

time 2 travel



Day 1: Sat 26 Sep 2020
Day 2: Sun 27 Sep 2020

DEPART SYDNEY
ARRIVE LONDON

(D)

Arrive London Heathrow airport.

- Transfer from airport to Hotel
- London city tour with Local Expert
- Welcome dinner at hotel

Accommodation: Park Plaza County Hall London or similar (5 nights)

Day 3: Mon 28 Sep 2020

DICKENS AND LONDON MUSEUMS

(B, D)

This morning continue your sightseeing of London.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Charles Dickens walking tour
- Entry to Dickens Museum
- Globe Theatre Exhibition and Tour
- London walk with Local Expert including entry to Tate Modern
- Dinner at a local restaurant
- New Globe Theatre Production (subject to confirmation and availability)

Day 4: Tue 29 Sep 2020

HAMPSTEAD AND COVENT GARDEN

(B, D)

Travel to Hampstead for a study of the Hampstead writers.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Local Guide for tour of Hampstead
- Entry to John Keats House - Romantic Poetry workshop TBC
- Entry to British Museum
- Free time in Covent Garden
- Dinner at local restaurant

Day 5: Wed 30 Sep 2020 WESTMINSTER AND KENSINGTON PALACE (B, D)

We continue our exploration of London with a tour of Westminster Abbey and Kensington Palace and Gardens today

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Visit to Westminster Abbey with Local Guide
- Visit to Kensington Palace and Gardens
- Travel card for return tube transfer to London
- Dinner at hotel

Day 6: Thu 01 Oct 2020 CAMBRIDGE (B, D)

A day trip to Cambridge today.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Day trip to Cambridge including orientation and punt cruise
- Dinner at hotel

Day 7: Fri 02 Oct 2020 JANE AUSTIN TERRITORY (B, D)

Travel via Windsor where we make a short stop to Chawton in Hampshire. Here we learn about Jane Austin before continuing via Dorchester to Lyne Regis (Exeter)

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Visit to Jane Austin House and walk to cemetery with Travel Director
- Dinner at hotel

Accommodation: Mercure Exeter Southgate or similar – 2 nights

Day 8: Sat 03 Oct 2020 THOMAS HARDY COUNTRY (B, D)

Travel to Dorchester in Dorset, where we tour Thomas Hardy's countryside and villages. Take a break in Dorchester before embarking on a Hardy walk. Later, return to our base where there is free time.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Tour with Travel Director around the countryside and villages
- Hardy Walk with Local Guide in Dorchester
- Dinner at hotel

Day 12: Wed 07 Oct 2020

BRONTE COUNTRY

(B, D)

Travel to Bronte country in Haworth, West Yorkshire. Join a local guide for a tour of Haworth Village and the Bronte Cemetery. Visit the Bronte Parsonage Museum. This afternoon visit the Bronte Museum and Treasures and take a Howarth/Bronte country walk with your Local Guide.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Visit Bronte Parsonage Museum including Bronte Treasures
- Full day Local Guide
- Dinner at local restaurant

Day 13: Thu 08 Oct 2020

DOVE COTTAGE

(B, L, D)

Travel to Grasmere to Dove Cottage. After a guided tour of Wordsworth's Dove Cottage and Museum, you have 2 workshops. Then a guided walk before continuing to the Lakes District.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Visit to Dove Cottage and Museum with in-house guide
- 2 x workshops at Dove Cottage – details to be confirmed and subject to availability
- Lunch at/near Dove Cottage
- Walk with Local Guide of surrounding area
- Dinner at the hotel

Hotel: MacDonald Old England Hotel & Spa Windemere or similar – 1 night

Day 14: Fri 09 Oct 2020

EDINBURGH SIGHTSEEING

(B, D)

Travel across the border to Edinburgh. On arrival in the Scottish capital, join a Local Guide to see the highlights of the city. Drive along Princes Street to the ornate Scott Memorial, then wander the 18th Century New Town with its neoclassical Georgian facades. In the Old Town, visit Edinburgh Castle, home of Mons Meg, the Stone of Destiny and Scotland's Crown Jewels. At the bottom of the Royal Mile stands the Palace of the Holyroodhouse, the official Scottish residence of the Queen. There's some free time before returning to our hotels.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Local Guide
- Entry to Edinburgh Castle
- Dinner at a Local restaurant.

Hotel: Holiday Inn Hotel Edinburgh or similar – 1 night

Day 15: Sat 10 Oct 2020

TOUR ENDS

(B)

Your tour ends after breakfast with a transfer to the airport.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Transfer to airport.

Day 15: Sat 10 Oct 2020 **DEPART EDINBURGH**
Day 16: Sun 11 Oct 2020 **IN FLIGHT**
Day 17: Mon 12 Oct 2020 **ARRIVE SYDNEY**

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MEAL KEY – Breakfast (B) , Lunch (L) , Dinner (D)

**PLEASE NOTE SIGHTSEEING CONTENT MAY BE AMENDED OR ELIMINATED
IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE BEST POSSIBLE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE
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