

8 Stellar Group Getaways from Boston In a Three-Hour Drive or Less

Did somebody say road trip?

Embarking on a road trip from Boston means two things: Escaping the hustle and bustle of city life and so many epic destinations to decide between within driving distance. Whether you're drawn to picturesque coastal hamlets, want to amble along a quaint main street, or are in need of some outdoorsy fun in mountain towns, New England has a road trip adventure for you and your crew. So, throw your luggage in the trunk and get ready for your next great escape from Beantown.



The Chanler at Cliff Walk

Newport, RI

Some 72 miles from Boston (or a two-and-a-half hour drive) lies ever-winsome Newport. Come for the Gilded Age architecture, stay for the crab cakes, lobster rolls, and clamcakes. To get acquainted with the terrain, take a scenic [Newport Trolley Tour](#). Or, start your trip with [Newport Mansion tours](#) for a megadose of Gilded Age Splendor (FYI: Some mansions are only opened seasonally), and then stroll along the famous [Cliff Walk](#) for that rocky shoreline, Atlantic Ocean, and sprawling estate triple punch.

Speaking of that famed three-and-a-half-mile route, you'll want to post up at [The Chanler at Cliff Walk](#), where you and your friends will spend the happiest of hours on the property's picturesque lawn that welcomes a wine garden in the summer, apple cider bar in the fall, and hot chocolate bar in the winter (whatever you sip on, make divvying up the costs of drinks a breeze with Zelle®). The hotel's [Cara](#) restaurant doles out blind tasting menus that rotate daily for an unforgettable culinary experience, and nearby you can also feast at [The Mooring Seafood Kitchen and Bar](#), [Clarke Cooke House](#), and [The White Horse Tavern](#). Visiting the [International Tennis Hall of Fame](#) is a must before you skip town.