

3 Days - Lake District Explorer

A three day tour seeing all the wonderful sights South of Edinburgh.

From Edinburgh we travel South through the Scottish Borders to the first stop of the day, Moffat. From Moffat we will continue to Penrith, and have the chance to explore the ruins of Penrith Castle. After lunch we will travel into the Lake District National Park, and from there head towards Keswick, stopping outside of the town to visit the mysterious Castlerigg standing stones. We then have a short journey into the lively market town of Keswick where you will be dropped off at your accommodation. On day two, after breakfast we will travel along the southern shores of Ullswater. Continuing south you journey over the narrow and winding Kirkstone Pass we will stop at Lake Windermere where you have the option to take a leisurely cruise on the Lake. After lunchtime the tour will take us around the southern tip of Windermere and on towards Coniston Water; and shortly afterwards we arrive at the picturesque Hawkeshead, where the poet William Wordsworth attended Grammar School. After a bit of free time to explore the village, we will take the narrow country lanes north towards Grasmere; before returning to Keswick in the late afternoon. In the morning on day three we will go to the Whinlatter Forest Park and over the Whinlatter pass. The journey takes us through the rural village of High Lorton, along the shores of Crummock Water and Buttermere and on towards the Honister Mountain pass. After lunch, we begin to journey by heading towards Penrith and then towards the border. We arrive in Edinburgh at approximately 19:30.

