



The Canterbury Classic

Starting Point Beaney House of Art and Knowledge
(Unless otherwise requested. Any alterations will be confirmed by CT Tours by email)

Duration 1 ½ hours (90 minutes)

This is the tour that started them all. For an in depth experience of life in Canterbury from the very beginning to the present day, this is the tour for you!

This tour is perfect for those on their first visit to the city, or for those who want the perfect introduction to the city, even if they have lived here all their life.

[Notes from your guide]

Canterbury's fascinating history flows through all the major epochs of national and global importance. Roman Canterbury was an important city that linked the Kentish coast with London and beyond. Anglo-Saxon Canterbury was the base of the re-Christianisation of Britain and the Kingdom of Kent borders are those that define the modern county of Kent.

As the centre of religious and political turmoil, Canterbury has seen murder, the Reformation and Civil War. Events that have helped define today's city. The modern era has seen the ancient city need to evolve, with development and cultural heritage coming to the forefront following damage sustained during the Second World War.

A vibrant city with a large student population, this tour will introduce (or re-introduce!) you to the history and dynamic present of an amazing city.

Toilets There are public toilets at the Beaney House of Art and Knowledge.
Other public toilets around the city can be pointed out if required.

Weather Tours run in all weathers.
Please wear comfortable shoes and bring sunscreen / umbrellas.

Health and Safety

Canterbury is an ancient city with many cobbled streets in the city centre. Please be aware of uneven pavements and slippery surfaces, especially after heavy rain. The high street is pedestrianised, but vehicles and bike users still use this and other roads for access / deliveries.

1. Please note that CT Tours do not visit / include entry to the Cathedral building or precincts.
2. If there is a delay on the day, the group contact should contact CT Tours as soon as possible.
 - a. If not notified, the CT Tours guide will wait for 15 minutes only.
3. If you wish to cancel your booking, please inform CT Tours as early as possible.
 - a. Cancellation is free.
4. Please contact CT Tours any time before the date of the tour if there is a change in numbers.
 - a. If CT Tours is not notified in advance, payment will be due for the numbers booked.
5. For health and safety reasons, the maximum number CT Tours can accommodate on one tour is up to 20 guests.
6. Although photography is allowed, recording is not permitted at any time.