

WESTERN AUSTRALIA CAPE TO CAPE

Best Bits



9 Days/8 Nights

Tour Highlights...

6-14 Nov 2026

Epic Beaches | Towering Karri Forests | Ancient Granite &
Limestone Cliffs | River Kayaking | Cave Exploring | Fabulous Food | Wine Tasting



Summary

Half the Distance, Twice the Fun: Cape to Cape Highlights

In the far south-west corner of Western Australia sits a patch of the planet that looks like Mother Nature got a bit carried away with the special effects budget.

A chunky peninsula elbows its way into the Indian Ocean, all rugged cliffs, white-sand beaches, and forests tall enough to make you wonder if you accidentally wandered into Middle-earth. Running along its edge is the Cape to Cape Track, a 132 km rollercoaster of limestone, granite, and “how is this even real?” views.

Now, don't panic – we're not making you walk the full thing. Our highlights tour covers the best half – plenty of wow factor, fewer blisters. And because we're nice, we've thrown in extras: kayaking the Margaret River, poking around caves older than your family tree, taste-testing with local producers, and a couple of cheeky short walks beyond the main trail.

So lace up your boots, loosen your belt, and come join us on Australia's wild edge – where every day finishes with a sunset so good it should come with a round of applause.



Day 1 Meet and Greet - Welcome to WA

Hello Western Australia! We'll touch down in Perth and gather at our hotel at 6.30pm – just enough time to drop your bags, freshen up, and wonder why you packed so many pairs of socks. We'll scout out somewhere lovely for dinner (own expense), and be early to bed to get over the jetlag!

O/N 1 nt Ambassador Hotel (or similar)

Day 2 Cape Naturaliste to Sugarloaf Rock & Meelup Lookout Loop 6.2km (B,L,D)

After pick-up we'll head south, breaking the journey with a very necessary coffee and cake stop (because adventures run on caffeine). At Cape Naturaliste we'll meet our guide and ease into things with a 3.7 km wander to Sugarloaf Rock – all rugged coastline, salty breezes, and plenty of excuses to stop for photos. From there, it's on to Meelup Beach for a cruisy 2.5 km loop, where the views will make you forget you're technically exercising. If you're feeling brave, cool off with a dip in the calm waters of Geographe Bay – swimmers recommended unless you're keen to skinny-dip. Essentials: water, togs, change of clothes. We'll finish the day perfectly – dinner and a pint at a local brewpub on our way to our accommodation. O/N 7 nts Surfpoint Resort

Day 3 Yallingup to Injidup 9.5km (B,L,D)

From Yallingup we'll clamber over the granite headland at Torpedo Rock, before cruising into the sandy beauty of Smith's Beach. The scenery then decides to turn up the drama – giant granite 'marbles' around Canal Rocks, sweeping ridge-top views, and a stop at Rotary Lookout that might make you say WOW out loud. Our descent takes us to Injidup Beach, where limestone cliffs cosy up to granite outcrops, and the water practically begs you to dive in. Swimsuit highly recommended (skinny-dipping optional, but possibly frowned upon). On the way back, we'll pop in to a local producer for a well-earned taste of the region. Sun, sea, snacks – not a bad day out.

Day 4 Moses Rock to Gracetown 15km (B,L,D)

Today the track takes us up and over limestone headlands before easing onto Wilyabrup Beach. From there, a rather photogenic staircase leads to the mighty Wilyabrup Cliffs – dramatic buttresses loved by climbers (and anyone with a camera). After soaking up the views, we drop back to the beach, skirting past surf breaks with names like Gallows and Guillotines – cheerful, right? Granite boulders then scatter the way into the laid-back hamlet of Gracetown, where an optional swim awaits. The afternoon brings a boutique winery visit – think local drops, cheese platters, and the kind of hospitality Margaret River is famous for. Dinner back at the hotel seals the deal – stories shared, bellies full, and maybe an early night.

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Day 5 Ellensbrook to Gnarabup 15km (B,L)

We'll kick off at the historic Ellensbrook settlement, winding inland through rolling dunes, past the old homestead and the gentle trickle of Meekadarabee Falls. From there it's on to hidden coves at Gnoocardup and the turquoise sparkle of Kilcarnup Bay – postcard views guaranteed. Keep your eyes peeled for the ancient osprey nest at Horseshoe Bay (a piece of prime real estate with ocean views), before finishing up at Prevelly, home to world-class surf and maybe a quick swim if you're willing. The evening is yours – relax, wander, or stroll to The Common Bistro for an easy, tasty dinner (own expense). Join the group if you fancy, or fly solo with a glass of something local.

Day 6 Redgate to Hooley Rd 14kms (B,L,D)

We'll start the day at the postcard-worthy Redgate Beach before tackling one of the Cape to Cape's greatest hits – the coastal cliffs of Bob's Hollow and Contos, where the ocean does its best impression of a drama queen. From there, the scenery changes gear as we slip into the shade of the karri forest. These towering giants are the third tallest hardwoods on the planet, and strolling beneath them with dappled sunlight above is a pretty magical way to balance out all that wild coastline. The trail here is smooth, the shade welcome, and the vibe downright peaceful. Tonight we'll relax, refuel, and share a fresh meal – swapping stories, laughs, and maybe a cheeky dessert or two.

Day 7 River Kayaking, Cave Tour, River Loop Walk (B,L,D)

We'll ease into the morning before launching kayaks at Prevelly Rivermouth, where the Margaret River (Wooditjup Bilya) flows out to sea. Paddling upstream, we'll drift past limestone cliffs rich in cultural history and the atmospheric ruins of Wallcliffe House – with ospreys often overhead, showing off their flying skills. Back on land, we'll duck underground for a guided wander through Mammoth Cave, a limestone wonder stuffed with stories and even ancient megafauna fossils (yes, actual giants once roamed here). To finish, we'll enjoy a gentle loop walk beneath shady karri trees, then swap paddles for pints at the Margaret River Brewhouse – where craft beer and local bites make the perfect reward for a day well spent.

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Day 8 Cosy Corner Blowhole, Hamelin Bay, Cape Leewin 7km (B,L,D)

We'll kick things off at Cosy Corner blowholes – nature's way of reminding us she's got a sense of humour. Then it's on to Hamelin Bay for a swim in crystal-clear waters, with a chance of meeting the resident stingrays (don't worry, they're friendlier than they look). After a coffee break in Augusta, we'll set out on today's walk, passing Flat Rock and the gentle Blackwood River before stumbling into history at Matthew Flinders' 1801 landing site. Tales of whalers, sealers, and early settlers will have you marvelling at just how tough they were. Our grand finale is Cape Leeuwin, Australia's most south-westerly tip, crowned by its iconic 19th-century lighthouse. Tonight we'll celebrate with dinner and a fun recap of the week's adventures.

Day 9 Perth (B)

Before we say goodbye, we'll swing by the Margaret River Farmers' Market. Grab a coffee, wander past stalls of fresh produce and handmade goodies, and maybe sneak a snack or two for the road. Then it's time to roll north, heading straight to Perth Airport for the journey home. It's a gentle finish to an adventure well-lived – full bellies, sandy shoes, and just a sprinkle of Margaret River magic packed in your carry-on.

The Details:

PRICE INCLUDES

- Small-Group - Min 8 - Max 16
- 8 nights twin share glamping with shared bathrooms
- Meals as per itinerary 8B, 7L & 6D
- All transfers
- Fully guided walks & kayaking
- Winery and local produce visits

ADDITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS OFFERED:

- Booking flights
- Travel insurance
- Pre or post tour travel

PRICE EXCLUDES:

- Flights
- Travel Insurance (compulsory)
- Meals not mentioned on itinerary
- All expenses of a personal nature

COST PER PERSON

- Twin or double share: \$3,495/person

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