

America

1) Little America Hotel - Wyoming

About this hotel

Off I-80, this unfussy rural hotel is 39 miles from Seedskaadee National Wildlife Refuge and 60 miles from Fossil Butte National Monument.

Frilly rooms and suites offer free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs and minibridges, plus microwaves, en suite bathrooms and coffeemakers. Some have sitting areas.

Amenities include a restaurant, an outdoor pool and

Australia

1) Australia Hotel

About this hotel

In a Colonial-style corner building, this laid-back hotel is a 6-minute walk from Freemantle train station, a 15-minute walk from Bathers Bay beach and a 17-minute walk from Freemantle Prison, now a museum.

The modest rooms sleep 1 to 4 people and come with Wi-Fi (fee). All have shared bathrooms.

Amenities include a casual bar with a pool table, plus a TV lounge, and a patio with seating. There are also guest laundry facilities

Canada

1) Fairmont Pacific Rim

About this hotel

Set in a striking contemporary building, this high-end hotel is a 5-minute walk from both the harbour and the Canada Place convention centre/ferry terminal, and 13 minutes' walk from Vancouver Art Gallery. Posh rooms provide flat-screens and Nepresso machines, as well as minibars and Wi-Fi (fee). Upgraded rooms and suites add soaking or whirlpool tubs, plus patios with fire pits and harbour views. Club-level rooms come with butlers, free breakfast, and access to a lounge serving snacks and drinks. Room service is offered 24/7

China

1) China World Hotel, Beijing

About this hotel

Set in the Central Business District, this luxury hotel in a sleek building is 5 km from both Tiananmen Square and the Forbidden City. Chic rooms feature free Wi-Fi, flat-screens, minibars and marble bathrooms, as well as panoramic city views. Club rooms add access to a lounge serving food and drinks. Suites have living rooms; some provide kitchenettes and whirlpool tubs. Room service is on offer 24/7.

Check-in time: 2:00 PM
Check-out time: 12:00 AM

Japan

1) Hotel Palace Japan

About this hotel

A 6-minute walk from Minami-Senju metro station, this simple budget downtown hotel is 2 km from both Senso-ji temple and the Tokyo National Museum. Compact dorms have bunk beds, TVs, minibridges and Wi-Fi, as well as desks and shared bathrooms. Private rooms are available, and a female-only floor is offered. Amenities include kitchenettes on each floor, plus a main kitchen and a pared-back dining area. There's also a TV lounge, in addition to guest computers, coin-operated laundry facilities, and complimentary hot drinks

South Africa

1) Hilton Sandton

About this hotel

Set 1 km from Nelson Mandela Square, this upscale hotel is 12 km from Zoo Lake in Johannesburg. Offering city or garden views, the polished rooms feature flat-screens, minibars and Wi-Fi access, plus tea and coffeemaking equipment. Suites add separate living rooms; upgraded suites offer 4-poster beds and/or bathrooms with whirlpool tubs. Some quarters provide access to a lounge with free continental breakfast and snacks. Room service is available.