

SCOTTISH ISLE & GLENS

GLASGOW – EDINBURGH: 12 Days | 11 Nights | 11 Breakfasts | 9 Dinners



Day 1: Glasgow & Loch Katrine

Your Scottish trip starts at 3 pm at when you set out for a short cruise on Loch Katrine to admire lovely scenery. Join your tour director and travel companions for a welcome drink before dinner. (D)

Day 2: Isle of Bute

Take a ferry to the Isle of Bute for stunning scenery. Tour the highly-decorated Mount Stuart House and spend time in Rothesay. (B, D)

Day 3: Loch Lomond & Eilean Donan

Travel beside Loch Lomond and through the rugged scenery of Glen Coe. Visit Eilean Donan Castle, dating from the 13th century and check in to your nearby hotel. (B, D)

Day 4: Isle of Skye & Dunvegan

Discover the beauty of the Cuillin Mountains and visit Dunvegan Castle, stronghold of the Chiefs of MacLeod for 800 years. Stop in Portree, the island's capital and view Kilt Rock (B, D)

Day 5: Inverewe & Ullapool

Drive to Inverewe Gardens, where plants flourish due to the warming influence of the Gulf Stream. Continue to the north coast and enjoy plenty of great views of the Highlands. (B, D)

Day 6: Highland & Isles of Orkney

Drive through one of Scotland's sparsely-populated Highland areas to John O'Groats. Take a ferry to the Isles

of Orkney and check in to your hotel in Kirkwall. (B, D)

Day 7: Ring of Brodgar & Skara Brae

Today explore some of the Orkney Isles. Visit the Italian Chapel and view the prehistoric Ring of Brodgar. Explore Skara Brae, a 5,000-year-old village and see St Magnus Cathedral. (B)

Day 8: Dunrobin Castle & Inverness

Dunrobin Castle, the largest mansion in northern Scotland with 189 rooms. Visit some of the more prominent chambers filled with artefacts and continue south to Inverness. (B, D)

Day 9: Urquhart Castle & Culloden

Cruise into Loch Ness and tour the vast ruins of 13th century Urquhart Castle. Visit Culloden Battlefield Visitor Centre where Bonnie Prince Charlie was defeated in 1746. (B, D)

Day 10: Whisky Tasting

Watch trained dogs herd sheep and visit Blair Athol Distillery for a tour and tasting. In Edinburgh head to a Scottish Evening for excellent cuisine followed by a lively show. (B, D)

Day 11: Edinburgh Castle & City

Tour Edinburgh's highlights including the Georgian 'New Town', the Royal Mile and visit Edinburgh Castle where the Scottish Crown Jewels are displayed. The rest of the day is free. (B)

Day 12: Tour ends in Edinburgh (B)



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SCOTTISH CLANS & CASTLES

GLASGOW – EDINBURGH: 10 Days | 9 Nights | 9 Breakfasts | 8 Dinners



Left to right: Urquhart Castle, Inverness; Stirling Castle, Stirling

Day 1: Glasgow City Tour

Your Scottish trip starts at 3 pm at your hotel in Drymen, 20 miles north of Glasgow Airport. Take a gentle scenic cruise on Loch Katrine and return to your hotel. Enjoy a welcome drink before dinner. (D)

Day 2: Stirling Castle & Trossachs

Take a guided tour around Stirling Castle, associated with Mary, Queen of Scots. Drive through Callander and the Trossachs region, often called 'Scotland in Miniature'. (B, D)

Day 3: Glen Coe & Eilean Donan

Today head up into the majestic Highlands. Journey across mysterious Rannoch Moor and through Glen Coe. Visit the romantic 13th century Eilean Donan Castle and check in to your hotel close by. (B, D)

Day 4: Isle of Skye & Dunvegan

Explore the Isle of Skye, renowned for its connections with Bonnie Prince Charlie. Travel to Dunvegan Castle, the oldest continuously inhabited castle in Scotland. Stop in the colourful island capital of Portree and view Kilt Rock, a sea cliff with vertical columns. (B, D)

Day 5: Clan Donald Centre

Visit the Clan Donald Centre at Armadale Castle to discover the history of the Lords of the Isles. Take a ferry to Mallaig on the mainland and transfer

to a train for a scenic ride alongside the 'Road to the Isles'. Reboard your coach at Fort William and drive to Inverness. (B, D)

Day 6: Urquhart Castle & Loch Ness

Visit the ruins of Urquhart Castle and cruise along Loch Ness. Stop at the Culloden Battlefield Visitor Centre to learn about Bonnie Prince Charlie's defeat by the English army in 1746. In Inverness take a walking tour after dinner. (B, D)

Day 7: Whisky & Brodie Castle

Visit a distillery in Speyside to learn about whisky and sample some. Tour Brodie Castle, a 16th century tower house with fairytale towers. (B, D)

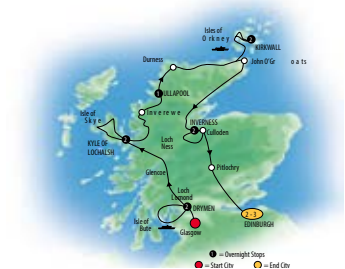
Day 8: Sheepdogs & St Andrews

At Leault Farm watch dogs herd sheep through various obstacles. Stop in the town of Pitlochry on the way to St Andrews, the 'Home of Golf.' In Edinburgh dine at a Scottish evening. (B, D)

Day 9: Edinburgh Castle & City

Explore Edinburgh on a sightseeing tour. See the 'New Town' and the Royal Mile. Take a guided tour around the Palace of Holyroodhouse, the official Scottish residence of The Queen. (B)

Day 10: Tour ends in Edinburgh (B)



Inverness Castle © Visit Scotland

SCOTTISH ISLES & GLENS FROM \$3519 PP					
MON/SAT	♂	♀	MON/SAT	♂	♀
15–22 Apr '17	3569	4415	1–22 Jul	3939	4785
29 Apr–20 May	3669	4515	29 Jul–14 Aug*	4189	5035
27 May	3749	4595	19 Aug–23 Sep	3939	4785
3–24 Jun	3829	4675	30 Sep–14 Oct	3519	4365

*Military Tattoo departure

SCOTTISH CLANS & CASTLES FROM \$2945 PP					
THU	♂	♀	THU	♂	♀
06, 20 Apr '17	2999	3939	27 Jul, 3,10 & 17Aug*	3989	4929
04,18, 25 May	3229	4169	24 Aug	3589	4529
01, 15 Jun	3429	4369	31 Aug, 7,14, 21 Sep	3519	4459
29 Jun, 13, 20 Jul	3589	4529	28 Sep, 5,12,19 Oct	2945	3885

*Military Tattoo departure

Prices are per person in Australian Dollars and are subject to currency fluctuation.



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