

Trois-Rivières, Quebec, Canada

Founded in 1634, Trois-Rivières is North America's second-oldest French-speaking city — a compact, walkable gem where a 19th-century stone prison sits beside hip microbreweries and 300 poetry plaques line the streets.

 Pier (docked)

 Typical call: 7-9 hrs

 Canadian Dollar (CAD)

 French (English widely spoken)

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____

Arrive: _____

All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____

Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Cruise Pavilion, Section 3 — direct pier, 5-min walk to historic district

Best For: History, French-Canadian culture, craft beer, walking

Walk to centre: 5 min to Old Town; 10 min to Rue des Forges

Don't Miss: Old Prison tour, Boréalispulp-mill museum, poutine on Rue des Forges

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✓ CAD \$8–18 · 📱 **Rideshare** ✓ Uber, Lyft

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Old Prison of Trois-Rivières** — Tour a grim stone prison that operated from 1822 to 1986.
 - **Boréalispulp & Paper Museum** — Set in a stunning restored water-filtration plant, this museum celebrates the lumberjacks and mill workers who made...
 - **Musée POP (Popular Culture Museum)** — Fun, interactive museum next to the Old Prison dedicated to Quebec's
- popular culture — games, traditions, and social...

 - **Île Saint-Quentin Beach & Trails** — A short taxi ride to a river island with a sandy supervised beach, kayak rentals, walking trails through marshland, and...
 - **Sanctuaire Notre-Dame-du-Cap** — One of Canada's national pilgrimage shrines: a striking modernist basilica, a 1720 stone chapel, and peaceful grounds...

BEST WALKS

- **Historic Core Walk** ~2 km · 45 min · Flat — From the pier, walk north to Parc Portuaire for river views, then up to Rue des Ursulines (the oldest street, lined with 18th-century...
- **Riverfront to Boréalispromenade** ~1.5 km one-way · 30 min · Flat — Follow the riverfront promenade west from the Cruise Pavilion along the Saint-Lawrence to the Boréalisp museum, spotting poetry plaques...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	47°	32°	1d
Jun	72°	56°	1d
Aug	76°	61°	1d
Sep	69°	53°	1d
Oct	56°	42°	1d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:03AM–7:37PM · Jun 4:57AM–8:44PM · Aug 5:49AM–7:58PM · Sep 6:28AM–7:00PM · Oct 7:08AM–6:02PM

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Say Bonjour first. Trois-Rivières is deeply French-Canadian. Starting any interaction with 'Bonjour' goes a long way; switch to English after if needed — most service staff are...
- Cards work everywhere. Canadian dollars are the currency, but Visa and Mastercard are accepted at virtually every restaurant,

Trois-Rivières, Quebec, Canada — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Vieille prison de Trois-Rivières | Explore this historic 19th-century prison, now a museum. | 2 Manoir de Niverville | Visit this historic 18th-century manor house and museum. |
| 3 centre d'exposition Raymond-Lasnier | Discover contemporary art exhibitions at this cultural center. | 4 Savonnerie artisanale de la Maison de Bibi | Shop for handmade soaps and bath products at this boutique. |
| 5 Parc du Cardinal-Roy | Relax in this urban park with green spaces and play areas. | 6 Parc de Marseille | Enjoy this neighborhood park with playgrounds and open green space. |
| 7 Roger Guilbault Park | Visit this local park offering recreational facilities and green space. | P Cruise port / terminal | |