

KENT

TASTE OF ENGLAND

KENT, BRIGHTON, CHESIL BEACH, PLYMOUTH, CORNWALL, BATH, AVEBUEY, LONDON - 8 Days/7 Nights

ITINERARY

Day 1: Arrive in London Airport and meet your driver. Your itinerary today depends on your arrival time, but you may want to visit one of the many castles or gardens in Kent, such as Leeds Castle or Hever-Castle, or the iconic SissinghurstGarden. Overnight: Kent area.

Day 2: Today is a full day of exploring Kent, also known as the Garden of England. You may choose to visit Kent Life to stroll through the different Kentish gardens and apple orchards on display, or Shepherd's Neame, the oldest brewery in Britain. Why not visit one of the many vineyards in Kent, such as Chapel Down Winery or BiddendenVineyards, to sample award winning English wine? Prince William and Kate chose the sparkling rose from Chapel Down for their wedding, so you are in good company! Whatever you

choose to do, make sure you stop in one of the charming villages, dotting the Kentish countryside. Overnight: Kent area.

Day 3: Drive at your leisure to Bournemouth today via the south Downs National Park, and maybe stop in Brighton to have fish & chips on the beach, or at one of the many castles in this area, such as Arundel Castle. On arrival into Bournemouth, you may want to visit The Chocolate Boutique Hotel. Even if you don't stay here, they arrange regular chocolate classes, for you to create your own chocolate creations. Overnight: Bournemouth.

Day 4: Continue along the Jurassic Coast and stop for photos at your leisure of Chesil Beach or Durdle Door. Maybe stop at a beach to see if you can find one of the many fossils along this coastline. Cross DartmoorNational Park, and stop in one of



Plymouth Gin Distillery

the many picturesque villages to sample Devon Cream Tea. On arrival into Plymouth, you may want to park up and visit Plymouth Gin Distillery, centrally located in the oldest part of Plymouth. Learn how gin is made, and sample some of the end product. Overnight: Plymouth.



CORNWALL

Day 5: Today you will explore Cornwall. There is so much to see and do, for example, why not stop at the St Austell Brewery to try a local ale, or maybe at Healey's Cider Farm for another popular local drink. There are also several award winning vineyards in the county. For those of you who would like to sample heading west to stop in one of the many the local food, go to the coastal village of Mousehole and try the local delicacy StargazyPie, or try a Cornish Pasty in one of the many fishing villages and towns like Mevagisseyor St Ives. The scenery is spectacular and you can choose to stop to take photos of St Michael's Mount, or visit Land's End or the MinackTheatre. Overnight: Plymouth.

Day 6 Head north from Plymouth this morning to the north Devon Coast and visit Ilfracombe Chocolate Emporium in the coastal town. On your way to Bath, drive through the beautiful Cheddar Gorge with its dramatic cliff formations, and stop in the village to try cheddar cheese, matured in caves in the area. You may also want to stop at one of the many local Somerset cider farms, Sheppy's Cider for example. On arrival into Bath, visit the oldest house in Bath

to sample the local bread called "Sally Lunn's Bun". It's a brioche style bread that can either be had with savouryor sweet toppings. Overnight: Bath area.

Day 7 Explore Bath this morning, a UNESCO world heritage city, before picturesque villages in south Cotswoldslike Castle Combebefore visiting the iconic Stonehenge. You may also choose to stop in Avebury where you find the world's largest stone circle. Arrive at your Stonehenge overnight location in the London area location depends on where your departure point is tomorrow. Overnight: London area.

Day 8 Return home by plane, ferry or train. Or, extend your stay with a couple of days in London to sample the many award winning pubs and restaurants in the city.



