

A taste of Scotland



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Edinburgh Castle

6 days from £1,195* per person ~ Departs May 2026

This lovely tour takes us north to Scotland, where we will stay in Glasgow, full of artistic and architectural heritage as well as visiting Edinburgh with its castle, Royal Mile and gorgeous “new” town, a couple of gardens, taste some whisky (a must!) and cruise on beautiful Loch Katrine – a mini tour that packs in the essentials!



George Square, Glasgow



Dumfries House

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*Based on 20 passengers subject to availability





Royal Yacht Britannia

Day by day itinerary

Day 1

Fly from London Heathrow to Glasgow and transfer to the hotel and check in for your five night stay. Enjoy a welcome dinner this evening.

Day 2

Breakfast at the hotel. A guided tour on foot this morning will show you some of the highlights of Glasgow, European City of Culture in 1990 and a treasure trove of artistic and architectural treasures, including a wealth of architecture by the city's favourite son, Charles Rennie Mackintosh. This afternoon we head to the Dawyck Botanical Garden, nestled in the Scottish Borders region, that is home to one of Scotland's finest collection of trees and botanical treasures from China, Nepal and beyond.

Day 3

Breakfast at the hotel. This morning we drive to the Scottish capital Edinburgh, for a guided walking tour of the city centre including entrance to the magnificent castle that looms over the city centre. Other sights include the Royal Mile, Heriot Row, Charlotte Square and much more. At the end of the Royal Mile lies the Queen's official Scottish residence, the Palace of Holyroodhouse with close associations with key historic figures, such as Mary, Queen of Scots and Bonnie Prince Charlie. We then transfer to Leith to visit the Queen's floating residence and Visit Scotland's Best Attraction, the Royal Yacht Britannia, which was home to Her Majesty and the Royal Family for 40 years, sailing over a million miles around the world. After lunch (not included), we return to the city to continue our exploration including the historic Royal Botanic Gardens and the Scotch Whisky Experience before returning to Glasgow.

Day 4

Breakfast at the hotel. Then we travel south of Glasgow for a full day at Dumfries House, set in 2,000 acres, the estate and 18th



Dawyck Botanical Garden

century house are spectacular with its stunning collections. Now part of the King's Foundation, which provides training and opportunities in traditional skills and crafts on-site, the house is very much a working project as much as a wonderful historic attraction.

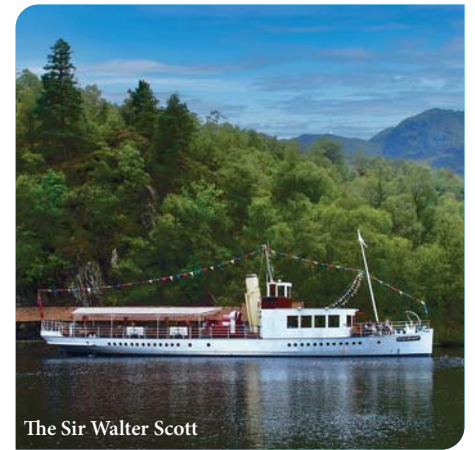
On arrival we will enjoy the "Grand Tour" which shows you the highlights and interiors of this grand, historic mansion. You will also enjoy a guided tour of the Queen Elizabeth Walled Garden. Following lunch there will be the opportunity for some free time to explore the grounds before we join the Chippendale Tour. Dumfries House has an incomparable collection of Chippendale furniture and this tour has been devised by the Head Guide, Alex Macdonald. In the late afternoon we will return to Glasgow.

Day 5

Breakfast at the hotel. This morning we head out of the city to beautiful Loch Katrine, the source of much of the city's water supply. A cruise aboard the historic steamship, the Sir Walter Scott will show you its majestic beauty from a wonderfully atmospheric viewpoint. Time for lunch at the Steamship Café on pier on return (not included), before a scenic coach drive within the Trossachs National Park and a visit to a private garden on the way back to Glasgow.



Palace of Holyroodhouse, Edinburgh



The Sir Walter Scott

Day 6

Check out of hotel and transfer to Glasgow Airport for return flights to London Heathrow.

Where you stay

Best Western Argyle, Glasgow

Built on the site of a former rice mill, the hotel tastefully blends old and new and stands out on the Glasgow skyline close to the River Clyde. Within a mile of the city centre, you can walk to many of Glasgow's attractions, including George Square, Merchant City and Buchanan Galleries shopping centre.

Glasgow is famous for its warm hospitality, and you'll always get a friendly welcome at Glasgow Argyle Hotel, BW Signature Collection no matter what time of day you arrive. Each of the 141 bedrooms, come with free Wi-Fi, large flat-screen plasma TVs and 24-hour room service. The hotel features a bar, restaurant and indoor pool and gym.

Included in the price

- Return flights from London Heathrow to Glasgow with British Airways
- Five nights accommodation on a bed and breakfast basis at the Best Western Argyle, based on shared occupancy of a twin/double room
- Transfers and tours including entrance fees as detailed in the day by day itinerary

Not included

- Double for sole use supplement
- Portage
- Gratuities

