



BRITANNIC EXPLORER

A BELMOND TRAIN
UNITED KINGDOM

LONDON TO CORNWALL 3 NIGHTS

Welcome aboard the Britannic Explorer, where you'll experience a unique adventure while being immersed in the stunning scenery of the United Kingdom. Travel through the beguiling landscapes of Somerset and the rugged beauty of Cornwall, alighting to explore artistic, culinary and cultural hotspots.

Friday: London – Bishops Lydeard

Mid-afternoon, board Britannic Explorer at London Victoria Station ready for your Cornish escape. Settle into your individually designed suite and admire the captivating details that reflect a fresh and vibrant British style. Enter the spirit of the occasion with a delectable Cornish Afternoon Tea as you gaze at the landscapes through the window. Maybe relax even further with a treatment in the wellness suite. Your route takes you through the lush North Wessex Downs, through the Somerset market towns of Frome and Taunton.

As evening falls, you arrive at the West Somerset Railway, 20 miles of heritage track stretching through the countryside across the coast towards Dunster. Make your way to the bar to mingle with your fellow guests over a selection of signature cocktails. Then, take your seat in the sumptuous restaurant car for a meal created by celebrated chef Simon Rogan. The restaurateur and Chef Patron of three-Michelin-starred L'Enclume is a pioneer of farm-to-fork cuisine in the UK. Anticipate dishes inspired by seasonally locally sourced produce and innovative flavours.

After some inspiring entertainment on board, retire to your suite for a peaceful night.

Saturday: Bishops Lydeard – Penzance – Fowey

Enjoy a leisurely brunch this morning as you decelerate to the pace of Britannic Explorer life. Your route takes you down to the south coast of Devon, where you join the famous Riviera Line. Hugging the coast, it offers breathtaking vistas of the ocean from towns such as Teignmouth and the iconic Dawlish Sea Wall. Skirting Dartmoor National Park to reach Plymouth, you then enter Cornwall, or Kernow in the local vernacular. The final part of the route to Penzance is equally picturesque, affording glimpses of the sea sparkling in the Cornish light as you course through St Austell and Truro.

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After lunch, disembark at St Erth to explore the artistic haven of St Ives, or continue to Penzance for a guided tour of the Tremenhoe Sculpture Gardens. From a former Victorian water tank, admire James Turrell's 'Aqua Oscura' art installation, seeing the sky and tree canopy in a novel light. Afterwards, enjoy a private Cornish wine tasting overlooking St Michael's Mount.

Late afternoon, rejoin the train and journey back towards Fowey. The train stops for the night on a secluded track overlooking the river. Take advantage of a leisurely evening to enjoy treatments in the wellness suite or fun in the bar before relishing another gastronomic dinner and enlivening entertainment on board.

Sunday: Fowey – Bruton

This morning, choose from a range of activities to be enjoyed in and around the picturesque harbour town of Fowey and the Lostwithiel area, a region rich in ancient heritage and innovative gardens. Options include coastal hikes, private boat tours and other bespoke adventures. Return to the train in Fowey and relax as you travel to the enchanting market town of Bruton in Somerset. Proceed to the world-famous Hauser & Wirth contemporary art gallery for a private, after-hours tour, followed by a drinks reception and an exclusive dinner. The train stops overnight on the peaceful East Somerset Railway.

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Monday: Castle Cary – London

Breakfast is served as the train departs for the journey back to London. Arrive at Victoria Station early morning, ready to continue with your day refreshed and reinvigorated.

To find out more details on the various dates, availability and pricing, please contact:
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