

TOP FIVE CLASSIC TOURS

These are a selection of some of our most popular and awe-inspiring tours and experiences. We have an array of expert guides with an intimate knowledge of London who will bring the city to life in a truly wonderful way. We can also create bespoke tours tailored to your particular interests for an unforgettable visit.



Portraits and Palaces: Regal London

From magnificent palaces and parks to portraits gazing down from gallery walls - nowhere in the world boasts a royal heritage quite like London. We'll bring that regal past to life as we go on a Grand Tour of our own, walking in the shadows of the monarchs who made their mark on the city. From the soaring grandeur of Buckingham Palace and Westminster Abbey, to the murky secrets of the Banqueting House and historic shops in St James's; we will hear tales of power, treachery, love and scandal that became the building blocks for the institution that lies at the very heart of London's history.

London's Iconic buildings

London's skyline plays host to some of the most recognisable buildings in the world. These are the buildings that tell the story of a city that grew from Roman beginnings to the vibrant, culturally diverse London of today. From the Eye to the Tower, we'll understand the geography of the city and get under the skin of the political system. Revel in royal history and get to grips with the characters that lie in the pages of our history books and the glorious, shocking and poignant events that shaped today's capital.

From Wren to Rothko: St Paul's & Tate Modern

On opposite sides of the River Thames, and linked by the iconic Millennium Bridge, sit two monuments which embody the spirit of London. Travelling from medieval to modern, we'll experience the awe-inspiring architecture of St Paul's Cathedral to witness breathtaking views from the great dome, and hear stories of the City in the Great Fire and the Blitz. Across the river lies London's 'Cultural Cathedral' - Tate Modern, where some of the world's most daring and iconic contemporary art works are housed. A quick stroll along the Southbank will see you arrive at Borough Market - the perfect gourmand's spot in time for lunch.

Decadence and Design: Kensington Palace to the V&A

Visit splendid Kensington Palace, a royal residence which is still very much a home today. Here we'll hear about the feisty Royal Court of the Georgian period, and explore the complex relationships between monarchs, lovers and courtiers through the ages. We'll discuss opulent fashion, the rigmarole of courtly etiquette and how art and architecture were used to bolster the monarchy's status. Leaving the Palace, we'll cross Kensington Gardens to the heart of 'Albertopolis', the area designed to celebrate the achievements and grandeur of Victorian Britain. The crowning glory of this era is the beautiful Victoria and Albert Museum, the world's largest dedicated home to art and design, featuring intricately beautiful examples of craftsmanship through the ages.

Maritime and Majesty in Greenwich Village

You will never know you were just a short boat ride away from the centre of London as we explore the majestic 'village' and former royal hunting park at Greenwich. Here, you'll find sweeping buildings crammed full of history, art, architecture and science. We will learn about the Old Tudor Palace of Henry VIII and Elizabeth I, the Queen's House and Sir Christopher Wren's fabulous Old Naval Hospital. Within a short walk, we can discover the meaning of 'time' and straddle the famous Meridian Line, before visiting the swash-buckling Cutty Sark.