

PERTH & SYDNEY CLASSIC CITY STAY

INDIAN PACIFIC

PERTH TO SYDNEY
DEPARTING WEDNESDAY (JANUARY TO DECEMBER)
11 Days / 10 Nights

Enjoy three nights' accommodation in the Western Australian Capital, Perth, and extend your exploration with a day on fabulous Rottnest Island. Finish your Perth discovery by crossing Australia from Perth to Sydney aboard the Indian Pacific, one of the world's great train journeys. With fine wine and regionally inspired meals included, this really is a journey for the senses. Cap off your rail adventure by exploring the harbour city of Sydney, with three nights' accommodation and Sydney Harbour Cruise included.

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights' accommodation in Perth, including breakfast daily
- Full day Discover Rottnest tour, including lunch
- Transfer from hotel to East Perth Rail Terminal
- 4 nights aboard the Indian Pacific, Perth to Sydney, including all meals, beverages and Off Train Experiences in Kalgoorlie, Cook, Barossa Valley, Broken Hill, and the Blue Mountains
- Transfer from Sydney Central Station to hotel
- 3 nights' accommodation in Sydney, including breakfast daily
- Sydney Harbour Dinner Cruise
- 10 breakfasts, 6 lunches, 4 dinners

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the vibrant city of Perth, Australia's sunniest capital
- Cruise to Rottnest Island, spending the day exploring the island and meeting quokkas
- Ponder the vastness of the Australian continent as you cross the Nullarbor Plain
- Enjoy a signature dining experience at Seppeltsfield Winery
- Travel through the World Heritage-listed Blue Mountains to Sydney
- Cruise Sydney Harbour on a 78ft luxury vessel and enjoy a premium dinner
- Sail past Sydney Opera House and the Iconic Sydney cityscape, Taronga Zoo, Luna Park and more

Please note itineraries are subject to change.

DAY 1 – ARRIVE PERTH

Make your way to your Perth accommodation and prime yourself for a trip to Rottnest Island and an epic rail journey ahead. The evening is yours to discover some of the city's atmospheric laneway bars and restaurants, buzzing with live music and surrounded by street art.

OVERNIGHT: 3 nights DoubleTree by Hilton Perth Waterfront

DAY 2 – ROTTNEST ISLAND

Make your way to Barrack Street Jetty and board Rottnest Express bound for Rottnest Island, 22kms offshore. A 90-minute air-conditioned bus tour around 'Rotto' takes you to some spectacular locations, including Wadjemup Lighthouse and the boardwalk lookout at the rugged west end. Feast on a delicious lunch before exploring the island at your leisure – make sure you meet a quokka. Return to Perth by ferry in the afternoon. (B,L)

DAY 3 – PERTH

It might be the largest state in Australia, but Western Australia's capital city features a conveniently compact centre, packed with things to see and do. Enjoy your day at leisure in Perth visiting Kings Park, Barrack Square or some of the many museums and galleries. (B)

DAY 4 – BOARD THE INDIAN PACIFIC IN PERTH

After breakfast, take in any last-minute sights before transferring to the Rail Terminal.

Your transcontinental adventure begins in Perth, where you'll gather with fellow travellers for a warm welcome and a celebratory start to your journey. As the Indian Pacific departs and the sun dips low over the west, settle into your cabin or meet new friends in the lounge before savouring your first chef-prepared dinner on board. (B,D)

OVERNIGHT: 4 nights Indian Pacific

DAY 5 – INDIAN PACIFIC, KALGOORLIE AND COOK

Rise to see the sunrise across the vast Nullarbor before arriving in Kalgoorlie, Australia's largest outback town. This morning, delve into the region's fascinating past and present with a visit to its gold-rush heritage and the modern-day Super Pit mine. Choose your Off Train Experience and explore Kalgoorlie your way, with morning refreshments included.



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After brunch on board, spend the afternoon at your leisure with fine hospitality as the Nullarbor passes by. Along the way, you'll cross state borders and time zones before settling in for a regionally inspired dinner on board. Later, arrive into Cook, South Australia. Once a bustling town and today only a handful of residents remain. Step off into this outback outpost where its stories endure and, as evening falls, look skyward. With little light pollution, Cook offers an extraordinary view of the night sky, including the Southern Cross and other constellations when conditions are right. (B,L,D)

DAY 6 – INDIAN PACIFIC, BAROSSA VALLEY

Spend the morning travelling through the pastoral heart of South Australia, with sweeping views of the Flinders Ranges, Spencer Gulf, and the Adelaide Plains unfolding beyond your window. A leisurely breakfast and lunch are served on board, inviting you to savour the relaxed rhythm of train travel.

In the afternoon, disembark at Long Plains and transfer by coach to the world-renowned Barossa Valley. Here, at the historic Seppeltsfield Estate, an evening of fine wine and dining awaits. Begin with a wine and canapé tasting before heading into the vintage cellar for a signature culinary experience created exclusively for Indian Pacific guests. Witness the spectacular 'Firing of the Barrel' before enjoying a food and wine pairing designed by Executive Chef Owen Andrews. Platinum guests are also invited to taste a rare 100-year-old tawny, a true highlight of the region.

After dinner return to the train at Adelaide Parklands Terminal, where the Indian Pacific rolls eastward into the night. (B,L,D)

DAY 7 – INDIAN PACIFIC, BROKEN HILL

Overnight the Indian Pacific crosses another border, arriving in Broken Hill, New South Wales – the famed Silver City. After a hearty breakfast, set out to explore this legendary outback town.

Choose an experience that brings the character of Broken Hill to life, from exploring its rich mining heritage and early outback history to delving into its vibrant artistic culture. Food lovers can enjoy an experience celebrating the region's native ingredients, while other experiences offer a chance to meet local characters and gain a deeper connection to this remarkable outback community.

Return to the train for lunch and admire the changing landscapes of regional New South Wales. In the evening, savour your final dinner on board and raise a glass to an unforgettable journey exploring Australia by train. (B,L,D)

DAY 8 – INDIAN PACIFIC, BLUE MOUNTAINS AND ARRIVE SYDNEY

Your final day begins in the majestic Blue Mountains, where soaring sandstone cliffs and eucalypt valleys create a World Heritage–listed landscape unlike any other. After breakfast, farewell the Indian Pacific and step into this extraordinary bushland for your Off Train Experience.

At Scenic World, choose from four iconic adventures. Glide above ravines on the Scenic Skyway, descend into the forest aboard the Scenic Cableway, or ride the world's steepest passenger railway. Alternatively, stretch your legs on a guided walk to soak up the views, or savour a decadent high tea at the historic Hydro Majestic Hotel, framed by sweeping mountain panoramas.

To complete your journey, board our chartered New South Wales rail service, fully hosted by your Indian Pacific crew, into Sydney's Central Station. For those preferring an earlier arrival, the option to remain on the Indian Pacific and reach Sydney before lunch is also available.

On arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel to check in and make the most of being in this beautiful harbourside city. (B,L) (B)

OVERNIGHT: 3 nights Swissotel Sydney

DAY 9 – SYDNEY HARBOUR DINNER CRUISE

Discover Sydney at your leisure today. This evening experience one of the world's most iconic cities on an all-inclusive dinner cruise on Spirit of Migloo, an exclusive 78ft luxury vessel. Enjoy a premium three-course menu featuring regionally sourced ingredients. Departing Darling Harbour, we cruise towards Sydney Harbour Bridge and pass the iconic Sydney cityscape and Sydney Opera House. We believe dinner should be a long, lavish affair, so expect a generous al a carte meal inspired by local and regional produce, paired with a selection of beers, wines from some of the finest wine-producing regions in New South Wales, soft drinks and tea or coffee. (B,D)



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DAY 10 – SYDNEY
Today is yours to explore the harbour city from the CBD to Chinatown, Manly to Newtown, or Barangaroo to Darling Harbour. There are plenty of diverse sights, flavours and experiences to take in, including museums, galleries, aquariums, gardens and more. (B)

DAY 11 – FAREWELL
After breakfast, check out of your accommodation. This signals the end of your epic journey across Australia. (B)