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# LONDON, PARIS & MADRID

10 or 12 days | England | France | Spain

Over the centuries, London and Paris have witnessed many transformational moments. Monuments to their key roles in history are present everywhere, from Buckingham Palace to the Louvre. Madrid has gained in stature more recently—it was named the capital of Spain in the 16th century. Today Madrid is a world center of art, and it's also one of the world's greenest cities.

## EVERYTHING YOU GET:

-  **Full-time Tour Director**
-  **Sightseeing:** 4 sightseeing tours led by expert, licensed local guides (5 with extension); 3 walking tours (4 with extension)
-  **Entrances:** London Eye; Louvre; Palacio Real; Prado; Toledo Cathedral; Church of Santo Tomé; synagogue; with extension: Park Güell
-  **weShare:** Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.
-   **All of the details are covered:** Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; Eurostar high-speed train; AVE high-speed train with extension; 8 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (10 with extension); European breakfast and dinner daily
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Anyone can see the world.

# YOU'RE GOING TO EXPERIENCE IT.

As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your **Tour Director** in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our personalized learning experience, **weShare**, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. **Expert local guides** will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

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– MELISSA, TRAVELER



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## What you'll experience on your tour

### Day 1: Fly overnight to England

#### Day 2: London

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in London, a city of 8 million people that has become one of the world's great melting pots while maintaining a distinct character that's all its own. From the London Bridge to the Houses of Parliament, Great Britain's royal tradition and rich history greet you at every turn. Admire architectural marvels like the Baroque domes and spires of St. Paul's Cathedral, the 17th-century church designed by Sir Christopher Wren. Check out the lively five-way intersection at Piccadilly Circus as well as Hyde Park's urban greenery. You may even get a chance to witness the ceremonial Changing of the Guard. And don't forget to snap a picture of Big Ben from the banks of the River Thames.
- Take a walking tour of London: The Strand; Trafalgar Square; Leicester Square; Covent Garden.

#### Day 3: London

- Take an expertly guided tour of London: Big Ben and Houses of Parliament; Piccadilly Circus; St. Paul's Cathedral; Changing of the Guard at Buckingham Palace (if scheduled).
- Get a bird's-eye view of the city from the London Eye Ferris wheel.
- Enjoy an authentic fish and chips dinner.

#### Day 4: London

- Full day to see more of London or [visit Windsor Castle](#).

#### Day 5: London | Paris

- Travel by Eurostar train to Paris, the City of Light. During your stay you'll get a taste of Parisian style as you ride down the Champs-Élysées, an elegant boulevard packed with high-fashion boutiques. Pass the Place de la Concorde and the Arc de Triomphe and strike a pose in front of the Eiffel Tower. At the École Militaire, see where a promising young Napoleon launched his rise to power. I.M. Pei's iconic glass pyramid marks the entrance to the renowned Louvre, home to treasures like Leonardo da Vinci's Mona Lisa.
- Visit the Louvre.
- Take a walking tour of Paris: Latin Quarter.
- Catch a glimpse of Notre-Dame Cathedral.

#### Day 6: Paris

- Take an expertly guided tour of Paris: Place de la Concorde; Champs-Élysées; Arc de Triomphe; Eiffel Tower.
- Time to see more of Paris or [visit Versailles](#).
- Enjoy a Seine River cruise.

#### Day 7: Paris | Madrid

- Fly to Madrid, the capital and largest city in Spain. Explore Puerta del Sol, the heart of the city, and travel back in time to Spain's Golden Age at Plaza Mayor, where you'll learn about this grand square's history of bullfights, royal weddings and public executions. At the Prado art museum, behold paintings like Velázquez's Las Meninas and Goya's paired canvases. Get a taste of royal Madrid at the extravagant Palacio Real, where you'll wander the fabulous palace interior and find more than 2,000 rooms decked in beautiful frescoes, delicate porcelain wares, and finely woven rugs.

#### Day 8: Madrid

- Take an expertly guided tour of Madrid.
- Visit the Palacio Real.
- Take a walking tour of Madrid.
- Visit the Prado.

#### Day 9: Toledo | Madrid

- Take an expertly guided tour of Toledo.
- Visit Toledo Cathedral.
- Visit the Church of Santo Tomé.
- Visit a synagogue.
- Enjoy a free evening or [attend a Madrid Flamenco Evening](#).

#### Day 10: Depart for home

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#### Day 10: Barcelona

- Travel by AVE train to Barcelona.
- Take a walking tour of Barcelona.

#### Day 11: Barcelona

- Take an expertly guided tour of Barcelona: La Sagrada Família; Montjuïc Hill; Barrio Gótico; Barcelona Cathedral.
- Visit Park Güell.

#### Day 12: Depart for home



*The Louvre. #paris @EFtours can run a heck of a tour.*

– AMY, TRAVELER



Via Twitter

*This tour was absolutely packed with activities and places to visit; there was no dull moment in this tour.*

– MYACAH, TRAVELER



Via Facebook

### TOP THREE THINGS I WILL SEE, DO, TRY OR EXPLORE

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2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

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—CHARLOTTE, PARENT OF TRAVELER

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