# EDUCATIONAL VISITS 2020-2021



Established in Montréal for **more than 35 years**, Guidatour specializes in the development of tours and scavenger hunts that are both fun and educational for youth of all ages and all academic levels. We provide you with **professional staff and guides** who are experienced with school groups. These activities are easily adapted to any group and we can also develop other ideas tailored to your own needs and interests.

Covid-19: Our health and safety measures are evolving rapidly; please refer to our website for more details.



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#### OLD MONTRÉAL EXPLOR-ACTION SCAVENGER HUNT

Designed for students aged between 8 and 14 years old

ON FOOT 2 hrs

This is the dynamic way to discover Old Montréal! Explore **four areas** of Old Montréal in detail. Hear fascinating stories and learn more about the history and architecture of the historic district.

After a brief presentation of each area by your professional guide, groups will be divided into small teams to participate in a mini scavenger hunt of the area.



Students

\$11.75

Minimum 20 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students. Included: One prize for each member of the winning team.







## OLD MONTRÉAL SCAVENGER HUNT CHALLENGE

Ideal for students aged 14 and older

ON FOOT 2 hrs Supervised by our staff, each team of five or six participants roams the streets of Old Montréal **independently**. Use your observation skills to answer the questions within a time limit to get the highest score possible.

Here is an excellent way to learn more about the history of Old Montréal while having fun!

\$	Students (30 to 40)	\$18.50
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	Students (51 +)	\$13.00

Minimum 30 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students. Included: One prize for each member of the winning team Note: Other neighbourhoods available; rates upon request.

New: Amazing Race version available for groups of 200 students + (rates upon request).







Reservations are mandatory at the date & time of your choice, depending on availability • All rates are per person and include taxes • Transportation not included The activities goes rain or shine • Rates valid through August 31, 2021 • Gratuity not included but customary, amount left to your discretion



#### **EXPLOR-ACTION OLD MONTRÉAL**

Adaptable for students of all ages

2 hrs

Here is a fun way for students to explore the historic district, discover its rich heritage and learn more about its fascinating evolution.

Pictures and questions are all part of the tour, led by a professional guide. Students will be asked to compare, identify and link the past with the present using surrounding buildings, the lifestyles of Montréalers and important events in the city's history.



Students

\$11.75

Minimum 15 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students.





## **DUAL PROGRAM - OLD MONTRÉAL**

Adaptable for students of all ages

4 ½ hrs

ONFOOT In the morning, set off to learn all about the history and architecture of Old Montréal by exploring the area on the **Explor-Action walking tour** led by a professional guide.

After lunch, the exhibition Building Montréal at Pointe-à-Callière Museum will stimulate everyone's participation with authentic archaeological remains, virtual characters, artifacts and an interactive module.



Students 4 to 12 yrs old \$21.25 Students 13 to 17 yrs old \$22.25

Minimum 15 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students. \$15.00 per additional adult.





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#### HISTORICAL CHARACTERS OF OLD MONTRÉAL

Designed for students of all ages

ON FOOT 2 hrs Let students hear about the history, architecture and culture of Old Montréal through the important men and women who shaped Montréal, brought to life by our **professional costumed guides**. For example, meet Maisonneuve, Jeanne Mance, Marguerite Bourgeoys, Jacques Viger or other interesting characters.



Students \$13.25

Minimum 15 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students. Note: Available from mid-March to mid-November.







# ALL ABOUT MONTRÉAL' MURALS

Adaptable for students of all ages

ON FOOT

Discover the origin and the current place of **mural art in Montréal**, on a path marked with unique and eclectic works of art.

Focusing mainly on the St-Laurent Boulevard axis and taking intriguing detours in surrounding streets and alleyways, this colourful visit will allow the students to admire some of the most lively and creative Montréal murals while highlighting the talent of the artists and collectives behind them.



Students \$13.25

Minimum 15 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students.



#### **DUAL PROGRAM – ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT**

Designed for students of all ages

3 ½ hrs

Experience the cultural heart of Montréal like you never have before! In the company of a professional guide, the students will walk down the streets of the **Quartier des spectacles** — the city's entertainment district — and learn about its history and its most recent transformations.

After the walking tour, students will discover the art of improv through **Improv Lab**, a playful workshop appropriate for all ages and specifically designed to favour and stimulate creativity, communication, listening skills, problem-solving and group work.

\$	Students	\$24.50
	Students Guided tour only	\$13.25

Minimum 20 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 15 students.



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#### **CLASSIC CITY TOUR**

Ideal within the Geography, History and Citizenship Education Program

3 hrs

Here is the **perfect introduction** to Montréal, providing an overview of its geography, people and history, from Ville-Marie to today. Roam the streets of Old Montréal, downtown and Mount Royal Park up to the Kondiaronk Belvedere to admire the spectacular view over the city.



Students

\$7.75

Minimum 30 students. • Complimentary tickets for 3 adults per bus. Note: Microphone mandatory, one guide per vehicle.



#### **MULTICULTURAL CITY TOUR**

Designed for students of all ages

BY BUS 3 hrs Experience a cultural journey as you cross the **Greek, Italian, Jewish, Portuguese and Chinese neighbourhoods!**Get a glimpse of the different lifestyles and cultures in various districts of Montréal. Find out how successive waves of immigration have helped shape the city, its architecture, economy, gastronomy and much more.



Students

\$10.25

Minimum 30 students. • Complimentary tickets for 3 adults per bus. Note: Microphone mandatory, one guide per vehicle.

Optional: Visit of a place of worship (\$2.50 per student).



#### **MONTRÉAL'S CULTURES & RELIGIONS**

Ideal within the Ethics & Religious Culture Program

BY BUS
5 ½ hrs

Follow your guide through different ethnic neighbourhoods and discover the various **religions and cultures** that bring Montréal to life. A visit of **three places of worship** is also included in the program (one Christian and two of other religions). Students may bring a lunch as a break is scheduled to eat outside.



Students

\$23.25

Minimum 30 students. • Complimentary tickets for 3 adults per bus. Note: Microphone mandatory, one guide per vehicle.







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## AT YOUR SCHOOL (ON-SITE WORKSHOPS)



# MONTRÉAL WITH A PROFESSIONAL GUIDE

An **accredited guide** will talk about their profession, about Montréal and the history of its founding, from New France up until today. They will also discuss the precolonial period and the First Nations. The activity will be enriched with question and answer segments, quizzes, historical and contemporary photos, videos, and trips to the heart of the city using Google Earth, as though you were there in person!







## THE LIFE OF A MONTRÉAL GHOSTS ACTOR

Meet a **professional actor**, member of the *Union des artistes*, and learn more about their career path (theatre, TV, ads, voice work, work as an extra, clowning, etc.). The actor will share with the class the highs and lows inherent to the profession, and will follow this with a live makeup and costume demonstration. Once the transformation into a "ghost" is complete, he or she will perform an excerpt of their Montréal Ghosts performance, sharing a somewhat darker side of New France.



#### SCHOOLS OF A BYGONE ERA

The workshop facilitator will talk about schools in the time of the students' grandparents and great-grandparents, that is to say, Québec schools of the **1950s and 1960s**. Historical photos, anecdotes, discussions on conditions at the schools, the customs and traditions observed there, as well as the differences between city schools and country schools, will help immerse students in another era, which they will be able to compare to their current reality.



 Students (50 to 74)
 \$11.50

 Students (75 and +)
 \$9.00

Workshops last 60 to 75 minutes approximately.

Available and customizable for students from 3rd grade to secondary 5.

The rates are listed per workshop, and this same workshop may be run up to a maximum of four times in the day.

Note: Rates indicated are for schools located within a 75-minute radius of Montréal's downtown core (75 minutes without traffic as according to Google Maps). For every 30-minute period of additional travel time, a \$30 fee will be added.







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#### TRADITIONAL GHOST WALK

Suited for children aged 12 and older

ON FOOT

**Follow a storyteller** and discover some of our most gruesome legends and stories, along with anecdotes of unexplained phenomena... Visit outdoor places where major events unfolded and which are possibly still haunted... This unforgettable activity will allow you to discover the secrets of Old Montréal's streets and alleys!



Students

\$20.00

Minimum 20 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 20 students. Note: Available during the day or in the evening at 5 p.m., 7 p.m. or 9 p.m.







#### **NEW FRANCE GHOST HUNT**

Suited for children aged 12 and older

ON FOOT

Paired up in teams with fellow participants, you will be given a map of the local area, then off to the Hunt, **searching for the Ghosts hidden** in the small narrow streets of Old Montréal. Each Ghost, played by a professional actor, will tell you the story of their life, or, better still, their death... Fascinating tales and encounters await you!



Students

\$20.00

Minimum 50 students. • Complimentary ticket for 1 adult per 20 students. Note: Available from mid-March to mid-November, during the day or in the evening at 5 p.m., 7 p.m. or 9 p.m.







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