



5Continents

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10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS

# COTSWOLDS, CORNWALL, DEVON SELF-DRIVE IDEA

Discover the best of England on this 10-day self-drive tour, combining vibrant city life, historic landmarks, and stunning countryside and coastal scenery. From London's iconic sights to the charming Cotswolds, Cornwall's dramatic coastline, and Devon and Dorset's scenic landscapes, enjoy a mix of cultural highlights, picturesque villages, and world-famous attractions at your own pace. With comfortable accommodations and a thoughtfully planned route, this journey offers an unforgettable taste of England's history, culture, and natural beauty.



## DAY 1: ARRIVAL IN LONDON

Welcome to England! Upon arrival at a London airport, enjoy a seamless private transfer to your hotel in the vibrant capital. Spend the afternoon exploring London at your own pace – the city's efficient Tube network makes it easy to navigate. Discover the atmospheric Borough Market, one of London's oldest food markets brimming with artisan vendors and international flavours, or stroll along the South Bank, taking in iconic Thames-side views of Tower Bridge and the London Eye.

### Night in London



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### DAY 2: LONDON TO THE COTSWOLDS

Make your way to the car rental office by Tube to collect your vehicle, then drive northwest to the enchanting Cotswolds, England's quintessential countryside. Arrive early afternoon to explore honey-coloured villages such as Bourton-on-the-Water, with its low bridges and riverside walks, or Bibury, home to the iconic Arlington Row cottages. If visiting on a Sunday, enjoy a traditional roast at a historic country pub — Yorkshire pudding, roast beef, and all the trimmings.

#### Night in Cheltenham

### DAY 3: COTSWOLDS TO BARNSTAPLE VIA BATH

Drive south to the elegant Georgian city of Bath. Explore the remarkably preserved Roman Baths, where natural hot springs have drawn visitors for over 2,000 years, and admire the stunning Bath Abbey and Royal Crescent. Continue west along the scenic A39, stopping briefly in mystical Glastonbury to see the legendary Tor rising above the Somerset Levels. Arrive in Barnstaple, North Devon's historic market town, by early evening.

#### Night in Barnstaple

### DAY 4: BARNSTAPLE TO TRURO VIA THE NORTH CORNWALL COAST

Embark on a spectacular coastal drive. Visit Tintagel Castle, the legendary birthplace of King Arthur, perched on rugged cliffs, and explore its atmospheric ruins and striking footbridge. Continue to Boscastle, a picturesque harbour village, and Port Isaac, the charming fishing village known as "Portwenn" in Doc Martin. Arrive in the foodie haven of Padstow, Rick Stein's culinary capital, to sample fresh Cornish seafood or a traditional pasty, before driving south to Truro.

#### Night in Truro

### DAY 5: TRURO TO WEST CORNWALL – ST IVES OR PENZANCE

Spend the day exploring West Cornwall's dramatic coastline and charming towns. St Ives enchants with golden beaches, the Tate St Ives, and harbourside cafés serving Cornish cream teas — perfect for a leisurely stroll through cobbled streets.

Alternatively, base yourself in Penzance to discover the region's highlights. Visit St Michael's Mount, a medieval castle on a tidal island reached by causeway at low tide. Continue to the spectacular Minack Theatre, carved into granite cliffs above the sea, then on to Land's End, where rugged cliffs meet the Atlantic. End the day on the Lizard Peninsula, stopping at Kynance Cove before sunset at Lizard Point, England's most southerly tip. Return to Truro for the evening.

#### Night in Truro

### DAY 6: TRURO TO PLYMOUTH VIA DARTMOOR

Drive northeast to Dartmoor National Park, the wild moorland famed in The Hound of the Baskervilles. Stop in Tavistock or enjoy a Devonshire cream tea at Two Bridges among dramatic granite tors. Continue to historic Plymouth, where Francis Drake set sail to circumnavigate the globe. Stroll Plymouth Hoe and explore the cobbled Barbican, where the Mayflower departed in 1620.

#### Night in Plymouth



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### DAY 7: PLYMOUTH TO EXETER VIA SOUTH DEVON COAST

Follow the scenic A379 along the South Devon coast. Pause at Slapton Sands, site of the Exercise Tiger memorial. Continue to elegant Dartmouth, home to the Britannia Royal Naval College and historic Dartmouth Castle. If time allows, visit Buckfast Abbey. Arrive in Exeter by early evening.

**Night in Exeter**

### DAY 8: EXETER TO BOURNEMOUTH VIA JURASSIC COAST

Explore Exeter Cathedral, famed for its magnificent Gothic ceiling. Then travel the Jurassic Coast, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Stop in Lyme Regis to walk the Cobb and hunt for fossils, continue to Durdle Door, and nearby Lulworth Cove. Arrive in Bournemouth by evening.

**Night in Bournemouth**

### DAY 9: BOURNEMOUTH TO LONDON VIA SALISBURY & STONEHENGE

Drive to Salisbury to visit Salisbury Cathedral, home to a 1215 Magna Carta copy and Britain's oldest working clock. Continue to Stonehenge, the iconic 5,000-year-old stone circle. Pass through Windsor, overlooked by Windsor Castle, before arriving near Heathrow.

**Night near Heathrow**

### DAY 10: DEPART

Return your rental car to Heathrow Airport and depart on your homeward flight.

## HOTELS OR SIMILAR

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<b>LONDON</b>	ibis London Shepherds Bush – Hammersmith	ibis London Shepherds Bush – Hammersmith
<b>CHELTENHAM</b>	Premier Inn Cheltenham North West	Premier Inn Cheltenham North West
<b>BARNSTAPLE</b>	Premier Inn Barnstaple	Premier Inn Barnstaple
<b>TRURO</b>	Premier Inn Truro	Premier Inn Truro
<b>PLYMOUTH</b>	Premier Inn Plymouth City	Premier Inn Plymouth City
<b>EXETER</b>	Holiday Inn Express Exeter - City Centre	Holiday Inn Express Exeter - City Centre
<b>BOURNEMOUTH</b>	Holiday Inn Bournemouth	Holiday Inn Bournemouth
<b>LONDON HEATHROW</b>	Premier Inn Heathrow Airport - M4/J4	Premier Inn Heathrow Airport - M4/J4



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### THE PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 9 nights accommodation in 3\* or 4\* hotels
- Breakfast daily
- Rental car (Standard sedan / SUV class) from Day 2, 10 AM till Day 10, 2 PM. \*\*Actual vehicle model depends on availability at the time of pick-up. \*\* Rental terms and policies will be available after booking the rental car.
- Private arrival transfer from Heathrow airport to your hotel in London
- Mandatory taxes and fees
- Liability Insurance
- Damage (CDW) Protection with refundable excess
- Theft (TP) Protection with refundable excess
- Tires, Roof and Undercarriage Damage Coverage
- Windscreen, mirrors, external lights and lamps
- Roadside repairs and Towing costs
- Key cover & lockout
- Unlimited mileage
- Collision Damage Waiver. Excess: GBP 1,900.00
- Theft Protection. Excess: GBP 2,300.00
- Minimum driver age: 23 years

### THE PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Flights
- Departure transfer on Day 10
- Guided tours
- Meals not mentioned, beverages
- Entrances fees to sites, museums, parking or garage
- Personal expenses; Gratuities
- GPS, child or baby seats, boosters
- Fuel
- Additional driver surcharge

### HOTEL & CAR RENTAL PACKAGE, 10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS, PRICE PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

DAILY DEPARTURE 2026	3*	4*
April 1 - 30, 2026	\$ 3,499	\$ 4,099
May 1 - 31, 2026	\$ 3,549	\$ 4,149
June 1 - September 30, 2026	on request	on request
October 1 - 31, 2026	\$ 3,599	\$ 4,199
<i>Single room supplement on request</i>		

Rates are valid for the specified period only; any overlap will be re-priced

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