

28 Best Places to See Fall Foliage in America

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These are the best places to see fall foliage this year—along with some fun activities you can enjoy on your trip



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When it comes to [fall activities](#), leaf-peeping ranks No. 1. From small towns in New England to Yellowstone National Park, the United States has some of the **best places to see fall foliage**.

America brims with picturesque places to soak in the majesty of the [fall season](#). That's why we combed through countless reviews and hundreds of photographs to put together a cross-section of the best autumnal standouts for solo trips and [weekend getaways](#). While the top requirement was vibrant

fall foliage, we focused on locations that offer plenty to see and do. Whether you choose to stay at a five-star resort, a small-town bed-and-breakfast or a cute cabin rental, a sublime seasonal escape awaits.

So keep reading for our list of the best places to see fall foliage in the country, along with the fun activities you can do while in the area.



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Bristol, Rhode Island

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Just 35 minutes from Newport, the quaint town of Bristol boasts historic architecture, a relaxed ambience and seasonal festivals. Foliage chasers will enjoy Colt State Park and the gardens at Blithewold. Take a break from gawking at the gorgeous landscape to meander through the downtown area. Nearby, you'll find a beach that's even better in the fall.

Highlights:

- The beauty of Blithewold's mansion, gardens and arboretum in the fall knows no bounds.
- Hear about the British being intentionally misdirected to the Episcopal Church on a historic walking tour of Hope Street.