



# Best of Britain

13 DAYS ~ ENGLAND ~ SCOTLAND ~ WALES

British Isles Touring  
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**Key**

- PREMIUM HIGHLIGHTS
- VISITS INCLUDE ENTRANCE
- DINE-AROUND & HIGHLIGHT MEALS
- DRINK INCLUDED
- GUIDED SIGHTSEEING OR ORIENTATION TOUR
- CENTRAL HOTELS + NIGHTS
- SCENIC HOTELS + NIGHTS

See hotel details on pages 216-222

Traditional Welsh dress

Roman Baths

**DAY 1 – DEPART USA.**  
Board your overnight flight (not included).

**DAY 2 – ARRIVE LONDON.** Welcome to London! After checking in to your hotel you are at leisure. Hotel: Thistle Marble Arch

**DAY 3 – LONDON SIGHTSEEING.** Your half day sightseeing tour of London's West End shows you all the main sights including *Big Ben* and *Buckingham Palace*. (FB)

**DAY 4 – LONDON – STRATFORD – YORK.** Drive through the Cotswolds to visit *Shakespeare's birthplace* in Stratford. Then see the cathedrals in Coventry en route to York for a *Welcome Reception and light informal meal*. Hotel: Marriott. (FB,WR)

**DAY 5 – YORK – EDINBURGH.** Admire York Minster and the medieval Tudor 'Shambles'. Stop briefly at part of Hadrian's Wall, then continue past the ruins of Jedburgh Abbey to the Scottish capital. Hotel: Holyrood. (FB)

**DAY 6 – EDINBURGH SIGHTSEEING.** Visit *Edinburgh castle*, during your morning guided sightseeing tour. *Tonight selected departures attend the Military Tattoo*. (FB)

**DAY 7 – EDINBURGH – TROSSACHS – GLASGOW.** Drive to visit *Stirling Castle*. Enjoy the Highland scenery of the Trossachs, then drive along the banks of Loch Lomond. Continue to Glasgow for an orientation tour. Hotel: Crowne Plaza. (FB)

**DAY 8 – GLASGOW – GREтна – LAKE DISTRICT.** Drive via Gretna to the beautiful English Lake District. Visit the grave of William Wordsworth in the village of Grasmere before reaching your hotel. Hotel: Hydro/Castle Green. (FB,D)

**DAY 9 – LAKE DISTRICT – LUDLOW – CARDIFF.** Stop in ancient Ludlow, before crossing southern Wales to the capital city of Cardiff. Hotel: Radisson Blu Cardiff. (FB)

**DAY 10 – CARDIFF – BATH – PLYMOUTH.** Cross the Severn Bridge to Bath. Visit the *Roman Baths* and see the Abbey before continuing to Glastonbury. On reaching Plymouth enjoy a *Dine-Around evening*. Hotel: Copthorne Plymouth. (FB,DA)

**DAY 11 – PLYMOUTH SIGHTSEEING.** Enjoy a cruise up *Plymouth Sound* to the *Mayflower Steps* before

seeing the Barbican and Plymouth Hoe. Now enjoy a scenic Dartmoor excursion before a *Celebration Dinner* tonight. (FB,CD)

**DAY 12 – PLYMOUTH – STONEHENGE – LONDON.** Cross Salisbury Plain to visit the *ancient stone circle of Stonehenge* before continuing to London. Hotel: Thistle Marble Arch. (FB)

**DAY 13 – RETURN TO USA.** Your tour ends today. (FB)

TOUR CODE: B903		Premium Escorted Touring		from \$215 per day	
Starts USA:	Ends USA:	Twin Share p.p.	Single Supp. Option	Starts USA:	Ends USA:
Sun 15 Apr	Fri 27 Apr	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 29 Jul
Sun 22 Apr	Fri 04 May	\$2799	\$675	#	Tue 31 Jul
Sun 29 Apr	Fri 11 May	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 05 Aug
Sun 06 May	Fri 18 May	\$2799	\$675	#ST	Tue 07 Aug
Sun 13 May	Fri 25 May	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 12 Aug
Sun 20 May	Fri 01 Jun	\$2799	\$675	#	Fri 24 Aug
Sun 27 May	Fri 08 Jun	\$2799	\$675	#	Tue 14 Aug
Sun 03 Jun	Fri 15 Jun	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 12 Aug
Sun 10 Jun	Fri 22 Jun	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 19 Aug
Sun 17 Jun	Fri 29 Jun	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 26 Aug
Sun 24 Jun	Fri 06 Jul	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 02 Sep
Sun 01 Jul	Fri 13 Jul	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 09 Sep
Sun 08 Jul	Fri 20 Jul	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 16 Sep
Sun 15 Jul	Fri 27 Jul	\$2799	\$675	#	Sun 23 Sep
Sun 22 Jul	Fri 03 Aug	\$2835	\$675	#	Sun 30 Sep
				#	Sun 07 Oct
				#	Fri 19 Oct

**Reductions**  
SAVE \$50 per person with Triple room reduction

**SAVINGS & DISCOUNTS**  
SAVE \$280 per person with Young Traveler Discount  
SAVE up to \$153 per person with 2nd Tour Discount  
SAVE up to \$153 per person with Frequent Traveler Discount

**Early Payment Discount**  
SAVE per person

12 months	10 months	6 months
\$280	\$210	\$140

**Unused London Accommodation:**  
Start this tour on Day 4 and end on Day 12 and save \$483 p.p

**Notes** ST Denotes 'Singles Friendly' departures - see page 15  
# The Edinburgh Tattoo is included on these departures.

**Insight's Low Airfare Promise:** Insight promises to provide the best airfare available to us at the time you make your reservation. Airfares are not included in the prices above.

**DEF** **Definite Departures (DEF)** These are regularly updated and listed on our website [www.insightvacations.com](http://www.insightvacations.com) (see page 215 for details).

**TOUR PACE**  
This tour is brimming with sightseeing and interesting places to visit, covering the length and breadth of England, southern Scotland and Wales. Consequently, the tour pace is brisk, but this also means great value for money!

**HOTELS**  
This tour boasts a great variety of hotels selected for both their style and location. The modern glass and metal Radisson Blu, is one of Cardiff's newer hotels, while Edinburgh's elegant Holyrood Hotel, combines the convenience of the city center with the restfulness of a quiet location.

- INCLUDED HIGHLIGHTS**
- London:** See Westminster Abbey, Big Ben and Buckingham Palace on your London sightseeing tour
  - Stratford:** Visit the birthplace of William Shakespeare.
  - Coventry:** See the old and new cathedrals
  - York:** See York Minster, city walls and medieval "Shambles"
  - Borders:** Stop at a part of Hadrian's Wall. See the ruins of Jedburgh Abbey
  - Edinburgh:** Visit the castle housing the 'Honors of Scotland'. Selected departures experience the Edinburgh Military Tattoo Guided city tour down the Royal Mile past Holyroodhouse Palace and over to Princes Street and the 18C 'New Town'
  - Stirling:** See Linlithgow Palace. Travel via the historic site of Bannockburn. View the Wallace Monument. Visit King James IV's Great Hall and the Great Kitchens inside the castle
  - Glasgow:** Orientation drive past St. Mungo's Cathedral
  - Lake District:** Learn about the life of the poet William Wordsworth and visit his grave in Grasmere
  - Ludlow:** See the walls of the castle and Jacobean buildings
  - Bath:** Visit the Roman Baths and Pump Rooms. Witness the fine Georgian architecture
  - Glastonbury:** Drive past the ruined Abbey
  - Plymouth:** Cruise to the harbor and the Mayflower Steps Orientation tour past Plymouth Hoe and the Citadel
  - Stonehenge:** Visit the world famous ancient megaliths

**Scenic drives** – Cotswolds, the Trossachs, Loch Lomond, Lake District, Severn Bridge, Dartmoor

**INCLUDED QUALITY DINING**  
A Welcome Reception with light informal meal (WR)

Choose from a selection of local restaurants in Plymouth (DA)

An end of tour Celebration Dinner including wine (CD)

11 full breakfasts (FB) and 1 three-course Evening Meal with choice, or buffets, plus tea or coffee (D)

**INCLUDED FIRST CLASS SERVICES**  
Escorted by a professional Tour Director

Headsets for all guided visits and walking tours

Enjoy the unique comfort of Insight's Luxury air-conditioned 40 seat coach with extended leg room and on-board restroom

Insight Hotels include all service charges, taxes and portorage

Insight Traveler Welcome pack

London Airport transfer service available, see page 225

**DINE-AROUND, HIGHLIGHT MEALS & INCLUDED SIGHTSEEING ARE WORTH APPROXIMATELY \$289**

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