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# DISCOVER LONDON: THEATER ARTS & CULTURE

7 or 9 days | England

The lights dim and the voices hush. The curtain rises and you're swept away by the performance on stage. London's theater scene has something for every audience. Tragedies, comedies, and musicals. Long-running favorites and groundbreaking debuts. You'll explore theater's roots at Shakespeare's Globe and learn about its present and future during backstage tours and lectures. And of course, London is a show in its own right.

## YOUR EXPERIENCE INCLUDES:



**Full-time Tour Director**



**Sightseeing:** 1 sightseeing tour led by an expert, licensed local guide; 1 walking tour



**Entrances:** 2 theater performances; picnic shopping experience meal in London; Globe Theatre; *with extension:* Shakespeare's birthplace; 1 theater performance; 2 theater workshops



**Personalized learning guide:** Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.



**All of the details are covered:** Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; 5 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (7 *with extension*); European breakfast and dinner daily





*Anyone can see the world.*

# YOU'RE GOING TO EXPERIENCE IT.

As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your Tour Director in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our personalized learning experience, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. Expert local guides will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

*@EFtours I attribute my college semester abroad to the love for travel I discovered on an EF Tour in high school #traveltuesday*

— MELISSA, TRAVELER



Via Twitter



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## What you'll experience on your tour

### Day 1: Fly overnight to England

#### Day 2: London

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in London, a city of 8 million people that has become one of the world's great melting pots while maintaining a distinct character that's all its own.
- Take a walking tour of London. Stops may include the Strand, Trafalgar Square, Leicester Square, and Covent Garden.

#### Day 3: London

- On your expertly guided tour of London, admire architectural marvels like the Baroque domes and spires of St. Paul's Cathedral, the 17th-century church designed by Sir Christopher Wren. Then, check out the lively five-way intersection at Piccadilly Circus. You may even get a chance to witness the ceremonial Changing of the Guard at Buckingham Palace. And don't forget to snap a picture of Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament.
- Explore more of London or
  - ➦ visit Windsor Castle.

#### Day 4: London

- Take a backstage tour of a theater.
- Take advantage of free time to get to know the city at your own pace.
- Enjoy an authentic fish and chips dinner.
- Attend an evening theater performance.

#### Day 5: London

- Enjoy a full day to see more of London or
  - ➦ Explore the legendary college town of Oxford and experience the magic that makes it a real-life inspiration for so many stories.

#### Day 6: London

- Visit the Globe Theatre. Imagine London in 1599: Queen Elizabeth I reigned, William Shakespeare was the master of the quill, and the Globe Theatre opened its doors to the public. While the original Globe went up in flames during a performance, the new Globe Theatre is a modern-day replica, built just 250 yards from the original site. Take a tour of this theater-in-the-round and imagine being packed in with a crowd 3,000 strong, watching a first-run Shakespeare play. The antics of the Globe's rowdy spectators rival those of arena rock show audiences—theatergoers were known to hurl rotten food at onstage villains.
- Enjoy free time at Borough Market. Explore the international stalls, taking in all of the different aromatics. Shop for food, then sit down for a delicious picnic dinner.
- Attend an evening theater performance.

#### Day 7: Depart for home

### ➦ 2-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

#### Day 7: London | Stratford-upon-Avon

- Travel to Stratford-upon-Avon.
- Visit Anne Hathaway's cottage and the birthplace of William Shakespeare.
- Participate in a Shakespeare-based theater workshop.

#### Day 8: London

- Participate in a technical theater workshop.
- Attend a theatre performance.

#### Day 9: Depart for home

*The week I spent in England was one of the best in my life. I saw things I never imagined I would or could. The Tower of London is mind-boggling because you get to walk the ground on which kings and queens have walked on. There are the iconic spots that everyone wants to see like Big Ben, the London Eye, and Buckingham Palace.*

– YESELY, TRAVELER

“ Tour review

### TOP THREE THINGS I WILL SEE, DO, TRY, OR EXPLORE

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

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*My daughter has gained such an amazing view of the world and history from this experience. She has not stopped talking since I picked her up at the airport. Thank you for all the organization, helpful hints, flexible payment plan, and knowledgeable tour guides.*

—CHARLOTTE, PARENT OF TRAVELER



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