

NATIONAL PARK · CANADA · NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

Gros Morne

at a glance

A piece of the Earth's mantle at the surface, a fjord cut off from the sea and a flat-topped mountain with Arctic tundra — a UNESCO World Heritage Site on Newfoundland's west coast.

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ESTABLISHED

1,805 km²AREA
(697 sq mi)**284 km**

COASTLINE

over 100 kmTRAILS
(62 mi)

BEFORE YOU GO

**On Newfoundland's west coast**

The park is 30 minutes from Deer Lake Airport and four hours by car from the ferry port of Port aux Basques.

**1,805 square kilometres (697 sq mi)**

Gros Morne stretches from the coast of the Gulf of St.

**Flying to Deer Lake**

Deer Lake Regional Airport is 35 kilometres (22 mi) from the southern park boundary.

**Summit closed from 1 May to 27 June**

To protect young caribou and ptarmigan, the summit trail closes every year from 1 May and reopens on 28 June.

**The summit is serious**

At the top it is often windy and much colder than at the base. Carry at least three litres of water per person, five on hot days.

**No reliable signal**

Mobile reception is unreliable throughout the park. Tell someone where you are going and when you will be back.

**Fees and opening hours, up to date**

Fees and times change. The park page lists them with source and date: nationalparksatlas.com/en/canada/gros-morne



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WESTERN BROOK POND



THE TABLELANDS



GROS MORNE MOUNTAIN

THINGS TO DO

Western Brook Pond boat tour

A three-kilometre (1.9 mi) trail through bog and forest takes about 45 minutes to the dock.

Up Gros Morne Mountain

The highest point of the park (806 metres, 2,644 ft) is a difficult loop: 17 kilometres (10.6 mi), 1,000 ...

The red chairs

The idea of placing red Adirondack chairs at quiet viewpoints comes from Gros Morne, in 2011.

World Heritage Site since 1987

UNESCO listed Gros Morne for its exceptional natural beauty and for rock formations that show important ...

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Walking on the Earth's mantle

The Tablelands Trail is easy, four kilometres (2.5 mi) return, and ends in the glacier-carved Winter House ...

Green Point

In the cliffs at Green Point, geologists found fossils that define the boundary between the Cambrian and the ...

How the Tablelands reached the surface

The rock formed deep in the Earth's mantle and was pushed up around half a billion years ago, when continents ...

The Arctic in the south

The summit of Gros Morne is a patch of Arctic tundra far south of its usual range.

TOURS AND GETTING THERE



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TOUR · LANDLOCKED FJORD
· FROM WESTERN BROOK
POND DOCK

**Boat tour on Western
Brook Pond between the
cliffs of the landlocked
fjord**

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EVENING BY THE FIRE

**Evenings by the campfire:
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Mi'kmaw culture**

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