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Cliffs of Moher

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19 Days

August 16 - September 3, 2026

From the craggy inlets of Kerry's shores to the historic skyline of Edinburgh, uncover all that Ireland, Northern Ireland and Scotland have to offer on this Celtic adventure. From the rugged natural beauty of the Wild Atlantic Way to vibrant and historical cities, diverse charms and rich history await your discovery. Experience cozy pubs and welcoming locals, tartans and bagpipes, castles, and green landscapes as far as the eye can see. From the Cliffs of Moher to the golfing greats of St. Andrews, kiss the Blarney Stone and you'll be sharing tales from Giant's Causeway, the Ring of Kerry, and the Scottish Highlands for years to come.

**Travelling in Europe offers incredible experiences, but it can also present its challenges. Be ready to explore on foot over long distances. You will encounter uneven walkways and charming cobblestone paths, as well as hills and stairs that may demand extra physical effort.*

Highlights

- Dublin Castle
- Epic Ireland Exhibitions Ltd
- Guinness Storehouse
- Irish National Stud and Gardens
- Rock of Cashel
- Cobh Heritage Trust Ltd
- Blarney Castle Estate
- Charles Fort
- Mizen Head Signal Station Visitor Centre
- Ross Castle Kerry
- Cliffs of Moher
- Knock Shrine
- Belleek Pottery Visitor Centre
- Giants Causeway
- Titanic Belfast
- Isle of Skye
- Robert Burns Birthplace Museum
- Glasgow Cathedral St Mungos
- Tenement House Glasgow
- Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum
- Cruise Loch Lomond Ltd
- Ben Nevis Distillery
- Armadale Castle Gardens and Museum of the Isles
- Eilean Donan Castle
- Blair Castle
- Royal Yacht Britannia
- Edinburgh Castle
- Strathspey Railway train journey
- Sprit of Scotland Show & Dinner

Pricing



**DOUBLE
OCCUPANCY:
\$9,990**



**SINGLE
OCCUPANCY:
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- Gratuities for WestWorld Tour Director
- Meals and activities not specified in the itinerary
- Any personal expenses
- Travel Insurance
- Pre or post tour accommodations

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Final Payment The final payment is due 120 days prior to tour start date. Cancellation penalties will apply. For full details and to read our Terms & Conditions visit westworldtours.com/terms



Itinerary

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DAY 1: Arrive in Dublin

Welcome to the Republic of Ireland and the capital city, Dublin! Founded as a Viking settlement in 841 AD and home to the Irish Parliament since the creation of the Irish Free State in 1922. Upon arrival at Dublin, travel into the heart of the city for an introduction to this energetic city on a **panoramic city tour**, see the **Georgian Squares** with their 18th Century homes, **St. Patrick's Cathedral**, **Phoenix Park**, statue filled **O'Connell Street** fashionable **Grafton Street**, and **Trinity College** home to the **Book of Kells**. The tour concludes at your hotel, check in for a two-night stay, the remainder of the afternoon is yours to explore. This evening, get to know your fellow travellers at the **Welcome Dinner**.

DAY 2: Dublin

Today you discover the history of Dublin. Starting with a fascinating self-guided tour of **Dublin Castle**, from the excavation site of Viking and medieval Dublin to the Gothic Chapel Royal, and finally to the splendour of the former viceregal State Apartments. After, discover the far-reaching influence of Irish history and why 10 million Irish men & women who left Ireland at **EPIC Museum**. Bringing history to life like never before, now's your chance to get hands-on with Irish culture and its past. Swipe through video galleries, challenge yourself with motion sensor quizzes, dance in the footsteps of legends, listen to remastered audio from 100 years ago and watch videos that bring Irish history to life. A visit to Dublin would not be complete, without a visit and taste at **Guinness Storehouse**. Experience the history, heart, and soul of Ireland's most iconic beer, exploring the story of Guinness across the seven floors of their iconic building. Followed by a mouth-watering pint of Guinness in the 360-degree roof top bar, offering spectacular views of the city. There can be no better way to end a vigorous day of touring!

DAY 3: Dublin to Cork

This morning bid farewell to Dublin and travel south to County Kildare – the center of Ireland's horse industry, enjoy a **guided tour of the Irish National Stud Farm**. Having bred its first winner in 1909, the stud farm has continued to produce many famous racehorses. Also on the grounds is the **Japanese Gardens** renowned for their symbolism of "The Life of Man" and St. Fiacre

Commemorative Garden. From here continue to Cashel for a guided tour of the amazing **Rock of Cashel**, a group of medieval buildings including a 12th century Round Tower, 13th century Gothic Cathedral, 15th century High Cross and Romanesque Chapel. This was the seat of the Kings of Munster from 370 – 1101 and has early associations with St. Patrick. Then onward to Cork for a two-night stay. Sitting proudly on an island in the middle of River Lee, Cork's feelgood buzz surges through its hip coffee shops, vibrant art galleries, off-beat museums and seriously good pubs. Making it onto National Geographic's Best of the World 2025 list!

DAY 4: Blarney Castle & Cohb

Travel to Cohb, one of the main points of emigration during the great famine. Here we will visit "**The Queenstown Story**" which portrays the hardship of life on board the ship as it sailed to the "New World". Annie Moore, the first ever emigrant to be processed on Ellis Island when it officially opened on 1st January 1892 left from Cohb with her two brothers. Cohb is also known for being the last port-of-call for the ill-fated Titanic. Then continue to Blarney where you will have an opportunity to visit **Blarney Castle**. Time to 'pucker-up' and kiss the famous **Blarney Stone** said to bestow the gift of eloquence on all those who dare. The Castle visit includes the breathtaking gardens of Blarney Estate. After, take a short stroll to **Blarney Woolen Mills**, the worlds largest Irish gift shop which comes complete with a restaurant serving delicious homemade dishes. Perhaps you might fancy a visit to Christy's Irish Bar for a creamy pint of stout and a bowl of Blarney beef stew. A short stop at the 17th century **Charles Fort** for a photo-op to capture the stunning views and learn the fascinating history of this majestic fort. Arriving back in the charming city of Cork, the remainder of the evening is at your leisure to explore as you please. A great opportunity to check out one of those seriously good pubs!

DAY 5: Cork to Killarney

Travelling along the southern coastline this morning, through the town of Skibbereen, to Ballydehob, from here to Mizen Head, the

What's Included

- 18 Nights Accommodation
- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- Multi-night Stays in Dublin, Kinsale, Killarney, Galway, Glasgow, and Edinburgh
- Baggage handling – 1 per person (max 50 lbs)
- 27 Meals Included
- Gratuities for local guide & driver

most southerly point of Ireland, visit the award-winning **Maritime Museum** and heritage attraction. Take a short walk, 99 steps that lead to the **Arched Bridge** crossing the crashing waves to the **Mizen Head Lighthouse**, for a wonderful view of the swirling Atlantic Ocean. Following this adventure, travel up the coast through picturesque lazy towns & villages to **Kenmare**, nestled among the mountains. With free time to explore a true example of one of Ireland's few planned towns. The journey continues to Killarney travelling a stretch of the famous **Ring of Kerry** with stunning views over the **Killarney Lakes** and **Ladies View**. Arriving at beautiful Killarney, checking in for a two-night stay. Enjoy dinner with your fellow travellers this evening.

DAY 6: The Dingle Peninsula

Today enjoy the unspoiled beauty of the **Dingle Peninsula**, once cited as 'the most beautiful place on earth' by National Geographic. Visit **Brian de Staic Studio** specializing in Celtic jewelry. This unique jewelry is handcrafted and engraved with ancient Celtic symbols and the letters. Continuing around **Slea Head**, with breathtaking views of the Atlantic coastline, see early monastic settlements shaped like beehives, dating back over a thousand years. Then to Ireland's most westerly point with views of the **Basket Islands** and other incredible locations made famous by the movies. After enjoying leisure time in Dingle, return to Killarney and the rest of the day is yours to explore on your own, you may enjoy visiting beautiful and tranquil Killarney National Park and Ross Castle. An extraordinary example of a 15th-century tower house and keep set on the edge of Lough Leane in Killarney National Park.

DAY 7: Killarney to Galway

Bidding farewell to Killarney, travel to **Tralee**, capital town of County Kerry and famous for The Rose of Tralee Festival. Then off to Tarbert to board the **Shannon Ferry** crossing the Shannon Estuary to Killimer. Taking the scenic coast road to the majestic **Cliffs of Moher**, standing 702 feet at their highest point; they stretch for 8 kms along the Atlantic coastline. **O'Brien's Tower** stands near the highest point and has served as a viewing point for hundreds of years. Following leisure time to view the cliffs, head into the quaint and colourful village of **Doolin**. Enjoy some leisure time for lunch before continuing. Travelling through the lunar landscape of the Burren, and the scenic shores of Galway Bay. Arriving in Galway City, check into the hotel, the remainder of the evening is yours to explore on your own.

DAY 8: Galway

Enjoy a morning of leisure to explore Galway on your own or opt for an OPTIONAL TOUR to Connemara and Kylemore Abbey. In the afternoon enjoy a **guided walking tour** through the charming old, cobbled stone streets of Galway as your local guide recounts tales of war and conquest, joy and tragedy, emigration and slavery, success, and folly, along with some good ole Irish Blarney! Concluding with a visit to a local pub for refreshments and more informal storytelling with our local guide.

Morning Optional Tour (\$38 CAD per person)
*Embark on a tour of **Connemara made up of mountains, lake lands and boglands**. The scenery is both magical, and a paradise for artist and photographer alike. Because of its wild and rugged beauty, it has been the chosen location for many films like "The Quiet Man" and in more recent times "The Field". Visit **Kylemore Abbey**, built 1866 as a private home, learn of the tragic love story attached to this location. Take time to stroll the Abbey's beautiful Victorian walled garden, and Gothic Church.*

DAY 9: Galway to Donegal

Leaving Galway, travel through the town of Cong, one of the main locations for the 'Quiet Man' film, continuing northwards passing by the **Knock Shrine**, now an internationally recognized Marian Shrine with one and a half million pilgrims visiting annually. Travel to **Drumcliffe**, in County Sligo set against the striking backdrop of the Benbulbin Mountain. Best known as the final resting place of one of Ireland's great poets W.B. Yeats. Found in the churchyard, see his gravesite, marked by a simple headstone with the inscription, "Cast a cold Eye On Life, on Death, Horseman, pass by". Continue to Belleek, for a **guided tour of the oldest pottery in Ireland** - Belleek Pottery. Made famous for its fine Parian China, valued by collectors all over the world. Then continue

to the town of Donegal for an overnight stay and **included dinner**.

DAY 10: Donegal to Belfast, Northern Ireland

This morning travel to **Derry City** on the banks of the River Foyle. Derry City was founded in 546 AD and still retains its 17th century walls. See the new Derry **Peace Bridge** over the River Foyle, that bridges a 400-year-old physical and political gap between two sides of a once divided community. Continuing to Limavady to begin a journey along the stunning **Antrim Coast Road Drive**. Sit back and enjoy the spectacular scenery of crashing waves, sandy beaches, and busy seaside villages. Of course, no visit to Northern Ireland would be complete without a visit to the **Giant's Causeway, a UNESCO World Heritage Site**, and one of the natural wonders of the world, before continuing along the coast road to Belfast. Enjoy a **panorama City Tour of Belfast City**. See **City Hall**, one of the finest classical renaissance buildings in Europe, Linen Hall Library which has been lending books for over 200 years, the **Grand Opera House** often described as the most beautiful Victorian theatre in the world. Driving by many of Belfast's colorful murals that depict the history and political views of the people and a way of marking territory.

DAY 11: Belfast to Glasgow, Scotland

Begin your final day in Ireland with a visit to **Titanic Belfast**, a state-of-the-art visitor center which tell the stories of the ill-fated RMS Titanic and her sister ships RMS Olympic and HMHS Britannic. The self-guided **Titanic Experience** is the world's most authentic way to discover the sights, sounds, smells and stories of RMS Titanic, as well as the people and city that made her. Complete your Titanic Experience the way First Class passengers began theirs, by stepping aboard the original tender ship – SS Nomadic. It's the world's last remaining White Star vessel making it the only genuine opportunity to touch and experience the excitement felt by the wealthiest Titanic passengers. Then board the **ferry crossing the North Atlantic** arriving in Cairnryan Scotland. Travel to Alloway, the birthplace of Robert Burns, one of Scotland's greatest poets, following a stop at **Burns Cottage**, then onto Glasgow for a two-night stay.

DAY 12: Glasgow City

Enjoy a tour of Glasgow City this morning, built on the River Clyde, once an important ship building center Glasgow is often described as Britain's finest Victorian City. Visit Glasgow Cathedral, one of the city's most ancient and historic sites, continue to Tenement House which provides a rare glimpse into life in Glasgow in the early 20th century. Then visit Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum, one of Scotland's most popular attractions that features 22 state-of-the-art galleries displaying 8000 objects. The remainder of the afternoon and

evening is free to enjoy Glasgow City on your own.

DAY 13: Glasgow to Fort William

Departing Glasgow, travel to Balloch to embark on a **cruise of Loch Lomond**, one of Scotland's most beautiful lakes. Enjoy views of Ben Lomond, stately homes and castles nestled along the banks overlooking the lake. Then travel into the Scottish Highlands. Surrounded by spectacular scenery, continue through the historic glen of Glen Coe to Fort William and to the **Ben Nevis Distillery**. Nestled at the foot of Britain's highest mountain the distillery, established in 1825, is one of the oldest licensed distilleries in Scotland. Following the guided tour, enjoy a wee dram before continuing to Fort William for included dinner and overnight stay.

DAY 14: Fort William to Inverness

This morning board the ferry to Isle of Skye recently voted the 4th best island in the world by National Geographic. Visit the **Clan Donald Centre at Armadale Castle** an award-winning museum of the Isles, discover the history of the Scottish Highlands and Islands through the story of Clan Donald, one of the most powerful Scottish clans. Enjoy breathtaking scenery winding through the island, before returning to the mainland via the **Skye Bridge**. Afterwards, visit **Eilean Donan Castle**, one of the most iconic images of Scotland, situated on an island, and surrounded by majestic scenery. Then, following along the banks of **Loch Ness**, keeping your camera ready for a view of the monster, heading to Inverness, the capital of the highlands for your overnight stay.

DAY 15: Inverness to Pitlochry

Travel to the village of Aviemore, located in the heart of the Monadhliath and Cairngorm Mountains, the perfect location to enjoy spectacular views. Enjoy a **vintage train journey**, including a light lunch in the heart of the Scottish Highlands. Step aboard old-style rail cars powered by a restored steam engine that transport you back in time. Travel along part of the original **Highland Railway track**, through scenic **Cairngorms National Park**, past heather-clad moors, and beautiful woodland. Back onboard the coach continue through the beautiful Scottish countryside arriving at a tranquil woodland estate, resting on the banks of the River Tay. Enjoy an **included dinner** and overnight stay.

DAY 16: Pitlochry to Edinburgh

Travel southward this morning through the scenic Grampian Mountains to **Blair Castle**, seat of the Dukes and Earls of Atholl and home to Europe's last remaining private army. Enjoy a **guided tour of the castle** and hear the fascinating history, from the visit by Mary Queen of Scots to the Civil War and the Jacobite cause, to the disaster of Culloden. Then travel to Dundee crossing the Tay Bridge to St. Andrews.



Not only is **St. Andrews** famed as the home of golf, but it is also an ancient ecclesiastical capital and Scotland's oldest university. Following a panorama tour of St Andrews, enjoy free time for shopping and lunch before departing. Continuing southward, passing through picturesque landscapes and quaint villages before crossing the Forth Road Bridge to arrive in the historic and stunning city of Edinburgh for a three-night stay.

DAY 17: Edinburgh

This morning a short drive takes you to the port of Leith, once an independent town, now absorbed into the captivating city of Edinburgh to visit the **Royal Yacht Britannia**, step aboard Queen Elizabeth II's former floating palace and experience this iconic floating palace for yourself. In service from 1954-97. During her 43-year career, the yacht travelled more than one million nautical miles (1.9 million kilometres) around the world to more than 600 ports in 135 countries. Followed by a panorama tour of historic Edinburgh City, travel down Princess Street and the historic Royal Mile, see the Palace of Holyrood house, the official Scottish residence of his Majesty the King. Hear the tales of some truly intriguing characters, the Body Snatchers, Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde, and Greyfriars Bobby on a guided tour. Visit majestic Edinburgh Castle and enjoy the magnificent views of the city from the castle ramparts. Enjoy leisure time in the city before heading back to the hotel. Spend a traditional Scottish evening of song and dance at the Spirit of Scotland show, accompanied by a great selection of quality Scottish food.

Optional Group Airfare \$1,596.31 per person

August 15, 2026

Vancouver 3:05 pm Dublin 7:45 am + 1

September 3, 2026

Edinburgh 9:00 am Toronto 11:00 am

Toronto 1:00 pm Vancouver 3:07 pm

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*Individual seat selection is not permitted in advance.

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Day 18: Edinburgh

Today is your day to experience aspects of Edinburgh that most appeal to you. So many museums and galleries to visit and time to get that last minute shopping in. Ending the day with a Farewell Dinner reminiscing with your fellow travellers over your Celtic adventures.

Day 19: Depart Edinburgh for home

This journey comes to an end after breakfast, as you transfer to Edinburgh airport for your flight home, with found memories, newly acquired accents and many stories to share with friends and family.



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