

CIRCUMNAVIGATION OF GREAT BRITAIN: BRITISH ISLES FOR INSIDERS CRUISE

The cruise takes you from the Caribbean-like Isles of Scilly in the south to the dramatic Orkney Islands in the north - starting on Spain's green coast and ending on Germany's only deep-sea island.



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Day 1 Leixoes (Porto)/Portugal, departure 22.00 hrs

Day 2 Relaxation at sea

Day 3 Gijon/Spain, 07.00 – 18.00 hrs

Gijon lies on the beautiful Asturian coast, with its picturesque beaches and charming fishing villages. The city on the Bay of Biscay reveals stunning contrasts: the Plaza Mayor is where the old part of the city meets the new, a picture of traditional and modern Europe. Immerse yourself in the charm of the historic centre with its narrow streets and impressive buildings, including



the San Lorenzo church and the Revillagigedo Palace - and in the city's lively cultural life with its museums, festivals and vibrant food scene. In Gijon itself or on excursions* into the surrounding area with your experts, shed light on the Reconquista, the reconquest of the Iberian peninsula: the crusade against the Muslim conquerors, or Moors, to regain Christian supremacy laid the foundations for modern Spain.

Day 4 Relaxation at sea

Day 5 Isles of Scilly/England (Tresco, St Mary's)

Cornwall's best-kept secret is the 140 Isles of Scilly, only five of which are inhabited. The archipelago is rightly called the "Caribbean of England" - with turquoise waters, golden beaches and subtropical vegetation. A place to retreat to where you can leave the hustle and bustle of everyday life far behind and discover the refined English style of British nature.

A botanical highlight awaits you on the small island of Tresco: the famous Abbey Garden. Thanks to the mild climate favoured by the Gulf Stream, over 4,000 plant species from more than 80 countries thrive here. Between Mexican agave, South African protea and Chilean wine palms, you will feel as though you have been halfway round the world. While you relax and explore the garden, your knowledgeable experts will share fascinating biological facts with you. In addition, numerous works of art and sculptures can be discovered throughout the grounds.

The largest of the Isles of Scilly, St. Mary's, is a hidden jewel in the Atlantic. Be inspired by their genuine nature. Hugh Town, the main town of the archipelago, lies on a narrow headland framed by two beaches. Despite its importance, the harbour town has remained small and charming, with narrow streets, historic buildings and a relaxed, maritime atmosphere. The island also invites you to go hiking with its unique, scenic mix of granite formations, heathland and coastal landscape.

Day 6 Cruising off Skomer Island/Wales

The home of thousands of seabirds lies before you as soon as your ship reaches the Welsh coast. Depending on local conditions, the Zodiacs will be boarded off Skomer Island. Here you can observe overwhelming populations of Atlantic puffins, guillemots and razorbills. With a bit of luck, you will also see some porpoises and grey seals.

Day 7 Dublin/Ireland, 07.00 – 22.30 hrs

Dublin combines Irish history, culture and a vibrant lifestyle in a unique way. Explore historic Trinity College with the world-famous "Book of Kells" and stroll through the charming streets of the old town. The imposing Dublin Castle and the majestic St Patrick's Cathedral bear witness to the city's eventful past. The trendy Temple Bar district - with its galleries, pubs and traditional live music - is the beating heart of its cultural scene. Dublin captivates visitors with its literary heritage, welcoming atmosphere and blend of history and modernity - an unforgettable stop on your cruise. Enjoy the evening, because your ship will stay overnight here. Perhaps melancholic folk melodies will ring out as the lights dance over the River Liffey and Dublin glows in the warm evening light.

Day 8 Isle of Man (Peel , cruising off Calf of Man)

Located between Great Britain and Ireland, the Isle of Man is an autonomous Crown dependency with its own government and fascinating identity. The island captivates visitors with its impressive natural landscape - from green hills and moorlands to rugged coastlines and idyllic beaches. The Manx culture is



also unique, with its language, music and myths.

The picturesque harbour town of Peel is located on the west coast of the Isle of Man. During your individual shore visit, you will discover history in the open air - for example, at Peel Castle, which towers over St Patrick's Isle. Its origins date back to the Viking age. The long sandy beach, which is right next to the old town, is perfect for relaxing walks. Peel is known as the "Manx Kipper capital": try traditionally smoked herring in one of the historic smokehouses. The House of Manannan, an award-winning museum, offers fascinating insights into the Celtic, maritime and Viking history of the Isle of Man.

Cruising off Calf of Man is all about birdwatching. The island has been a nature reserve since 1959 and is home to a wide variety of seabirds, including cormorants, shearwaters and occasionally puffins. The rocky coastline is also a favourite retreat for grey seals - a place of tranquillity, wilderness and unspoilt beauty.

Day 9 Rathlin Island/Northern Ireland

A wonderful place for bird watching lies ahead of you when your expedition ship Rathlin Island calls at Northern Ireland with cliffs up to 70 m (229 ft) high that alternate with beautiful bays. Compared with the island's nearly 150 human inhabitants, the many kittiwakes and puffins that you can watch are clearly in the majority. Look forward to special encounters with nature and to the ornithological expertise of your on-board experts. Amidst the rugged landscape, the excursions to the burial mounds, cashels and menhirs that have been built here are surrounded by a magical aura. Follow in the footsteps of the island's history and explore the remains of the old castles and churches that dot Rathlin Island. A highlight is a visit to the West Light, one of the three lighthouses that now houses a maritime museum. From here you have spectacular views of the rugged cliffs and the sea.

Day 10 Kyle of Lochalsh/Scotland, 08.00 – 20.00 hrs

Enchanting Kyle of Lochalsh on the north-west coast of Scotland combines idyllic village life with the forces of nature. The village is in the middle of the Highlands and offers spectacular views over the surrounding mountains, lochs and coastal scenery. Kyle of Lochalsh is an important transport hub: the construction of the railway line at the end of the 19th century was a major engineering project, which contributed to the development of infrastructure and economic growth in the Scottish Highlands.

Day 11 Ullapool/Scotland, 08.00 – 17.00 hrs

In the midst of wild and romantic nature, Ullapool in Scotland welcomes you on the shores of Loch Broom. Founded in 1788 as a fishing port, today it delights visitors with its relaxed atmosphere, white houses along the promenade and a backdrop of majestic mountains. Its location in the north-western Highlands makes this harbour town the ideal starting point for exploring the spectacular surroundings - with clear air, vast landscapes, dramatic mountain peaks such as Stac Pollaidh, secluded beaches and tranquil lakes. Insider tips included Leckmelm Woodland Walk, a peaceful trail through old mixed woodland and along a stream, and - Tea by the Sea - a small cafe on Ardmair Beach, which serves homemade cakes and offers views of the sea. Ullapool combines nature, culture and hospitality in a unique way.

Day 12 Kirkwall/Orkney Islands/Scotland, 07.00 – 15.00 hrs

Untamed charm envelops the Orkney Islands. The archipelago, consisting of around 70 islands, forms a spectacular backdrop



for your insights into European cultural history. Kirkwall on the mainland, with its red and yellow sandstone St Magnus Cathedral built in 1137, is an imposing reminder of the Middle Ages - one of the most interesting buildings in northern Scotland. Narrow, cobbled streets are lined with traditional shops and pubs. Enjoy the opportunity to go for an independent stroll. Kirkwall is also an ideal starting point for exploring the surrounding area, with its prehistoric sites, rugged coastline and gently rolling hills.

Day 13 Newhaven (Edinburgh)/Scotland, 08.00 – 22.00 hrs

Close at hand and yet still unknown: on Scotland's east coast, prepare to be surprised as you explore Edinburgh from the district of Newhaven. The capital is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, an open book of cultural and architectural history. Winding streets, ancient and neoclassical architecture, society and monarchy - a walk through the city on your own will show you the main facets of the city, crowned by Edinburgh Castle. Home to many Scottish kings, the castle sits majestically in the middle of the city on an extinct volcano. Edinburgh is also a delight for fans of literature: Sir Walter Scott and Robert Louis Stevenson were born here and J. K. Rowling drew inspiration from the city for her Harry Potter novels, some of which she wrote in The Elephant House cafe.

Day 14 Farne Islands/England

The Farne Islands off the coast of Northumberland are a revelation for nature lovers. The archipelago has around 20 islands, some of which are only visible at low tide. Here, the untamed sea meets impressive cliffs, which are home to thousands of seabirds including puffins and gannets. You can also often see seal colonies lying on the beaches. Historic lighthouses are a reminder of the story of brave Grace Darling: the lighthouse keeper's daughter became a heroine in 1838 when she helped her father rescue the victims of a capsized steamship using a small rowing boat. Her spectacular feat made her a national treasure and a symbol of courage and humanity, while the islands took on a heroic aura of their own.

Day 15 Helgoland/Germany, 16.00 – 21.00 hrs

You have probably heard a lot about this island and perhaps even visited it - but you won't yet have explored it with the pioneering spirit of Hapag-Lloyd Cruises: Helgoland. Like a lighthouse built of red brick, Lange Anna on the north-western tip of the island shows birdwatchers the way. Right next to the famous rock is one of the world's smallest nature reserves, the Lummenfelsen. With a bit of luck, you will be able to spot various species of gull and guillemots, as well as seals and grey seals, from the deck. In the shadow of the rock that rises up almost 50 m (164 ft) out of the sea, the ship's experts will shed light on the ornithological and geological features of the island. If the local conditions permit, the Zodiacs will be put to use for a true expedition experience. Lange Anna, a natural landmark, adds a final exclamation point to the wealth of contrasts discovered in unchartered territory almost right on your doorstep.

Day 16 Hamburg/Germany, arrival 07.00 hrs Individual travel arrangements from cruise arrival point

Please note:

Itineraries are subject to change.



YOUR SHIP: HANSEATIC INSPIRATION/SPIRIT/NATURE

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The HANSEATIC inspiration, spirit and nature are small, state-of-the-art expedition ships with a maximum of 230 guests, offers a perfect blend of adventure and comfort for explorers seeking to uncover the world's wonders. As an international vessel conducting cruises in both English and German, it brings over 30 years of expertise from a market leader in German-speaking countries to every journey. Each expedition is a masterpiece, passionately crafted to reveal far-flung worlds--be it icy realms, tropical paradises, wildlife havens, or cultural gems--making every voyage a unique discovery aboard this exceptional ship. Features of all cabins and suites An ocean view with even more: exclusively outside cabins and suites, almost all with balconies or French balconies Spaciously designed - enjoy a relaxing stay in rooms from 21 m²/226 ft² up to 71 m²/764 ft² in size Exceptionally equipped - for example, with binoculars, Nordic Walking poles, air conditioning, coffee machine and mini bar (free of charge) and 24-hour cabin service Separable beds Rain shower and heated wall in bathroom (e.g. for towels and wet parkas) Extensive infotainment with live broadcast and recordings of expert presentations, forwardview camera, navigation chart, films and much more Restaurants Aboard the HANSEATIC Inspiration and Spirit, a new kind of freedom blends adventure and pleasure with a culinary journey across three exceptional restaurants. The spacious HANSEATIC Restaurant offers flexible mealtimes and a free choice of seating, serving a daily-changing menu of global flavors inspired by local specialties, paired with fine wines and supported by attentive 24-hour cabin service. At the Lido Restaurant, guests can savor breakfast under the open sky or enjoy a perfectly grilled steak from the outdoor barbecue, complete with panoramic views and an open show kitchen. The specialty restaurant Nikkei fuses fine Japanese creations with modern Peruvian cuisine, delivering a unique dining experience that elevates exploration to new heights--all while bars in the Observation Lounge and HanseAtrium offer favorite drinks against stunning backdrops, from Nordic fjords to icy Antarctic vistas. Fitness and Wellness On the HANSEATIC inspiration, an extraordinary time out awaits after thrilling Zodiac rides, challenging hikes, or Arctic adventures. Unwind in the Ocean Spa, where a Finnish sauna with stunning ocean views, a gentle steam sauna, an ice fountain, and a relaxation room rejuvenate your senses, complemented by professional massages, cosmetic treatments, and eco-friendly products made from natural, vegan ingredients. Stay active in the 100 m² fitness room or separate course room--both with ocean vistas--guided by a fitness coach offering personalized advice and a variety of courses, either indoors or on deck. The pool area, with its flexible canopy, invites relaxation year-round, featuring water loungers, a whirlpool, and a bar, ensuring a perfect blend of

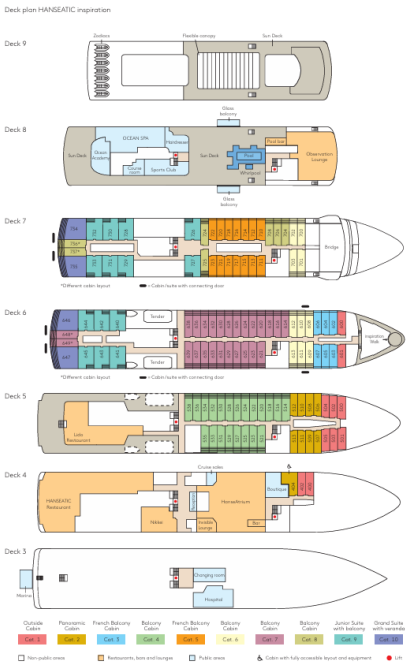
indulgence and revitalization against the backdrop of the open sea. Knowledge Shore excursions and Zodiac rides come alive with deeper context through fascinating presentations in the HanseAtrium, a high-tech lounge where experts share daily precaps and recaps, doubling as an atmospheric evening bar for films and discussions. The Ocean Academy enhances the journey with a Study Wall and interactive poster of scientific insights, microscopes for exploring hidden wonders alongside experts, and Study Seats--with swivel touchscreens--for personal dives into science. Supported by travel diaries and destination videos, this immersive experience broadens horizons with cutting-edge tools and



expertise.



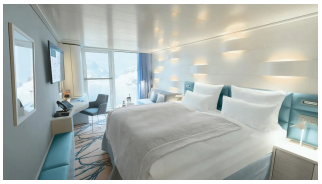
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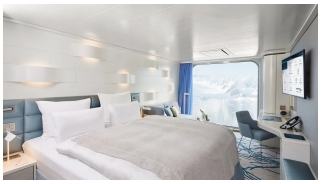
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