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DATE	PORT	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE
08/09	Hamburg	-	2000
09/09	...CRUISING...	-	-
10/09	NEWCASTLE upon Tyne	0700	1800
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13/09	Lerwick	0900	1800
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AVAILABLE EXCURSIONS

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne – 10/09/2025

- 02LQ** NORTHUMBRLAND COAST AND ALNWICK CASTLE, Adult price EUR 95.00 – Child price EUR 66.50
- 02LR** IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE ROMANS: HADRIAN'S WALL, Adult price EUR 105.00 – Child price EUR 73.50
- 02LS** NATURAL MARVELS OF ALWICK GARDEN, Adult price EUR 85.00 – Child price EUR 59.50
- 02LT** VISIT TO THE HISTORIC CITY OF DURHAM, Adult price EUR 79.00 – Child price EUR 55.30
- 02LW** VISIT TO THE BEAMISH OPEN-AIR MUSEUM: A PLUNGE INTO THE LIFESTYLE OF THE VICTORIAN ERA, Adult price EUR 79.00 – Child price EUR 55.30
- 02LX** FREE TIME IN NEWCASTLE, Adult price EUR 45.00 – Child price EUR 31.50
- 02LY** A STROLL TO DISCOVER NEWCASTLE, Adult price EUR 75.00 – Child price EUR 52.50
- 02LZ** SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF NEWCASTLE WITH A TOUCH OF ART, Adult price EUR 69.00 – Child price EUR 48.30
- 02M0** THE BEST OF YORK, Adult price EUR 129.00 – Child price EUR 90.30
- 03X8** SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF NEWCASTLE, Adult price EUR 49.00 – Child price EUR 34.30

South Queensferry – 11/09/2025

- 04DW** STORIES OF KINGS AND QUEENS IN HISTORIC EDINBURGH, Adult price EUR 139.00 – Child price EUR 97.30
- 04E2** IN DUNDEE ON AN EXPLORERS' SHIP, Adult price EUR 89.00 – Child price EUR 62.30
- 02NA** BANNOCKBURN AND STIRLING: A JOURNEY THROUGH SCOTTISH HISTORY, Adult price EUR 125.00 – Child price EUR 86.30
- 02NB** SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF EDINBURGH, Adult price EUR 69.00 – Child price EUR 48.30
- 02NC** CHARMING EDINBURGH AND ITS SPECTACULAR CASTLE, Adult price EUR 105.00 – Child price EUR 73.50
- 02NE** MAGNIFICENT HOPETOUN HOUSE, Adult price EUR 69.00 – Child price EUR 48.30
- 02NF** THE SPLENDOUR AND MARVELS OF STIRLING AND KELPIES, Adult price EUR 109.00 – Child price EUR 76.30
- 02VA** EDINBURGH ON YOUR OWN, Adult price EUR 65.00 – Child price EUR 45.50
- 02VL** THE FALKIRK WHEEL: SCOTLAND'S HYDRAULIC MARVEL, Adult price EUR 75.00 – Child price EUR 52.50
- 04S8**, Adult price EUR 115.00 – Child price EUR 80.50

Invergordon – 12/09/2025

- 2192** THE MAJESTIC DUNROBIN CASTLE, Adult price EUR 99.00 – Child price EUR 69.30
- 2193** INVERNESS AND CAWDOR CASTLE, Adult price EUR 99.00 – Child price EUR 69.30
- 2194** THE GLEN ORD WHISKY DISTILLERY AND BEAULY, Adult price EUR 109.00 – Child price EUR 76.30

- 2195** LOCH NESS AND THE RUINS OF URQUHART CASTLE, Adult price EUR 119.00 – Child price EUR 83.30
2198 THE MYSTERY OF THE LOCH NESS MONSTER, Adult price EUR 109.00 – Child price EUR 76.30
2261 A DAY ON THE BANKS OF LOCH NESS, Adult price EUR 115.00 – Child price EUR 80.50
2262 PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE BANKS OF LOCH NESS, Adult price EUR 95.00 – Child price EUR 66.50
2263 LOCH NESS BY BOAT, Adult price EUR 99.00 – Child price EUR 69.30
2264 TRANSFER TO INVERNESS, Adult price EUR 65.00 – Child price EUR 45.50
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Lerwick – 13/09/2025

- 04R0** , Adult price EUR 79.00 – Child price EUR 55.30
04R1 , Adult price EUR 89.00 – Child price EUR 62.30
04B7 THE HIDDEN SCOTLAND OF THE SHETLAND ISLANDS, Adult price EUR 99.00 – Child price EUR 69.30
03RX Wildlife, History and Nature Reserves., Adult price EUR 105.00 – Child price EUR 73.50
2161 PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE SHETLAND ISLANDS AND JARLSHOF, Adult price EUR 95.00 – Child price EUR 66.50
2162 PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE ISLAND OF MAINLAND, Adult price EUR 89.00 – Child price EUR 62.30
2165 NATURE EXCURSION TO MOUSA ISLAND, Adult price EUR 109.00 – Child price EUR 76.30
00X3 WALK THROUGH LERWICK, Adult price EUR 65.00 – Child price EUR 45.50
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Hamburg – 15/09/2025

- 00B9** HAMBURG BY LAND AND SEA (ends at the airport), Adult price EUR 75.00 – Child price EUR 52.50
00BA THE SIGHTS OF LUEBECK (end at the airport), Adult price EUR 85.00 – Child price EUR 59.50
2792 RIVER CUISE AND TOUR OF HAMBURG, Adult price EUR 75.00 – Child price EUR 52.50
2793 EXPLORING LÜBECK ON FOOT, Adult price EUR 85.00 – Child price EUR 59.50
2795 DISCOVERING HAMBURG, Adult price EUR 65.00 – Child price EUR 45.50
2799 PANORAMIC TOUR OF HAMBURG (end at the airport), Adult price EUR 65.00 – Child price EUR 45.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **NORTHUMBERLAND COAST AND ALNWICK CASTLE**

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Northumberland coast
- Whitley Bay and Ashington
- Amble, Alnmouth and Warkworth
- Alnwick castle
- Cheviot Hills

The programme

- A coach takes us on a fascinating **sightseeing tour of the coast of Northumberland**, picturesque and sparsely inhabited where lovely villages often overlooked by spectacular castles alternate with long deserted beaches.
- We head north along the coast passing by the fishing town of **Whitley Bay**, with its colourful houses overlooking the sea and large white lighthouse, and of **Ashington**, once famous for its coal mines.
- From here, the coast opens up in a series of peaceful beaches dotted with small characteristic fishing villages such as **Amble, Alnmouth and Warkworth**. The latter was built in the shade of a lovely castle now in ruin.
- We can see the **remains of imposing fortresses** that narrate the turbulent history of the region bordering Scotland. A land conquered by the Vikings and scene of countless battles with the neighbours.
- Our destination is the largest manor house in the region, the imposing **Alnwick castle**, residence of the Dukes of Northumberland ever since the early 14th century.
- We admire its **majestic fortifications**, imposing square and round towers, battlements and surrounding lawns.
- We visit the **opulent halls** - the sitting rooms, dining room, gatehouse and library are all richly decorated and furnished with a myriad of works of art hung on the walls, including paintings by Titian and Canaletto.
- After our visit, we continue our tour and take in charming rural views that include the gentle **Cheviot Hills** before heading back to Newcastle and to the ship.
- Guided tours are not permitted inside the castle. Information will be provided outside.

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02LQ

4 1/2 Hours
approximately

Moderate

EUR 95.00

EUR 66.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE ROMANS: HADRIAN'S WALL**

In a nutshell

We jump back to Roman times as we travel part of the path traced by Hadrian's Wall, of which we visit some forts and settlements dating back to two thousand years ago.

Main stops

- Sightseeing tour of the Tyne valley
- Hadrian's Wall
- Chesters Roman fort
- Cawfields fort
- Stops for photos

The programme

- We go on a **relaxing sightseeing tour** on the gentle Pennine Hills along the river Tyne headed West.
- **Hadrian's Wall** - the imposing fortification begun by the Romans in 122 AD and marked the border of the Empire protecting it from barbarians. A significant portion of the wall still stands, which was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1987.
- Following the path along the ancient fortification, we reach the **Chesters Roman Fort** (or *Cilurnum*), one of the best-preserved along the vallum. Surrounded by woods and meadows and overlooking a river, it was used by the Roman cavalry. We can see the remains of a bridge, parts of the gatehouse and a spa.
- We continue our excursion and make a short stop at **Cawfields fort**, perfect example of the so-called **milecastles** built at regular intervals of approximately one and a half kilometres along the vallum with in between two watchtowers 500 metres from each other.
- We make a few **stops for photos** (weather permitting) to better appreciate the grandeur of this construction and admire the fabulous scenery stretching to the entire Tyne valley.
- A steep dirt road leads to the Cawfields fort.
- This excursion is not recommended for guests with mobility problems or wheelchair users.

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02LR

4 1/2 Hours
approximately

Moderate

EUR 105.00

EUR 73.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **NATURAL MARVELS OF ALWICK GARDEN**

In a nutshell

Let us immerse ourselves in the botanical marvels of the fabulous Alnwick Garden overlooked by a majestic castle and appreciate the perfect combination of natural and skilful man-made scenery.

Main stops

- Sightseeing tour of Northumberland
- Medieval town of Alnwick
- Guided tour of Alnwick Garden
- Rose Garden and Ornamental Garden
- Grand Cascade
- Free walk

The programme

- We leave the port of Newcastle behind us and head on an interesting **sightseeing tour of Northumberland**, a region with a long fascinating history and characterised by panoramas of unparalleled beauty filled with castles, cobbled alleyways and large beaches.
- We head north to the **Medieval town of Alnwick**, an elegant maze of narrow cobbled alleyways where time seems to have stopped.
- It is dominated by the **Norman Alnwick castle**, residence of the Dukes of Northumberland ever since the early 14th century.
- The destination of our excursion is **Alnwick Garden**, which was brought back to life by the current Duchess.
- We stroll along this **enchanted place** designed to surprise and entertain with water features, lovely paths, a maze and one of the largest tree houses in the world.
- Together with our guide, we visit the main sections of the garden such as the lovely **Rose Garden**, home to 800 different rose varieties **and the majestic** Ornamental Garden with over 15,000 plants
- We also admire the **Grand Cascade**, a masterpiece made up of 120 separate jets gushing over 30,000 litres of water collected by 21 tanks.
- After our guided tour, we have some free time available to **explore the garden at our own leisure** before returning to the ship.
- A special scooter and itineraries for wheelchair users are available at Alnwick Garden.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02LS	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 85.00	EUR 59.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **VISIT TO THE HISTORIC CITY OF DURHAM**

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Angel of the North
- Durham historic city centre
- Durham cathedral
- Norman castle
- Rural scenery between Durham and Newcastle

The programme

- We leave Newcastle by coach and head out of the city where we stop to take a few pictures of the extraordinary **Angel of the North**, a modern sculpture towering over the surrounding scenery at 20 metres tall.
- We then continue our short transfer to the city of **Durham**, located on a hill almost entirely surrounded by River Wear.
- Once there, we go on a **walking tour of the centre**, a maze of steep cobbled alleyways declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Together with our guide, we visit the magnificent **Durham cathedral** a monumental church which is a masterpiece of the Anglo-Norman Romanesque style.
- Across the Palace Green, we can admire imposing **Durham castle**, also dating back to Norman times and now seat of the third oldest university in England after Oxford and Cambridge.
- The time has come to go back to our ship, and we do it driving through the **charming countryside** between Durham and Newcastle once brimming with coal mines, to which the city owed large part of its development in Modern times.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02LT	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 79.00	EUR 55.30

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VISIT TO THE BEAMISH OPEN-AIR MUSEUM: A PLUNGE INTO THE LIFESTYLE OF THE VICTORIAN ERA

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Beamish Open Air Museum: reconstruction of the typical Victorian lifestyle
- Reconstructed buildings, galleries, emporiums and period artefacts
- Characters in period costumes
- Various attractions: miners'village, steam train, railway station from 1825
- Farm, Pockerley Manor,confectionery factory, dental practice

The programme

- We leave Newcastle behind us on a 45-minute transfer to the village of Beamish and the famous **Beamish Open Air Museum**, opened in 1970 and reproducing the **life and work of people living in northern England during the Victorian era** between the early XIX and early XX centuries.
- The small town that appears before our eyes was recreated exactly to reproduce a city of 1913 with a wide range of **reconstructed buildings and galleries, emporiums and period artefacts**.
- In addition to the architecture and buildings, the Beamish Museum also features horse carriages and **characters in period costume** taking us back to times past until we almost forget we live in the XXI century.
- We can move at leisure to visit this open-air museum with a lot of free time available to discover the **numerous attractions**: we can enjoy a guided tour of the Colliery Village, the **miners'village** located next to a coal mine or go for a ride on the **picturesque steam train** departing from Pockerley Waggonway, a **1825 railway station** taken from a village located on the mountains of county Durham 25 km from Beamish.
- In addition to the railway station, the **period farm** and **Pockerley Manor**, inspired by a fortified manor house built in Medieval times, also deserve a visit.
- Surrounded by this atmosphere of days gone by, we wander around the shops and emporiums and can even observe sweets being made in the old **confectionery factory** and pay a visit to a typical **dental practice** to learn more about the tools of the trade.

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02LW	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 95.00	EUR 66.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne
FREE TIME IN NEWCASTLE

In a nutshell

A visit to the city of Newcastle at our own leisure to discover two fascinating sides of the same coin: its ancient soul inhabited by Medieval and Victorian castles and buildings, and its modern dynamic one made up of clubs, pubs, museums and cultural centres. A perfect place to have fun and indulge in all kinds of interests.

Main stops

- Newcastle historic city centre: Elegant Victorian buildings, Grey Monument
- Mosley Street, the first in the world to be lit by electricity in 1881
- Anglican Cathedral and Newcastle Castle
- Historic bridges across the River Tyne

The programme

- We go for a stroll around **Newcastle historic city centre** where we can admire, among others, **elegant Victoria buildings** and the **Grey Monument**, walk along the famous **Mosley Street** (the first in the world to be lit by electricity in 1881) and reach the impressive **Anglican Cathedral** and **Newcastle Castle**, inaugurated around 1168 by Henry II and where the city got its name.
- Walking along the banks of the **River Tyne** we can admire some of the city's **historic bridges** including the High Level Bridge and the more recent futuristic Millennium Bridge.
- This excursion does not include a guide, but a map of the city will be handed out.

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02LX	4 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 45.00	EUR 31.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne
A STROLL TO DISCOVER NEWCASTLE

In a nutshell

An excursion dedicated to discovering Newcastle, one of the main cities in England located along the northern bank of the River Tyne. A surprising combination of history and modernity, a city where ancient buildings and monuments alternate with futuristic structures and bridges, which must be visited on foot to fully grasp its dual soul.

Main stops

- Newcastle historic city centre: Elegant Victorian buildings, Grey's monument
- Mosley Street, the first in the world to be lit by electricity in 1881
- Anglican Cathedral and Newcastle Castle
- Historic bridges across the River Tyne
- Stop for photos at the **Angel of the North**, a steel sculpture

The programme

- We set off from the port of Tyne and head by coach to the **city of Newcastle**, located on the northern banks of the River Tyne in the English county of Tyne and Wear in Northumberland not far from the border with Scotland.
- The city was founded in Roman times with the name of *Pons Aelius* as a strategic outpost for Hadrian's Wall. The name changed to the current one around the year 1000, when the new Norman castle was built (*new castle*). The city then developed during the Industrial Revolution to become an important centre for the extraction of coal as well as a leading hub for shipbuilding and trade with Scandinavia. Nowadays Newcastle is a great University and business city with a busy trading port featuring a shipyard of great relevance for the entire territory.
- We start our tour with a walk around the **historic city centre**, where we admire some elegant Victorian buildings and pass in front of **Grey's Monument**, erected in honour of the famous Liberal PM who modernised the British election system is now nowadays probably better known for the tea named after him.
- We continue along the famous **Mosley Street**, the first in the world to be lit by electricity in 1881.
- We then reach the impressive **Anglican cathedral**, built in 1448 in the Gothic style and dedicated to St. Nicholas, and **Newcastle Castle**, known as *Castle Keep* and inaugurated around 1168 by Henry II and where the city got its name. The castle has towering walls and huge halls dating back to the most ancient traces of Norman architecture.
- We end our walk along the **banks of the River Tyne** where we can admire some of the city's **historic bridges** such as the High Level Bridge and the futuristic Millennium Bridge.
- We get back on our coach headed out of the city, where we stop to take a few pictures of the extraordinary **Angel of the North**, a modern **steel sculpture** depicting an angel with outstretched wings towering over the surrounding scenery at 20 metres tall.
- The time has come to go back to our ship, and we do it driving through the **charming countryside** surrounding Newcastle and once brimming with coal mines, to which the city owed large part of its development in Modern times.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02LY	3 1/2 Hours approximately	Hard	EUR 75.00	EUR 52.50

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF NEWCASTLE WITH A TOUCH OF ART**

In a nutshell

Let us visit the city of Newcastle, a city which dates back to Medieval times, with a comfortable coach tour: we admire all its main sights and visit the contemporary art gallery moving as far as its suburbs to take in views of its fertile countryside.

Main stops

- Grey's monument
- Theatre Royal
- Norman castle
- Historic bridges
- Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art (optional visit)
- Angel of the North and countryside

The programme

- We get on our coach to start our **sightseeing tour of Newcastle**, a surprising combination of history and modern elements. The Tyne divides the city into two parts, connected by various bridges.
- We cross the city centre admiring some elegant Victorian buildings and spot **Grey's Monument**, erected in honour of the famous Liberal PM who modernised the British election system is now nowadays probably better known for the tea named after him.
- We then see the majestic **Theatre Royal**, a monumental building with a Neoclassical pronaos with six Corinthian columns surmounted by a large gable.
- We admire the remains of the imposing Medieval walls as well as those of an **enchanted Norman castle** that gave the city its name.
- Driving along the river, we take in the succession of **historic bridges** such as the magnificent Tyne Bridge inaugurated by King George V in 1928 and a prototype for the more famous Harbour Bridge in Sidney.
- We cross the bridge to reach the **Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art**, one of the main art galleries in the UK open in 2002 in a former mill skilfully converted into a museum.
- We have free time available to **visit the gallery** as we please or go for a walk along the river to reach the futuristic **Millennium Bridge**, the only tilting bridge in the world.

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- We get back on our coach headed out of the city , where we stop to take a few pictures of the extraordinary **Angel of the North**, a modern sculpture towering over the surrounding scenery at 20 metres tall.
- The time has come to go back to our ship, and we do it driving through the **charming countryside** surrounding Newcastle and once brimming with coal mines, to which the city owed large part of its development in Modern times.
- Please note that the Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art is closed on Monday. Guests will have free time to walk along the river and reach the Millennium Bridge.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02LZ	3 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 69.00	EUR 48.30

NEWCASTLE upon Tyne **THE BEST OF YORK**

In a nutshell

The ancient city of York reveals all its secret thanks to a guided tour of its amazing Gothic cathedral and a walk at our own leisure to explore alleyways, squares and monuments.

Main stops

- Sightseeing tour towards York
- Gothic cathedral
- Free walk around the centre
- The Shambles
- City walls

The programme

- We leave the port of Newcastle behind us and get on a coach headed south along what used to be an old Roman road and is now the motorway running through **rural landscapes** of great beauty characterised by green hills, enchanted woods and grazing animals.
- We reach the **ancient city of York**, founded by the Romans, conquered by the Vikings and still surrounded by marvellous Medieval walls.
- Once in the centre, we go on a guided tour of the imposing **Gothic cathedral**, the largest in Europe built in this style. A true work of art that laves us speechless with its spires, two large richly-decorated towers and wide stained glass windows.

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- Walking along the **immense aisle** - 32 metres tall and supported by thin columns - we enter the 13th-century **chapter house**, a sublime example of stone reliefs depicting over two hundred heads and expressions.
- After our visit, we have some free time to **explore York on foot** losing ourselves in the alleyways, visiting the monuments we choose and enjoying the unique atmosphere that characterises its streets and squares.
- A stone's throw from the Cathedral we find **The Shambles**, often considered the best-preserved Medieval street in Europe where narrow timber buildings overlook the ancient pebbled street housing a myriad of picturesque shops.
- When we start feeling peckish, we can stop for lunch in one of the many **restaurants and bistros** and maybe enjoy some local specialities.
- We cannot miss the opportunities to **walk on the city walls** and take in a view of the city from above.
- After the visit, we gather at the meeting point and return to Newcastle.
- The coach transfer takes approximately 2 hour each way.
- The excursion includes a local rep during the transfer to York and a guide once at our destination.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02M0	8 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 129.00	EUR 90.30

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
03X8	2 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 49.00	EUR 34.30

South Queensferry

STORIES OF KINGS AND QUEENS IN HISTORIC EDINBURGH

In a nutshell

The bucolic landscapes of **Edinburgh** hide traces of the **regal history of Scotland**. Discover them **along with your guide**, as you pass from the **Old Town** to the **New Town**, before stepping inside **Edinburgh castle**, among the crowns, scepters and swords which tell the story of glorious events, as well as peeking inside **St Giles' Cathedral** and walking the length of the **Royal Mile**, the former **King's road**

Main stops

- Sightseeing bus tour from Edinburgh New Town to Edinburgh Old Town

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- Edinburgh Castle and St Giles' Cathedral: Interior visits
- Walk along Royal Mile: Lawnmarket; High Street; Canongate
- Free time

The programme

- Jump aboard the bus and get ready to soak up the sweeping views of **Edinburgh**, as you pass from the medieval **Old Town** to the neoclassical **New Town**, both **UNESCO World Heritage sites**.
- Can you see that magnificent building up there? It's the iconic **Edinburgh castle**, the oldest part of which dates back to the 12th century. Get off the bus and reconstruct its history for yourself, as you admire the **crown jewels of Scotland** and other famous relics. Did you know that the scepter includes several Christian symbols? Ask your **guide** about the dolphin and the saltire cross!
- Then, walk **along the Royal Mile**, the road that leads from the castle through the heart of the center of the city.
- Step after step, you'll discover another treasure: **St Giles' Cathedral**, with its **crown steeple** and the infinite details of the **stained glass windows** and the **Thistle Chapel**.
- Your walk continues along the streets of the **Royal Mile** **Lawnmarket, High Street, Canongate**. You'll be surrounded by **little shops, ancient buildings and street artists**.
- Want to take a closer look? **Stroll the cobbled streets on your own** and capture the other details of the city - big and small - however you like.
- Wear comfortable shoes and clothing suitable for the experience.
- For the entire month of September, only the outside of St Giles' Cathedral will be open to visitors.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04DW	8 Hours approximately	Hard	EUR 139.00	EUR 97.30

South Queensferry **IN DUNDEE ON AN EXPLORERS' SHIP**

In a nutshell

Step into the **world of great explorations** on the **RRS Discovery**, the **sailing ship** that set sail to **discover the South Pole** in the early 1900s. Your **bus** will take you through the **countryside of Fife** and **Dundee**, on the **banks of the river Tay**, and then at the **port**, you can climb aboard the ship and learn all about the **scientific expedition** that saw the explorers stuck in the **Arctic ice** for **two years**.

Main stops

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- Sightseeing bus tour of Dundee: region of Fife; Dundee Law hill, the river Tay and the city center
- Viewpoint over the river Tay: photo stop
- RRS Discovery: Interior visit
- Free time in Dundee

The programme

- **Dundee** is known as the **city of discovery**: where the **RRS Discovery**, the **legendary sailing ship** that explored the Antarctic for scientific purposes, was built and is now at anchor.
- You'll reach it by **bus** as you travel through the **green landscapes of Fife** to the city. From the windows, you'll spot the **Dundee Law** and discover that in Scottish, **Law** means hill, but this is not a hill like any other: it is the crater of an **extinct volcano**.
- Did you know that the longest waterway in Scotland runs nearby? Stop at the **viewpoint over the river Tay** and get clicking, before climbing aboard the **RRS Discovery**.
- On this legendary ship, you will discover **what life was like on board**, as well as learning all about the **success of the 1901 expedition led by Robert Falcon Scott**, despite many setbacks and two years trapped in the Antarctic ice!
- Then, wander among the **Victorian buildings** and **statues of comic book characters** or enjoy some of **Dundee's street food**: it's your **free time**, so you can spend it how you like! One little tip though: be sure to taste **Dundee cake**, the local cake with raisins and almonds.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04E2	8 Hours approximately		EUR 89.00	EUR 62.30

South Queensferry

BANNOCKBURN AND STIRLING: A JOURNEY THROUGH SCOTTISH HISTORY

In a nutshell

We will delve into the past and retrace the steps of the age-old conflict between Scotland and England. We will discover the origins of Scottish nationalism, visit the scene of epic battles and listen to stories of legendary heroes that have left their mark on the country's history.

Main stops

- Forth Rail Bridge
- Free time in Stirling

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- Stirling Castle
- Bannockburn
- Bannockburn Heritage Centre

The programme

- Audoguides available at Stirling Castle: £4.00pp. Available languages: English (audio described version is free of charge), Gaelic, French, German and Spanish.

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02NA	7 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 125.00	EUR 87.50
Type				

South Queensferry **SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF EDINBURGH**

In a nutshell

We will explore Edinburgh from the comfort of our coach and see the numerous parts of Scotland's historic capital which have been declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Main stops

Please note: Space is limited, so please book early.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02NB	4 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 69.00	EUR 48.30
Type				

South Queensferry **CHARMING EDINBURGH AND ITS SPECTACULAR CASTLE**

In a nutshell

Every step in Edinburgh reveals enchanting scenarios between mysterious Medieval alleyways and elegant roads flanked by noble residences once inhabited by kings and queens. Once at the majestic

castle perched on a rocky outcrop, it is impossible not to remain charmed by its splendour and spectacular views.

Main stops

- Sightseeing tour of the city centre
- Medieval atmospheres in the Old Town
- Tour of the majestic Edinburgh Castle
- Holyrood Palace and Princess Street
- Georgian architecture in New Town

The programme

- We leave the port behind us and venture into the **amazing city of Edinburgh**, spectacularly perched on a series of dormant volcanoes and rocky cliffs and boasting a charming city centre most of which was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- We cross the **Old Town** with its medieval origin and maze of cobbled streets, winding lanes and long roads and providing us with the chance of admiring historic monuments and charming views.
- Our first stop is **Edinburgh Castle**, which also dates back to the Middle Ages and features imposing bastions. Perched on a rocky outcrop located in the city centre, it was the residence of Scottish kings and queens for centuries.
- Together with our guide, we drive along the **Royal Mile**, the most famous road in the centre overlooked by grand period buildings, shops selling typical local products and old pubs. We admire the splendid architecture and soak up the Gothic atmosphere.
- We continue exploring the city as we pass by the **Holyrood Palace**, the main residence of the Royals of Scotland since the 16th century, and continue towards **Princess Street**, the famous high street with the imposing **Scott Monument** and elegant garden.
- We move on to the **New Town**, as it was named at the time of its construction in the 18th century. That period really made its mark with Georgian architecture inspired by the exponents of Neoclassicism.
- We recommend that you book early because only a limited number of places are available.
- Audoguides available at Edinburgh Castle at ticket office: available languages: English, French, German, Italian, Spanish Mandarin, Ukrainian, Russian, Korean, Polish and Portuguese. Large prints are also available.

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4 1/2 Hours
approximately

Easy

EUR 105.00

EUR 73.50

South Queensferry **MAGNIFICENT HOPETOUN HOUSE**

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Stop above South Queensferry fishing town
- Amazing views of the sea and of the Victorian Forth Bridge
- Hopetoun House
- Elegant interiors
- Stroll in the fabulous park

The programme

- We leave the port on a coach and head out to the fishing town of **South Queensferry** a short distance from Edinburgh. A short stop enables us to admire fabulous views of the river Forth and the sea with the road bridge and the more famous railway bridge, the **Forth Bridge**, a true engineering masterpiece from the Victorian era and declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- We drive along the coastal road to reach our destination: the imposing **Hopetoun House**, a magnificent country house with a panoramic view of the river and surrounded by an idyllic setting.
- We visit the **amazing interiors of the house** with its opulent gilded decorations and the classical motifs reflecting the noble splendour of the early 18th-century.
- Hopetoun House is surrounded by a **fabulous park** covering 100 acres in a succession of gentle slopes, forests and well-tended gardens boasting a profusion of wild flowers. We take a stroll in this truly natural Eden and feel reinvigorated thanks to the beauty and tranquillity of the park, then return to the ship accompanied by a host of amazing memories.

Please note: Space is limited, so please book early.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02NE	2 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 69.00	EUR 48.30

South Queensferry **THE SPLENDOUR AND MARVELS OF STIRLING AND KELPIES**

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In a nutshell

Experience an unforgettable day filled with history, culture, and natural wonders on our Stirling Castle and Kelpies tour. Join us as we unravel the tales of Robert The Bruce, explore Sterling Castle, a historic structure fit for kings, and stand in awe before the mighty Kelpies. An experience that will leave you inspired and enchanted.

Main stops

- Helix Park
- Castle of Stirling
- Free time in Stirling

The programme

- This tour will show us the very best of history and scenery in Scotland: first we will visit the **Helix Park** and witness the awe-inspiring Kelpies Scotland's mythical water creatures brought to life through monumental sculptures. These magnificent horse heads stand tall and proud, embodying strength, beauty, and the spirit of Scottish folklore.
- Travel to **Stirling**, located in the heart of Scotland and boasting a long fascinating past under the Scottish sovereigns. It was also the protagonist of some of the main events in the region's history including epic battles, heroic gestures and bloody massacres, where we have some **free time to go for a stroll** and eat something before restarting our tour.
- We visit the **beautiful Stirling castle** perched on a cliff overlooking the valley. It is one of the largest and most imposing in Scotland offering spectacular views over the entire surroundings.
- After this journey into Scotland's past, the time has come to return to the ship.
- Audio guides available at Stirling Castle: £4.00pp. Available languages: English (audio described version is free of charge), Gaelic, French, German and Spanish.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02NF	7 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 109.00	EUR 76.30

Type

South Queensferry **EDINBURGH ON YOUR OWN**

In a nutshell

The ideal excursion for those wishing to discover Edinburgh at their own leisure. Thanks to this unguided

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tour we have the freedom to create our own itinerary: we will explore the magnificent capital of Scotland, steeped in history and art.

Main stops

- Edinburgh

The programme

- This tour offers us the opportunity to explore Edinburgh **in total freedom**, enjoying Scotland's magnificent and historic Capital whose Old Town and Georgian New Town form a World Heritage Site.
- Every step in **Edinburgh** reveals enchanting scenarios between mysterious medieval alleyways and elegant roads flanked by noble residences once inhabited by kings and queens. The city offers a treasure of historical monuments and sights in both the medieval Old Town, and the 18th century New Town, including Holyrood Palace, Edinburgh Castle, the famous shopping hub around Princes Street, the Outlook Tower with its view over the city, and many more places to explore.
- This tour does not feature a guide.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02VA	6 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 65.00	EUR 45.50

Type

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THE FALKIRK WHEEL: SCOTLAND'S HYDRAULIC MARVEL

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Falkirk: Helix Park and Kelpies (photostop)
- Falkirk Wheel and boat tour
- Coast north of Forth: Kincardine Bridge and Culross
- New Queensferry Crossing: Forth Rail Bridge (panoramic)

The programme

- We leave South Queensferry behind us and venture into Scotland's hinterland to reach **Helix Park** where we will have some free time to take pictures.

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- As we stroll through **Helix Park**, we reach the scenic **Kelpies** sculpture – two steel horse heads over 30 metres tall. *Kelpies* – the protagonists of many Celtic folk legends – are magical aquatic creatures that inhabit the Scottish lakes and rivers and often take the form of white horses.
- Our next stop is a spectacular combination of hydraulic engineering and human skill – completed in 2002, the **Falkirk Wheel** is a must-see for lovers of canals and elegant engineering designs. At the Visitor Centre, we learn more about its history and mechanism and are then ready to **get on our boat** designed specifically to experience how the lift works! We cross the basin as far as the Wheel and, once the boat is in position, the Wheel lifts us with a gentle movement and takes us to the Union Canal 35 metres above us. As we ascend, we have plenty of time to admire the breathtaking views of the enchanting Scottish countryside.
- Once we reach the **Union Canal**, we sail along the 180 metres of the **Rough Castle Tunnel** alongside the historic Roman fortification of the **Antonine Wall**. We finally return to the Wheel, which now takes us down towards the Visitor Centre.
- After some **free time** during which we remain enchanted by how the Wheel works, we continue our excursion.
- We proceed along the **northern coast of the Forth estuary** across **Kincardine Bridge** and the historic city of **Culross**, of which we admire its Dutch-style façades and 17th-century terraced houses.
- Before making our way back to South Queensferry, we drive across the **new Queensferry Crossing**, one of the country's main roads offering breathtaking views over the Victorian **Forth Rail Bridge** – an engineering marvel from the Industrial age declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in June 2015.
- The ascent/descent lasts approximately 15 minutes.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
02VL	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 75.00	EUR 52.50

Type

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04S8	4 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 115.00	EUR 80.50

Invergordon

THE MAJESTIC DUNROBIN CASTLE

In a nutshell

With its conical turrets and fairytale style, Dunrobin Castle guarantees us a magical, special day, with rooms brimming with art works, and enchanting gardens overlooking the sea.

Main stops

- The Scottish Highlands
- Tain
- Dunrobin Castle
- Inside the castle
- Castle gardens overlooking the sea

The programme

- We board the coach and leave the port of Invergordon, heading for the wonderful **countryside of The Scottish Highlands** with its pretty towns, which include **Tain**, the oldest *burgh* in Scotland.
- We will soon arrive at our destination, **Dunrobin Castle**. We take the long tree-lined drive up to the entrance, which welcomes us with its fairytale French Renaissance style. Built during the Middle Ages, it has undergone various modifications and extensions, including work by Sir Charles Barry, the famous architect responsible for London's Palace of Westminster, who added his personal touch in 1850.
- We will now start our tour **through the castle**. It is composed of 189 rooms filled with furniture, paintings, tapestries and noteworthy works of art. We admire the castle collections, which we discover among the bedrooms, nurseries, studies and reception rooms. Among the items on show we find old furnishings, ceremonial dress, uniforms, weapons and a complete, fully-functioning, 19th-century fire engine. The whole visit is an opportunity to learn about the lives of the Earls and Dukes of Sutherland who have inhabited this regal abode since 1300.
- The next stage of the tour will see us explore the castle's exterior. We will walk freely through the beautiful **castle gardens**, designed and created by architect Barry, who was inspired by the gardens of Versailles. The enchanting walk is made more magical by evocative views of the sea.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.
- This excursion is not recommended for guests with mobility problems.
- Bags and rucksacks are not allowed inside the castle, and taking photographs is not permitted.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2192	4 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 99.00	EUR 69.30
Type				

Invergordon
INVERNESS AND CAWDOR CASTLE

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Cromarty Firth
- Inverness
- Cawdor Castle
- Walled Garden
- Flower Garden
- Wild Garden

The programme

- We board the coach and leave the port of Invergordon, skirting the **Cromarty Firth**.
- We reach **Inverness**, the capital of The Highlands, which is located close to the mouth of the River Ness. Here we have some free time for a brief look along the tree-lined banks of the river.
- We then leave Inverness to head inland to the village of Cawdor where we will prepare to visit the castle of the same name.
- We reach **Cawdor Castle** by crossing a drawbridge. This traditional noble residence retains all of the atmosphere of Scotland's medieval past. Constructed in 1372, it is still owned by the Earls of Cawdor six centuries later. Legend has it that the building was erected on the site where a donkey, weighed down with gold, stopped to rest under a hawthorn bush, the trunk of which can still be seen in the vaults under the 14th-century tower.
- After visiting the castle, we head outside to visit the three splendid gardens. The **Walled Garden** is the oldest of the three and is situated to the north-east of the castle. It includes a maze inspired by the Roman villa of Conímbriga , in Portugal, which in turn is inspired by the legendary labyrinth of Minos.
- To the south of the castle is the **Flower Garden**. Created in 1710, it is an extremely elegant garden, probably of French influence, and rich in fruit trees.
- Lastly, the **Wild Garden**. Only created in 1960, the wild garden is positioned on the banks of the Cawdor Burn that runs to the luxuriant Cawdor forest.

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- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.
- Bags and rucksacks are not allowed inside the castle, and taking photographs is not permitted.
- The visit of the Castle and the gardens is free and not guided.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2193	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 99.00	EUR 69.30

Type

Invergordon **THE GLEN ORD WHISKY DISTILLERY AND BEAULY**

In a nutshell

We will taste one of Scotland's typical products, the whisky of renowned Glen Ord distillery, before taking a step back in time among the characteristic streets of Beaulay Village.

Main stops

- Glen Ord
- Glen Ord Distillery
- Traditional whisky production techniques
- Whisky tasting
- Beaulay

The programme

- This excursion takes us to the ancient, noble town of **Glen Ord**, on the edge of the Black Isle in the Highlands.
- Here we find the **Glen Ord distillery**, where the world renowned malt whisky is produced, a magical malt whisky which is sweet, fruity and subtly spicy on the palate.
- During our enjoyable visit we will be able to appreciate the **traditional production techniques**, from fermentation to distillation, before tasting this sophisticated dram.
- Our visit to Glen Ord complete, we move on to the pretty small Scottish town of **Beaulay**, well known for its pretty flower displays. We will enjoy a stroll around his charming traditional Scottish town which boasts a lovely spacious central square designed by Baron Lovat in the 1840 and see the now ruined 13th-century Beaulay priory in the heart of the village.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.

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- This excursion is not recommended for guests with mobility problems.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2194	3 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 109.00	EUR 76.30
Type				
Tasting				

Invergordon

LOCH NESS AND THE RUINS OF URQUHART CASTLE

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Loch Ness
- Urquhart Castle
- Visitor Centre

The programme

- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2195	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 119.00	EUR 83.30
Type				

Invergordon

THE MYSTERY OF THE LOCH NESS MONSTER

In a nutshell

The tour involves a trip along the banks of Loch Ness, the most famous lake in Scotland, in search of the mythical monster Nessie who has made it famous across the world.

Main stops

- Loch Ness

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- Loch Ness Centre and Exhibition Experience
- History of the monster
- View from the Clansman Hotel
- Panoramic drive through Inverness

The programme

- We leave Invergordon by coach and head in a south-westerly direction, skirting the Cromarty Firth and passing through the villages of Muir of Ord and Beauly - with its evocative ruined Priory - to reach our final destination, the stunning **Loch Ness**, the deepest freshwater lake in Great Britain. Its dark abysses bring terrible stories to mind and visions of strange creatures, particularly the legendary Loch Ness monster.
- We will visit the **Loch Ness Centre and Exhibition Experience**, which leads us through seven themed areas on a journey through time, from the origins of the world to the third millennium, to explain the evolution of the loch. An incredible combination of lasers, special effects and digital audiovisuals illustrate the **history of the monster** with information on various topics such as Scotland's geological past, its folklore and the various research projects carried out on Loch Ness. Some sceptics claim that the subjects photographed by cameras in the past are simply tree trunks or otters. However the loch is so deep and filled with unexplored caves and canals linking to the sea that no-one can say with any certainty that the monster is merely a legend.
- Leaving the Loch Ness Centre & Exhibition Experience, we move to **Clansman Hotel** - which offers one of the best viewpoints around Loch Ness - where we will stop to take photos.
- We then head to **Inverness**, capital of The Highlands, for a brief panoramic tour. This is an ancient city, but one that was almost entirely rebuilt during the 19th century.
- At the end of the excursion we will return to the port of Invergordon.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.
- Audio guides at Lochness exhibition center to be downloaded by app 'Loch Ness Centre Audio Guide'. At the centre there is the QR code to download it, but it could be done in advance. Bring your own headphones.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2198	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 109.00	EUR 76.30
Type				

Invergordon

A DAY ON THE BANKS OF LOCH NESS

In a nutshell

The tour involves a day-long trip along the banks of Loch Ness, the most famous lake in Scotland, in search of the mythical monster Nessie who has made it famous across the world.

Main stops

- Loch Ness
- Urquhart Castle (from the opposite bank)
- Fort Augustus
- Caledonian Canal
- The wild, barren landscape of the east bank
- Foyers and its falls
- Dores
- Inverness

The programme

- We leave Invergordon by coach and head in a south-westerly direction, skirting the Cromarty Firth and passing through the villages of Muir of Ord and Beaully – with its evocative ruined Priory – to reach our final destination, the stunning **Loch Ness**, the deepest freshwater lake in Great Britain. Its dark abysses bring terrible stories to mind and visions of strange creatures, particularly the legendary Loch Ness monster.
- Located in an enviable setting on the edge of the loch sits the 14th-century **Urquhart Castle**, which we can admire from the opposite bank, as we pass by.
- We continue south, along the tree-lined banks of the loch, to **Fort Augustus**, a village with approximately 700 inhabitants located at the southern tip of Loch Ness. It was originally built to control the Scottish rebels of the North during the Jacobite Wars.
- During our free time at Fort Augustus we can walk along the banks of the 100 km-long **Caledonian Canal**, which was constructed to connect the North Sea to the Atlantic Ocean. The canal system is not entirely man-made, as three lakes in the valley around Loch Ness make up two thirds of its length. A series of locks were built to enable navigation between the different water levels in the Canal.
- Having visited Fort Augustus, we continue our tour, skirting the east bank of the loch in a northerly direction. The first part of the journey takes us through **wild, barren landscapes that offer breathtaking views**.
- We reach the **village of Foyers**, where we will stop to admire the frothing falls, immersed in a

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Caledonian pine forest.

- Continuing north along the lochside, we catch another glimpse of Urquhart Castle on the opposite bank before reaching **Dores**, which boasts the loch's only beach, where we have the perfect opportunity to take photos thanks to its spectacular panoramic position at the edge of the waters. Camera at the ready as this is a last chance to spot Nessie.
- The final stop on our trip is **Inverness**, capital of The Highlands, where we will enjoy a brief city tour. This is an ancient city, but one that was almost entirely rebuilt during the 19th century. It is very pleasant to wander through its streets and along the tree-lined boulevards that flank the River Ness.
- At the end of the visit, we will return to the ship at Invergordon.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2261	8 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 115.00	EUR 80.50
Type				

Invergordon **PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE BANKS OF LOCH NESS**

In a nutshell

The tour involves a day-long trip along the banks of Loch Ness, the most famous lake in Scotland, in search of the mythical monster Nessie who has made it famous across the world.

Main stops

- Loch Ness
- Dores
- Urquhart Castle (view from the opposite bank)
- Typical Scottish views
- Inverness
- Town House
- Tollbooth Steeple

The programme

- We leave Invergordon by coach and head in a south-westerly direction, skirting the Cromarty Firth

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and passing through the villages of Muir of Ord and Beauly with its evocative ruined Priory to reach our final destination, the stunning **Loch Ness**, the deepest freshwater lake in Great Britain. Its dark abysses bring terrible stories to mind and visions of strange creatures, particularly the legendary Loch Ness monster.

- Following the historic military route of General Wade, we reach **Dores**, where we come across the only beach in the area, an evocative observation point where we can admire fantastic views of the loch, against its backdrop of mountains. Remember to keep your camera close at hand if you want to immortalise Nessie!
- After having travelled the banks to the town of Foyers, we will head inland and north, along a wonderful, winding road that will reward us with **typical Scottish views**: vast moors, rocky cliffs, Caledonian pines and humpbacked bridges.
- After this break we are free to leave the hotel and enjoy some free time exploring **Inverness**, capital of the Highlands, on foot. This is an ancient city, but one that was almost entirely rebuilt during the 19th century. It is very pleasant to wander through its streets and along the tree-lined boulevards that flank the River Ness.
- In its city centre we will see some important buildings, such as the Victorian Gothic **Town House**. Originally the town hall, it is now the administrative centre for The Highlands. Not far from here we also find the **Tollbooth Steeple**, a 45-metre high bell tower.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early to avoid disappointment.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2262	6 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 95.00	EUR 66.50
Type				

Invergordon **LOCH NESS BY BOAT**

In a nutshell

A relaxing boat trip on the mysterious Loch Ness will provide evocative views of the peaks that surround the loch and perhaps even a glimpse of the famous Nessie.

Main stops

- Loch Ness
- Loch cruise

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- Inverness

The programme

- We leave Invergordon by coach and head in a south-westerly direction, skirting the Cromarty Firth and passing through the villages of Muir of Ord and Beauly - with its evocative ruined Priory - to reach our final destination, the stunning **Loch Ness**, the deepest freshwater lake in Great Britain. Its dark abysses bring terrible stories to mind and visions of strange creatures, particularly the legendary Loch Ness monster.
- Once at the lochside, we will board a boat for a cruise across its famous waters, learning about its geology and history, as well as the legends surrounding Nessie. This is a great opportunity to immortalise the beautiful, evocative mountain panorama. And, who knows, maybe even the mythical monster...
- The final stop on our trip is **Inverness**, capital of The Highlands, where we will enjoy a brief panoramic tour by bus. This is an ancient city, but one that was almost entirely rebuilt during the 19th century.
- At the end of the visit, we will return to the ship at Invergordon.
- This excursion is not recommended for guests with mobility problems or those who suffer from sea sickness.
- We recommend that you bring heavy, waterproof clothing with you.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2263	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 99.00	EUR 69.30
Type				

Invergordon **TRANSFER TO INVERNESS**

In a nutshell

Enjoy a walk on the River Ness Islands, a pretty public park close to the city centre, or a spot of shopping, for example in the Victorian Market passage. Inverness also boasts an impressive cathedral, an excellent museum and art gallery and of course many cafes and restaurants to relax.

Main stops

- Many shops in Inverness are closed on Sunday Mornings.

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- This excursion does not feature a guide.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2264	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 65.00	EUR 45.50
Type				

Lerwick

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04R0	2 1/2 Hours approximately		EUR 79.00	EUR 55.30

Lerwick

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04R1	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 89.00	EUR 62.30

Lerwick

THE HIDDEN SCOTLAND OF THE SHETLAND ISLANDS

In a nutshell

Explore the historical and naturalistic treasures of the Shetland islands as part of an experience that will take you on a discovery of the **town of Lerwick**, before getting your legs working as you **walk along an ayre of sand** to reach the **St Ninian's Isle**. Among the ancient ruins and wild coastal landscapes, your **guide** will accompany you on an intense exploration of a part of Scotland that is still little known...

Main stops

- Sightseeing bus tour from Lerwick to Bigton
- Viewpoint with views over the island of Mousa
- Walk through the center of Lerwick, along the 'ayre' and onto St Ninian's Isle

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- Rerwick beach: photo stop

The programme

- Your exploration of the **Shetland islands** begins with a stroll in **Lerwick**, a town that dates back to the 17th century. Then, you'll take a **bus trip** with your nose glued to the window, gazing over the **alluring coastal landscapes** and listening to the stories of **your guide**.
- Keep your smartphone to hand to capture a few pictures of the ancient settlement of **Fladdabister**, then stop to catch sight of the **'broch' of Mousa Island from a viewpoint**: a prehistoric tower dating back to the Iron Age.
- Now it's time to head to **St Ninian's Isle** on foot! That's right - because the ocean leaves the **'ayre' free to cross - a scenic 'bridge' of sand**.
- Here, amidst immaculate green lawns and dazzling white beaches, you'll spot the ruins of a **12th-century church** and learn the story of **St Ninian's treasure**, discovered right under the floor of the church in 1958.
- Before returning to the ship, stop off at **Rerwick beach** for one last snap of the seals that inhabit it. Another amazing sight all for you!
- Wear comfortable shoes and clothing suitable for the experience. The walk will last around 2 hours.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
04B7	3 1/2 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 99.00	EUR 69.30

Type

Lerwick **Wildlife, History and Nature Reserves.**

In a nutshell

Enjoy the views across one of the finest sand tombolos in Europe and watch the Puffin colony at Sumburgh Head.

Main stops

- Mousa viewpoint
- Spiggie nature reserve
- Sumburgh head

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The programme

- Wildlife viewing is not guaranteed.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
03RX	4 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 105.00	EUR 73.50

Type

Lerwick

PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE SHETLAND ISLANDS AND JARLSHOF

In a nutshell

This tour is an opportunity to enjoy the unique, evocative landscape of the Shetland islands with a visit to one of the most important archaeological sites in Europe and one of the most accessible sea bird colonies in the United Kingdom, where hundreds of puffins and other birds may be observed at close range during most of the spring and summer.

Main stops

- Lerwick
- Island of Mousa
- Archaeological site of Jarlshof
- Sumburgh Head RSPB nature reserve

The programme

- We disembark in the town of **Lerwick**, the administrative centre of the Shetland Islands and the town with the highest population, for a brief tour. Established in the 17th century, it grew and developed as a result of the fishing industry and its role as a port. The *Lodberries*, houses and warehouses built by merchants, and the *closses*, narrow streets starting at the port that lead to the newer part of the town, bear witness to the town's origins. Another interesting feature is the fact that it was built from stone to protect it from the fierce winter storms.
- We continue our excursion, heading to the south of the island where we can admire the magnificent landscape that surrounds us, with a sea view on one side and the gentle hills of South Mainland on the other. Having arrived at our destination we can enjoy a spectacular view of the nearby **Mousa Island**, home to the *broch*, a prehistoric tower from the iron age, one of the best preserved in Great Britain.

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- We then arrive at the most southerly point of the island, marked by the small town of Sumburgh, from where we access the **Jarlshof archaeological site**, which contains some of the most interesting remains of early human settlements, not only in the Shetland islands, but in the whole of Scotland. We can observe the remains of habitations from various eras from the bronze age to the 16th century.
- Leaving Jarlshof and continuing along the coast, we head for the **Sumburgh Head RSPB nature reserve** located at the southernmost point of the Shetlands. At Sumburgh Head there is a colony of around 5,000 birds, mostly sea birds, all reared between the rocks and the steep grassy banks that lead to Shetland's first lighthouse. These picturesque rocks are the ideal place to observe puffins at close range (from May to mid-August). Below in the water, with a bit of luck we can spot grey seals, porpoises, white dolphins, killer whales, minke whales and even humpback whales.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.
- We recommend wearing comfortable shoes.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2161	4 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 95.00	EUR 66.50

Type

Lerwick

PANORAMIC TOUR OF THE ISLAND OF MAINLAND

In a nutshell

We discover the largest island in the Shetland archipelago with its thousands of years of history attested by major archaeological sites and its breathtaking rural panoramas in the north.

Main stops

- Lerwick
- Victorian Town hall
- Clickimin Broch
- Scalloway
- Carol's Ponies breeding farm
- Wornadale Hill
- Whiteness Voe
- Stormfirth

The programme

- We begin our excursion in the town of **Lerwick**, the administrative centre of the Shetland Islands and the town with the highest population, for a brief tour. Established in the 17th century, it grew and developed as a result of the fishing industry and its role as a port. The Lodberries, houses and warehouses built by merchants, and the closes, narrow streets starting at the port that lead to the newer part of the town, bear witness to the town's origins. Another interesting feature is the fact that it was built from stone to protect it from the fierce winter storms.
- The monuments we will encounter on our brief tour through Lerwick include the **Victorian Town hall** on Hillhead Street. Built in perfect Scottish baronial style, it offers a captivating vision of the development of the islands with its stained glass windows providing a pictorial account of the main events in Shetland's history.
- The second stage of our excursion takes us to **Clickimin** featuring the famous broch* and the surrounding iron age buildings. We stop here to take photographs.
- We then arrive in **Scalloway**, which is the second largest settlement on Mainland although much older than Lerwick.
- We have some free time to walk along the streets of the village and see the historic Scalloway Castle. The fortress was built in around 1600 by the Earl Patrick Stewart, a cruel, yet powerful nobleman who pressed the local population into forced labour. He was later executed in Edinburgh in 1615.
- The next stage is dedicated to the symbol of Shetland: the pony. We stop at **Carol's Ponies**, a breeding farm where we can photograph these magnificent animals and learn more about them.
- We continue our discovery of Shetland's Mainland, heading north past the charmingly **Loch of Tingwall** with Norse Heritage.
- We then arrive at **Wormadale Hill**. We'll drive up the hill to admire the spectacular views over **Whiteness Voe**, one of the many inlets along the coast of Shetland, and **Stormfirth**, a small, rural village.
- We return to the ship in Lerwick at the end of the excursion.
- Places on this excursion are limited. We recommend booking early.
- We recommend wearing comfortable shoes.
- Scalloway Castle is currently closed and covered in scaffolding.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2162	3 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 89.00	EUR 62.30

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NATURE EXCURSION TO MOUSA ISLAND

In a nutshell

An ideal excursion for those wishing to see some wildlife on an unspoilt island inhabited by seals and sea birds, plus one of the best-preserved iron-age towers in Great Britain.

Main stops

- South Mainland
- Sightings of seals and porpoises
- Mousa Island
- Broch of Mousa
- Sightings of numerous sea bird species
- Magnificent views of unspoilt scenery

The programme

- Leaving the ship in Lerwick, we head south to Sandwick by coach.
- We travel along the eastern coast of the island where we will admire the magnificent landscape that surrounds us, with a sea view on one side and the gentle hills of **South Mainland** on the other and small towns scattered here and there.
- Having arrived at the Sandwick jetty, the skipper will lead us on board the boat headed for the nearby uninhabited island of Mousa. With a bit of luck, during the crossing, we may spot the **herds of seals and porpoises** for which the island is famous. The latter are mammals related to dolphins and are found in the strait of Mousa from May to September
- Having arrived on the Island of Mousa, we set off on foot to the famous **Broch of Mousa**, one of the most imposing prehistoric towers in Scotland. At thirteen metres, it is the highest and best-preserved prehistoric tower in the whole of Great Britain. We'll admire its mysterious features and wonder about its purpose. It probably had a variety of uses including military defence. Given its majestic appearance, it may also have had considerable symbolic value.
- Along the way we will come across a panoramic viewpoint where it is possible to spot numerous species of sea bird such as the Arctic tern, the great skua and the Arctic skua, not to mention the six hundred or so couples of nocturnal storm petrels that live on the island. In short, in terms of protected species, Mousa is a true paradise.
- Depending on our interests, we can choose to focus on Mousa's wildlife or continue to admire the

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magnificent views of unspoilt scenery and take photographs of the tower.

- We return to Lerwick at the end of the visit.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2165	4 Hours approximately	Hard	EUR 109.00	EUR 76.30
Type				

Lerwick WALK THROUGH LERWICK

In a nutshell

An enjoyable walk through the characteristic narrow streets of the most populated town on the Shetland islands, an important administrative centre and a lively and welcoming port.

Main stops

- Lerwick
- Fort Charlotte
- Victorian Town Hall
- Shetland Museum
- The Closes of Lerwick

The programme

- We disembark in the town of **Lerwick**, the administrative centre of the Shetland Islands and the town with the highest population. Established in the 17th century, it grew and developed as a result of the fishing industry and its role as a port. Merchants built the *Lodberries*, houses and warehouses, each with its own jetty, where they could moor the incoming fishing boats directly on their property. The boats are still present in the port today.
- The first building that greets us when facing the port is **Fort Charlotte**. Built in 1665 then rebuilt in 1780, it is named in honour of Queen Charlotte, the consort of George III. Now disused, it once served as a prison and a base for the Royal Navy. From the highest point of the fort we can enjoy a magnificent view of the port.
- Continuing our walk we visit the **Victorian Town Hall** on Hillhead Street. Built in perfect Scottish baronial style, it offers a captivating vision of the development of the islands, with its stained glass windows providing a pictorial account of the main events in Shetland's history.

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- Our next stop is at the **Shetland Museum** – opened in 2007 on a dock by the sea – which offers a fascinating glimpse of life on the island through its history to the present day. Here we have some free time to look at the various exhibitions of local and maritime architecture, as well as the contemporary art exhibitions.
- During our walk we will cross the typical narrow streets known as **closses**, which stretch from the port to the hill. They have witnessed many a clandestine scene, including the activities of local smugglers.
- Italian speaking guides are not available.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
00X3	3 Hours approximately	Moderate	EUR 65.00	EUR 45.50

Type

Hamburg **HAMBURG BY LAND AND SEA (ends at the airport)**

In a nutshell

The largest port in Germany, a famous red light district and sophisticated homes around the famous lake Alster; all this is waiting for us in Hamburg!

Main stops

- Alster boat cruise
- Guided coach tour: Jungfernstieg, Town Hall and Stock Exchange Renaissance buildings, other points of interest
- St. Pauli district, Reeperbahn

The programme

- Our excursion will show us the vibrant city of Hamburg. We will board our **Alster boat** and admire the city from the deck * a completely different perspective to our view from land. During the trip, wonderful villas, parks, modern buildings and unspoilt shores will pass before our eyes.
- After our boat ride, a coach will be waiting to take us on an interesting **guided tour** of the city.
- Our route will pass the city's main points of interest: ranging from the **Jungfernstieg** (literally the 'spinsters' path'), the street 'Neuer Wall' scattered with luxury boutiques and shopping centres, to the **Renaissance buildings housing the Town Hall and Stock Exchange**, not forgetting parks, gardens,

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the TV tower, the exhibition centre, the 18th-century court house and the red light district of St. Pauli .

- The tour will end in the city center where the guide will leave us and where we will have some free time in the city before heading to the airport.
- The excursion ends at the airport. The tour is for guests with flights after 16.00.
- This excursion is reserved for guests who disembark in Hamburg and whose flights depart after 4.00 p.m.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
00B9	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 75.00	EUR 52.50

Hamburg **THE SIGHTS OF LUEBECK (end at the airport)**

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Holstentor
- Seven spires
- Hospital of the Holy Spirit
- Town Hall
- St. Mary's Church
- Historic coffeehouse 'Niederegger'

The programme

- We leave the port by coach and head to the Hanseatic city of Lübeck, where we can discover the fascinating historic centre that was declared a UNESCO world heritage site in 1987.
- Our tour will take us through the historic alleyways and courtyards that bore witness to the economic splendour that the Hanseatic League enjoyed in the 19th century.
- Our guided tour brings us face to face with the **Holstentor**, the most famous of the five gates that belong to the medieval city fortifications. We can also spot the **seven spires** &
- The excursion ends at the airport.
- This excursion is reserved for guests who disembark in Hamburg and whose flights depart after 5.00 p.m.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
00BA	6 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 85.00	EUR 59.50

Hamburg **RIVER CRUISE AND TOUR OF HAMBURG**

In a nutshell

Main stops

- Cruise on the Alster Lake
- Coach sightseeing tour
- Jungfernstieg
- Renaissance City Hall and Stock Exchange Buildings
- Modern part of the city
- St. Pauli and Reeperbahn districts

The programme

- We start our excursion to discover the vibrant city of Hamburg with a **cruise along the famous Alster lake**. We admire the city from the deck and enjoy a completely different perspective to our view from land. Wonderful villas, parks, modern buildings and unspoilt shores pass before our eyes.
- We disembark and continue exploring the city with a **sightseeing tour by coach** to discover the most interesting and picturesque parts of Hamburg.
- We cross the residential districts and the **Jungfernstieg**, the famous fashionable street scattered with luxury boutiques and shopping centres.
- We continue with the **Renaissance buildings housing the Town Hall and the Stock Exchange** before entering the **more modern part of the city** with its parks and gardens, TV tower, 19th-century court house and much more.
- The tour ends in the **St. Pauli district**, hub of local nightlife where **Reeperbahn**, the city's famous red light district, can also be found.
- Then we will have some **free time** to spend in the city centre before heading back to the port.
- Space is limited, so please reserve early.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2792	4 1/2 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 75.00	EUR 52.50

Hamburg
EXPLORING LÜBECK ON FOOT

In a nutshell**Main stops**

- Holstentor and the seven spires
- Hospital of the Holy Spirit
- Town Hall and St. Mary's Church
- Niederegger bakery
- Free time in the city centre

The programme

- We leave the port by coach and head to the **Hanseatic city of Lübeck**, where we can discover the fascinating historic centre that was declared a UNESCO world heritage site in 1987.
- We stroll along the **historic alleyways and courtyards** that bore witness to the economic splendour that the Hanseatic League enjoyed between late Medieval times and the start of the Modern Age.
- Our guided tour brings us face to face with the **Holstentor**, the most famous of the five gates that belong to the medieval city fortifications. We can also spot the **seven spires** belonging to five large churches characterising the city's skyline.
- We then head on to the **Hospital of the Holy Spirit**, founded by the city's rich merchants in around 1280, and reach the **Town Hall** and **St. Mary's Church**, home to the biggest mechanical organ in the world.
- The guided tour ends in the **historic Niederegger bakery** specialising in marzipan. We can admire the elaborate creations made with almond meal.
- In the afternoon, we will have plenty of **free time** to explore Lübeck's picturesque stone streets and a variety of refined, sophisticated shops before heading back to Hamburg port.
- The guides will leave guests in Lübeck.
- The transfer to Lübeck takes approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2793	7 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 85.00	EUR 59.50

Hamburg
DISCOVERING HAMBURG

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In a nutshell

Main stops

- Alster Lake
- Jungfernstieg
- Town Hall and Stock Exchange Renaissance buildings
- Modern part of the city
- St. Michael's Church
- Kramer Amtsstuben
- St. Pauli and Reeperbahn districts
- Optional stop for shopping

The programme

- We kick off our excursion with a **tour of Hamburg** to appreciate the most interesting and picturesque sights of this lively northern city.
- We see **Alster Lake**, an unexpected romantic corner right in the middle of the metropolis, then cross the residential districts and the **Jungfernstieg**, the famous fashionable street scattered with luxury boutiques and shopping centres.
- We continue with the **Renaissance buildings housing the Town Hall and the Stock Exchange** before entering the **more modern part of the city** with its parks and gardens, TV tower, 19th-century court house and much more.
- We make several **stops for photos** to immortalise the monuments and landscapes on camera.
- A visit to see the outside of **St. Michael's Church**, affectionately called **Michel** by Hamburg locals, is a must; it is the city's main protestant church and one of the most important architectural constructions in Germany.
- The next stop on our tour is the **Kramer Amtsstuben**, a complex consisting of five buildings built between 1620 and 1676 by the merchants' association to house merchants' widows. It has been very well preserved so gives us a good idea of what life was like at the start of the 18th century.
- We then reach the **St. Pauli district**, the hub of local nightlife where the **Reeperbahn**, the city's famous red light district, can also be found.
- At the end of the excursion, those who wish to indulge in some **shopping in the city centre** can remain in Hamburg while the rest of the group heads back to the ship.
- Space is limited, so please reserve early.

INFORMATIONS

Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2795	4 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 65.00	EUR 45.50

Hamburg

PANORAMIC TOUR OF HAMBURG (end at the airport)

In a nutshell

Main stops

Alster Lake
Jungfernstieg
Town Hall and Stock Exchange Renaissance buildings
Modern part of the city
St. Michael's Church
Kramer Amtsstuben
St. Pauli district, Reeperbahn

The programme

- Our sightseeing tour of the city of Hamburg will make its way around the city's main points of interest. We will see Alster Lake in the city centre, then cross the residential districts and the Jungfernstieg, the famous fashionable street scattered with luxury boutiques and shopping centres. We continue on to see the Renaissance buildings housing the Town Hall and the Stock Exchange before entering the more modern part of the city with its parks and gardens, TV tower, 19th-century court house and much more.
- We make several obligatory stops for photos during the tour so that we can immortalise the monuments and landscapes on camera.
- A visit to see the outside of St. Michael's Church, affectionately called Michel by Hamburg locals, is a must; it is the city's main protestant church and one of the most important architectural constructions in Germany.
- The next stop on our tour is the Kramer Amtsstuben, a complex consisting of five buildings built between 1620 and 1676 by the merchants' association to house merchants' widows. It has been very well preserved so gives us a good idea of what life was like at the start of the 18th century.
- After the excursion, we will travel to Hamburg airport.
- The excursion is only available to guests who are leaving the ship in Hamburg.
- This excursion is reserved for guests who disembark in Hamburg and whose flights depart after 2.00 p.m.

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Code	Duration	Level	Adult price	Child price
2799	3 Hours approximately	Easy	EUR 65.00	EUR 45.50

Legenda

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Easy

tour with this designation involve walking over relatively lever terrain. Comfortable shoes are recommended.

Moderate

Tours with this designation can involve a considerable amount of physical activity such as walking over cobblestones or uneven surface, climbing stairs or steep terrain, swimming in a light current, or bicycle riding. They are not recommended for guest with walking difficulties. Comfortable sturdy shoes are recommended.

Hard

Tour with this designation involve high physical exertion for extended periods of time. The terrain may be uneven or steep. They are recommended only for physically fit and adventurous traveller.

Sightseeing

these are primarily motor coach excursions with an emphasis on sight-seeing and very little activity.

Water Activity

Involves the opportunity to swim or the possibility of getting wet.

Fun

dedicated to a young public keen on entertainment.

Eco Natural Trail

dedicated to nature lovers.

Tasting

a light snack will be provided on this excursion.

Meal not included

during excursions free time is given to organise lunch individually.

Most wanted

Guest surveys indicate a high degree of satisfaction with these tours.

Basket Lunch

a packed meal is provided from the ship.

Good for shopping

specially dedicated to shopping lovers.

Cultural

dedicated to history, culture and local traditions lovers.

Disabled friendly

Excursions with the handicap sign are for guests with mobility difficulties however should be able to move around independently. Guests in wheelchair out on excursion need to be accompanied by a third party as assistance by the ship will not be provided. The majority of our agencies require that the wheelchairs be retractable because sometimes the necessary space needed for a wheelchair is not available. We kindly ask you to contact the Excursion Office as soon as possible, upon embarkation, to ensure that we find the best possible solution and to reserve the appropriate seat in the required bus before the departure of the excursions. For further information and for a solution that best fits your need please contact the Excursion Office.

Sports Lovers

for the adventurous, there are our most active shore excursions.

Recommended to families

includes activities that are appropriate for families travelling with children.

New

Brand -new Tour

Meal on board

back on board for lunch/dinner, your guide will be ready to continue the excursion at the end of it.



Meal Included

a meal will be provided on this excursion.

Refreshments included

Refreshments included.

Information Notes

PRACTICAL GUIDE TO EXCURSIONS

Excursion Booking

You can book excursions before departure by visiting the website www.mycosta.com, or by requesting to be contacted by our "Excursion Service" at +34 932952144 or through a request on the MyCosta website. Once on board, excursions can be booked through the Costa App, the Excursion Totem, or by visiting the MyTours office, where our staff will be available to offer advice and assistance.

Participation

Some excursions require a minimum number of bookings and have a maximum number of participants, so it is advisable to book them in advance.

Duration

The duration of the excursions is indicated in the description of each tour. Due to unforeseen circumstances, such as adverse weather conditions and/or transport delays, the duration may be subject to change. The program of individual excursions may also be modified for the reasons mentioned above. Please adhere to the times indicated by the guides at each stop (rest stops, photo stops, etc.).

Description

The descriptions of the excursions are up-to-date as of the printing of this document. However, in the interest of continuously improving our guests' shore experiences, the actual program may differ from the description.

Guests with Mobility Issues

If you use a wheelchair, it is necessary to check the availability of suitable/compatible excursions before booking by contacting our "Excursion Service" at +34 932952144 or through a request on the MyCosta website. Once on board, it is recommended to visit the MyTours office on the first day of the cruise for further assistance.

Customized Programs

Personalized and exclusive tours can be arranged upon request and subject to quotation by contacting our "Excursion Service" or on the day of embarkation by visiting the MyTours office.

Prices

The prices of the excursions include transport where specified, which may include buses, minibuses, taxis, cable cars, and boats. Meals and/or drinks are included only where specified. Prices and excursion programs may be subject to change.

Children and kids

Children aged 3 to 13 are entitled to a 30% discount on all excursions. Children under 3 years old participate for free.

Squok Club

For children aged 3 to 13, there is the possibility to enjoy the Squok Club while their parents are on an excursion. The service is free, and the request must be made in advance.

Tickets

All excursions will be registered on the Costa card: the Costa card becomes the excursion ticket. In the Costa App, under the MyAgenda section, you will find all the information about shore experiences. If necessary, the staff at the MyTours office can print a summary of the bookings.

Informative Notes

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