



THE SCOTLAND EXPERIENCE

8 days / 7 nights

Welcome to **Scotland**, a land of dramatic landscapes, ancient castles, rich traditions, and warm hospitality. Over the coming days, you will journey through a country where history and legend intertwine, discovering vibrant cities, breathtaking **Highland** scenery, and some of **Scotland's** most cherished cultural treasures.

Your adventure begins in **Edinburgh**, **Scotland's** elegant capital and a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for its remarkable blend of medieval and Georgian architecture. Wander through atmospheric closes and cobbled streets, uncover hidden stories beneath the **Royal Mile**, and immerse yourself in centuries of history at iconic landmarks such as **Edinburgh Castle**. As twilight falls, experience another side of the city as tales of ghosts, mysteries, and long-forgotten characters bring Edinburgh's fascinating past to life.

From the capital, travel north into the heart of the **Highlands**, where spectacular scenery unfolds at every turn. Journey through glens carved by ancient glaciers, admire shimmering lochs, and discover landscapes that have inspired countless legends, films, and works of literature. Explore the dramatic beauty of **Glencoe**, marvel at the famous **Glenfinnan Viaduct**, and venture onto the enchanting **Isle of Skye**, a place of rugged mountains, windswept coastlines, and enduring folklore. Along the way, delve into **Scotland's** history through visits to sites such as **Culloden Battlefield** and the **Highland Folk Museum**, offering a fascinating insight into the lives and traditions of generations past.

The journey continues in **Glasgow**, **Scotland's** largest city and a vibrant centre of culture, creativity, and innovation. Here, the country's industrial and maritime heritage meets a thriving contemporary arts scene, creating a dynamic destination full of character and charm. During your stay, you will gain a deeper appreciation for **Scotland's** celebrated "water of life" with a visit to the **Clydeside Distillery**. Set within a beautifully restored Victorian pumphouse on the banks of the River Clyde, this immersive experience reveals the story of **Glasgow's** historic connection to the whisky trade and the craftsmanship behind the production of single malt Scotch whisky. A guided tasting provides the perfect introduction to the flavours, aromas, and traditions that have made Scotch whisky famous throughout the world. From historic cities & legendary landscapes to cultural discoveries & authentic Scottish hospitality, this carefully curated journey offers an unforgettable introduction to the very best of Scotland.

DAY 1 INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT Welcome to Scotland

Departure from your home country to Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland and UNESCO World Heritage Site with the Old Town and New Town. Upon arrival at the airport, our representative will be waiting for you and drive you to the hotel. After registration, you will have free time to discover some of the wonders that this city offers you. I comment you that Edinburgh is a great place to shop! Even if the idea of shopping does not seduce you (and if you enjoy it's your lucky day!) you will probably agree that the downtown shopping areas of other cities have no point of comparison with the grandeur of Princes Street and George Street. If you like art, I recommend the National Gallery of Scotland and many other highlights of the city skyline. As night begins, we start to get to know the city in the company of our guide in a tour of ghosts, mysteries, and witches. Since Edinburgh has witnessed throughout its history of bloody events, murders and burnings of witches, the echoes of these events have survived over time and have been permeated in its alleys and cemeteries, which we will visit on this tour. Overnight.

**PRICE PER PERSON
IN DOUBLE OCCUPATION
EUR 2.160.-**

Surplus single room EUR 760.-

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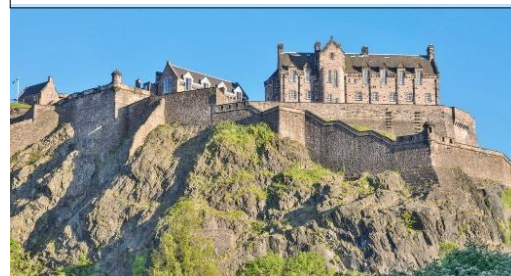
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INCLUSIONS:

- ✦ Transfers Airport-Hotel- Airport
- ✦ 7 nights in selected hotels with breakfast.
- ✦ Train ride Edinburgh – Glasgow
- ✦ Visits And excursions as planned in the itinerary
 - ✓ Ghost tour in Edinburgh
 - ✓ Secrets of Edinburgh's Royal Mile and castle
 - ✓ The Johnnie Walker Whisky <experience
 - ✓ 3-day Package THE ISLE OF SKYE
 - ✓ PM guided walking tour in Glasgow
 - ✓ Loch Lomond, The Trossachs & Stirling Castle
- ✦ Museum Tickets and Excursions as described in the program.
- ✦ Local English-speaking guides during the tours.

NOT INCLUDED

- o International and/or local flights
- o City taxes (to be paid directly at the hotels)
- o Services not mentioned on the program.
- o Meals that are not described here.
- o Tips for tour escort, tourguide and drivers.
- o Personal expenses.





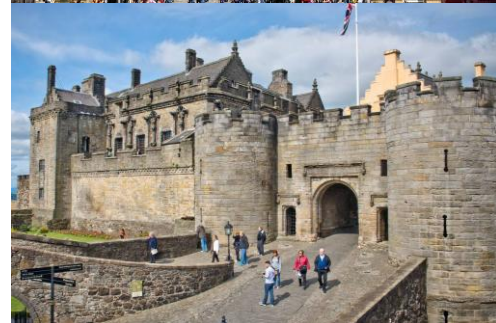
DAY 2 EDINBURGH Guided city walk

Breakfast at the hotel. We will start the day visiting the highlights of the Scottish capital at 10:40 am. Hidden beneath the bustling Royal Mile lies one of Edinburgh's most fascinating and atmospheric secrets: **The Real Mary King's Close**. This immersive guided experience invites you to step back more than 400 years and discover a remarkably preserved network of streets, homes, and passageways that once formed part of the city's vibrant Old Town. Sealed beneath the foundations of the present-day City Chambers and hidden from view for centuries, these underground alleyways provide a unique window into everyday life in historic Edinburgh. Led by an expert costumed guide, descend beneath the city streets to explore the narrow closes and rooms where generations of Edinburgh residents lived, worked, and struggled through times of prosperity, plague, and social change. A visit to The Real Mary King's Close offers an unforgettable opportunity to discover a hidden side of Edinburgh, revealing the stories, characters, and secrets that lie beneath the city's historic streets and bringing centuries of history vividly to life. After finishing the visit, you will have free time to relax or have something to eat. Later, at 1:00 pm, start with the secrets of Edinburgh's Royal Mile, on a walking tour which is the perfect introduction to Scotland's capital. A beautiful city steeped in awe-inspiring history that has been perfectly preserved in the wynds, closes, courtyards and homes of Edinburgh's Old Town. Stand amongst history and hear it play out around you. With your Master Storyteller, discover Edinburgh hidden gems, listen to the sound of carriages clattering across cobblestones and unravel the stories of Edinburgh's past citizens — people just like you. Take a journey through time, feel the cobblestones beneath your feet as you explore the lives of Edinburgh residents from generations past — from historical figures like Mary Queen of Scots and Robert Burns, to the everyday folk who for their entire lives never left the city's walls. With every step along the Royal Mile, echoes of the past surround you — stories of royalty, rebellion, crime and culture brought vividly to life by our masterful Storytellers, and historic landmarks that still stand today. After a break, we visit the Edinburgh Castle. Simply as you approach the esplanade you will notice that you are about to enter one of Scotland's most special historic buildings. Short break to relax or enjoy a coffee. At the agreed time you will continue with this amazing day in Edinburgh. If the day has been intense, why not recover with a glass of whiskey? Today from 6:00 pm we will live one Experience of Scotch Whisky, in which you can discover how this amber liqueur is made and identify which whiskies feel best to your palate. Learn how to taste and appreciate the national drink in the room that houses the largest collection of whiskey in the world. Really very impressive! Return to the hotel to rest. Overnight. (B)

DAY 3 EDINBURGH – GLENCOE - INVERNESS Journey through the beautiful Highlands

After breakfast, discover the best of the Scottish Highlands on this unforgettable 3-day adventure! Experience breathtaking landscapes, rich history, and vibrant culture as you travel through picturesque villages, majestic mountains, and ancient sites. Discover traditional Highland life and enjoy the chance to taste local food and whisky while soaking up authentic Scottish atmosphere. You'll see why so many movie locations were based and filmed here in Scotland, with views that inspired the likes of Harry Potter (Glenfinnan Viaduct) and James Bond (Glencoe), and be spoilt for choice for getting that perfect picture, especially on the Isle of Skye where many of Scotland's myths and legends come from. See mountains created by giants, enchanted waters that will give you eternal youth, and hear songs of the faerie folk in the wind.

Departing today from Edinburgh, head for the mysterious Kelpies and have a close up look of these magnificent sculptures. Stop in the quaint town of Callander before driving north through the scenic Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park Drive. Discover beautiful Glencoe, the most famous valley in Scotland, and hear of its tragic history. Continue north-west to admire the spectacular Glenfinnan Viaduct, set beautifully close to the shore of Loch Shiel. A short drive onwards, we arrive at Inverness: the Capital of the Highland. Overnight. (B)





DAY 4 INVERNESS - ISLE OF SKYE – INVERNESS - Explore the unparalleled Isle of Skye

After breakfast, depart Inverness and drive across the Kessock Bridge to the Black Isle and marvel at the spectacular scenery of Achnasheen and Loch Carron. Arriving on the Isle of Skye, venture north to explore the highlights of the island. See the Cuillin Mountains, Trotternish Peninsula, Portree, the Old Man Storr, Kilt Rock and the famous Quiraing. In late afternoon, stop for photographs of the most beautiful castle in Scotland, "Eilean Donan Castle." Backdrop to many famous films, such as 'Highlander' and 'Made of Honor', this castle is another must-see iconic landmark! A scenic drive through stunning Glen Shiel follows, returning to Inverness. In the evening, perhaps visit a local Highland Pub to drink some Scotch whisky & eat some traditional Scottish food, whilst listening to some local musicians perform. Overnight. **(B)**

DAY 5 INVERNESS – EDINBURGH Discover Scottish History

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart Inverness for an optional morning cruise of the famous Loch Ness. Discover the history and lore of the beautiful area surrounding the loch – and perhaps spot the famous Nessie! Then, visit Culloden Battlefield, site of the last Jacobite Rising and 'Clava Cairns', incredible 4,000-year-old, Bronze-Age standing stones. From there we drive along the east side of the dramatic Cairngorms National Park to stop at the Highland Folk Museum. Here you'll experience highland life in the 17th century. See the buildings, the clothes and weapons, and how people lived 300 years ago. Drive south to the historic Victorian village of Pitlochry, where we'll stop for refreshments. Take this opportunity to stretch your legs and grab a quick bite to eat. Continue across the famous Forth Bridges on the journey back to Edinburgh, arriving at approximately 6pm. Overnight in Edinburgh. **(B)**

DAY 6 EDINBURGH - GLASGOW From historic elegance to vibrant urban culture

After breakfast, make your way to the station for a comfortable rail journey from Edinburgh to Glasgow. In less than an hour, the scenery transforms from the elegant Georgian architecture of Scotland's capital to the vibrant energy of Glasgow, a city renowned for its rich industrial and maritime heritage. Upon arrival, a private driver will transfer you to your hotel for check-in. This afternoon is dedicated to discovering Scotland's celebrated "water of life" with a visit to the Clydeside Distillery. A private transfer will take you to this unique distillery, located within a beautifully restored Victorian pumphouse on Glasgow's historic Queen's Dock. Overlooking the River Clyde, it is the city's first dedicated single malt Scotch whisky distillery in more than a century. During the visit, you will learn about Glasgow's historic connection to the whisky trade and the important role the River Clyde played in exporting Scotch whisky around the world. An engaging exhibition introduces the city's maritime and whisky heritage before a guided tour of the working distillery reveals each stage of the whisky-making process, from fermentation and distillation to maturation. The experience concludes with a guided tasting of three whiskies, offering an insight into the flavours and aromas that make Scotch whisky one of Scotland's most iconic exports. After the visit, enjoy free time to explore Glasgow at your own pace. **(B)**

DAY 7 (Friday, June 10) GLASGOW City tour

Breakfast at the hotel. You will have a guided walking tour through Glasgow's lively streets, where history and modern creativity blend seamlessly. Discover the city's architectural richness, from the grand Victorian facades of George Square to the distinctive designs influenced by Charles Rennie Mackintosh, whose Art Nouveau style helped define Glasgow's unique character. As you explore, your guide will reveal stories of Glasgow's transformation—from a 19th-century powerhouse of shipbuilding and trade to a thriving cultural hub known for its music, art, and warm hospitality. Stroll through elegant shopping streets, hidden lanes, and vibrant quarters filled with galleries, cafés, and street art. The rest of the day is at leisure for private activities, last shopping or just to relax and get ready for your return back home, or another destinations in Europe. Overnight. **(B)**

DAY 8 (Saturday, June 11) GLASGOW - EDINBURGH Return flight

Breakfast at the hotel. You will be able to enjoy the city and do your last purchases before departure at the agreed time towards the airport in Edinburgh for your return flight or connection to your next destination in Europe. End of our services. **(B)**

