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7 Off-Season Getaways You Should Book Now

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September usually signals the close of summer, but the off-season fall deals are just getting started. Here are our favorite off-season getaways you should book now.

September signifies a new start to the year for some; the kids are in school, back to the grind at work and the summer is over. But is it really? The official end of summer is September 21st, so squeeze every last drop out of summer 2019 by taking advantage of these travel deals where the prices drop drastically post Labor Day and run through the rest of fall.

Whether you're looking to enjoy a long weekend (I've got my eye on you, Columbus Day) or you've saved up a week of your vacay to take advantage of quiet beaches and resort towns. Here are a few to consider this fall for an endless summer quest.

Block Island, RI

A quick ferry ride from mainland Rhode Island or from the tip of Montauk, New York, Block Island has a charming old-timey feel where small, family-run businesses reign supreme. Though many visitors flock to Block Island in the summer, local insider intel has long advised that September through October is prime time.

There's more availability with the same quintessential summertime New England feel. The island is significantly less crowded in the fall, pushing the hotel prices down significantly.

The [Harborside Inn](#) offers prices under \$200 through the weekend, but they also offer a "Discover Block Island" Midweek Package for two nights at \$369 in September. This deal includes two round-trip ferry tickets with beverages, a welcome gift bag and dining vouchers worth \$100 at Mohegan Cafe & Brewery in Old Harbor. You'll also have access to bikes and beach chairs for your entire stay. More than 43% of Block Island is preserved in perpetuity as open space, making it the perfect beach destination to explore by bike!