



## Amazing Britain - 8 Days 7 Nights - Timelessly Curated by Trafalgar

| Day      | Destination        |
|----------|--------------------|
|          | London             |
| 1 Night  | Leeds              |
| 2 Nights | Edinburgh          |
| 1 Nights | Scottish Highlands |
| 1 Night  | Glasgow            |
| 1 Night  | Liverpool          |
| 1 Night  | Bristol            |
|          | London             |

### Day 1: Day 1 Journey to Stratford-upon-Avon and on to Leeds (London > Stratford-upon-Avon > York > Leeds)

Join your Travel Director this morning and indulge your love of theatre and poetry. Travel to romantic Stratford-upon-Avon, made famous by its favourite son, William Shakespeare, whose extraordinary works have been admired by audiences for over 500 years. View Anne Hathaway's thatched cottage and visit Shakespeare's Birthplace and Visitor Centre for insights into the life of the 'Bard of Avon', before exploring the charming cobblestone streets of his hometown. Continue to the ancient cathedral city of York where you will enjoy an orientation walk to view its ancient city walls, picturesque Shambles and magnificent 800-year-old Minster. Enjoy a memorable dinner and delicious local pub fare before continuing to your hotel in Leeds.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

## **Day 2: Day 2 Cross Hadrian's Wall and onwards to Edinburgh (Leeds > Durham > Edinburgh)**

We venture north to the medieval riverside town of Durham, whose exquisite 11th century cathedral sits imposingly alongside Durham Castle watching over the streets below. We cross what was once the northern frontier of the Roman Empire, Hadrian's Wall, before enjoying a scenic drive through the soul-stirring landscapes of Northumberland National Park. Admire spectacular views of the windswept Cheviot Hills as you cross the Scottish border, stopping to admire the 12th century ruins of Jedburgh Abbey en route to Edinburgh.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

### **Optional**

#### **Edinburgh by Night and Dinner (Optional)**

##### **Experience Info**

We'll drive into the old city of Edinburgh to see the city at night with photo opportunities of the Castle and the Grassmarket, famous for historic executions and when possible, visit one of the most haunted graveyards and see the grave of Greyfriars Bobby, the famous Skye Terrier. Then, we'll make our way to a local restaurant for a delicious dinner and drink.

**Adults: From INR 6667\* /- (£59)**

## **Day 3: Day 3 Discover Enchanting Edinburgh**

Fall in love with the enchanting city of Edinburgh as you join a Local Specialist to discover what lies behind its medieval façades. Ramble up the Royal Mile and enjoy astounding views of the Palace of Holyroodhouse and the Scottish Parliament. Visit Edinburgh Castle perched atop Castle Rock overlooking the city. Spend some free time this afternoon strolling through Edinburgh and admiring ancient relics. Tickets to see the spectacular Edinburgh Tattoo are included on departures that coincide with performance dates.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

### **Optional**

#### **Rosslyn Chapel (Optional)**

##### **Experience Info**

We'll drive out of Edinburgh to the tiny village of Rosslyn, where we'll hear the inside story of the famous Rosslyn Chapel from a Local Guide. One of Scotland's most unusual 15th-century buildings, Rosslyn is famed for its associations with the Knights Templar, the Masonic movement, and now 'The Da Vinci Code'.

**Adults: From INR 3390\* /- (£30)**

### **Dinner and Drive to Historic Torphichen (Optional)**

#### **Experience Info**

Enjoy a scenic drive to the ancient village of Torphichen, associated with Scottish kings and Knights Templar. At the Torphichen Inn, your arrival will be toasted by our gracious host before enjoying an excellent dinner of local specialties and entertainment.

**Adults: From INR 8249\* /- (£73)**

### **Day 4: Day 4 Venture into the Scottish Highlands (Edinburgh > St. Andrews > Pitlochry > Scottish Highlands)**

Cross the Firth of Forth to the ancient Kingdom of Fife and St. Andrews. This famous golf course is renowned for its 18th hole and 700-year-old Swilcan Bridge. We continue our journey into the dramatic Scottish Highlands, where we'll Dive Into Culture at a Distillery and sample a wee dram of whisky. Visit picture-perfect Pitlochry, on the edge of the Ben Vrackie and Cairngorms National Park, before arriving at your hotel in the Scottish Highlands where you'll dine tonight.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

### **Pitlochry, Visit of Blair Castle (Optional)**

#### **Experience Info**

Set in its own grounds against a backdrop of glorious scenery, we'll discover the ancient home of the Dukes of Atholl, home to Europe's last remaining private army. Unique amongst Scottish castles, Blair has hosted royalty from Mary, Queen of Scots, to Queen Victoria.

**Adults :From INR 3503\* /- (£31)**

### **Day 5: Day 5 Onwards to Loch Lomond and Glasgow's Rich Legacy (Scottish Highlands > Glasgow)**

The arresting beauty of the Scottish Highlands provides a stunning backdrop for today's leisurely drive to Glasgow. View the World War II Commando Memorial at Spean Bridge and admire views of Britain's highest mountain – Ben Nevis. Continue on towards Glencoe, the site of a bloody massacre in 1692 following the Jacobite Uprising. In Glencoe Valley, join a ranger for a MAKE TRAVEL

MATTER® Experience, learn about the protection of this rare ecosystem and the important work reintroducing lost indigenous species to its flora and fauna. Travel to the 'bonnie' banks of Scotland's prettiest loch, Loch Lomond.

We arrive in Glasgow this afternoon where our orientation will take us past St. Mungo's Cathedral and George Square, lined with statues and monuments dedicated to famous British subjects, including Robert Burns and Sir Robert Peel.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

## **Day 6: Day 6 Explore the Lake District and Journey to Liverpool (Glasgow > Gretna Green > Lake District > Liverpool)**

Today's first stop is in the runaway wedding capital, Gretna Green, where eloping couples would exchange their vows over the Marriage Anvil.

Returning to England, we Connect with Locals, joining Christine for lunch at a Be My Guest experience on her family's farm. See beautiful Lake District landscapes and skirt the romantic shores of Lake Windermere, the largest lake in England, arriving in edgy Liverpool of 'Fab Four' fame, for an evening at leisure.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

### **Optional**

#### **Famous Sights and the Fab Four (Optional)**

#### **Experience Info**

Come along with our Local Specialist for a guided tour of Liverpool. From its glorious maritime past to its famous cultural present, you'll discover the two magnificently different cathedrals, see Mathew Street, birthplace of The Beatles, and enjoy the Mersey beat.

**Adults: From INR 2938\* /- (£26)**

## **Day 7: Day 7 Through the Beautiful Welsh Countryside to Discover Bristol (Liverpool > Ludlow > Bristol)**

This morning, we traverse the pretty Welsh countryside before we visit the Shropshire market town of Ludlow with some time to explore on your own. Later, arrive in Bristol for an orientation drive. Join us for an Optional Experience that will take us out to the SS Great Britain as well as the Clifton Suspension Bridge along with all the other highlights of Bristol. As the curtain comes down on a memorable journey through England and Scotland, you enjoy dinner in a local restaurant with your Travel Director and newfound friends.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

## Optional

### **Guided Tour of Bristol (Optional)**

#### **Experience Info**

The center of the British aeronautics industry since WWII, Bristol was also a great seafaring port and England's second city until not long ago. There's a wealth of history to be discovered and John Cabot, Brunel, the Plimsoll Line, John and Charles Wesley, Wills Tobacco, Archibald Leach (who's he?), Banksy, and Robinson Crusoe are all names that have unique links with Bristol. Find out how they all fit together on a rip-roaring tour of the town with Bristol's number one Local Specialist.

**Adults: From INR 2825\* /- (£25)**

### **Day 8: Day 8 Soak up Bath and Stonehenge then off to London (Bristol > Bath > Stonehenge > London)**

Before returning to London, visit the UNESCO-listed city of Bath to admire its elegant Georgian façades and the Roman Baths for your MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience. Emerging from the Salisbury Plain, the imposing megaliths of Stonehenge are your final stop before continuing through the lush Wiltshire and Hampshire landscapes to London, where your amazing holiday comes to an end.

## Highlights

Discover Amazing Britain on this unforgettable trip. Explore Shakespeare's theatrical roots, the mystique of Stonehenge, and the fresh air and rugged landscapes of the Scottish Highlands. There, you'll visit a traditional whisky distillery and learn about the locals' favorite drink.

## Price

INR 2,20,704/- PER PERSON ON TWIN BASIS

## Included Sightseeings