JLW TRAVEL PRESENTS BEST OF BRITAIN

9 DAYS / 8 NIGHTS | 16 July 2025













DAY 1: 16 JULY 2025 London and Medieval York

Meet your Travel Director to begin your journey north to Stratford-upon-Avon, with its wealth of black-and-white, timber-framed houses. Discover how William Shakespeare and his incredible works continue to shape society today when you visit his birthplace, full of interesting memorabilia and artefacts relating to his life. Continue to historic York to stroll the narrow lanes including the Shambles and view York Minster, England's largest medieval cathedral. Later, join your Travel Director for a warm and friendly dinner and the opportunity to mingle over a pleasant evening.

Meal(s): Dinner with Wine. Hotel(s): Hilton, York or Similar

DAY 2: 17 JULY 2025 Hadrian's Wall to Edinburgh

See a part of Hadrian's Wall, an impressive Roman construction that once spanned 80 miles from coast to coast, marking the northern frontier of the mighty Roman Empire. Continue past Jedburgh Abbey en route to the Scottish capital, Edinburgh, for your two-night stay in this stunning city. This evening, perhaps partake in a traditional optional dinner at Ghillie Dhu.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

Hotel(s): Edinburgh Marriott Holyrood or Similar

DAY 3: 18 JULY 2025 Edinburgh Sightseeing

In the morning join a Local Expert to explore the Royal Mile. You will see the Palace of Holyroodhouse, the official Scottish residence of His Majesty the King. Continue past the Sir Walter Scott Monument to the 18th century New Town with its neoclassical Adam facades. Visit Edinburgh Castle, home of the Honours of Scotland, to view Mons Meg. The afternoon is at leisure. In the evening, select departures will attend the spectacular Military Tattoo - a colourful mix of pipes and drums, dance and display, set against the floodlit backdrop of Edinburgh Castle.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

Hotel(s): Edinburgh Marriott Holyrood or Similar

DAY 4: 19 JULY 2025 Loch Lomond to Glasgow

Drive via historic Bannockburn and Stirling and enjoy the scenery of the Trossachs. Continue along the bonnie banks of Loch Lomond, before arriving in Glasgow for an orientation of the city with your Travel Director. See the grand public buildings, including George Square and St. Mungo's Cathedral.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

Hotel(s): Radisson Blu, Glasgow or Similar

DAY 5: 20 JULY 2025 The Glorious Lake District Travel via Gretna Green to the English Lake District, with scenery so beautiful it inspired a host of writers. Learn about the life of William Wordsworth and visit his grave in the picturesque, stone-built village of Grasmere.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner with Wine. Hotel(s): Castle Green, Kendal or Similar

DAY 6: 21 JULY 2025 The Welsh Marches and Cardiff

Stop in ancient Ludlow, one of England's most attractive towns, dominated by its castle, rich in tragic royal history. Why not spend time exploring the traditional openair market, admiring the local crafts and perhaps sampling the produce? Afterwards, cross into southern Wales and head for the capital of Cardiff for an orientation of the port city, upon the River Taff. See Cardiff Castle and the impressive Principality Stadium.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

Hotel(s): Clayton, Cardiff or Similar



DAY 7: 22 JULY 2025 Georgian Bath and Devon

Cross the Severn Bridge back into England and drive to the golden Georgian City of Bath, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Visit the well-preserved Roman Baths, a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, which serve as a hub of culture and education for the local population. Continue to Glastonbury, steeped in legend and reputed to be the final resting place of King Arthur and the Holy Grail. View the ruined monastery before continuing to your hotel in the heart of Plymouth.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

Hotel(s): Leonardo, Plymouth or Similar

DAY 8: 23 JULY 2025

Dartmoor National Park Relaxed Start

Explore Dartmoor with Insight Choice. Choose to join a scenic exploration of Dartmoor National Park. Spend time reconnecting with nature amidst the stunning landscape of towering granite tors, open moorland, beautiful rivers and lush, wooded valleys. Alternatively, enjoy a relaxing cruise of Plymouth Harbour and see the Mayflower Steps, Barbican, Royal Citadel and Plymouth Hoe. Later this evening, savour an unforgettable dinner at Heskyn Mill during a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience. Join your Travel Director and newfound friends for the ultimate Farm-to-Table dining experience. Enjoy a mouth-watering meal prepared from organic seasonal produce, freshly

picked from the surrounding fields, served with a glass of wine.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner with Wine. Hotel(s): Leonardo, Plymouth or Similar

DAY 9: 24 JULY 2025

Stonehenge and London

Travel across Salisbury Plain to visit the prehistoric and mysterious Stonehenge, where the strange and awe-inspiring megaliths are reputed to be up to 5,000 years old. Your journey concludes upon arrival at the hotel in London.

Meal(s): Breakfast.

9 days from

\$5,750 Per Person

Twin Share

\$1,740 Per Person Single Supplement

INCLUSIONS

- 8 Breakfasts & 3 Dinners with Wine
- Luxury air-conditioned coach with WiFi in most countries or alternative transportation (such as rail journeys)
- Hotel porterage where available of 1 bag per person.
- An expert Travel Director and separate Driver.
- Hotel tips, restaurant tips for included meals, and local taxes.
- A group airport transfer on the first and last day of your guided holiday.
- Cherry-picked hotels, all tried and trusted (Hotels listed to be used as a guide only and are subject to availability. If the quoted hotel is unavailable, we will secure another hotel in the same category).
- Audio Headsets for flexible sightseeing

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From JLW Travel

HIGHLIGHTS

- Roman Baths Visit the incredibly well-preserved Roman Baths.
 Discover 2,000 years of history and learn how this hub of culture is pioneering new educational investments to benefit the community.
- Experience a locally Sourced Farmto-Table Meal at Heskyn Mill Farm in Saltash
- Visit Edinburgh Castle to view the Scottish Crown Jewels, Mons Meg

- and other artefacts with your Local Expert.
- See the impressive 12th century Jedburgh Abbey.
- Witness the Edinburgh Military Tattoo
- Stonehenge Walk around the strange and awe-inspiring megaliths that have reputedly stood for 5,000 years



BOOKING TERMS AND CONDITIONS

What's Not Included: Airfares (unless otherwise stated), passports and applicable visa fees, charges imposed by third parties, laundry, phone calls, items of a personal nature, beverages, meals and sightseeing not detailed on the itinerary, excess baggage, travel insurance. Please note that travel insurance is highly recommended. Please ask your travel agent for further details.

Price: The advertised price is in Australian dollars, per person twin share unless otherwise stated.

Deposit: A non-refundable deposit of \$200 is required within 7 days of booking.

Final Payment: The balance of monies due for the tour must be paid by 17 May 2025. For preferred method of payment, refer to your travel agent. Payments after this date may incur a late fee payment.

Cancellation Fees: In the event you have to cancel your booking, cancellation fees will apply. Deposit will be forfeited on cancellation prior to final balance payment. After due date for final payment, additional cancellation charges will apply. For full details of cancellation fees, contact JLW Travel.

Amendments: A fee of \$50 may apply to any change made to your booking once confirmed.

Refunds: No refund is available if cancellations occur after the trip has commenced or in respect of any trips, accommodation, meals or any other services not utilised. Itinerary Changes & Trip Cancellation: Prices are based on costs, charges, tariffs, taxes, levies and exchange rates at

the time of publication. In the event that such fluctuations affect the price to be paid for services, JWL Travel reserves the right to adjust the price as necessary at any time. Insight Vacations reserves the right to vary itineraries should circumstances dictate, as well as cancel or reschedule any trip departure in accordance with operating requirements, or circumstances beyond its control. The advertised trip requires minimum numbers to depart. Should these not be met, JWL Travel reserves the right to alter or cancel arrangements.

Passport and Visas: You must have a valid passport with 6 months validity from date of return. For Visa requirements for this trip, contact JWL Travel.

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Porterage: for one suitcase is included in the trip price and at arrival or departure from each trip hotel. Due to limited coach capacity this single bag should have a weight not exceeding 30kg and dimensions not exceeding 77.5cm (30.5in) x 56cm (22in) x 32cm (12.5in). Charges will be levied in the event these limits are exceeded and our promise to transport you as indicated may be invalidated. Note: Airlines may restrict check-in baggage to 20kgs per person. Documentation: Approximately 2 weeks prior to departure from Australia, documentation will be received by your travel agent. A tree will be planted in guest's name if they choose to receive their documentation electronically. Holidays & Changes: During local or national holidays

abroad, certain facilities such as museums, sightseeing and shopping may be limited. In such instances, and whenever possible, slight itinerary adjustments are made to minimise inconvenience to our passengers. If, however, you feel your enjoyment might be diminished by such minor limitations. please check with the respective national tourist office before selecting a specific departure. Similarly, holidays, closing days and other circumstances may necessitate a change of the day of the week for scheduled highlight dinners, sightseeing or other activities. Due to the unreliability of domestic air scheduling, religious festivals, and other unforeseen circumstances, the itineraries, hotels or order of sightseeing may change at short notice. Additional terms and conditions These conditions incorporate the basis upon which bookings are accepted by JWL Travel and Insight Vacations. By making a booking you are agreeing to these terms & conditions. Insight Vacations is not responsible for the costs of any other travel arrangements affected due to our cancellations or rescheduling of any trip departure. For further information about Insight Vacations please refer to the Insight Vacations brochure. These conditions must be carefully studied prior to making the commitment of paying the deposit as they must be referred to. Additional terms and conditions may be applicable to this group and are available from JWL Travel.



