

Experience New Drleans

May 5 to 9, 2019



Journey through the Old South, with its vast plantations, antebellum mansions and measured pace of life. Explore the Garden District, the Riverwalk Marketplace and the French Quarter of New Orleans. Enjoy Creole cooking, an overstuffed po'boy and a beignet at Café du Monde – the original French Market coffee stand. Visit the Oak Alley Plantation and enjoy a steamboat dinner cruise along the Mississippi.

Tour Highlights & Inclusions

- Roundtrip airport transfers from the CAA Thorold office
- Return airfare with taxes, Toronto to New Orleans with Air Canada, economy class
- Four nights accommodation in the French Quarter
- Buffet breakfast daily
- Guided city tour of New Orleans
- Narrated Louisiana Swamp Tour
- Guided tour of the Nottoway Plantation Mansion with lunch
- Guided tour of Oak Alley Plantation
- Steamboat dinner cruise on the Mississippi River
- All transfers in New Orleans
- Services of a CAA Tour Director
- Baggage handling and gratuities





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Sunday, May 5

Fly to the famous city of New Orleans, known for its Mardi Gras celebrations and Creole hospitality. A complex system of levees, drainage canals and pumps keep the city dry, as it is located below sea level. Enjoy a four-night stay at the four-diamond **Crowne Plaza New Orleans French Quarter Hotel**, situated at the gateway of the French Quarter.

Monday, May 6

Explore New Orleans with a local guide on a sightseeing tour, of the French Quarter – the heart and soul of the city, the above ground cemetery, and Café du Monde – the historic, open-air coffee stand that has been a fixture since 1862 serving beignet. Following lunch, experience the unique adventure of a narrated Louisiana swamp tour, possibly getting up close with an alligator.

Tuesday, May 7

Tour one of the largest antebellum plantation houses in the south, the Nottoway Plantation House – a 64 room mansion, completed in 1859, on 7,000 acres, at a size of 53,000 square feet. Following the tour, a traditional Louisiana style lunch is served. Named for the two rows of live oaks planned in the 1700's that form an alley from the Mississippi River to the mansion, enjoy a tour of Oak Alley Plantation with knowledgeable guides dressed in period costume.

Wednesday, May 8

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Today is free to explore New Orleans on your own. The dinner this evening is onboard the Steamboat Natchez, while it cruises the mighty Mississippi River. Viewing the city from this stern-wheel steamboat, enjoying a buffet of New Orleans favourites, and being serenaded by a jazz band is a delightful experience.

Thursday, May 9

We fly home today with great memories and experiences of our tour of New Orleans.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

How to book: Reservations may be made through any CAA office. A non-refundable deposit of \$100 per person is due at time of booking. Balance of payment is due 60 days prior to departure. Bookings made after this date will require full payment at time of booking. CAA strongly recommends the purchase of travel insurance. Ask for details.

Cancellation charges: Should it be necessary to cancel your trip prior to departure, the following penalties will apply:

60 days or more prior
59 to 30 days prior
29 to 0 days prior

Deposit non-refundable 50% non-refundable 100% non-refundable

The day of departure is excluded when calculating cancellation charges. CAA strongly recommends the purchase of cancellation insurance.

Prices: All prices on this flyer are in Canadian dollars, unless otherwise stated, are based on August 20, 2018 contract rates, and are subject to change should currencies fluctuate or surcharge be imposed.

Local laws and customs: The Ontario government requires that we advise anyone travelling outside Ontario that there are many different living standards and practices outside your home, including accommodation, provision of utilities such as

water, electricity, preparation of food, etc. To have an enjoyable vacation, we recommend that you discuss the relevant customs of the country you will be visiting with your travel agent and/or the destination Tourist Board or Consulate.

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