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WALES IN DETAIL: Coast Castles and Photography

5 DAYS | 4 NIGHTS

CARDIFF • BREACON BEACONS • ABERGAVENNY • SNOWDONIA • CAERNARFON • CONWY • GWYNEDD • LLANBERIS

*Dramatic landscapes and heritage
Castles shaped by history
Wales through a photographic lens*

This programme is a curated journey through Wales most striking landscapes and historic sites, designed to capture the essence of coast, castles and natural beauty. From the capital to Snowdonia and the northern coast, the journey offers immersive experiences shaped by heritage, scenery and visual storytelling.

An Interopa Curated Journey



The Grand Tour at a Glance

A detailed journey through Wales defining regions, connecting historic capital, mountainous landscapes and coastal heritage. Designed for seamless operations, refined pacing and strong visual and cultural narrative.

Programme Overview

Duration

5 Days | 4 Nights

Routing

Cardiff | Brecon Beacons | Abergavenny | Snowdonia | Caernarfon | Conwy | Gwynedd Llanberis

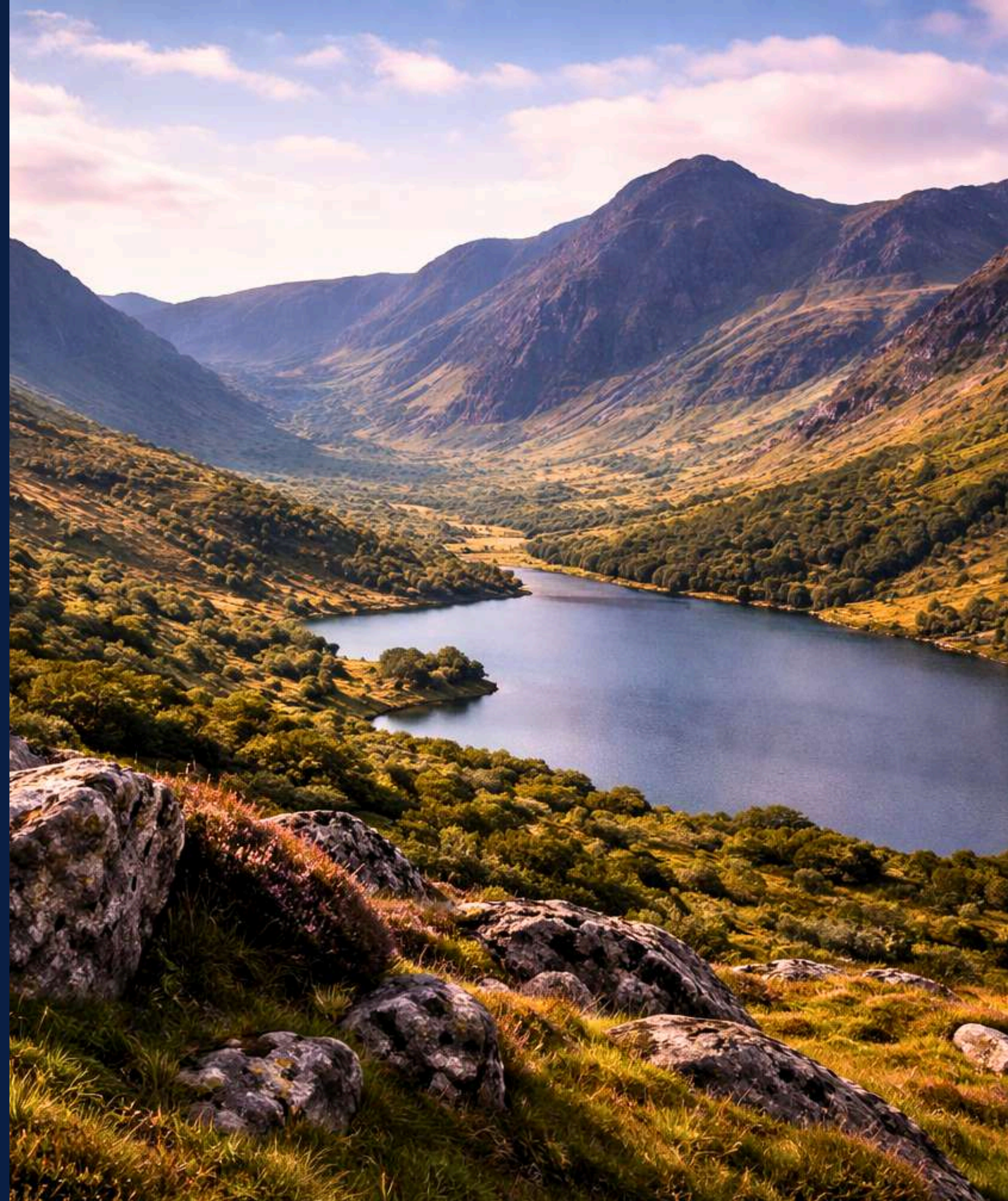
Programme Classification

Cultural and landscape discovery with premium touring comfort

Perfect for

Adult groups | Cultural travellers | Photography enthusiasts | Incentive programmes

Designed for structured series departures and culturally engaged travellers.



Day by Day Programme

DAY 1

Arrival in Cardiff Capital Heritage

Arrival at Cardiff Airport where your driver guide welcomes the group and transfers them into the Welsh capital. The programme begins with timed entry admission to Cardiff Castle exploring the Norman keep Roman foundations and Victorian interiors. Lunch is reserved at The Potted Pig Restaurant in the historic city centre. In the afternoon enjoy admission to the National Museum Cardiff presenting Welsh art and natural history collections followed by entry to St Fagans National Museum of History, an open air heritage site showcasing traditional Welsh buildings and rural life. Dinner is arranged at Heaneys Restaurant. Overnight in Cardiff.

DAY 2

Brecon Beacons and Welsh Landscapes

Depart Cardiff travelling north into the landscapes of Brecon Beacons National Park. The morning includes admission to Brecon Cathedral and Heritage Centre presenting the ecclesiastical history of the region. Continue with entry to the National Showcaves Centre for Wales exploring limestone caverns and geological formations. Lunch is reserved at The Felin Fach Griffin Restaurant known for countryside dining. In the afternoon enjoy admission to Penderyn Distillery Visitor Centre where guided tours introduce Wales whisky production. Dinner is arranged at The Walnut Tree Restaurant near Abergavenny. Overnight in Brecon.



Day by Day Programme

DAY 3

Snowdonia and Medieval Wales

Travel north through the countryside toward Snowdonia National Park. The morning features timed entry admission to Caernarfon Castle a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Edward I medieval fortresses. Lunch is reserved at The Black Boy Inn Restaurant in Caernarfon historic town centre. In the afternoon enjoy admission to Penrhyn Castle and Gardens a National Trust estate overlooking the Menai Strait followed by entry to the Snowdon Mountain Railway Visitor Centre presenting the history of Wales mountain railway. Dinner is arranged at Pale Hall Restaurant. Overnight in Snowdonia.

DAY 4

North Wales Coast and Historic Towns

Begin the morning with timed entry admission to Conwy Castle one of the best preserved medieval fortresses in Europe. Continue with entry to Plas Mawr Elizabethan Townhouse a restored merchant residence offering insight into Tudor life. Lunch is reserved at The Groes Inn Restaurant one of Wales oldest inns in the Conwy Valley. In the afternoon enjoy admission to Bodnant Garden a horticultural estate overlooking the River Conwy followed by a visit to the Conwy Suspension Bridge Exhibition. Dinner is arranged at The Castle Hotel Restaurant. Overnight in Conwy.



Day by Day Programme

DAY 5

Industrial Heritage and Departure

Depart North Wales travelling south through the slate landscapes of Gwynedd. The morning includes admission to the National Slate Museum presenting the industrial heritage that shaped the region. Continue with entry to Dolbadarn Castle a medieval tower overlooking Llyn Padarn and the surrounding mountains. Lunch is reserved at The Heights Restaurant in Llanberis. In the afternoon enjoy admission to the Llechwedd Slate Caverns where exhibitions explore underground mining history before transfer to Manchester Airport for onward departure.



Inclusions & Operational Notes

Programme Highlights

- Cardiff historic capital and cultural landmarks
- Brecon Beacons landscapes and countryside heritage
- Snowdonia National Park and northern Wales scenery
- Caernarfon and Conwy castles
- Coastal and garden landscapes
- Industrial heritage and slate history
- Curated dining throughout the journey

Journey Concepts

- Progressive journey from south to north Wales
- Strong emphasis on landscapes and visual storytelling
- Combination of castles countryside and coastal heritage
- Balanced pacing across varied regions
- Designed for culturally engaged and photography focused travellers

Programme Inclusions

- Four star centrally located accommodation
- Daily breakfast throughout the programme
- Selected premium dining experiences
- Executive coach transportation with driver guide
- Professional English speaking guides where required
- Timed entry to all listed heritage sites and attractions
- Distillery visit and tasting experience
- Meet and assist services on arrival and departure
- Full ground handling and operational management

Exclusions

- International flights
- Travel insurance
- Meals not specified
- Personal expenses
- Gratuities

Suggested Extentions

- Pembrokeshire coastal landscapes
- Anglesey island exploration
- Extended Snowdonia scenic touring
- Luxury countryside retreats

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