



# The perfect 48 hours in Page

Built around real tour times by people who live here. Follow it as written, or steal the parts you like.

## BEFORE YOU LEAVE HOME

- **Book your Antelope Canyon tour first.** Every visit is guided and slots are capped. Summer mornings sell out 3 or more weeks ahead. Build the rest of the trip around this slot.
- **Book 2 nights in Page.** The canyon needs a morning. Horseshoe Bend needs an evening. One night forces you to pick.
- **Want to try for the Wave?** The daily lottery only works if you're physically in the Page area. Two nights means two chances. (Grab our Wave Lottery Playbook.)
- **Horseshoe Bend needs no reservation.** Just \$10 per car at the lot.

## DAY ONE

### Arrive, then earn your dinner

3:00 PM

#### Check in and drop the bags.

Grab water and sunscreen before you head back out. The desert does not care that you're on vacation.

4:30 PM

#### Glen Canyon Dam overlook.

Ten minutes from town, free, and a good warm-up. The bridge view down the canyon is the sleeper photo of the trip.

75 MIN  
BEFORE  
SUNSET

#### Horseshoe Bend.

Park at the lot on US-89 (\$10 per car). The walk is 1.5 miles round trip with no shade, so bring water even in the evening. Arrive early to find your spot on the rim. The bend faces west and the sunset glow is the whole show.

8:30 PM

#### Dinner in town.

Page runs on tour schedules, so kitchens close earlier than you'd expect. Don't push it past 9.

## The canyon, the lake, the drive home you'll dread

7:30 AM

### Coffee and a real breakfast.

Your canyon tour will run 1.5 to 2 hours with no food or drink inside except water. Eat first.

YOUR TOUR  
SLOT

### Antelope Canyon.

Arrive 30 minutes before your slot. Bags aren't allowed inside, so travel light: phone, water, hat. Mid-morning to midday light is best in Upper. Lower and Canyon X are great all day.

12:30 PM

### Lunch, then slow down.

You've done the two icons. The afternoon is for the lake.

2:00 PM

### Lake Powell.

Wahweap overlook for the view, or the beach near Wahweap if conditions allow a swim. Water levels change what's open, so check locally when you arrive (or ask us, we know).

GOLDEN HOUR

### One last look.

The light on the red rock in the last hour is why photographers move here. Wander, sit, don't rush it.

#### WHAT TO BOOK, AND WHEN

THE STOP	RESERVATION	HOW FAR AHEAD
Antelope Canyon	Required, guided only	3+ weeks (more in summer)
Horseshoe Bend	None, \$10 per car	Just show up
Lake Powell boat tours	Recommended	1 to 2 weeks, conditions permitting
The Wave (daily lottery)	Lottery, in-area only	2 days before, from Page
Your room	Book direct and save	The earlier the better

#### DRIVE TIMES FROM PAGE

Horseshoe Bend	10 minutes	Grand Canyon South Rim	2.5 hours
Antelope Canyon	15 minutes	Zion National Park	2 hours
Lake Powell (Wahweap)	15 minutes	Monument Valley	2 hours
Kanab, UT	1.25 hours	Bryce Canyon	2.5 hours

#### STAY IN THE MIDDLE OF IT

The Wesley is the only boutique hotel in Page, rebuilt room by room by the two of us who bought it. Every stop in this guide is minutes from our front door. Book direct at [thewesleyaz.com](http://thewesleyaz.com) and you'll always get our best rate, free cancellation up to 7 days out, and a real person on the phone.