



Goldfields & Macedon

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Gold was what made Victoria great, and this lovely meander through old gold-mining towns and rolling hill country is one of the state's more agreeable and lesser-known drives.

TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

160 km

Clunes

Impeccable gold heritage and fabulous books

Bendigo ●

81 km

Maldon

Storybook mining village, perfectly preserved

5

B180

C282

Chewton

Newstead

Malmsbury

7

Daylesford ●

8

FINISH

Ballarat

Victoria's premier gold-mining town

201 km

2

●Macedon

START

Woodend & Hanging Rock

Iconic volcanic outcrop swirling with mystery

7 km

4-5 DAYS
201KM /
125 MILES

GREAT FOR...



BEST TIME TO GO

Southern areas can be bitterly cold in winter. Autumn is wonderful around the Macedon Ranges.



ESSENTIAL PHOTO

Maldon's main street.



BEST FOR HISTORY

Castlemaine has fabulous gold-rush architecture and a palpable sense of history.