Kingston has it all – vibrant arts, culture and culinary scenes; an idyllic waterfront; an extensive downtown and year-round festivals.

As one of the oldest cities in the country, we’re a destination built on a grand heritage and defined by our ability to blend the beauty of yesterday with the passion of today. Come expecting an active community, with all kinds of restaurants, shopping, accommodation, services and more, all within walking distance of each other. Situated where the St. Lawrence River, Rideau Canal and Lake Ontario meet, the city has earned its title as the “freshwater sailing capital of the world.” It’s all waiting for you in Kingston.
DAY ONE

1/ Board your motor coach to Kingston
2/ Arrive at Fort Henry where uniformed military interpreters known as the Fort Henry Guard staff the fort and conduct demonstrations of British military life and tours for visitors. Other activities and demonstrations include historical re-enactments of drills and battle tactics, the Garrison Parade, the Victorian School Room, and the Muster Parade, where young visitors are dressed in period uniforms and taught to march by a qualified member of the Guard.
3/ Lunch along the waterfront
4/ Check into your hotel
5/ Kingston Trolley Tours takes you on an in-depth tour of Kingston’s historic downtown and waterfront, stopping at all of the city’s most well-known visitor destinations including the Royal Military College, the Penitentiary Museum, and Queen’s University.
6/ Tours through Kingston Penitentiary will offer a rare and unique opportunity to go behind the walls of Canada’s oldest and most notorious maximum security prison. Closed in 2013, the guided tours will provide an up-close look at KP as an amazing historical building and a national historic site, which predates Canadian confederation.
7/ Experience an Improbable Escape game, an activity that challenges all that is normal. Attempt to find keys, piece together clues and solve puzzles in order to make your way through the game and escape before time runs out. Choose from 5 different game rooms.
8/ Full Dinner
9/ Discover Kingston’s haunted side with a Haunted Walks walking tour
10/ Head back to your hotel for an overnight

DAY TWO

1/ Start the day with an American breakfast buffet at your hotel
2/ Enjoy a self-guided or docent guided tour of the Agnes Etherington Museum where you can experience over 16,000 pieces of art in eight elegant galleries featuring cutting edge contemporary art, Canadian historical art, Baroque-era paintings and African art. The renowned Bader Collection of 200 pieces of European art paintings includes three by Rembrandt
3/ Check out of your hotel
4/ Developed in conjunction with Ontario Ministry of Education curriculum expectations, Military Communications and Electronics Museum’s programs are designed to complement classroom teaching and learning, and offer a uniquely Canadian perspective of our nation’s past
5/ Remain on your motor coach for the drive home