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The spirit of discovery runs deep in Nevada. Whether it's our miles of wide-open spaces or something a little more communal like Burning Man, Nevada is filled with a variety of activities and characters that will satisfy the explorer inside you.

From the desert oasis of Las Vegas in the south, up and over the mountain rises and sagebrush-covered valleys of the north/central region, to the adventure-packed northwest, unlimited experiences await for you to discover, explore and conquer.

Nevada speaks to weekend wanderers and long-haul ponderers, guardians of tradition and buckers of trends. Nevada offers two great international airports, the Las Vegas – Harry Reid International Airport and Reno – Tahoe International Airport. Northern Nevada is in close proximity to San Francisco, only a 4-hour drive, creating a great airport hub for fly-and-drive itineraries. Open your Southern Nevada itinerary into a Neon to Nature experience, filled with art, National/state parks, and even haunted hotels like the Mizpah in Tonopah.

We're excited to welcome you to our incredible Silver State.




Go West
SUMMIT
2017, 2022, & 2024
HOST STATE

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MAJOR CITIES & TOWNS

Las Vegas, Henderson, Pahrump, Laughlin, Carson City, Reno, Lake Tahoe, Elko, Ely, Fallon

CLIMATE

Nevada consists of mountain ranges, desert land and mean altitude of 5,500ft (1676 meters) above sea level which makes it the fifth highest state. Nevada averages 33 inches of snow per year. The US average is 26 inches of snow per year. On average, there are 247 sunny days per year in Nevada. The US average is 205 sunny days. During summer months the average high temperature can be 91 degrees (32 Celsius) and during winter the lowest average temperature can be 36 (2 Celsius) degrees.

TRANSPORTATION

Nevada is the road trip capital of the USA, with all our surprising scenery, intriguing towns, oddball attractions, outdoor freedom, and miles of all-to-yourself roads. In total, Nevada offers 10 road trips within the state; several hundred mountain ranges cross its landscape, including the Sierra Nevada Mountains to the west and the Ruby Mountains in the east. Travel down Highway 50, known as the Lonliest Road in America, or be bold and travel US-95 from Las Vegas to Reno to experience the free-range art highway. All you need is a vehicle and a sense of adventure, Nevada will provide the rest.

ATTRACTIONS

Las Vegas Strip National Scenic Byway
Hoover Dam/Lake Mead/Historic Boulder City
Red Rock National Conservation Area
Mt. Charleston/Winter Skiing & Hiking
Valley of Fire State Park
Fremont Street Experience
Lost City Museum
Great Basin National Park
Cathedral Gorge State Park
Pahrump Wineries
Goldwell Open Air Museum
Highway 50, The Loneliest Road in America
Nevada Northern Railway
Eureka Opera House
Grimes Point Petroglyphs
Pyramid Lake Scenic Byway
Stewart Indian School
Diamond Peak Ski Resort
Mt. Rose Ski Resort
Minden Mill Distillery – Minden, NV
Frey Ranch Estate Distillery – Fallon, NV

Nevada State Capital/Carson City
Nevada State Railroad Museum
Town of Genoa/Mormon Station
Lake Tahoe
Heavenly Village and Gondola
Downtown Riverwalk, Reno
National Automobile Museum
Nevada Museum of Art
Virginia City
Ruby Mountains – Elko
Lamoille Canyon
Western Folklife Center
Gold Mining Tours – Elko, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain
California Trail Interpretive Center
McGill Drug Store Museum
Ruby Mountain 360 Lodge
Safe Haven Wildlife Sanctuary
Sand Mountain Recreation Area
Midtown, Reno



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ITINERARIES

Whether you're a foodie, a history buff, an adventure junkie, or an old soul looking for some quiet, your next favorite vacation awaits on a Silver State road trip.

BURNER BYWAY

110 to 250 miles | 2 to 4 days

This trip starts in the Biggest Little City and follows the same route tens of thousands take each year to the Black Rock Desert and Burning Man. With a night at spellbinding Pyramid Lake and a visit to some of the West's most pristine desert, this road is all about unscripted adventure.

DEATH VALLEY RALLY

Up to 370 miles | 3 to 4 days

A land of extremes awaits just off The Strip. While diving into the state's southwest, you'll enjoy below-sea-level adventure in Death Valley, stargaze at an alpine resort, wander a ghost town, and tour a Mojave Desert winery.

COWBOY CORRIDOR

400 miles | 2 to 4 days

Nevada's Interstate 80 may be what some motorists blast down on their way to somewhere else, but that's their loss! On this trip, you'll discover lively communities that celebrate the confluence of buckaroo, Basque, and American Indian traditions. Along the way, enjoy plenty of museums, galleries, and some of the state's best small-town cuisine.



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FREE-RANGE ART HIGHWAY

440 to 515 miles | 1 to 3 days

Psychedelic free-range art meets the American West on this 500-mile trek from Las Vegas to Reno. While motoring between the state's two major metro areas, you'll meet mural-draped downtowns, oddball open-air galleries, funky shops, and iconic overnights.

EXTRATERRESTRIAL HIGHWAY

100 to 470 miles | 2 days

This road trip will see you rocketing off to one of Nevada's most remote and mysterious corridors. Along the way, you'll see one of the deepest craters in the U.S., hunt for UFOs just miles outside Area 51, stay in a clown-themed motel, and score some alien swag.

GREAT BASIN HIGHWAY

350 to 585 miles | 3 to 5 days

This trip begins with sandstone canyons and ends at ancient bristlecone pines beneath some of the nation's darkest skies. Before reaching our state's very own national park, you'll explore surreal landscapes at Valley of Fire and Cathedral Gorge, walk down a few historic main streets, and visit a handful of well-preserved ghost towns.

LAKE TAHOE LOOP

350 to 585 miles | 3 to 5 days

145 miles | 2 to 5 days

World-famous Lake Tahoe is a year-round haven for resort-goers and outdoor enthusiasts. But don't forget that Nevada's side of the lake is absolutely packed with things to do and see.

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LONELIEST ROAD IN AMERICA

375 to 500 miles | 3 days

This road trip is your chance to explore Nevada's wild interior. In between sagebrush-laden valleys and piney mountain ranges, you'll have unrivaled opportunities for hot springing, off-roading, wildlife viewing, and Sagebrush Saloon hopping.

RUBIES ROUTE

30 to 375 miles | 2 to 5 days

With Elko as your hub, get ready to explore a recreation-packed paradise in the state's rugged northwest outback. You'll hike gorgeous Lamoille Canyon, dip into pristine mountain lakes, and wind through the wilds to Jarbidge—one of the West's last true frontier towns.

NEON TO NATURE

60 to 210 miles | 1 to 3 days

Las Vegas is good at keeping people occupied, but just an hour beyond the glow are the world-famous Hoover Dam and Colorado River, outdoor playgrounds like Red Rock Canyon, and plenty of ghost towns and archeological sites. Back in civilization, you'll wine and dine in vintage Las Vegas and a take boardwalk walk along the Colorado River in Laughlin.



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