

Historic Cambridge Universities



VISUAL TRAVEL TOURS

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Tour Summary

With an air of quiet sophistication, Cambridge is a major destination for around five million tourists every year. It is full of history, incredible architecture and superb culture, all just 45 minutes from London by train. This historical walking tour takes you to the major universities, including the renowned King's College. You'll see where world-famous inventors, royalty, poets and authors completed their education. You'll have an opportunity to visit a traditional English public house and take a punt ride on the River Cam. Even the kids get to enjoy the fun, as Cambridge is home to The Chronicles of Narnia, Winnie the Pooh, and Tigger too!

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Introduction





The first college was built in 1284, and since that time Cambridge has become one of the most famous university cities in the world, and also one of the most visited.



With almost five million visitors a year, the atmosphere is vibrant, diverse and exciting.



It's a city full of green, open spaces...



...where cows graze peacefully.



Cambridge is easy to navigate on foot or by bike.



Nicknamed "the city of bikes," you won't go far without seeing cycles.



On this tour you can enjoy the outstanding architecture, as we see the most popular colleges.



We begin the tour at Christ's College, where Charles Darwin was a student. Then we will move on to the parish church where you can get a birds-eye view of the city's turrets and spires.



We'll visit the oldest building in the city, and have a chance to enjoy a pint of ale where the world first heard about DNA.



After that comes the renowned King's College...



...and other architecturally breathtaking colleges, where we'll learn about some of Cambridge's world-famous students.



Finally, there'll be an opportunity to go punting on the River Cam, when you can sit back and enjoy the ride!

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