

# European Study Tours

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BEYOND YOUR CLASSROOM

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**ENGLISH, DRAMA & PERFORMING ARTS TOURS**

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## ENGLISH, DRAMA & PERFORMING ARTS TOURS

Few countries can lay claim to as many great writers as England, home to some of history's most renowned scribes, making it the ideal destination for a literary themed tour, proven to contextualise your students' classroom learning.

Our range of Performing Arts trips include backstage tours and theatre workshops with professionals, providing students with an insight into the world of performing arts and providing them with inspiration to pursue their future careers.

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EXPLORE / OUTLINE / JUSTIFY / INTERPRET / GIVE**

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*The workshops were excellent and the studios were great. The dancers particularly loved the Alvin Ailtey workshop. I was very happy with everything that EST did for us.*

**Gable Hall School**



*Globe theatre workshop quality was excellent and run by an actor some students had seen in 'King Lear' so superb! Harry Potter was amazing and the workshop very informative and enjoyable - leader was very engaging.*

**Bodmin College**

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## LONDON - ENGLISH LITERATURE

London is the home of Charles Dickens and Shakespeare's Globe Theatre. A visit allows English students to explore the history and workings of stage and screen.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Arrive in the heart of the capital. Start your time in London with a Southwark Walking Tour, taking you on a memorable journey, discovering numerous literary connections with the iconic figures of Charles Dickens and Shakespeare, amongst others. Enjoy a pre-theatre meal and experience a West End Show. You can choose from a great selection of the world's most popular performances.

**Day 2:** Visit the famous Globe Theatre, a must-see for anyone with an interest in Shakespeare as you imagine where his plays have come to life. Take part in a tailored Shakespeare Workshop whilst you're there, surrounded by a theatre built with materials, techniques and craftsmanship from 400 years ago.

**Day 3:** Take part in a British Library Workshop, which will help develop an understanding of the diversity of the English language through creative activities. Take an evening trip on the London Eye after dinner for amazing view of the city.

**Day 4:** Get a last glimpse of London's main sights on a Thames Cruise before some last minute souvenir shopping and your return journey back home.

## LOS ANGELES

School trips to Los Angeles are simply unforgettable. The glittering city offers fame, glamour and a sprinkling of movie magic that cannot fail to impress any budding performer or producer.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Arrive in the City of Angels and sunshine on America's West Coast. Hit the iconic Venice Beach and Sunset Strip!

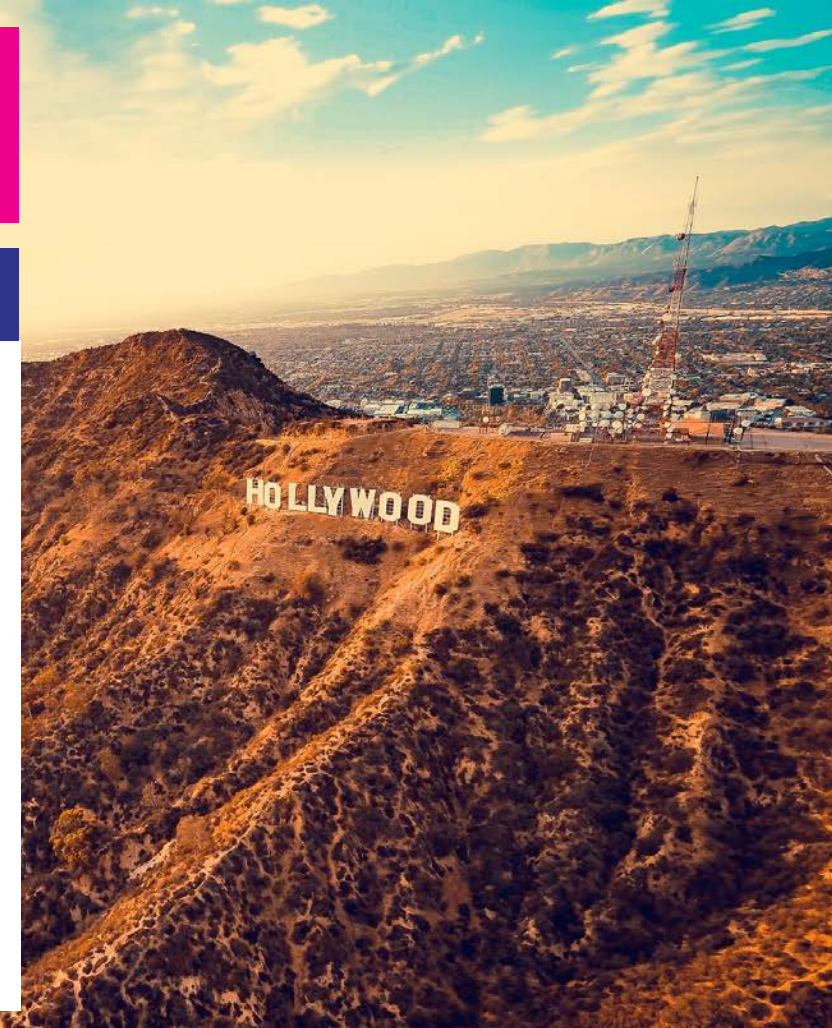
**Day 2:** It's lights, camera, action as you spend the day at Universal Studios enjoying rides, shows and a real movie studio.

**Day 3:** Go behind the scenes on a Warner Bros Studio Tour to get a rare glimpse of Hollywood at work, through back lots, sound stages, and the sets of hit television shows.

**Day 4:** On a Guided Tour of Hollywood, see the stars on the Walk of Fame, the famous sign and the Chinese Theatre before you walk the red carpet on a Dolby Theatre Tour.

**Day 5:** Indulge in some retail therapy on Santa Monica Boulevard, before you head to the airport with a head full of memories and dreams!

**Day 6:** Early morning arrival in the UK,







## NEW YORK

Its showtime!!! There is no better location to excite your performing arts students about their subject than New York; the home of Broadway.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Touch down in the city that never sleeps! Drop off your bags and head back up into the sky for some 360° views of Manhattan from the Top of the Rock.

**Day 2:** Start the day with a tour of Radio City Music Hall, where you will learn the secrets of the Great Stage, one of the largest indoor performance stages in the world. Then take part in a Broadway Classroom Workshop designed with your performing arts students in mind, choose from Stage Make Up, Choreography and many more. Shop in Times Square, before enjoying a hit Broadway show!

**Day 3:** What better way to see the city than with a New York TV and Movie Sites Tour, showcasing some of the most famous places seen on screen. Follow this with a visit to the 9/11 Memorial or ferry to Staten Island for some impressive panoramas of Manhattan and the Statue of Liberty.

**Day 4:** Enjoy a guided tour of the Lincoln Centre for Performing Arts, where you can hear fascinating stories told by engaging tour guides and on occasion, catch a rehearsal! Then there's free time and last minute shopping before you make your way to the airport.

**Day 5:** Early morning arrival in the UK, tired and inspired!



## LONDON - PERFORMING ARTS

For groups of performing arts and drama students London and the West End are likely to be the ultimate goal if they wish to pursue a career in the performing arts.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Arrive in the heart of the capital. Start your time in London with a Walking Tour of Theatre Land, taking in some of London's oldest, largest and most magnificent theatres first-hand. Then visit the Theatre and Performance collections at the V&A. Enjoy a pre-theatre meal and experience a West End Show. You can choose from a great selection of the world's most popular performances.

**Day 2:** Visit the famous Globe Theatre, a must-see for anyone with an interest in Shakespeare as you imagine where his plays have come to life. Take part in a tailored Shakespeare Workshop whilst you're there, surrounded by a theatre built with materials, techniques and craftsmanship from 400 years ago.

**Day 3:** Take part in the 'Through the Stage Door' Tour, a unique opportunity to go behind the scenes of the world-famous Theatre Royal, Drury Lane. Round off the day with a Disney Theatrical Workshop based on The Lion King or Aladdin where your students can perform extracts from the show script and look at context, characterisation and physicality. Take an evening trip on the London Eye after dinner for amazing view of the city.

**Day 4:** Get a last glimpse of London's main sights on a Thames Cruise before some last minute souvenir shopping and your return journey back home.





## DISNEYLAND® PARIS

Unlock the secrets of Disney animation at Walt Disney Studios® Park. The Disney Village® entertainment centre features an IMAX Theatre, cinemas, live music, restaurants for every taste and more.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Arrive in Disneyland® Paris where there's time to check-in at your hotel before heading out to explore the Disney Village®, followed by an evening meal in one of the Village eateries.

**Day 2:** Take part in a Disney themed Performing Arts Workshop designed to give students the opportunity to reach for the stars through hands-on sessions with Disney professionals. Emphasis is placed on performance techniques, professionalism and team work, while not forgetting a sprinkling of Disney Magic! Time to explore the parks and enjoy the rides before dinner and live entertainment at Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show.

**Day 3:** Head to the parks to start your journey into the storybook world of Disney. Enjoy a few hours of fun in Frontierland or charter a course in Discoveryland! Visit Walt Disney Studios® Park where it's lights! camera! 360° Magic everywhere before leaving for home.

## STRATFORD-UPON-AVON

School trips to Stratford-upon-Avon are an inspired choice giving English students an insight into the life of the Bard as well as the chance to work with expert practitioners of his plays through workshops and performances.

### POPULAR ITINERARY

**Day 1:** Start your tour with a Guided Walk around the historic streets of Stratford-upon-Avon. Explore its history, attractions and walk in Shakespeare's footsteps to see the Shakespeare town houses, Grammar School, Royal Shakespeare Theatres, Holy Trinity Church and much more.

**Day 2:** No trip to Stratford-upon-Avon would be complete without visiting Shakespeare's Birthplace Museum. The half-timbered house where William Shakespeare was born in 1564 is Stratford's most cherished historic place.

Then take a 'behind the scenes' tour of the Royal Shakespeare Theatre. Starting in the Royal Shakespeare Theatre Cloakroom, you will learn about the history of the RSC and its theatres in Stratford, as well as exploring a production in more depth to learn about the theatre making process.

**Day 3:** Enjoy a Royal Shakespeare Company Workshop, a fantastic way to connect students practically with Shakespeare's plays and those of his contemporaries, exploring the creative decisions around current and past productions.

**Day 4:** Before making your way home, take a Guided Walk through the town and hear the special stories about Stratford's most famous son and discover the places connected with his life and his family such as Mary Arden's Farm, Anne Hathaway's Cottage, the Shakespeare Centre, Nash's House and Hall's Croft.





## WE TAKE RESPONSIBILITY

As founder members of the School Travel Forum and Learning Outside the Classroom accredited we are fully committed to providing the highest possible safety standards for all our customers. We adhere to rigorous safety management standards and are externally verified each year.



## WE'RE YOUR SAFETY NET

Booking your trip with us gives you financial protection from the moment you book all the way through to your safe return. European Study Tours is an ABTA member and ATOL licensed, which is the best way for you to protect parents' money and give yourself peace of mind.



*"The management team at EST are very proactive in their approach to health and safety."* **Argent Health & Safety**

## OUR KNOWLEDGE & EXPERIENCE

For over 35 years our trips have inspired hundreds of thousands of imaginations and have also helped students improve their attainment and reach their potential.

Our knowledgeable and experienced team have travelled the world seeking out the essentials for your next trip and are keen to pass on other teachers' recommendations on the best options for your group.

As part of our personal service for each group leader, we give you a dedicated Tour Consultant and Tour Planner ensuring an effortless booking process.

*"The first-hand experiences of learning outside the classroom can help to make subjects more vivid and interesting for pupils and enhance their understanding. It can also contribute significantly to pupils' personal, social and emotional development."* **Ofsted**

## YOU RATED OUR TEAM GOOD OR EXCELLENT:

- 99.6%** Ease of contact
- 98.7%** Effectiveness & helpfulness
- 100%** General attitude
- 97%** Itinerary planning
- 98.3%** Knowledge of the subject programme / destination
- 98.8%** Safety Management & Risk Assessment advice

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## WE MAKE SCHOOL TRIP PLANNING EASY

As well as the day to day support and advice of our team of travel experts, you can take your trip to the next level with our smart travel technology.

## MY TOUR MANAGER

Our market-leading on-line portal is a masterclass in tour organisation.

My Tour Manager is designed to save you time and enable you to keep on track with your school trip admin.

- ✓ School trip paperwork online and in one place
- ✓ Personalised tour checklist detailing what you need to do and by when
- ✓ Download free resources and templates
- ✓ Email reminders to keep on track
- ✓ Upload passenger information

### YOU RATED MY TOUR MANAGER GOOD OR EXCELLENT:

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| 99% | Information & documents available |
| 99% | Usability of My Tour Manager      |
| 99% | Your personalised tour timetable  |



## AWARD WINNING TRAVEL APP

The EST Travel App is the secure on tour app for groups travelling with European Study Tours – it's free and is personalised to your tour.

Gone are the days of carrying bundles of paper. Download the app to your mobile device and you'll have instant access to everything you'll need whilst you're away.

## WE'RE WITH YOU ALL THE WAY

- ✓ Locate My Trip is the easy, convenient way to trace your group's location, and has been specifically designed to provide reassurance to both parents and teachers
- ✓ Your school can log in and locate your group's whereabouts - where you've been and your current location
- ✓ Your school and European Study Tours can react quickly to travel issues and other events which may affect your tour plans
- ✓ Easily provide parents with relevant information should travel plans be affected

*"The app was excellent, all members of staff downloaded the app and it made organising where we needed to be and when very easy. I would definitely recommend the app to anyone travelling with EST."*  
**Ormiston Horizon Academy**