

Australia by Travelmarvel

Experience the beauty of Australia on a Travelmarvel tour and you'll enjoy the perfect balance of inclusions and leisure time.





GETTING YOU THERE FROM THE UK

- ✓ Enjoy the convenience of return scheduled flights from London Heathrow when you choose a Fight Inclusive package, or select a Tour Only option and join your fellow travellers in Australia
- ✓ Airport transfers within Australia
- ✓ All sightseeing, entrance fees and portorage

LOOKED AFTER BY THE BEST

- ✓ Expert services of an Australian Tour Director
- ✓ Local guides in select locations
- ✓ Experienced, professional coach drivers

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ✓ Unique touring, dining and accommodation experiences; thoughtfully designed to offer immersion in the real essence of local life

FLEXIBLE TOURING

- ✓ The perfect balance of included sightseeing and leisure time
- ✓ Our touring program will ensure you experience the beauty of Australia's national parks, World Heritage-listed areas and remote regions through specially selected activities

HAND-PICKED ACCOMMODATION

- ✓ Comfortable and well-appointed hotels set in central or unique locations
- ✓ A number of Special Stays in superior properties, at the heart of major attractions

AUTHENTIC FLAVOURS

- ✓ Breakfast daily plus a number of lunches and dinners, as detailed
- ✓ A Welcome Reception or Dinner, and Farewell Dinner

★ Insider Experiences

Travelmarvel Insider Experiences have been carefully designed to provide extraordinary insight into the essence of Australia.

Whether it's a unique sightseeing activity, a memorable stay at a special hotel, or an exclusive dining experience, the following Insider Experiences are included at no extra cost.

★ Look for this logo

Our unique collection of Insider Experiences give you the chance to immerse yourself in the undeniable beauty of Australia, at no extra cost. Throughout itineraries, Travelmarvel Insider Experiences are presented in bold, coloured text and are highlighted by this logo.

Like a Local

Great Barrier Reef cruise

Set off on an enchanting cruise over the sparkling waters of the Outer Great Barrier Reef to Reef Magic's exclusive reef activity platform. Enjoy a wonderful day amidst exotic marine life and colourful coral.

Sunset drinks at Ayers Rock

After a magical day of exploration around Ayers Rock, your day culminates with sunset drinks overlooking the rugged landscape.

Bridestowe Lavender Estate, Nabowla

Experience the splendour of this iconic estate during an exclusive visit, with a tasting of Tasmanian lavender-inspired specialties.

Special Stays

Kingfisher Bay Resort, Fraser Island

Enjoy a two-night stay at the award-winning Kingfisher Bay Resort on World Heritage-listed Fraser Island, where stunning accommodation blends seamlessly with the environment.

Cradle Mountain Chateau

Immersed in the scenic splendour of Tasmania's wilderness, Cradle Mountain Chateau provides the perfect alpine retreat. Relax with a book by a cosy log fire at Brushtails Bar, sink into the outdoor hot-tub or indulge yourself with a massage or spa treatment.

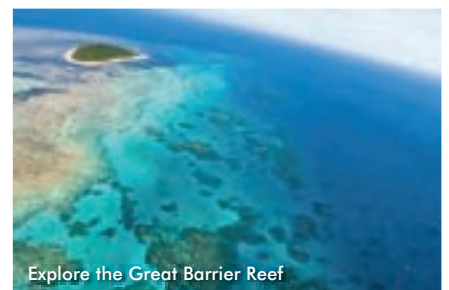
A Taste of Australia

Monkey Mia seafood feast

Be treated to a sumptuous seafood dinner in Monkey Mia, featuring a platter of fresh, locally-caught seafood including tasty snapper, tempura whiting fillets, oysters, king prawns and more. Finish with a tempting dessert of vanilla bean panna cotta with fruit coulis.



See Bridestowe Lavender Estate's fields erupt into a glorious purple-hued spectacle during flowering season (Dec. to Jan.)



Explore the Great Barrier Reef



Savour a seafood feast in Monkey Mia

Authentic Flavours

Indulge your tastebuds on a journey through the delicious delights of Australia.

Our meals are often the thing we remember most about a holiday, and great cuisine is an integral part of your Travelmarvel experience in Australia. Enjoy a range of flavours and produce in new and intriguing dining venues during your adventure.

Fresh produce, local flavours

Australian cuisine is famous for its unique ingredients, fresh flavours and multicultural influences. On a Travelmarvel journey, you're able to choose the meal plan that suits your needs and budget. You have the flexibility of having breakfast daily and Feature Dinners, or all meals as stated in the itinerary. With our meals as stated option, you'll enjoy breakfast each day, and a selection of unique dining experiences, so you can savour a range of Australia's fine cuisine. The following is just a small taste of the special dining experiences that await.

Fish 'n' chips on Bondi Beach

Take part in one of Australia's best-loved casual dining traditions as you enjoy fish 'n' chips on the foreshore at Bondi Beach. Enjoy unparalleled views out over this iconic surf beach as you feast on a range of tasty delights. What better way to end a day in the sunny city of Sydney.

Tjapukai By Night dinner, Cairns

In a cultural evening and dining event at Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park in Cairns, learn all about the spirit of Indigenous Australia. Dine on an array of regional cuisine, then take part in a corroboree – a ceremonial meeting showcasing dance by the Tjapukai Aboriginal performers.

Design Centre canapés, Launceston

Upon arrival in Launceston, enjoy delicious canapés and a Welcome Drink at the Design Centre of Tasmania. This experience is exclusive to Travelmarvel guests.

Home-style dining at El Questro Wilderness Park

Sit down to a delightful meal on the verandah at Emma Gorge Resort's open-air restaurant. Savour a buffet-style meal presenting local delights such as barbecued fish and fresh Kimberley beef.



Enjoy special dining experiences throughout your Travelmarvel tour



Be welcomed to Tasmania with canapés



Dine outdoors at Emma Gorge Resort



Take time out by the pool at the Pullman Cairns International



Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour



Escape to Daydream Island Resort and Spa



Stay at Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort, the only place in Australia where dolphins visit daily



Hand-Picked Accommodation

We carefully select our hotels based on their great location and exceptional service.

On a Travelmarvel tour you'll stay in comfortable, well-appointed hotels set in central or unique locations. In addition, enjoy a number of Special Stays in some remarkable properties.

Special Stay – Pullman Cairns International

At this contemporary resort overlooking the harbour and lush hinterland, you'll enjoy plenty of time to take in the captivating surrounds of Tropical North Queensland. Relax by the pool or on a secluded beach; traverse the ancient rainforests; or explore the Great Barrier Reef.

Special Stay – Daydream Island Resort and Spa

Experience a wondrous two nights at Daydream Island Resort, located within the idyllic Whitsunday archipelago on the tropical coast of Queensland. It is both a haven for those seeking peace, beauty and tranquillity, and a playground for adventure seekers. On one hand you've got stretches of deserted beaches, indulgent beachside accommodation and tropical-inspired fare; on the other, rugged bushland, exotic wildlife and the warm waters of the Great Barrier Reef. Here, paradise is truly on your doorstep.

The Esplanade Hotel Fremantle

Situated within minutes of Fremantle's local attractions, The Esplanade Hotel offers a convenient location and a warm, relaxing atmosphere. Enjoy spacious rooms featuring contemporary-style amenities and a private balcony, and wonderful public facilities including two outdoor, heated tropical swimming pools and a fitness centre.

Special Stay – Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort

This resort boasts a stunning location sprawling onto Dolphin Beach, which forms part of the World Heritage-listed coastline of Shark Bay. Facilities here include two restaurants, a swimming pool and tennis court, though it's the wild dolphins that come close to shore to feed each day that are the true attractions here.

Special Stay – Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour

Boasting one of the city's best locations, a stone's throw from the shimmering waters of Darling Harbour, you'll find yourself perfectly placed to explore the delights of Sydney during your stay. This upscale hotel offers comfort and convenience, as well as fantastic service.

Discover Australia

20 Day Travelmarvel Tour





Here, over the course of 20 days, you'll come to realise that no one knows Australia quite like we do. After your flight from the UK, we give you time to slip into holiday mode as you get acquainted with quintessential 'Aussie' hospitality in the city of Perth. Accompanied by your local Tour Director, fly between the major icons of Australia enjoying extended stays and a leisurely pace. A blissful four-night stay in Cairns, with a host of special resort and aquatic activities, will take your breath away. Plus there's plenty more to discover, most of which you wouldn't have ever contemplated.

KEY FEATURES & HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Enjoy the wonderful sights that can only be viewed from the Swan River as you cruise between Perth and Fremantle
- ✓ Learn about two of Australia's iconic Outback services during a visit to the Royal Flying Doctor Service and School of the Air in Alice Springs
- ✓ Be captivated by the iconic landscape of Uluru at sunset whilst enjoying a glass of wine
- ✓ Get to know Tropical North Queensland during a four-night stay at the picturesque Pullman Cairns International
- ✓ Experience the magic of the Great Barrier Reef, enjoying exclusive access to a stunning coral reef location and an abundance of activities
- ✓ Stay four nights beside Darling Harbour at Four Points by Sheraton
- ✓ Marvel at the great landmarks that line the shores of Sydney's spectacular harbour on a special sightseeing cruise
- ✓ Step inside the Sydney Opera House to discover the stories, history and magic of this architectural masterpiece



Uncover the wonders and surreal rugged beauty of Kata Tjuta Gorge

Day 1. Depart London. Head to London Heathrow for your flight to Perth. Your tour starts now, with our friendly company representative on hand three hours prior to departure to assist you. Enjoy a brief transit stop in Dubai en-route.

Day 2. Arrive Perth, Transfer to Fremantle. On arrival at Perth Airport today, you will be met and transferred to your hotel in the colourful port city of Fremantle. After time at leisure to settle in and familiarise yourself with your surrounds, enjoy a memorable Welcome Reception this evening. This provides an opportunity to meet your Travelmarvel Tour Director and fellow travellers.

Three Night Stay: Fremantle, The Esplanade Hotel.

★ **Day 3. Perth, Swan River Cruise.** This morning you'll travel by coach into Perth, the sun-blessed capital of Western Australia. During a guided sightseeing tour discover some

of the city's many highlights, including the untouched bushland, Botanic Gardens and walkways of beautiful Kings Park. **Like a Local – afterwards, return to Fremantle on a leisurely cruise along the picturesque Swan River.** Located at the mouth of the Swan River, Fremantle is famous for its wonderful beaches, as well as its well-preserved colonial architecture. B

Day 4. Fremantle at Leisure. With today at leisure, perhaps visit the Western Australian Maritime Museum, discover the port's many historic buildings or enjoy the vibrant atmosphere of Fremantle Markets. Alternatively, you may wish to join one of the two available optional experiences. On the first, take a cruise to the historic Swan Valley Wine Region and enjoy a tasting of some premium local wines. Or perhaps spend the day on beautiful Rottnest Island – Western Australia's premier island destination (both at own expense). B

Day 5. Fremantle, Perth, Alice Springs. Leaving Fremantle following breakfast this morning, transfer back to Perth Airport for the flight to the red heart of Australia, Alice Springs in the Northern Territory. Nestled between the MacDonnell Ranges, this iconic Outback town is the geographical centre of Australia made famous by its rich pioneering history and enchanting ancient indigenous culture.

Two Night Stay: Chifley Alice Springs Resort. B

★ **Day 6. Alice Springs.** Early this morning, you may like to take an awe-inspiring balloon flight over the desert at sunrise (own expense), before joining the rest of the group to enjoy panoramic views of the town and surrounding MacDonnell Ranges from Anzac Hill. **Like a Local – enjoy the remainder of the morning at leisure before visiting the Royal Flying Doctor Service and School of the Air.** This evening, perhaps take a camel ride at sunset (own expense). B

INCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS



PULLMAN CAIRNS INTERNATIONAL

With rooms commanding wonderful mountain views, the stylish Pullman Cairns International provides a luxurious tropical sojourn.



FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON

Enjoy sensational city views from your room at this upscale retreat, located on the banks of Sydney's Darling Harbour.



HARBOUR HIGHLIGHTS CRUISE

Take to the shimmering waters of iconic Darling Harbour on a memorable cruise past some of Sydney's most treasured sights and landmarks.



Snorkel amid the colourful coral forests and exotic marine life of the Great Barrier Reef

★ **Day 7. Alice Springs, Kata Tjuta, Uluru (Ayers Rock).** The Australian Outback comes to life today as you travel through rugged landscapes to Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. Discovered by explorers in 1872, Uluru is one of Australia's most famous and sacred sites. **Like a Local** – visit the rock domes and peaks of Kata Tjuta (The Olgas) and walk to Walpa Gorge, **then enjoy a glass of wine while watching the sunset over Uluru.** Tonight, there is the opportunity to join a unique optional experience – the Sounds of Silence Dinner – where you'll dine on Australian delicacies whilst seated under the canopy of the desert night (own expense). **Stay:** Ayers Rock Resort, Voyages Outback Pioneer Hotel & Lodge. B

★ **Day 8. Uluru (Ayers Rock), Cairns.** **Like a Local** – this morning, marvel at the magnificent sunrise over Uluru and take a guided tour around the base of this famous monolith, viewing ancient caves and fascinating indigenous rock art sites. Afterwards, you'll enjoy a dramatic change of scenery as you fly from the heart of Australia's Red Centre to the sparkling blue waters and lush green rainforests of Cairns in Tropical North Queensland. **Special Stay** – enjoy a four-night escape at the Pullman Cairns International in a stylish room with mountain views. After time to settle in, the evening is yours to enjoy at leisure. **Four Night Stay:** Pullman Cairns International. B

★ **Day 9. Great Barrier Reef.** **Like a Local** – experience a real tour highlight today as you cruise from Cairns by fast catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive reef activity platform and enjoy five hours amidst the colourful coral and marine life. While you're here, snorkel in the sheltered coral lagoon, walk through the underwater observatory, join a guided tour on the semi-submersible or glass bottom boat, or simply relax on the spacious sundeck, before enjoying a lunch of local specialities on board. On return to the mainland, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure. BL

Days 10 & 11. Cairns at Leisure. Enjoy two days to relax and explore Cairns at leisure, or you may like to join one of a number of optional experiences. Perhaps take a hot air balloon flight over the Cairns Highlands; Ride the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway over a Tropical Rainforest canopy in Kuranda; discover the Daintree River region where the rainforest meets the reef at World Heritage-listed Cape Tribulation; or feel the powerful spirit of indigenous Australia on a mysterious journey into the ancient Tjapukai culture by night (all at own expense). B

Day 12. Cairns, Melbourne. Departing Cairns today, fly south to the city of Melbourne. With its cutting-edge designs and heritage architecture, spacious parks and diverse village-like suburbs, fabulous arts and world-class sporting action, you'll quickly understand why Victoria's vibrant capital is considered one of the most liveable cities in the world. **Three Night Stay:** Melbourne, Radisson on Flagstaff. B

COMBINE YOUR STAY IN CAIRNS

To truly immerse yourself in the lifestyle of Far North Queensland, choose one of the following multi-destination stay options during your four nights in the region.



1. FITZROY ISLAND

Combine two nights in Cairns with two nights on idyllic Fitzroy Island, a tropical paradise of rainforest and coral beaches within the calm waters of the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park.

From £195 per person, twin share.



2. PALM COVE

Stay overnight in Cairns before spending three nights at the Pullman Palm Cove Sea Temple Resort & Spa in the sophisticated beachside village of Palm Cove.

From £120 per person, twin share.



Delight in a fish 'n' chip dinner on Sydney's famous Bondi Beach

Day 13. Melbourne. Today, explore the city's highlights on a sightseeing tour, including Cook's Cottage, Federation Square and the Royal Botanic Gardens. The remainder of the afternoon is free for you to explore the city at leisure. Or you may wish to join an enchanting optional experience to witness the Penguin Parade at Phillip Island (own expense). B

Day 14. Melbourne at Leisure. Today is completely free for you to explore Melbourne at leisure. You may wish to take a sightseeing cruise on the Yarra River to enjoy unique views of the Melbourne skyline; discover the breathtaking coastal scenery, native flora and fauna, and intriguing towns along the Great Ocean Road on a full-day tour; or enjoy a memorable dinner aboard the historic Colonial Tramcar Restaurant (all at own expense). B

★ **Day 15. Melbourne, Sydney.** After one last morning to take in the sights, fly to Sydney. **Special Stay – transfer to your hotel, just steps from Darling Harbour.** Wrapped around a spectacular harbour, this glamorous city is home to the instantly recognisable icons of the Opera House and Harbour Bridge. **Four Night Stay:** Sydney, Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour. B

★ **Day 16. Sydney.** Discover a selection of Sydney's most incredible sights on a guided city tour this morning. **Like a Local** – during the day you'll also take to the water for **a relaxing cruise on Sydney Harbour, then step inside the Sydney Opera House for an enchanting guided tour. A Taste of Sydney – your day culminates with a traditional fish 'n' chip dinner on Bondi Beach this evening.** B, FD

Day 17. Sydney at Leisure. Enjoy a day at leisure. Alternatively, you may like to head to the Blue Mountains National Park; or savour fine wines and explore the stunning gardens in the Hunter Valley (both at own expense). B

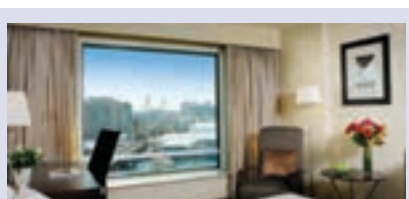
Day 18. Sydney at Leisure. Appreciate a further day at leisure, or perhaps join one of our optional experiences. Enjoy a bird's eye view of Sydney's famous coast and waterways aboard a seaplane; or climb the Sydney Harbour Bridge to discover the scale and grandeur of this inspiring global icon (both at own expense). This evening enjoy a Farewell Drink and Dinner. B, FD

Day 19. Depart Sydney. Following a day at leisure, you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight to the UK. B

Day 20. Arrive London.



Explore Fremantle on a sightseeing tour



SYDNEY UPGRADE

Upgrade to a Harbour View Room at Sydney's Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour and enjoy captivating views of Darling Harbour and Cockle Bay.

Four nights from £75 per person, twin share.

EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Why not extend your adventure Down Under and explore New Zealand? Escorted by our expert Travelmarvel Tour Directors, you'll see the incredible sights, monuments, national parks, wildlife and cities across Australia & New Zealand over 36 days. It's the ideal way to maximise your time whilst discovering the very best of both countries. Take advantage of our seamless connections and see pages 68 & 69 for itinerary details and pricing.



Visit Federation Square, a unique attraction in the heart of Melbourne

2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

20 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR INCLUDING FLIGHTS (TMUK20F)

2014	Flight Inclusive
Jan. 23; Feb. 13, 27.	£4,795
Mar. 13.	£4,795
Sept. 23; Oct. 14.	£4,795
Nov. 18; Dec. 9.	£4,795

2015	Flight Inclusive
Jan. 13, 27; Feb. 12, 18, 24.	£4,795
Mar. 10, 17, 24.	£4,795

Flight Inclusive prices include return scheduled flights from London Heathrow, flights between Perth and Sydney, as well as all airport taxes and security charges (subject to change). Flights from UK regional airports may be available but often carry a surcharge.


18 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TMUK18)

2014	Tour Only
Jan. 24; Feb. 14, 28.	£2,995
Mar. 14.	£2,995
Sept. 24; Oct. 15.	£2,995
Nov. 19; Dec. 10.	£2,995

2015	Tour Only
Jan. 14, 28; Feb. 13, 19, 25.	£2,995
Mar. 11, 18, 25.	£2,995

Tour Only prices do not include international or domestic flights. Guests join Day 2 Perth and depart Day 19 Sydney (TMUK18). Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares.

TOUR NOTES

Itinerary effective 23 September 2014. Tours departing up to 22 September 2014 follow a different itinerary – please enquire for details. Supplements for solo travellers are available on application. Ask us about pre & post accommodation.  Indicates Guaranteed Departure.

EARLY BOOKING OFFER
SAVE UP TO £300 PER COUPLE
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YOUR HOLIDAY PRICE INCLUDES

- ✓ Return scheduled flights from London Heathrow
- ✓ All flights within Australia
- ✓ Arrival and departure airport transfers in Australia
- ✓ Travel aboard spacious, luxurious coaches
- ✓ Stay in premium accommodation throughout Australia
- ✓ 20 delicious meals – 16 Breakfasts (B), 1 Lunch (L) and 2 Feature Dinners (FD)
- ✓ Dedicated Travelmarvel Tour Director and professional Drivers
- ✓ The additional services of expert local guides in select locations
- ✓ All sightseeing, excursions and entrance fees as outlined in the itinerary

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ✓ Cruise the picturesque Swan River between Perth and Fremantle
- ✓ Visit the Royal Flying Doctor Service and School of the Air
- ✓ Enjoy a glass of wine as you witness the sunset over Uluru
- ✓ Take in a majestic sunrise over Uluru followed by a guided tour
- ✓ Experience four nights at the Pullman Cairns International
- ✓ Travel by catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive activity platform
- ✓ Enjoy four nights at Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour
- ✓ Set off on a leisurely sightseeing cruise on Sydney Harbour
- ✓ Indulge in a traditional fish 'n' chip dinner on Bondi Beach

OTHER HOLIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Enjoy an indulgent four-night break in Cairns
- ✓ Explore the striking rock domes and peaks of Kata Tjuta (The Olgas) and walk to Walpa Gorge
- ✓ Discover the cosmopolitan city of Melbourne over three nights

Discover Australia & New Zealand

36 Day Travelmarvel Tour



Traverse Sydney's famed harbour on a sightseeing cruise

There's much ground to cover in Australia & New Zealand, most of which is scenically sublime offering an astonishing backdrop to the journey itself. Which is why this 36 Day tour is designed to capture the ever-changing landscapes whilst maximising your time on the ground – so you'll enjoy the journey just as much as the destination.

For full itinerary details see pages 46–51 and 62–67.



Day 1. Depart London. Head to London Heathrow for your flight to Perth. Enjoy a brief transit stop in Dubai en-route.

Day 2. Arrive Perth, Transfer to Fremantle. Be met on arrival and transferred to your hotel in Fremantle. Enjoy a Welcome Reception tonight.
Three Night Stay: Fremantle, The Esplanade Hotel.

★ **Day 3. Perth, Swan River Cruise.**
Like a Local – after a sightseeing tour through Perth, **return to Fremantle on a leisurely cruise along the picturesque Swan River.** B

Day 4. Fremantle at Leisure. Enjoy exploring this colourful port city independently today. B

Day 5. Fremantle, Perth, Alice Springs. Fly to Alice Springs after breakfast today.
Two Night Stay: Chifley Alice Springs Resort. B

★ **Day 6. Alice Springs.** Enjoy views of the town and surrounding MacDonnell Ranges from Anzac Hill. **Like a Local** – visit the **Royal Flying Doctor Service and School of the Air.** B

★ **Day 7. Alice Springs, Kata Tjuta, Uluru (Ayers Rock).** **Like a Local** – visit Kata Tjuta and Walpa Gorge, **then enjoy a glass of wine while watching the sunset over Uluru.**
Stay: Ayers Rock Resort, Voyages Outback Pioneer Hotel & Lodge. B

★ **Day 8. Uluru (Ayers Rock), Cairns.** Like a Local – watch the sunrise over Uluru then take a tour around the base. Later, fly to Cairns. **Special Stay** – enjoy a four-night escape at the Pullman Cairns International. **Four Night Stay:** Pullman Cairns International. B

★ **Day 9. Great Barrier Reef.** Like a Local – cruise by catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive reef activity platform. BL

Days 10 & 11. Cairns at leisure. B

Day 12. Cairns, Melbourne. After breakfast, fly from Cairns to the city of Melbourne. **Three Night Stay:** Melbourne, Radisson on Flagstaff. B

Day 13. Melbourne. Explore Melbourne's best-loved sights on a guided tour today. B

Day 14. Melbourne at Leisure. Today is yours to explore Melbourne independently. B

★ **Day 15. Melbourne, Sydney.** Fly from Melbourne to Sydney today. **Special Stay** – transfer to your hotel, located just steps from Sydney's Darling Harbour. **Five Night Stay:** Sydney, Four Points by Sheraton Darling Harbour. B

★ **Day 16. Sydney.** Set off on a city tour. Like a Local – cruise Sydney Harbour then take a guided tour through the Sydney Opera House. **A Taste of Sydney** – delight in a fish 'n' chip dinner on Bondi Beach tonight. B, FD

Day 17. Sydney at Leisure. B

Day 18. Sydney. After the day at leisure, enjoy a special Farewell Dinner this evening. B, FD

Day 19. Sydney, Auckland. Farewell Australia today as you fly to Auckland – 'The City of Sails'. **Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Auckland City. B

Day 20. Auckland at Leisure. Enjoy today at leisure before meeting your New Zealand Tour Director and fellow travellers this evening. B

Day 21. Auckland, Bay of Islands. Travel to the stunning Bay of Islands today. **Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel and Resort Bay of Islands. B, FD

Day 22. Bay of Islands at Leisure. Delight in a day at leisure in the Bay of Islands. B

★ **Day 23. Bay of Islands, Auckland.** Like a Local – set off on an enchanting cruise to Cape Brett and the Hole in the Rock. **Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Auckland City. BD

★ **Day 24. Auckland, Waitomo, Rotorua.** Like a Local – explore Waitomo Caves. At Te Puia, enjoy a tour of the Maori Arts & Crafts Institute, and the incredible Thermal Valley. **A Taste of Rotorua** – enjoy a traditional Maori Hangi Feast this evening. **Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Rotorua. B, FD

★ **Day 25. Rotorua Sightseeing.** A Taste of Rotorua – enjoy a breakfast cruise on Lake Rotorua. Then, visit to one of New Zealand's best-loved attractions, the Agrodome, with its sheep shearing demonstration. FB

Day 26. Rotorua, Lake Taupo, Wellington. Visit Lake Taupo and Huka Falls. Cross the Tongariro National Park en route to Wellington. **Stay:** Ibis Wellington Hotel. B

★ **Day 27. Wellington, Cook Strait, Ashburton.** Like a Local – cruise through the Marlborough and Queen Charlotte Sounds. **Stay:** Hotel Ashburton. BD

Day 28. Ashburton, Fox Glacier. See Fox Glacier and Franz Josef Glacier today. **Stay:** Heartland Hotel Fox Glacier. BD

Day 29. Fox Glacier, Queenstown. Travel to Queenstown, nestled on Lake Wakatipu. **Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel & Apartments Queenstown Lakeview. B

Day 30. Queenstown at Leisure. Today is at leisure to explore independently. B

★ **Day 31. Queenstown, Fiordland National Park, Te Anau.** Like a Local – cruise the full length of Milford Sound. **Stay:** Te Anau, Kingsgate Hotel. BD

Day 32. Te Anau, Dunedin. In Dunedin, enjoy a city tour, taking you to Lanarch Castle. **Stay:** Dunedin Leisure Lodge. BD

★ **Day 33. Dunedin, Mt Cook, Lake Tekapo.** Like a Local – admire Mt Cook. **Special Stay** – overlooking Lake Tekapo. **A Taste of Lake Tekapo** – enjoy a Farewell Dinner featuring local produce. **Stay:** Lake Tekapo, Peppers Bluewater Resort. B, FD

Day 34. Lake Tekapo, Christchurch. Visit the tiny Church of the Good Shepherd. **Stay:** Sudima Christchurch. B

Day 35. Depart Christchurch. Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK. B

Day 36. Arrive London.

2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

36 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR INCLUDING FLIGHTS (TMUKNT36F) ✈️

2014	Flight Inclusive
Sept. 23; Oct. 14; Nov. 18.	£7,495

2015	Flight Inclusive
Jan. 13.	£7,695
Jan. 27; Feb. 12, 24; Mar. 17.	£7,495

Flight Inclusive prices include return scheduled flights from London Heathrow, flights between Perth and Auckland, as well as all airport taxes and security charges (subject to change). Flights from UK regional airports may be available but often carry a surcharge.

33 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TMUKNT33)

2014	Tour Only
Sept. 24; Oct. 15; Nov. 19.	£5,495

2015	Tour Only
Jan. 14, 28.	£5,495
Feb. 13, 25; Mar. 18.	£5,495

Tour Only prices do not include international or domestic flights. Guests join Day 2 Perth and depart Day 34 Christchurch (TMUKNT33). Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares.

TOUR NOTES

Please note, Days 19 and 20 are partially unescorted. Supplements for solo travellers are available on application. Ask us about pre & post accommodation.

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- ✓ Cruise the picturesque Swan River between Perth and Fremantle
- ✓ Take in a majestic sunrise over Uluru followed by a guided tour
- ✓ Travel by catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive activity platform
- ✓ Look out for dolphins on a magical Hole in the Rock cruise
- ✓ Experience Maori culture at a Hangi Feast and performance
- ✓ Enjoy a full-length cruise along the magnificent Milford Sound
- ✓ Stay on the shores of Lake Tekapo at Peppers Bluewater Resort

East Coast Adventure

12 Day Travelmarvel Tour





Your East Coast Adventure showcases Australia's finest, offering vibrant cities, sun-drenched beaches, tropical rainforests and an abundance of unique wildlife. From cosmopolitan Sydney, venture off the beaten track to the natural wonder of the Great Barrier Reef and snorkel alongside stunning marine life. Along the way, immerse yourself in the Australian way of life as you meet local communities, discover indigenous culture, roam tropical islands and even get up close to a koala. The best part of your 'Aussie' road trip is we do the driving for you, so you can sit back, relax and take in the amazing scenery.

KEY FEATURES & HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Take in incredible 360° views of Sydney during a Welcome Dinner at the iconic Sydney Tower
- ✓ Get up close to fascinating native Australian wildlife, including a Koala, at Australia Zoo on the Sunshine Coast
- ✓ Spend two wonderful nights in paradise at the Kingfisher Bay Resort on World Heritage-listed Fraser Island
- ✓ Explore the pristine Whitsunday archipelago during a two-night stay at Daydream Island Resort and Spa
- ✓ Rise high above the rainforest canopy on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway
- ✓ Get to know Tropical North Queensland during a two-night stay at the picturesque Pullman Cairns International
- ✓ Experience the magic of the Great Barrier Reef, enjoying exclusive access to a stunning coral reef location and an abundance of activities
- ✓ Take part in a traditional corroboree and indulge in delicious regional delicacies at Tjapukai By Night



Explore the pristine freshwater Lake McKenzie on Fraser Island

★ **Day 1. Arrive Sydney.** Bet met on arrival in Sydney and transferred to your hotel. Explore this stunning city on a memorable half-day sightseeing coach tour this afternoon, soaking up the famous historic landmarks, including the Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge. **A Taste of Sydney – enjoy uninterrupted 360° city views and delicious cuisine as you head to Sydney Tower for a Welcome Dinner**, soaring well above the central business district of Sydney. This iconic venue is the tallest free-standing structure in New South Wales and has been an integral part of the famous Sydney skyline for over 30 years. **Stay:** Sydney, PARKROYAL Darling Harbour. FD

Day 2. Sydney, Port Macquarie. After a sumptuous breakfast, your day begins this morning with a drive north across the famous Sydney Harbour Bridge, offering you magnificent views of the stunning harbour. Continuing along, arrive at the beautiful seaside town of Port Macquarie, located on the mid north coast of New South Wales, renowned for

its wonderful beaches, scenic hinterland and beautiful waterways. On arrival, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure to explore your surrounds independently.

Stay: Rydges Port Macquarie. B

Day 3. Port Macquarie, Byron Bay, Gold Coast. Your journey continues today as you travel north along the New South Wales coast. Stop at Byron Bay en route, a pretty seaside holiday town renowned for its numerous surf beaches, unspoilt native bush areas and relaxed lifestyle that attracts both wealthy city dwellers and bohemian lifestylers. Pass by Cape Byron, Australia’s most easterly point, before continuing to the Gold Coast, famous for its uninterrupted coastline fringed by vibrant communities and lush wilderness areas. After settling in to your hotel located within the heart of the city, perhaps stroll along the famous soft golden sands of the popular Surfers Paradise Beach, before enjoying the evening at leisure.

Stay: Gold Coast, Mantra Legends Hotel Surfers Paradise. B

★ **Day 4. Gold Coast, Brisbane, Australia Zoo, Fraser Island. 9 Day (TQ9) passengers join this morning in Brisbane.**

Departing the Gold Coast this morning, travel through Queensland’s capital city, Brisbane, before heading north to the Sunshine Coast. **Like a Local – visit the world-renowned Australia Zoo.** Made famous by the late Crocodile Hunter, Steve Irwin, Australia Zoo features a plethora of wild animals from all corners of the globe. From the smallest of reptiles to the largest of mammals, Australia Zoo is home to over 100 different species. Here, you will be given the opportunity to gain an in-depth understanding of conservation and see many native species up close. **Special Stay – afterwards, travel north to the largest sand island in the world, World Heritage-listed Fraser Island, and settle in to your room at Kingfisher Bay Resort.** Enjoy some time to take in the stunning surrounds before dinner with your fellow travellers this evening.

Two Night Stay: Fraser Island, Kingfisher Bay Resort. BD

INCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS



KINGFISHER BAY RESORT

Immerse yourself in ancient rainforests and coloured sand cliffs during your stay at this eco-resort located on immaculate Fraser Island.



DAYDREAM ISLAND RESORT AND SPA

The ultimate island paradise, stay surrounded by an aquatic playground of stunning marine life and pristine tropical verdure.



REEF MAGIC CRUISE

Reef Magic’s exclusive access to a remarkable area of coral reef offers an unforgettable day of adventure in the outer Great Barrier Reef.



Marvel at the wonderful Millaa Millaa Falls

Day 5. Fraser Island. Located at the southern tip of the Great Barrier Reef, Fraser Island offers a rare and beautiful paradise. The rugged untamed wilderness will entice you from the moment you arrive, providing adventure and excitement, but also a relaxing atmosphere from your base here at the eco-friendly Kingfisher Bay Resort. Discover this beautiful island today with a half-day tour and some time at leisure this afternoon. Slip into island living and perhaps explore the hundreds of walking trails which criss-cross the island. Immerse yourself in the ancient rainforests or explore the coloured sand cliffs on Seventy-Five Mile Beach. Fraser Island is a popular location for spotting various marine life, including Humpback whales as they make their journey north for the winter, between June and November. Perhaps visit the wreck of the Maheno, a trans-Tasman liner that was driven ashore during a cyclone in 1935. Or, you may simply wish to relax on a stretch of powdery white sand with a good book, before donning snorkelling gear to discover one of the island's many pristine freshwater lakes. **B**

Day 6. Fraser Island, Hervey Bay, Rockhampton. A morning cruise takes you across Hervey Bay, where you'll discover why this special place is often referred to as the jewel in Queensland's crown. The journey concludes back on the mainland where you'll rejoin your coach to continue north. Travel through sugarcane country, crossing some of the many narrow gauge railway lines that transport sugarcane from the field to processing plants in town, an iconic sight of rural Queensland. Later, arrive in the inland city of Rockhampton, known as the beef capital of Australia. **Stay:** Central Park Motel Rockhampton. **BD**

★ **Day 7. Rockhampton, Daydream Island.** After a delicious breakfast explore the gateway to the coast and the Outback, Rockhampton, which also boasts some of the best provincial gardens in Australia. Enjoy a tour of these beautiful gardens before travelling to Airlie Beach, where you'll join a cruise through the sparkling Whitsundays. **Special Stay – arriving at the picturesque**

Daydream Island Resort and Spa, realise your dreams of an island paradise as you indulge in a feast for the senses surrounded by natural beauty, dotted with secluded, palm-lined beaches and a vast array of marine life. **Two Night Stay:** Daydream Island Resort and Spa. **BD**

Day 8. Daydream Island. Enjoy breakfast overlooking your resort's Living Reef Lagoon this morning. The entire day is then at leisure to do as little or as much as you like. Perhaps discover the many species of tropical fish when snorkelling off the beach; take a stroll through the tropical jungle to the highest point of the island; relax by one of the many inviting swimming pools; enjoy some of the available water sports or indulge in some pampering with a soothing signature spa treatment at the relaxing Rejuvenation Spa (own expense). Alternatively, enjoy a half-day Whitehaven Beach excursion, exploring the crystal-clear aqua waters and the never-ending pristine sands of Whitehaven, providing the greatest sense of relaxation and escape (own expense). **B**



Soak up sweeping city views in Sydney



Surrender to the peace and tranquillity of Mission Beach



Board the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway in picturesque Kuranda

Day 9. Daydream Island, Townsville, Mission Beach. After breakfast, your adventure northward continues today with an early morning ferry transfer, gliding from Daydream Island to Shute Harbour, where you'll re-board your luxurious coach and travel to Townsville. On arrival, enjoy a tour of this tropical city, surrounded by lush tropical rainforest hinterland and the magnificent Great Barrier Reef. Departing Townsville, continue to Mission Beach,

the destination where two of the most stunning World Heritage-listed areas meet, the Wet Tropics Rainforest and the Great Barrier Reef. Arrive at your beachfront escape, Castaways Resort & Spa, where the only thing between you and the golden beach is a grassy lawn and a line of coconut palms. Complete with its own secluded rainforest swimming area, it won't be long before you discover why Mission Beach has earned its reputation as a haven for rest and relaxation. **Stay:** Castaways Resort & Spa Mission Beach. BD

★ **Day 11. Great Barrier Reef. Like a Local – cruise from Cairns by fast catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive reef activity platform and enjoy five hours amidst the colourful coral and marine life.** Snorkel in the sheltered coral lagoon, walk through the underwater observatory, join a tour on the semi-submersible or glass bottom boat, or relax on the sundeck. This is one of the best destinations on the Great Barrier Reef for viewing the unique species of coral and fish that call the reef home. **A Taste of Cairns – enjoy a special Farewell Dinner at Tjapukai By Night this evening.** Discover the Dreamtime, take an interactive part in a corroboree, then be guided along a flame-lit pathway to a dinner of local produce. BL, FD



Join a corroboree at Tjapukai By Night dinner

★ **Day 10. Mission Beach, Atherton Tablelands, Cairns.** Continuing your journey north, you'll encounter rolling green hills, open farmlands and tropical rainforests, which ultimately define the Atherton Tablelands. The region is part of the Waterfalls Circuit, defined by the magnificent Millaa Millaa Falls, which are some of the most photographed falls in Australia. As you journey towards Cairns, you'll visit the Curtain Fig Tree, an iconic natural Australian icon. **Like a Local – later, board the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway in the picturesque village of Kuranda and ride above the treetops** to Caravonica Lakes. This experience will take you over Australia's World heritage-listed Tropical Rainforest canopy and deep into the forest, whilst providing the ideal opportunity to learn about one Australia's most botanically fascinating and diverse areas. **Special Stay – enjoy mountain views from your room at the Pullman Cairns International.** **Two Night Stay:** Pullman Cairns International. B

Day 12. Depart Cairns. Drive to the pretty township of Port Douglas for a tour. This patch of paradise is the meeting point of the World Heritage-listed Daintree Rainforest and the Great Barrier Reef. After some time here, return to Cairns and transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B

EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

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Discover the unique marine life and coral forests of Australia's Great Barrier Reef

2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE



Please contact your travel consultant for international airfares, which can be combined with our tour only prices below.

12 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQ12)

2014	Room & Breakfast with 2 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Jan. 27; Feb. 8*, 24.	£2,645	£2,795
Mar. 8*, 24; Apr. 5*.	£2,645	£2,795
Apr. 27; May 9*.	£2,745	£2,895
Sept. 21.	£2,745	£2,895
Oct. 3*, 5, 17*, 19, 31*.	£2,745	£2,895
Nov. 16, 28*; Dec. 14, 26*.	£2,745	£2,895

2015	Room & Breakfast with 2 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Jan. 25; Feb. 6*, 22.	£2,745	£2,895
Mar. 6*, 15, 27*; Apr. 26.	£2,745	£2,895
May 8*; Sept. 20.	£2,745	£2,895

9 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQ9)

2014	Room & Breakfast with 1 Feature Meal	With meals as stated
Jan. 30; Feb. 8*, 27.	£2,095	£2,245
Mar. 8*, 27; Apr. 5*.	£2,095	£2,245
Apr. 30; May 9*.	£2,145	£2,295
Sept. 24.	£2,145	£2,295
Oct. 3*, 8, 17*, 22, 31*.	£2,145	£2,295
Nov. 19, 28*; Dec. 17, 26*.	£2,145	£2,295

2015	Room & Breakfast with 1 Feature Meal	With meals as stated
Jan. 28; Feb. 6*, 25.	£2,145	£2,295
Mar. 6*, 18, 27*; Apr. 29.	£2,145	£2,295
May 8*; Sept. 23.	£2,145	£2,295

TOUR NOTES

Land content only. International/domestic flights not included in tour price. Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares.

TQ12 itinerary effective 27 April 2014. TQ9 itinerary effective 30 April 2014. Tours departing up to 26 April 2014 follow a different itinerary – please enquire for details. *Indicates tour operates in reverse direction (TQ12R/TQ9R). Supplements for solo travellers are available on application. Ask us about pre & post accommodation.

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INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ✓ Take in 360° views of Sydney during a Welcome Dinner at the iconic Sydney Tower
- ✓ Engage with an incredible array of native Australian wildlife at Australia Zoo on the Sunshine Coast
- ✓ Enjoy two wonderful nights at Kingfisher Bay Resort on World Heritage-listed Fraser Island
- ✓ Unwind during two nights at Daydream Island Resort and Spa
- ✓ Ride the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway over Cairns' World Heritage-listed Tropical Rainforest canopy
- ✓ Experience two nights in Tropical North Queensland at the Pullman Cairns International, with mountain views
- ✓ Travel by catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive activity platform and enjoy five hours amidst the colourful coral and marine life
- ✓ Take part in a traditional corroboree and indulge in delicious regional delicacies at Tjapukai By Night

OTHER HOLIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

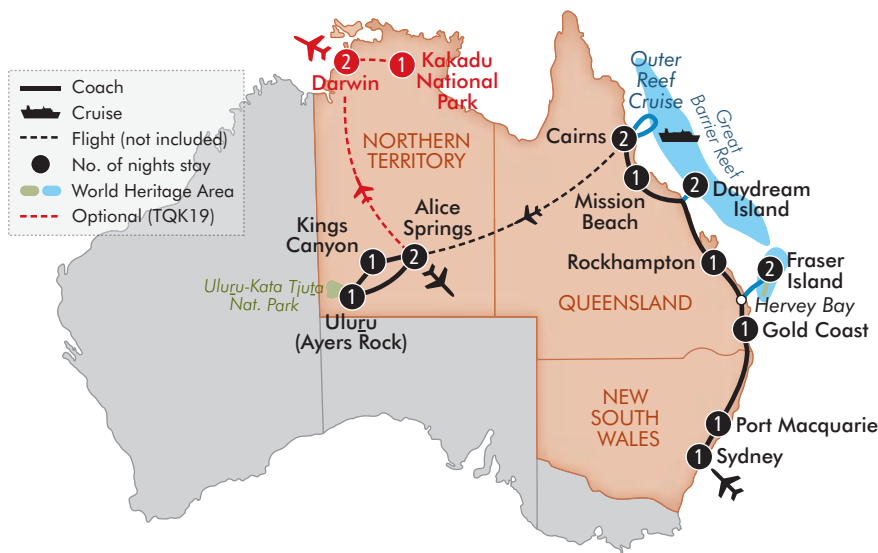
- ✓ Travel across the iconic Sydney Harbour Bridge on your way to Port Macquarie, a lovely coastal destination
- ✓ Spend a night in the heart of Queensland's Gold Coast, where the bustling city meets the ocean
- ✓ Be revitalised by the sheer natural beauty of Fraser Island
- ✓ Tour Rockhampton's famed provincial gardens
- ✓ Cruise through the sparkling Whitsundays to Daydream Island
- ✓ Escape to Mission Beach, surrounded by a backdrop of World Heritage-listed tropical rainforest and white sand beaches

Grand Australian Discovery

16 Day Travelmarvel Tour



Soak up spellbinding vistas as you traverse Kings Canyon



★ Day 1. Arrive Sydney. Arrive into Sydney by midday and enjoy a sightseeing coach tour. **A Taste of Sydney – enjoy uninterrupted 360° city views as you’re welcomed with a dinner at Sydney Tower this evening.**
Stay: Sydney, PARKROYAL Darling Harbour. FD

Day 2. Sydney, Port Macquarie. Drive north across the famous Sydney Harbour Bridge to the beautiful seaside town of Port Macquarie.
Stay: Rydges Port Macquarie. B

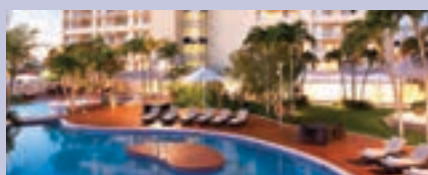
Day 3. Port Macquarie, Byron Bay, Gold Coast. Explore Cape Byron, then continue north to the Gold Coast. Stroll along Surfers Paradise Beach before enjoying the evening at leisure.
Stay: Gold Coast, Mantra Legends Hotel Surfers Paradise. B

INCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS



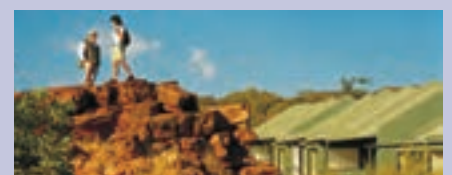
KINGFISHER BAY RESORT

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PULLMAN CAIRNS INTERNATIONAL

With rooms commanding wonderful mountain views, the stylish Pullman Cairns International provides a luxurious tropical sojourn.



KINGS CANYON RESORT

Discover ancient beauty and rugged landscapes during your stay at this comfortable retreat, set amid dazzling Red Centre scenery.

★ **Day 4. Gold Coast, Australia Zoo, Fraser Island.** Like a Local – visit the world renowned Australia Zoo, made famous by the late Crocodile Hunter, Steve Irwin. **Special Stay** – travel north to Fraser Island and settle in to your spacious room at Kingfisher Bay Resort. **Two Night Stay:** Fraser Island, Kingfisher Bay Resort. BD

Day 5. Fraser Island. Enjoy a half-day tour and some time at leisure this afternoon. B

Day 6. Fraser Island, Hervey Bay, Rockhampton. After a cruise across Hervey Bay, travel via sugarcane country to Rockhampton. **Stay:** Central Park Motel Rockhampton. BD

★ **Day 7. Rockhampton, Daydream Island.** Tour Rockhampton gardens before cruising through the Whitsundays to Daydream Island. **Special Stay** – realise your dreams of an island paradise as you settle in to your room at Daydream Island Resort and Spa. **Two Night Stay:** Daydream Island Resort and Spa. BD

Day 8. Daydream Island. Delight in a full day at leisure to explore idyllic Daydream Island. B

Day 9. Daydream Island, Townsville, Mission Beach. Board a ferry to Shute Harbour. Then travel to Townsville for a city tour before making your way to Mission Beach. **Stay:** Castaways Resort & Spa Mission Beach. BD

★ **Day 10. Mission Beach, Atherton Tablelands, Cairns.** Visit Millaa Millaa Falls and the Curtain Fig Tree. **Like a Local** – board the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway. **Special Stay** – enjoy mountain views from your room at the Pullman Cairns International. **Two Night Stay:** Pullman Cairns International. B

★ **Day 11. Great Barrier Reef.** Like a Local – cruise to Reef Magic’s activity platform. **A Taste of Cairns** – enjoy dinner at Tjapukai By Night and take part in a corroboree. BL, FD

Day 12. Cairns, Alice Springs. Fly from Cairns to Alice Springs today (flight not included). **Stay:** Aurora Alice Springs. B

★ **Day 13. Alice Springs, Uluru (Ayers Rock).** Ford the West MacDonnell Ranges and stop at a camel farm for an optional camel ride (own expense). **Like a Local** – tour the base of Australia’s most recognised natural wonder, Uluru, then head to your resort and enjoy a glass of wine while watching the sunset. **Stay:** Ayers Rock Resort, Outback Pioneer Hotel and Lodge.

Day 14. Uluru (Ayers Rock), Kings Canyon. Rise early to view the sunrise over Uluru. Visit the rock domes and peaks of Kata Tjuta (The Olgas) and walk to Walpa Gorge, before traversing the rugged desert landscape to Kings Canyon. **Stay:** Kings Canyon Resort.



Encounter Koala’s at Australia Zoo

Day 15. Kings Canyon, Alice Springs. Explore Kings Canyon today, and see how its sheer walls rise up to 170 metres from Kings Creek. Choose between two guided walks here. **Stay:** Aurora Alice Springs.

Day 16. Depart Alice Springs. Transfer to Alice Springs airport for your onward flight.

TOP END EXTENSION (TQK19)

Extend your journey with a visit to Darwin and Kakadu National Park. See fare box for pricing and enquire for itinerary details.

2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE



Please contact your travel consultant for international airfares, which can be combined with our tour only prices below.

16 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQC16)

2014	With meals as stated
Jan. 27; Feb. 4*, 24; Mar. 4*, 24; Apr. 1*.	£3,695
Apr. 27; May 5*; Sept. 21, 29*.	£3,795
Oct. 5, 13*, 19, 27*; Nov. 16, 24*; Dec. 14, 22*.	£3,795

2015	With meals as stated
Jan. 25; Feb. 2*, 22; Mar. 2*, 15, 23*.	£3,795
Apr. 26; May 4*; Sept. 20.	£3,795

19 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQK19)

2014	With meals as stated
Jan. 27; Feb. 1*, 24; Mar. 1*, 24, 29*.	£4,295
Apr. 27; May 2*; Sept. 21, 26*.	£4,395
Oct. 5, 10*, 19, 24*; Nov. 16, 21*; Dec. 14, 19*.	£4,395

2015	With meals as stated
Jan. 25, 30*; Feb. 22, 27*.	£4,395
Mar. 15, 20*; Apr. 26; May. 1*; Sept. 20.	£4,395

TOUR NOTES

Land content only. International/domestic flights not included in tour price. Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares. Please note that days 12–16 are operated by our travel partner. **Itinerary effective 27 April 2014. Tours departing up to 26 April 2014 follow a different itinerary – please enquire for details.** *Indicates tour operates in reverse direction (TQC16R/TQK19R).

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- ✓ Ride the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway in Cairns
- ✓ Experience two nights at the Pullman Cairns International
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- ✓ Take part in a traditional corroboree at Tjapukai By Night
- ✓ Enjoy a glass of wine as you witness the sunset over Uluru

OTHER HOLIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Stay in the heart of the rugged Red Centre at Kings Canyon Resort
- ✓ Tour Rockhampton’s famed provincial gardens

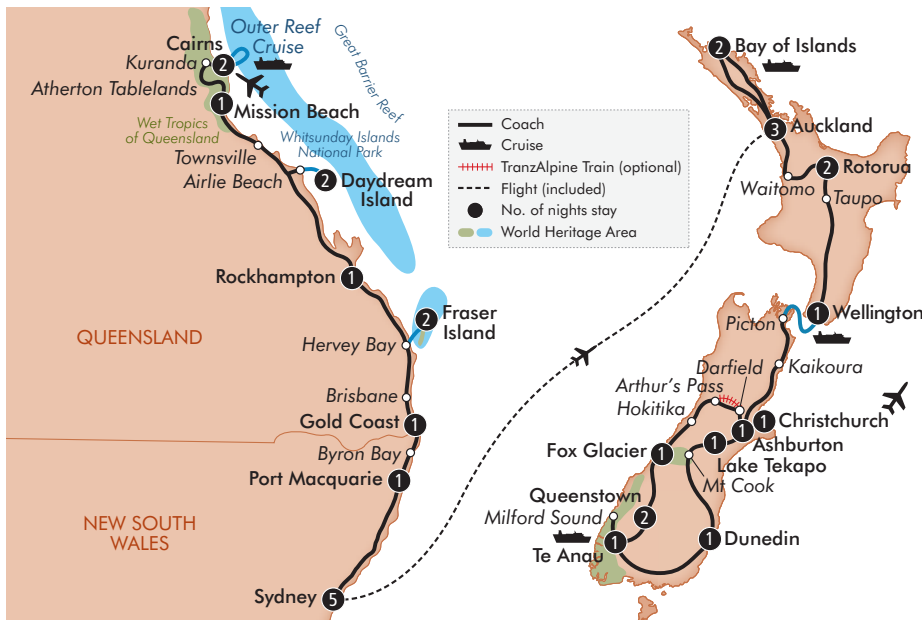
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Day 1–2. Depart London. Head to London Heathrow for your flight to Cairns. Enjoy a brief transit stop in Hong Kong en-route.

★ **Day 3. Arrive Cairns. Special Stay** – be met on arrival into Cairns and transferred to **your hotel, with beautiful mountain views. A Taste of Cairns** – after some time at leisure, **discover the Dreamtime this evening during a dinner at Tjapukai By Night.**

Two Night Stay:

Pullman Cairns International. FD

★ **Day 4. Great Barrier Reef. Like a Local** – cruise by fast catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive reef activity platform and enjoy five hours amidst the coral and marine life. BL

★ **Day 5. Cairns, Atherton Tablelands, Mission Beach. Like a Local** – board the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway in the village of Kuranda and ride above the treetops. **Stay:** Castaways Resort & Spa Mission Beach. BD

★ **Day 6. Mission Beach, Townsville, Daydream Island.** Travel to Townsville for a tour before cruising through the Whitsundays to Daydream Island. **Special Stay** – realise your dreams of an island paradise as you settle in to Daydream Island Resort and Spa.

Two Night Stay:

Daydream Island Resort and Spa. BD

Day 7. Daydream Island at Leisure.

Delight in a day at leisure on Daydream Island. B

Day 8. Daydream Island, Rockhampton.

Traverse sugarcane country to Rockhampton.

Stay: Central Park Motel Rockhampton. BD**★ Day 9. Rockhampton, Fraser Island.****Special Stay – cruise to Fraser Island and enjoy two wonderful nights at Kingfisher Bay Resort.****Two Night Stay:** Fraser Island, Kingfisher Bay Resort. BD**Day 10. Fraser Island.**

Enjoy a half-day tour and some time at leisure this afternoon. B

★ Day 11. Fraser Island, Australia Zoo, Gold Coast.**Like a Local – visit Australia Zoo, made famous by the late Crocodile Hunter Steve Irwin, en route to the Gold Coast today.****Stay:** Gold Coast, Mantra Legends Hotel Surfers Paradise. B**Day 12. Gold Coast, Byron Bay, Port Macquarie.**

Pass through Cape Byron, Australia's most easterly point, before continuing your journey south to Port Macquarie.

Stay: Rydges Port Macquarie. B**★ Day 13. Port Macquarie, Sydney.**On arrival into Sydney, enjoy a sightseeing coach tour. **A Taste of Sydney – head to Sydney Tower for a special dinner tonight.****Five Night Stay:** Sydney, PARKROYAL Darling Harbour. B, FD**Day 14. Sydney.** Head off on a morning sightseeing tour through the beautiful city of Sydney. The remainder of the day is at leisure. B**Days 15–17. Sydney at Leisure.** B**Day 18. Sydney, Auckland.** Fly from Sydney to Auckland after breakfast today.**Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Auckland City. B**Day 19. Auckland at leisure.** Enjoy today at leisure before meeting your New Zealand Tour Director and fellow travellers this evening. B**Day 20. Auckland, Bay of Islands.**

Continue to the stunning Bay of Islands today.

Two Night Stay: Copthorne Hotel and Resort Bay of Islands. B, FD**Day 21. Bay of Islands at Leisure.** B**★ Day 22. Bay of Islands, Auckland.****Like a Local – today, set off on a dolphin-watching cruise to Cape Brett.****Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Auckland City. BD**★ Day 23. Auckland, Waitomo, Rotorua.****Like a Local – tour Waitomo Caves. A Taste of Rotorua – continue to Te Puia for a tour before a Maori Hangi Feast tonight.****Two Night Stay:** Copthorne Hotel Rotorua. B, FD**★ Day 24. Rotorua. A Taste of Rotorua – enjoy a breakfast cruise this morning.** FB**Day 25. Rotorua, Lake Taupo, Wellington.**

Visit Lake Taupo en route to Wellington.

Stay: Ibis Wellington Hotel. B**★ Day 26. Wellington, Cook Strait, Ashburton.****Like a Local – cruise through the Marlborough and Queen Charlotte Sounds.****Stay:** Hotel Ashburton. BD**Day 27. Ashburton, Fox Glacier.**

Journey through the Southern Alps today.

Stay: Heartland Hotel Fox Glacier. BD**Day 28. Fox Glacier, Queenstown.**

Travel to the alpine resort of Queenstown.

Two Night Stay: Copthorne Hotel & Apartments Queenstown Lakeview. B**Day 29. Queenstown at Leisure.** Today is at leisure to discover Queenstown as you wish. B**★ Day 30. Queenstown, Fiordland National Park, Te Anau.****Like a Local – cruise the full length of Milford Sound.****Stay:** Te Anau, Kingsgate Hotel. BD**Day 31. Te Anau, Dunedin.** Enjoy a sightseeing tour, taking you to Lanarch Castle.**Stay:** Dunedin Leisure Lodge. BD**★ Day 32. Dunedin, Mt Cook, Lake Tekapo.** **Like a Local – admire the sublime alpine scenery of Mt Cook. Special Stay – stay situated on the shores of Lake Tekapo. A Taste of Lake Tekapo – enjoy a Farewell Dinner featuring local produce.****Stay:** Lake Tekapo, Peppers Bluewater Resort. B, FD**Day 33. Lake Tekapo, Christchurch.** Visit the tiny Church of the Good Shepherd, before travelling to Christchurch.**Stay:** Sudima Christchurch. B**Day 34. Depart Christchurch.** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK. B**Day 35. Arrive London.****2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE****35 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR INCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQNT35RF)**

2014	Flight Inclusive
Oct. 1, 15; Nov. 26.	£7,495

2015	Flight Inclusive
Feb. 4; Mar. 4.	£7,495

Flight Inclusive prices include return scheduled flights from London Heathrow, flight between Sydney and Auckland, as well as all airport taxes and security charges (subject to change). Flights from UK regional airports may be available but often carry a surcharge.

31 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TQNT31R)

2014	Tour Only
Oct. 3, 17; Nov. 28.	£5,795

2015	Tour Only
Feb. 6; Mar. 6.	£5,795

Tour Only prices do not include international or domestic flights. Guests join Day 3 Cairns and depart Day 33 Christchurch (TQNT31R). Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares.

TOUR NOTES

Please note, Days 15–18 are unescorted. 33 and 29 Day tours are also available. Please enquire for full itinerary details, dates and pricing (TQNT33F/TQNT29). Supplements for solo travellers are available on application. Ask us about pre & post accommodation.

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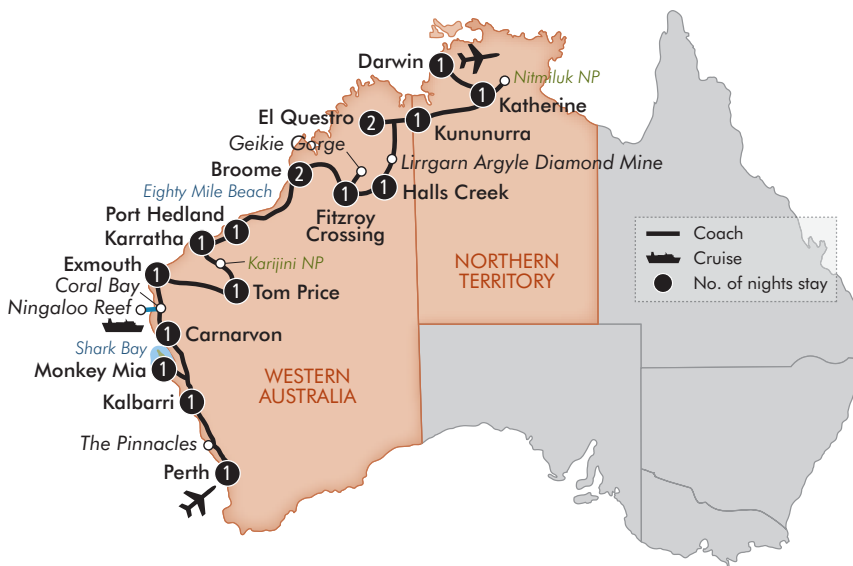
- ✓ Indulge in delicious regional delicacies at Tjapukai By Night
- ✓ Travel by catamaran to Reef Magic's exclusive activity platform
- ✓ Unwind during two nights at Daydream Island Resort and Spa
- ✓ Engage with native Australian wildlife at Australia Zoo
- ✓ Take in 360° views during dinner at the Sydney Tower
- ✓ Look out for dolphins on a magical Hole in the Rock cruise
- ✓ Board the Lakeland Queen for a breakfast cruise on Lake Rotorua
- ✓ Enjoy a full-length cruise along the magnificent Milford Sound
- ✓ Stay on the shores of Lake Tekapo at Peppers Bluewater Resort

West Coast Adventure

18 Day Travelmarvel Tour



Slice through the iconic red desert landscapes of Karijini National Park



Day 1. Arrive Perth. On arrival in Perth, be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. This afternoon, a tour of Perth includes a visit to Kings Park, perched on Mt Eliza. Absorb the city views before returning for a Welcome Dinner.
Stay: Mercure Perth. FD

Day 2. Perth, Nambung National Park, The Pinnacles, Kalbarri. Following breakfast this morning, travel to Nambung National Park to see the limestone pillars of the Pinnacles. Continue to Kalbarri, overlooking the Indian Ocean.
Stay: Kalbarri Edge Resort. BD

Day 3. Kalbarri, Shark Bay. Set out for World Heritage-listed Shark Bay. Visit the township of Denham, the most westerly town on the Australian mainland, then continue to

INCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS



MONKEY MIA DOLPHIN RESORT

Take advantage of the impressive beachfront location in the heart of Western Australia's breathtaking Shark Bay.



EMMA GORGE RESORT

Stay in a comfortable tented cabin with a private ensuite, hidden among an oasis of shady native trees within El Questro Wilderness Park.



KATHERINE GORGE CRUISE

Board a two-hour cruise through spectacular Katherine Gorge and gain a true appreciation for this breathtaking national park.

Monkey Mia. **Like a Local – unwind on a sunset cruise on Shark Bay. A Taste of Western Australia – feast on delicious local seafood. Special Stay – enjoy the beach location of Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort.**

Stay: Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort. B, FD

Day 4. Monkey Mia Dolphin Experience, Shell Beach, Carnarvon. Start with a short stroll to Dolphin Beach for the daily wild dolphin feeding experience (subject to appearance). Afterwards, head off to admire the billions of tiny non-fossilised shells that form Shell Beach. Then view the ancient stromatolites found at Hamelin Pool, before continuing to Carnarvon.
Stay: Carnarvon, Fascine Lodge. BD

Day 5. Carnarvon, Coral Bay, Ningaloo Reef Marine Park, Exmouth. Leaving Carnarvon this morning, travel to Coral Bay, the gateway to Ningaloo Reef Marine Park. **Like a Local – cruise Ningaloo Reef aboard a glass-bottom boat and view tropical fish amongst colourful coral.** Continue to Vlamingh Head, with its famous lighthouse for stunning views of Western Australia's coastline. Later, head to Exmouth.
Stay: Exmouth, Pot Shot Hotel. BD

Day 6. Exmouth, The Pilbara, Tom Price. Travelling inland, you'll pass through the striking ancient outback landscapes of the Pilbara on the journey to the remote mining town of Tom Price, nestled deep in the Hamersley Range. Here, enjoy a tour of the Tom Price Mine before dinner this evening.
Stay: Tom Price Hotel. BD

Day 7. Tom Price, Karijini National Park, Karratha. Today, explore Karijini National Park, where gorges and waterfalls provide a contrast to the red Pilbara terrain. Visit Dale and Fortescue falls and take in the views from Oxers Lookout, before continuing to the township of Karratha.
Stay: Ibis Styles Karratha. BLD

Day 8. Karratha, Port Hedland. Tour Karratha today, then journey onwards to Pilbara. Visit Roebourne and the small ghost town of Cossack before arriving in Port Hedland, home to Australia's largest tonnage port, exporting iron ore to the entire globe.
Stay: Ibis Styles Port Hedland. BD

Day 9. Port Hedland, Great Sandy Desert, Broome. Travel the Great Sandy Desert then to Broome. Enjoy a guided tour of this historic pearling town before time at leisure this evening.
Two Night Stay: Oaks Broome. B

Day 10. Broome at Leisure. Today is yours to spend at leisure. Perhaps stroll through town or head to Gantheaume Point. Or consider a sunset camel ride along Cable Beach (own expense). B

Day 11. Broome, Fitzroy Crossing. Head inland to the remote Fitzroy Crossing.
Stay: Fitzroy Crossing, Fitzroy River Lodge. BD

Day 12. Fitzroy Crossing, Geikie Gorge, Halls Creek. Cruise the stunning Geikie Gorge, viewing the unusual bleached effect on the limestone walls. Rejoin the Great Northern Highway to Halls Creek.
Stay: Halls Creek, Kimberley Hotel. BD

Day 13. Halls Creek, Lirrgarn Argyle Diamond Mine, El Questro Wilderness Park. Tour Lirrgarn Argyle Diamond Mine. **Special Stay – continue to Emma Gorge Resort in El Questro Wilderness Park.**
Two Night Stay: El Questro, Emma Gorge Resort, in tented cabins with ensuites. BL, FD

Day 14. El Questro Wilderness Park. Visit Zebedee Springs for a relaxing dip, followed by a guided cruise along the Chamberlain Gorge. Later, hike to Emma Gorge where you have the chance to indulge in a refreshing swim beneath the towering droplet waterfall. **A Taste of El Questro – savour a home-style dinner under the stars this evening.** B, FD


Day 15. El Questro Wilderness Park, Lake Argyle, Ord River, Kununurra. Take the Gibb River Road to Lake Argyle, then cruise the Ord River for some crocodile spotting.
Stay: Ibis Styles Kununurra. B

Day 16. Kununurra, Katherine. Cross into the Northern Territory, passing through Timber Creek before arriving in Katherine.
Stay: Ibis Styles Katherine. BD

Day 17. Katherine Gorge, Darwin. Cruise the majestic Katherine Gorge, then en route to Darwin, visit the Adelaide River and the Australian War Cemetery. Enjoy a memorable Farewell Dinner this evening.
Stay: Novotel Darwin Atrium. B, FD

Day 18. Depart Darwin. Tour Darwin then transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B

2014/15 DATES & PRICES (UK£) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

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18 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TWN18)

2014	Room & Breakfast with 5 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Apr. 26.	£4,695	£4,995
June 5*, 28.	£4,695	£4,995
Aug. 7*, 30.	£4,695	£4,995
Sept. 18*.	£4,695	£4,995

2015	Room & Breakfast with 5 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Apr. 25.	£4,695	£4,995
June 4*, 27.	£4,695	£4,995
Aug. 6*, 29.	£4,695	£4,995
Sept. 17*.	£4,695	£4,995

TOUR NOTES

Land content only. International/domestic flights not included in tour price. Please speak to your travel consultant to arrange the best available airfares. Itinerary effective 26 April 2014. **Tours departing up to 25 April 2014 follow a different itinerary – please enquire for details.** A 16 Day tour is also available. Please enquire for full itinerary details, dates and pricing (TWN16/TWS16). *Indicates tour operates in reverse direction (TWS18). Supplements for solo travellers are available on application. Ask us about pre & post accommodation. ■ Indicates Guaranteed Departure.

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INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ✓ Discover incredible beauty as you sail across the calm waters of Shark Bay on a sunset cruise
- ✓ After an enchanting day of discovery in Monkey Mia, relax and enjoy a sumptuous Seafood Feast
- ✓ Experience an enchanting stay at Monkey Mia Dolphin Resort – the only destination in Australia where dolphins visit daily
- ✓ Cruise the stunning waters of Ningaloo Reef and discover its many treasures aboard a glass-bottom boat
- ✓ Stay overnight in tented cabins with private ensuites at Emma Gorge Resort within El Questro Wilderness Park
- ✓ Savour an authentic home-style gourmet dinner outdoors at El Questro Wilderness Park

Grand Tasman

10 Day Travelmarvel Tour



Spend time exploring the evocative ruins of Port Arthur



★ **Day 1. Arrive Launceston.** Transfer to your hotel and begin with a drive through picturesque farmland and vineyards following the Tamar River. **Like a Local – visit the gold mining town of Beaconsfield, and take a guided tour of the Mine & Heritage Centre. A Taste of Launceston – enjoy canapés and a Welcome Drink as you wander through the gallery at the Design Centre of Tasmania,** followed by a Welcome Dinner this evening.
Stay: Launceston, Best Western Plus. FD

★ **Day 2. Launceston, Bridestowe Lavender Estate, Freycinet National Park, Bicheno.** Following breakfast at your hotel this morning, explore the scenic wine-producing area of northern Tasmania. **Like a Local – at Bridestowe Lavender Estate, enjoy a guided**

tour of the distillery and sample unique lavender-inspired fare. Traverse Weldborough Pass and stop at East Coast Natureworld to meet a Tasmanian Devil and other native Australian animals. **Like a Local – travel into Freycinet National Park where you'll enjoy a guided walk,** then proceed to the town of Bicheno.
Stay: Beachfront Bicheno. BD

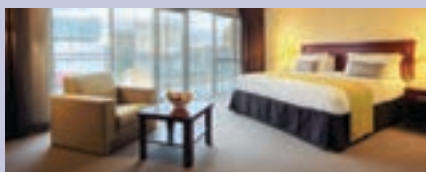
Day 3. Bicheno, Ross, Richmond, Port Arthur. After breakfast this morning, discover the historic heart of Tasmania at Campbell Town and Ross. Continue south to Richmond, home to the famous Richmond Bridge. Then take in dramatic coastline scenes from the narrow peninsula of Eaglehawk Neck. Continue to Port Arthur.
Stay: Port Arthur, Fox and Hounds Inn. BD

INCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS



BRIDESTOWE LAVENDER ESTATE

Sample unique lavender-inspired fare, which may include lavender ice-cream, fudge and cheese, during an exclusive experience.



HOBART APARTMENT HOTEL

Enjoy an overnight stay at Hobart's newest hotel. Located in the heart of the city, you'll find yourself perfectly positioned to explore.



CRADLE MOUNTAIN CHATEAU

Take in the serenity of Cradle Mountain and immerse yourself in the pristine wilderness during your stay at this alpine retreat.

★ **Day 4. Port Arthur Historic Site, Hobart.** Like a Local – visit Port Arthur, once Australia’s most notorious convict prison, and take a guided tour through this vivid site. Later, join a cruise around the Isle of the Dead to hear haunting stories about the convicts that were buried there. **A Taste of Hobart – travel to Hobart and dine overlooking the waterfront at Customs House Restaurant this evening.**
Two Night Stay: Hobart Apartment Hotel. BD

Day 5. Hobart, Salamanca Market. Set off on a sightseeing tour today, taking you to Salamanca Place, Constitution Dock and the beautiful harbour area. Later, visit the Salamanca Market or perhaps join an optional full-day Bruny Island adventure (own expense). B

Day 6. Hobart, Mt Field National Park, Lake St Clair, Strahan. Explore Russell Falls, the jewel in the crown of Mt Field National Park, then continue to the pristine World Heritage-listed Cradle Mountain-Lake St Clair National Park. Travel to the town of Strahan and enjoy a buffet dinner at View 42° Restaurant & Bar.
Stay: Strahan Village Hilltop. BD

★ **Day 7. Strahan, Gordon River Cruise, Cradle Mountain.** Board a luxury vessel, cruising Macquarie Harbour and enter the Franklin-Gordon Wild Rivers National Park. Continue to Tasmania’s World Heritage-listed Sarah Island, discovering what was once Tasmania’s oldest convict settlement. Reboard your cruise, passing the entrance to the Great

Southern Ocean, known as Hell’s Gate, before returning to Strahan, bound for the mesmerising Cradle Mountain. **Special Stay – encounter Tasmanian nature at its finest during an overnight stay at Cradle Mountain Chateau.**
Stay: Cradle Mountain Chateau. BLD

★ **Day 8. Cradle Mountain, Dove Lake, Smithton.** Take in the beauty and serenity of Cradle Mountain-Lake St Clair National Park today. Visit Waldheim Chalet and be mesmerised by glorious Dove Lake. Then travel via Sheffield to Stanley, set in the shadow of The Nut – a rocky outcrop rising 137 metres above the sea. Continue to Smithton and enjoy a relaxing dinner with your fellow travellers. **Special Stay – relax at the Tall Timbers Hotel.**
Stay: Smithton, Tall Timbers Hotel. BD

★ **Day 9. Smithton, Ashgrove Cheese Factory, Launceston.** Like a Local – sample some of Tasmania’s finest produce during a tour of the Ashgrove Cheese Factory. Journey to the Great Lakes Plateau, then continue to Launceston where tonight you’ll enjoy a special Farewell Dinner and Drink.
Stay: Launceston, Best Western Plus. B, FD

★ **Day 10. Cataract Gorge, Tamar River Cruise, Depart Launceston.** A Taste of Launceston – enjoy an exclusive breakfast at your hotel before exploring Cataract Gorge. Cruise along the Tamar River, explore historic Woolmers Estate, then conclude with a transfer to Launceston Airport. FB



Take in the majesty of Cradle Mountain



Get up close to pristine Russell Falls

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10 DAY TRAVELMARVEL TOUR EXCLUDING FLIGHTS (TXT10)

2014	Room & Breakfast with 3 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Jan. 14, 21, 28.	£1,895	£2,095
Feb. 11, 18, 25.	£1,895	£2,095
Mar. 4, 18, 25.	£1,895	£2,095
Apr. 8, 22; May 6.	£1,895	£2,095
Sept. 23; Oct. 7, 21.	£1,895	£2,095
Nov. 4, 18; Dec. 2, 23.	£1,895	£2,095
2015	Room & Breakfast with 3 Feature Meals	With meals as stated
Jan. 13, 27.	£1,895	£2,095
Feb. 17, 24.	£1,895	£2,095
Mar. 10, 24.	£1,895	£2,095
Apr. 7, 21; May 5.	£1,895	£2,095

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INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ✓ Enjoy canapés and a Welcome Drink at the Design Centre of Tasmania, exclusive to Travelmarvel guests
- ✓ Take a guided tour of Beaconsfield Mine & Heritage Centre
- ✓ Delight in an exclusive experience at Bridestowe Lavender Estate, including a tasting of unique lavender-inspired specialties
- ✓ Explore Freycinet National Park with a local naturalist guide
- ✓ Wander through Australia’s most intact and evocative convict site, Port Arthur, and cruise to the Isle of the Dead
- ✓ Dine on locally-sourced produce at Customs House Restaurant
- ✓ Sample Cheddar-style cheese at Ashgrove Cheese Factory – Australia’s premier producer of handcrafted cheeses
- ✓ Begin your final day in Launceston with an exclusive breakfast