



## Hotels:

### Aylesbury Area – Hartwell House 4\*

\* Hotels are subject to availability. Hotels with similar standard can be used

## Itinerary includes:

- Overnight in 4 \* hotel with private bathroom
- 3 breakfast, 3 lunch, 2 standard dinner, 1 fine dining
- Airport transfer on arrival and departure
- Coach on Day 1 to Day 4 full day
- Spanish speaking tour guide on Day 1 to Day 4 full day
- Entrances into: Chenies Manor, Waddesdon Manor, Blenheim Palace, Claydon Estate & Stowe
- Guided tour of Oxford Castle

**Day 1. LONDON AIRPORT – CHENIES MANOR – AYLESBURY.** Arrival at the airport. Meet with your guide and start your journey to Buckinghamshire. You will visit Chenies Manor House & Garden first. This fortified historic and enchanting Tudor Manor House entices with award winning gardens and its rich history from the year of 1180 on onwards. The Manor is surrounded by five acres of enchanting gardens including a sunken garden, white garden, physic garden, kitchen garden and two metre high Yew Maze. After your visit you will be taken to your hotel. Dinner & overnight at the hotel.

**Day 2. AYLESBURY – WADDESDON MANOR – OXFORD – AYLESBURY.** Breakfast in the hotel. In the morning you will visit Waddesdon Manor.



Here you will visit the exhibition that displays the set of 12 European silver-gilt standing cups known as the 'Aldobrandini Tazze'. Also you will explore the rest of this beautiful house, which was built in 1860 to house Baron Ferdinand de Rothschild's collection of Art. Then you will enjoy a tasty lunch.

In the afternoon you will travel to Oxford. Here you will enjoy a guided tour of the Oxford castle. Climb the Saxon St George's Tower, one of the oldest buildings in Oxford, and enjoy its stunning panoramic views over the city of Oxford and descend deep underground into the dark atmosphere of the 900 year old crypt, the only surviving remains of St. George's Chapel. Return to the hotel for dinner & overnight.

**Day 3. AYLESBURY – BLENHEIM PALACE – CLAYDON ESTATE – AYLESBURY.** Breakfast. Today you will explore Blenheim Palace.



Home to the 12th Duke of Marlborough and his family and the birth place of Sir Winston Churchill, Blenheim Palace is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and is home to one of the most important and extensive collections in Europe, which includes portraits, furniture, sculpture and tapestries.

In the afternoon you will continue your travel to the Claydon Estate. Often referred to as "an unexpected Georgian jewel", Claydon house is a fascinating testament to eighteenth century extravagance. Enjoy dinner in a fine restaurant before you return to your hotel for the night.

**Day 4. AYLESBURY - STOWE – AYLESBURY.** In the morning your coach will take you to Stowe House. The Temple-Grenville family created in the 18<sup>th</sup> century an idyllic landscape filled with temples. Amidst these enchanting gardens, they built the most lavish temple of all, Stowe House.



Explore the beautifully restored State Rooms and the Marble Hall before you head out to explore the famous gardens as well. Afterwards you will return to the airport in time for your flight home.