

# Exclusive London Tours

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Exclusive tours and concierge services for the discerning client



*Tower Bridge*



*A member of The Queen's Life Guard*

► Welcome to London!

From arrival to departure, Exclusive London Tours provides a flexible service dedicated to your needs. We know that your time is valuable, and our personalised and professional approach will help you to get the maximum enjoyment from your stay in London.

Our prestige concierge service includes transfers to and from the airport by chauffeur driven vehicle, tours of the great sights of London and beyond, theatre and dinner bookings, hot tips about what to do and where to visit and the services of our expert guides and drivers.

We'll familiarise you with your local area, help you plan your stay and provide luxury transport for all your requirements.

We can organise tours for you and your visitors; London tours, tours out of town, even day trips and weekend breaks to Paris.

Let Exclusive London Tours make your stay here a pleasure. We're looking forward to sharing our passion for this exciting city – and all that lies beyond.

► Services

- Chauffeur driven vehicles
- Registered London Blue Badge Guides
- Airport Transfers
- Full Day Tours
- Half Day Tours
- Theatre Bookings
- Paris daytrips and weekend breaks



*The White Tower, Tower of London*



Rameses II, British Museum



St Paul's Cathedral



The Great Court, British Museum

► Introduction

All our London tours are operated by qualified and registered Blue Badge Guides who are knowledgeable, informative and fun to spend the day with. Our modern luxury vehicles are chauffeur driven and air-conditioned.

We are pleased to customise tours to your own needs and interests, whether you have several days, a weekend or just a few hours to spare, we can help you.

We have expert guides for every attraction and carefully select the person best suited to your requirements. Your guide will not only be able to tell you all about the places you are visiting but will be able to recommend restaurants, theatre and even where you can get the best Martini in town!

► Places you might like to visit:

- Westminster Abbey
- The Tower of London
- British Museum
- London Eye
- National Gallery
- Imperial War Museum
- Cabinet War Rooms & Churchill Museum
- Victoria and Albert Museum
- Tate Modern
- Tate Britain
- Wallace Collection

\*We have qualified guides for all the museums and attractions – please feel free to request any other attraction that interests you.



Piccadilly, London



The Clock Tower, better known as Big Ben



Henry VIII's suit of armour, Tower of London

► Ultimate Royal London

- Morning guided tour of Westminster Abbey, site of coronations and royal weddings and burial place of many kings and queens of England.
- Changing of the Guard at Buckingham Palace
- After lunch drive through London, to see the major sights - The Houses of Parliament, St Paul's Cathedral and Trafalgar Square.
- Visit the Tower of London and see the magnificent Crown Jewels

► Half Day London

- A delightful morning or afternoon exploring London with your guide.
- Can include guided tour of St Paul's Cathedral, Westminster Abbey or Changing of the Guard at Buckingham Palace.

► Shopper's Delight

- See the fabulous Crown Jewels at the Tower of London
- Lunch at Harrods or Harvey Nichols and plenty of time to shop
- Kensington Palace visit and English Cream Tea in the Palace Orangery.



Westminster Abbey



Harrods



*Charlie Chaplin, Leicester Square*



*The Welsh Guard, Buckingham Palace*

► **Walking Tours**

Take a stroll through the streets of London, focusing on the ancient city, theatreland, ghosts or music. Alternatively, enjoy an evening visit to some of our historic pubs.

► **Special interest tours**

Tell us what interests you! Whether it be Harry Potter, literature, rock and roll, shopping, films, history or food, we can design a tour to suit you.

► **Individual destinations**

You may want to hire your own chauffeur-driven vehicle to take you to places of personal interest such as the races, the golf course, or even to see where your family came from.



*The London Eye*



*Portobello Road Antiques Market*



Hampton Court Palace



Windsor Castle

► Windsor Castle

Windsor Castle has been home to all of our monarchs since 1066. Highlights include The State Apartments with their sumptuous furnishings and priceless art, and St George's Chapel where Henry VIII is buried and where the Knights of the Order of the Garter still meet once a year. Your guide will tell you about the history of the castle and the doings of some of its more colourful residents!



Coldstream Guard

► Hampton Court Palace

A graceful Palace by the river, Hampton Court was home to Henry VIII. You will see his Great Hall and visit the fascinating Tudor kitchens where food for the court was prepared. You will see priceless artwork and furnishing in King William and Queen Mary's rooms. Walking the beautiful gardens and puzzling how to crack the famous maze will complete your visit.



Windsor Castle viewed from The Long Walk



Hampton Court Palace



Stonehenge



Roman Baths, Bath



Radcliffe Camera, Oxford

► Stonehenge and Bath

This day is a great combination of pre-history, Roman Britain, graceful Georgian streets and some fabulous shopping! Starting with mysterious Stonehenge, moving on to visit the Roman Baths at England's only natural hot spring and explore the beautiful city of Bath.

We can also arrange private access to Stonehenge at dawn or dusk, according to availability.

► Stonehenge and Oxford

After visiting mysterious Stonehenge you will enjoy a drive through the rolling hills of the English countryside to the stunning university city of Oxford. You will see colleges, the Bodleian Library, the Sheldonian Theatre and even the pub where JRR Tolkien and CS Lewis used to drink in this city of dreaming spires. Perhaps hire a "punt" and meander down the river.



*Shakespeare's birthplace, Stratford Upon Avon*



*Blenheim Palace*



*Warwick Castle*

► Oxford and Stratford-upon-Avon

From Oxford's beautiful University to the streets of Stratford-upon-Avon where William Shakespeare lived. This day is full of charm and interest. You will see the house where Shakespeare was born and the lovely cottage where his wife Anne Hathaway grew up, just outside the town.

► Warwick Castle and Stratford upon Avon

Warwick castle rises majestically over the surrounding countryside and is the ultimate fortified defence, complete with battlements, dungeons and portcullis. It has played a central role in history during the middle ages and today it cannot fail to fascinate and entertain its visitors. You can wander through gracefully landscaped gardens, climb the ramparts, tremble in the dungeon and visit the castle's excellent waxwork exhibits.



*Bridge of Sighs, Oxford*

► Blenheim Palace and the Cotswolds

Blenheim Palace is the ancestral home of the Dukes of Marlborough and the birthplace of Winston Churchill. Built in the early eighteenth century and set in rolling landscaped gardens, it is both grand and imposing. Coupled with a visit to some Cotswold villages, this makes for a fascinating day out.





Hever Castle



Leeds Castle

► Hever Castle and Chartwell

Hever Castle was the childhood home of Anne Boleyn, second wife of Henry VIII. It is a 13th century moated castle set in beautiful gardens. Chartwell was home to Winston Churchill and gives a fascinating insight into his life as it is still full of his personal belongings, including his books and the cigars he used to smoke.

► Leeds Castle and Canterbury

Leeds castle has been called “the loveliest castle in the world” and when you see it you may well agree. It has been home to many of England’s Queens and has beautiful gardens and an array of birdlife.

Canterbury has history written in its winding lanes and timber framed buildings. The cathedral is truly impressive with its luminous stained glass and its long history. The murder of Thomas Becket took place there in 1170, and you will see the candle that burns where his shrine once stood.

► Dover Castle and Canterbury

Dover Castle sits on the white cliffs and has defended England from the continent for centuries. The castle dates from the 12th century, and this imposing fortress was enlarged by Henry VIII. More recently it was the nerve centre for the military during the second world war – the wartime tunnels are not to be missed.



Canterbury Cathedral



Leeds Castle



Paris in winter



River Seine



Versailles



Eiffel Tower

► Daytrip

Travel by Eurostar from Central London to the centre of Paris in just 2.5hrs. When you arrive you will be met by a registered Paris Guide and chauffeur driven vehicle and taken to visit the highlights of this magical city. You will see the Notre Dame Cathedral, The Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysees, les Invalides where Napoleon is buried, The Louvre and, of course, the Eiffel Tower.

No visit to Paris is complete without a trip to the top of the Eiffel Tower after which you may choose to take a romantic cruise down the Seine. In the afternoon you might wish to visit the Louvre and see the Mona Lisa, Venus De Milo and Winged Victory, or perhaps see the impressionist works of art at Musee D'Orsay. After a little shopping you return back to Gare De Nord for your train to London.

► Weekend in Paris

You might want to spend a night or two in Paris to experience some of the wonderful restaurants and nightlife or even go to the Moulin Rouge. Our excellent English speaking guides can tailor a trip to suit your unique interests. Perhaps you'll want to take a trip to see Louis XIV magnificent palace, Versailles, or visit Rodin's Garden. Exclusive London Tours can arrange a four star hotel in the centre of Paris and transportation for you.

► Special Interest trips

- D-Day beaches and Normandy
- Loire Valley Castles and Wine
- Champagne Discovery



► Exclusive Events

Whether you would like to take a scenic helicopter trip over London to an exclusive country hotel for afternoon cream tea, charter a boat to take you to Windsor, or enjoy some of The Season's events such as Royal Ascot, Goodwood and the Henley Regatta – we will ensure that this is a day to be remembered. Please visit our website, [www.exclusivelondontours.com](http://www.exclusivelondontours.com) for a full listing of current events.

► Corporate Group events

We will arrange for your group to take part in a multitude of events and activities, from a day at the races to driving racing cars, from special events in a gallery to paintballing. Tell us your requirements and we can arrange teambuilding activities, treasure hunts and spa and golfing breaks for your clients and colleagues.

► Evening Events

We can arrange dinners, wine tastings, concert bookings, quiz nights, river boat charters with dinner and music, historical pub crawls and other special events for you and your party.

**London By Night** – You might choose to start your evening with a “flight” on the London Eye, the world's largest observational wheel before embarking on a dinner cruise along the River Thames. Enjoy dinner and dancing and watch illuminated London as you pass by.

**Theatre and Dinner** – You choose which West End show you would like to see and Exclusive London Tours will arrange a meal to suit your tastes.

**Gallery Tours and Wine Tasting/Dinner** – Some of London's greatest galleries and museums are open in the evenings. We can organise highlights tours of places such as the British Museum, The National Gallery, Tate Modern or The Victoria and Albert Museum followed by a wine tasting or dinner at a fabulous restaurant.





#### ► Airport Transfers

Exclusive London Tours can arrange for you and your party to be met at the airport by a chauffeur and luxury air-conditioned vehicle. You will be whisked to your accommodation and can be assured that both your arrivals and departures will be as smooth and stress free as possible.

#### ► Theatre Bookings

Allow us to book your theatre tickets in advance for you. We can also arrange pre or post theatre dinners and transfers as you require.



*Chauffeur driven vehicles*

#### ► Summary of terms and conditions

For full booking terms and conditions please visit our website, [www.exclusivelondontours.com](http://www.exclusivelondontours.com).

- Exclusive London Tours aims to be fair, reasonable and sympathetic in all our dealings with clients, and to act always with integrity.
- Exclusive London Tours will meet all legal and regulatory responsibilities, often going beyond the minimum obligations.
- Exclusive London Tours aims to provide full and accurate information about our tours. Changes will be communicated promptly.

If something does go wrong, we will endeavour to put it right. Our overriding aim is to ensure that every client is satisfied with our services.

#### ► Cancellations :

**If we make changes:** Circumstances beyond Exclusive London Tours' control sometimes arise which prevent us from operating a tour exactly as advertised. We would try to devise a satisfactory alternative, or give a full refund if you decide to cancel because the alternative is not acceptable.

**If you cancel:** If you have to cancel your participation on a tour, there will be a charge which varies according to the period of notice you give. Up to 56 days before departure the deposit only is forfeited. Thereafter a percentage of the total cost of the tour will be due:

between 56 and 29 days:	30%
between 28 and 15 days:	50%
between 14 days and 3 days:	80%
within 48 hours:	100%

We take as the day of cancellation that on which we receive written confirmation of cancellation.



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