

# Irish Adventure

Starting at **C\$2,795**\*

### Journey through the very best of Ireland

Make the most of every moment of your Ireland vacation—you'll discover all the can't-miss Irish scenery and history on this fast-paced tour.

#### **Trip details** Tour start Tour end **Dublin Dublin** 8☆ 13 6 70 Days Meals Nights \* Prices listed are in Canadian dollars, and are per-person, doubleoccupancy. If you would prefer a single room, there is a single-room supplement of C\$895



#### **Trip Highlights:**

- House of Waterford CrystalCliffs of Moher
- Blarney Castle
- Giant's Causeway
- Glenadalough
- Titanic Belfast

#### **Hotels:**

- Clayton Hotel Cardiff Lane
- · Dooley's Hotel Waterford
- Ballygarry Estate Hotel & Spa
- International Hotel Killarney
- Ardilaun Hotel
- Everglades Hotel
- The Croke Park Hotel

# 2025 Irish Adventure - 8 Days/7 Nights

## **Trip Itinerary**

#### Day 1 Dublin City Tour & Teeling Whiskey Distillery

Depart from your hotel at 2:00 PM for a panoramic tour of the city. Highlights include 18th-century Georgian houses with brightly painted doors, tranquil parks, and historic O'Connell Street. Visit Teeling Whiskey Distillery in the heart of the historic Liberties area for a tour and tasting. In the evening, enjoy a welcome drink with your group at the hotel, and then you are free to explore the city and dine as you wish.

#### Day 3 Waterford Crystal, Cobh & Blarney Castle

See skilled artisans create crystal masterpieces at the House of Waterford Crystal, a CIE Tours preferred shopping partner. Travel to Cobh for a guided walking tour - this harbor town was the last port of call for the Titanic in 1912 and was also the main point of embarkation for Irish emigrants between 1848 and 1960. Visit Blarney Castle and kiss the famous "Stone of Eloquence" or explore the tranquil gardens. Journey west through rugged countryside to dinner at your hotel in beautiful County Kerry. (B, D)

#### Day 5 Cliffs of Moher & Galway

Take a ferry across the River Shannon and travel along the scenic coast of County Clare to the Cliffs of Moher, stunning formations soaring 700 feet above the churning Atlantic and extending for nine miles. Take in the spectacular views as you walk atop the cliffs. Travel on through the austere beauty of the Burren, a distinctive limestone landscape formed by glaciers, to Galway. Take a panoramic tour of this vibrant, artistic city before dinner at your hotel. (B, D)

#### Day 7 Giant's Causeway, Titanic Belfast & Glyde Inn

Explore the northern coastline and the Giant's Causeway, enormous hexagonal columns formed by volcanic activity more than 60 million years ago. Visit Titanic Belfast and learn about the ill-fated ship through state-of-the-art displays. See the docks where the famous liner was built just over a century ago. At the Glyde Inn, enjoy a farewell dinner with Irish specialties and entertainment featuring traditional Irish music and songs. (B, D)

#### Day 2 Glendalough, Dunbrody Famine Ship & Waterford

Enjoy the delightful scenery of the Wicklow Mountains on the way to Glendalough. Explore the remains of one of the most important monastic sites in Ireland, founded by St. Kevin in the 6th century. Walk through the deep valley to view the picturesque ruins of a round tower, churches, and Celtic crosses. Head southeast to the Dunbrody Famine Ship, an authentic reproduction of an 1840's vessel that brought desperate Irish emigrants fleeing famine to the New World. Continue on to Waterford and take a stroll around the streets of this historic city with a local guide before dinner at your hotel. (B, D)

#### Day 4 Ring of Kerry & Killarney

Discover Ireland's most popular scenic drive, the Ring of Kerry. In the beautiful Gap of Dunloe, find a keepsake at our CIE Tours preferred shopping partner, Moriarty's. Along the way, stop for lunch, stroll around Sneem, and take in the panoramic views at Moll's Gap. Enjoy a free evening in Killarney, with time for dining independently and perhaps a visit to one of the town's lively pubs. (B, L)

#### Day 6 Sheepdog Demonstration, Donegal & Derry

Immerse yourself in traditional farm life during a visit to an authentic working farm, where you'll watch trained dogs round up mountain sheep. Continue through the rugged mountainous landscape to Donegal, to visit CIE Tours' preferred shopping partner Triona Design, then enjoy free time. In Derry, walk with a local guide through this ancient walled city, long known for its tumultuous history but now a thriving artistic hub. Dine at your hotel this evening. (B, D)

#### Day 8 Tour Ends in Dublin

Your tour ends after breakfast. (B) B: Breakfast; L: Lunch; D: Dinner>



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