takes approximately 5.5-8 hours. (Photo identification required for entrance to CFB Esquimalt).

Royal British Columbia Museum

1. Royal BC Museum is the starting point at 675 Belleville Street

Art Gallery of Greater Victoria from Royal BC Museum

1. Start out going NORTH on DOUGLAS ST toward FORT ST
 2. Turn RIGHT onto FORT ST
 3. Turn RIGHT onto MOSS ST
 4. End at Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, 1040 Moss Street
- ¥ Approximate Distance: 1.5 km

Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery from Art Gallery of Greater Victoria

1. Turn LEFT onto MOSS ST heading toward FORT ST
2. Turn RIGHT onto FORT ST
3. Turn LEFT onto FOUL BAY RD
4. FOUL BAY RD becomes HENDERSON RD

5. HENDERSON RD becomes UNIVERSITY DR
6. UNIVERSITY DR becomes RING RD
7. Exit at UNIVERSITY CENTRE
8. End at Maltwood Gallery at the University Centre

¥ Approximate Distance 6.5 km
CFB Esquimalt Naval and Military Museum from Maltwood Art Museum (Photo identification required for entrance to CFB Esquimalt)

1. Exit UNIVERSITY CENTRE and follow RING ROAD
2. Veer RIGHT onto UNIVERSITY DR
3. UNIVERSITY DR becomes HENDERSON RD
4. Turn RIGHT onto LANSDOWNE RD
5. LANSDOWNE RD becomes HILLSIDE AVE
6. Turn LEFT turn onto BLANSHARD ST / PROVINCIAL RTE 17 S
7. Turn RIGHT onto BAY ST
8. Follow BAY ST over POINT ELLICE BRIDGE
9. Continue on BAY ST turning LEFT on CATHERINE ST
10. Turn RIGHT on ESQUIMALT RD
11. Turn RIGHT on ADMIRALS RD
12. Turn LEFT on WOODWAY ST to main gate of CFB Esquimalt
13. Follow signs and markings ending at CFB Esquimalt Naval and Military Museum

Approximate Distance 11

Homes Itinerary- Helmcken House, Emily Carr House, Point Ellice House, Craigflower Manor, Fisgard Lighthouse. Approximate itinerary time 6-7 hours

Helmcken House

1. Helmcken House is located on the EAST side of the Royal BC Museum, 675 Belleville Street

Emily Carr House from Helmcken House

1. Start out going WEST on BELLEVILLE ST toward DOUGLAS ST / PROVINCIAL RTE 1 / TRANS CANADA HWY
2. Turn LEFT onto GOVERNMENT ST
3. End at Emily Carr House, 207 Government Street

¥ Approximate Distance: 1 km

Point Ellice House from Emily Carr House

1. Start out going NORTH on GOVERNMENT ST toward MARIFIELD PL
2. Turn LEFT on BAY ST
3. Turn RIGHT on PLEASANT ST ending at Point Ellice House, 2616 Pleasant St

¥ Approximate distance: 3 km

Craigflower Manor from Point Ellice House

1. Start out going SOUTH on PLEASANT ST toward JOHN ST
2. Turn LEFT on JOHN ST
3. Turn LEFT on GOVERNMENT ST
4. Stay in LEFT LANE and turn LEFT on GORGE RD E
5. GORGE RD E. becomes GORGE RD W
6. Turn LEFT on ADMIRALS RD
7. Go over CRAIGFLOWER BRIDGE and enter the first parking lot on the RIGHT ending at Craigflower Manor, 10 Island Highway

¥ Approximate distance: 5 km

Fisgard Lighthouse from Craigflower Manor

1. Turn RIGHT out of parking lot onto ADMIRALS RD
2. Turn RIGHT onto PROVINCIAL RTE 14 / PROVINCIAL RTE 1A / ISLAND HWY
3. Turn LEFT onto OCEAN BLVD (gate access required)
4. Turn LEFT onto FORT RODD HILL RD

¥ Approximate Distance: 5 km

Schools Itinerary- St. Ann's Schoolhouse, St. Ann's Academy and Craigflower Schoolhouse. Approximate time for itinerary 3.5-4 hours

St. Ann's Schoolhouse

1. St. Ann's Schoolhouse is located on the EAST side of the Royal BC Museum, 675 Belleville St.

St. Ann's Academy from St. Ann's Schoolhouse

1. Start out going EAST on BELLEVILLE ST toward BLANSHARD ST/PROVINCIAL RTE 17
2. Turn RIGHT on HUMBOLDT ST
3. End at St. Ann's Academy Historic Site, 835 Humboldt Street

¥ Approximate Distance: .5 km

Craigflower Schoolhouse from St. Ann's Academy

1. Start out heading SOUTH on HUMBOLDT ST toward BLANSHARD ST/PROVINCIAL RTE 17
2. Turn RIGHT on GOVERNMENT ST
3. Turn LEFT on GORGE RD E
4. GORGE RD E. becomes GORGE RD W
5. Turn LEFT on ADMIRALS RD
6. Go over CRAIGFLOWER BRIDGE and enter the first parking lot on the RIGHT ending at Craigflower Manor, 10 Island Highway

¥ Approximate Distance: 8 km

Museum, Hatley Castle, Fort Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse. Approximate time for itinerary 4-5 hours. (Photo identification required for entrance to CFB Esquimalt)

CFB Esquimalt

1. Start out going EAST on BELLEVILLE ST toward BLANSHARD ST/PROVINCIAL RTE 17
2. Veer LEFT onto BLANSHARD ST/PROVINCIAL RTE 17
3. Turn RIGHT onto BAY ST
4. Follow BAY ST over POINT ELLICE BRIDGE
5. Continue on BAY ST and turn slight LEFT on CATHERINE ST
6. Turn RIGHT on ESQUIMALT RD
7. Turn RIGHT on ADMIRALS RD
8. Turn LEFT on WOODWAY ST to main gate of CFB Esquimalt
9. Follow signs and markings ending at CFB Esquimalt Naval and Military Museum

¥ Approximate distance 9 km

Fort Rodd Hill from CFB Esquimalt

1. Departing CFB Esquimalt turn LEFT
2. Turn LEFT onto PROVINCIAL RTE 14 / PROVINCIAL RTE 1A / ISLAND HWY
3. Turn LEFT onto OCEAN BLVD (gate access required)

Turn LEFT onto FORT RODD HILL RD and follow signs ending at Fort

1. Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse National Historic Sites, 603 Fort Rodd Hill Road
- ¥ Approximate Distance: 9 km

Hatley Park National Historic Site from Fort Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse National Historic Sites

1. Turn LEFT onto FORT RODD HILL RD
2. Turn RIGHT onto OCEAN BLVD
3. Turn LEFT onto HIGHWAY 1A which becomes SOOKE RD
4. End at Hatley Park National Historic Site, 2005 Sooke Road

¥ Approximate Distance 3 km

Notes

Great Places to Bring Kids

- ¥ Royal BC Museum
- ¥ Emily Carr House
- ¥ Fort Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse National Historic Sites
- ¥ Craigflower Manor and Schoolhouse
- ¥ Craigdarroch Castle
- ¥ Art Gallery of Greater Victoria
- CFB Esquimalt Naval and Military Museum

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