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Study-Travel Course

# JANE AUSTEN'S ENGLAND TOUR



May 20 – May 29, 2005

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**Pride and Prejudice, Emma, Persuasion, Mansfield Park, Sense and Sensibility, Northanger Abbey** - Jane Austen's novels have entered the imagination of generations of readers. Now come and visit some of the places and sites that helped to form her literary sensibilities. Stroll along the streets of the 18th century spa city of Bath, take in the sea air at Lyme Regis, visit Chawton Cottage where Austen wrote a number of her novels, see the splendors of Brighton and stay in the historic Red Lion Inn - a medieval coaching inn in Salisbury whose origins date back to the 13th century. It was voted "Best Historic Inn in Britain" in 2002 by British Heritage magazine. Dr. Mary Furgol, tour leader.

## ENGLAND TOUR ITINERARY

**Fri. May 20 Depart IAD**  
Flight to London, Heathrow.

**Sat. May 21 Arrive London, Heathrow**  
Bus to Brighton. Check in to Hilton Brighton Metropole for two nights. Rest of day to explore the promenade, seafront, tiny cobbled streets, stores and boutiques of Brighton. Dinner in hotel.

**Sun. May 22 Brighton**  
Breakfast in hotel. Visit Brighton Royal Pavilion: this impressive structure was originally built for King George IV who led a somewhat scandalous life; the pavilion was later used by his brother William IV and their niece, Queen Victoria. Dinner in hotel.

**Mon. May 23 Salisbury**  
Breakfast in hotel. Coach to Salisbury. Free afternoon in Salisbury to explore this cathedral city with the tallest spire in England, visit Mompesson House where part of Emma Thompson's film *Sense and Sensibility* was filmed and stroll around the cathedral precincts. Dinner in hotel.

**Tue. May 24 Bristol, Salisbury**  
Coach to Bristol. Guide Friday tour of the city

including a visit to the Georgian House, an 18th century building, home of a merchant who traded in the West Indies. The house gives a good sense of the life of the mercantile classes of the period and the trade that supported that lifestyle as evidenced in *Mansfield Park*. Return to Salisbury. Dinner in hotel.

**Wed. May 25 Winchester, Salisbury**  
Breakfast in hotel. Coach to Chawton Cottage, a 17th century house which was the home of Jane Austen from 1809 till her death in 1817 and where she wrote *Pride and Prejudice* and *Emma*; graves of her mother and sister, Cassandra, are in the nearby churchyard of St. Nicholas; take tea at Cassandra's Cup Tearoom. Coach to Winchester. Visit Jane Austen's grave in the cathedral. Return to Salisbury. Dinner in hotel.

**Thu. May 26 Lyme Regis, Salisbury**  
Breakfast in hotel. Coach to seaside town of Lyme Regis - a delightful seaside town in a dramatic setting, whose harbor wall, the cobb, figures prominently in a key scene in *Persuasion*. Return to Salisbury. Dinner in hotel.

**Fri. May 27 Bath, Salisbury**  
Breakfast in hotel. Coach to Bath-site of a num-

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ber of scenes from Jane Austen's novels. Take a Guide Friday bus tour (participants can get on and off the bus at will to visit the Pump Room, the Roman Bath, the Assembly Rooms (which includes the Museum of Costume) and Bath's famous Royal Crescent; entrance fees to the Roman Baths and the Pump Room are included. Return to Salisbury. Dinner in hotel.

**Sat. May 28 Stonehenge, Salisbury**

Breakfast in hotel. Coach to Stonehenge in the morning. Coach to Chatsworth House in the afternoon – home of the Duke of Devonshire, and possibly the model for Pemberley in *Pride and Prejudice*. The rest of the day on your own in Salisbury. Dinner in hotel.

**Sun. May 29 Return to USA**

Breakfast in hotel. Coach to Heathrow and return to USA.

**Prospective participants of travel-study tours are required to sign the Montgomery College Waiver and Hold Harmless Agreement and Conditions of Participation, Health Insurance and Application forms.**

**Montgomery College and the tour operators act as agents only for the passenger, in regard to travel and itinerary, whether by railroad, motor vehicle, coach, boat, ship or airplane and assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, in any vehicle or through the acts of default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passenger or in carrying out the arrangements of this tour.**

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**Program Cost . . . . . \$ 1867.50**

Including air, based on two persons sharing a room

**Single Room Supplement . . . . . \$ 302.00**

**Program cost includes the following:**

- **Air Transportation:** Round Trip IAD/LHR
- **Accommodations:** 9 nights based on hotels listed in itinerary or similar, double occupancy, subject to availability at time of booking.
- **Local hotel taxes.**
- **Airport Transfers** in England.
- **Meals:** Breakfast daily at hotels. Other meals per itinerary.
- **Transfers:** One group arrival and departure including assistance.
- **Sightseeing:** Per attached itinerary via a deluxe air-conditioned motor coach.
- **Entrance Fees:** As outlined in the attached itinerary.
- **Porterage:** 1 piece luggage per person at each hotel and airport.
- **Coach Driver's tip**

**Not Included in Program Price:**

• U.S and foreign airport taxes, passport and visa fees, items not listed on standard group menus, mineral water, tea, coffee, after-meal beverages, personal expenses (i.e. laundry, valet service, cables, telephone calls, postage, etc.), tips to the drivers, guides, tour escorts, and other services not indicated above. Airport taxes and fees: All airline tickets are subject to a variety of foreign and domestic government taxes which include security charges, the September 11th Security Fee, airport facility charges, customs and immigration fees, and more. The total of these taxes may vary anywhere between \$50 and \$170 per passenger. MC tuition and fees, meals not mentioned in the itinerary, anything not specifically mentioned.

**Continuing Education will offer two lectures on Jane Austen and English society by Dr. Mary Furgol for those persons who are not interested in taking the course HS226, but do want to participate in the trip to England. These sessions will be offered Tuesday Evenings, February 8 and 15 • 6:30 - 9:10 pm Room TBA, Humanities Building, Rockville Campus. For information, fees, and registration through Continuing Education, please telephone 301-353-7869.**

**General Conditions**

**PROGRAM COST: \$1867.50 based on 25 participants. Single supplement \$302.00**

**Deposit: \$200.00 per person due by February 15, 2005**

**Balance of Payment: due by March 15, 2005**

An additional 6% administrative fee will be charged for credit card purchases. Personal checks are accepted. Prices are per person and based upon shared twin room occupancy. In case of human or computer error, we reserve the right to re-invoice for the correct price of service.

- **Does not include MC tuition and fees.**
- **Seniors for audit pay only fees.**

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**Montgomery College Registration**

Trip participants must register for:  
**HS 226 History of England 1688 to the Present**  
 Section 33753 • 3 credits or audit  
 Course meets Tues Eve. - **6:30 - 9:10 pm**  
 Hum. Bldg. Room 109 - Rockville Campus

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**APPLICATION FORM**

**Please mail this form along with a check or credit card info., (a 5% administrative fee will be added to all payments made by credit card) for the deposit**

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**I have read and accept the tour conditions. I understand that a deposit of \$200 per person is due by February 15, 2005. Final payment is due March 15, 2005.**

Legal Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_