



CHILD-FRIENDLY PLACES TO GO AND THINGS TO DO AND SEE IN OTTAWA

Canada Agriculture Museum

A unique combination of a modern working farm and a museum.

Canada Aviation Museum

This very unique building houses an impressive collection of more than one hundred aircraft from all over the world, from all periods of aviation history.

Canada Science and Technology Museum

A great place for kids that provides fun and learning through involvement

Canadian Children's Museum

A fun, friendly and creative learning space for kids.

Canadian Museum of Civilization

This is Canada's largest and most popular cultural institution

Canadian Museum of Nature

A microcosm of Canada's magnificent natural world for children and adults of all ages

Canadian War Museum

A living memorial to the men and women who have served in Canada's armed forces.

Cosmic Adventure

This is a jungle gym and play area all rolled into one.

Cumberland Heritage Village Museum

Village is located on 100 acres site and offers displays and activities that recreate the Ottawa valley in the 1930's. On site are a school-house, church, forge and more.

Imax Theatre

The movies shown here are a teacher's dream! Just think, your kids will be having so much fun, they won't even realize they are learning something. Located in the Canadian Museum of Civilization.

Little Ray's Reptile Adventure

Yes, we all have a little crocodile hunter inside of us!

Midway Family Fun

An indoor amusement park that's fun for the entire family

The Mud Oven

Just a great place to sit and paint-it-yourself ceramics store. A great way to spend a rainy afternoon

The Papanack Park Zoo

Leave the city and enjoy a relaxing time in the country, as you visit with the animals at Papanack. Drive 25 minutes east of Orleans (Place d'Orleans Shopping Center) on Highway 174 to Wendover / Pendleton. Exit south on County Road 19. 1 km on the left.

Parliament Hill

The tour may not be much fun for kids under eight, but the grounds are great for a stroll, and even little kids will enjoy the view from the Peace tour. During summer months, be sure to watch the changing of the guard (9:45 a.m.) as the Ceremonial Guard of the Canadian Forces brings military and music to Parliament Hill. Like to stay up late, the sound and light show (July 9-September 9) is an inspiring show using fantastic lights, effects and images.(July 5-August 6 (9:30&10:30 p.m.); August7-September 9(9:00 & 10:00p.m.))

Parc Omega Montebello

Keep those eyes peeled for those animals

Pirate Adventures

Pirates on the Rideau, a unique adventure for you and your child to board a pirate ship in the heart of downtown Ottawa! Great for family outings or birthday parties. Departs from Mooney's Bay six times a day. www.pirateadventures.ca

Royal Canadian Mint

Watch and learn how coins and money are made!

Upper Canada Village (Morrisburg-Ottawa region)

The life of 19th century pioneers is recreated in a historic village setting. Various trade people demonstrate period activities (i.e. millwork, wool dyeing, bread making).