

# THE GRAND

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YORK



## 48 HOURS IN YORK

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FOR FAMILIES, FOOD LOVERS  
AND EXPERIENCE FINDERS



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## ITINERARY FOR FAMILIES

### DAY ONE

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#### CASTLE MUSEUM

(INCLUDED IN THE YORK PASS)

Immerse yourself in over 400 years of York's past. Come and see hundreds of years of York's history in one place. The interactive and experiential galleries hold thousands of historic objects that really bring the past to life. A perfect morning of learning for all of the family.

#### SHAMBLES

Shambles is one of York's most famous landmarks and one of the best-preserved medieval shopping streets in Europe. It is believed to have been the inspiration behind Diagon Alley from the film adaptation of the Harry Potter series.

#### NATIONAL RAILWAY MUSEUM

(INCLUDED IN THE YORK PASS)

Explore over 300 years of railway history in the largest railway museum in the world. Find out what it takes to be an engineer, and experience the thrill of steam firsthand. Spark your little ones' imaginations with our family-friendly science shows and storytelling, or let off steam in our indoor play area.

#### CHILDREN'S AFTERNOON TEA

Afternoon Tea isn't just for adults – it's perfect for the little ones too! Enjoy this quintessentially British experience with a delicious children's selection of treats bursting with all the classics.

#### SPA AND POOL

Set in the hotel's atmospheric former vaults, The Spa at The Grand is a secluded and tranquil escape in the centre of York. With child-friendly hours, the pool is the perfect place to unwind and splash about at the end of a busy day in York.

#### DINNER IN THE RISE

With classic dishes in a relaxed dining environment, the rise is the perfect place to refuel after sightseeing in York.

#### STAY AT THE GRAND

Our Grand Family Rooms are designed to fit a fabulous family of four. With space for extra beds and cots with all of The Grand's indulgent extras. Robes & slippers will be provided for all the family (we have some to fit the little ones too!)

### DAY TWO

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#### ENJOY BREAKFAST AT THE GRAND

Breakfast is a grand affair with a continental offering alongside classic dishes cooked to order, served in a buffet style.

#### PARENT AND CHILD COOKERY CLASS

Designed for children to lead the way, the class provides three hours of learning and development as children master a main course with parental assistance and enjoy a demonstration of an additional dish by the chef tutor before you both sit down to enjoy.

#### TAKE A WALK INTO TOWN TO DISCOVER:

York Minster, The Treasurer's House, and enjoy some of the York Pass activities such as Yorkshire Museum, Clifford's tower, Jorvik Centre. Take a walk around the city walls, York's beautifully preserved walls are the longest medieval town walls in England.

#### CHOCOLATE STORY

York's Chocolate Story, located in the heart of York, is an entertaining and informative guided tour through the history of York's most famous chocolate-making families and their finest creations. You'll discover chocolate's origins, how to make it, how to taste it like an expert, and even the sustainable future of chocolate. York is Britain's home of chocolate and is where the Chocolate Orange was invented.

#### DINNER IN THE CITY

With an abundance of family-friendly restaurants, The Grand Concierge team would be more than happy to give recommendations and make reservations for the perfect family meal out.

#### EVENING WALKING TOUR

An evening walking tour of York will be the perfect opportunity to hear all of the spooky stories of the city's historic past.

#### STAY AT THE GRAND

### DAY THREE

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#### ENJOY BREAKFAST AND CHECK-OUT OF THE GRAND

After a Grand buffet breakfast, bid farewell to our Grand team. If you are still looking for a chance to explore maybe head further afield to the Whitby beaches or Castle Howard!



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## ITINERARY FOR FOOD LOVERS

### DAY ONE

#### COOKERY SCHOOL CLASS AT THE GRAND, YORK

Our state-of-the-art cookery school offers a variety of courses designed for everyone from novices to aspiring chefs. A half-day class is a perfect way to start your York foodie journey.

#### VAN GOGH IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE (INCLUDED IN THE YORK PASS)

Take an awe-inspiring journey into the world of Van Gogh, exploring his life, his work - and his secrets - as never before through cutting-edge 360 degree digital projections, and a uniquely atmospheric light and sound show.

#### STREET FOOD MARKET

Walk the cobbled street of York and browse the mouth-watering food market, offering sweet and savoury food from around the world, take your taste buds on a journey.

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#### EVENING MEAL IN LEGACY

Legacy boasts innovative cuisine and interiors with locality, sustainability, and great northern hospitality at its core. Head Chef, Ahmed Abdalla, has created a menu that is dedicated to local provenance and showcases classic Yorkshire produce with a modern twist. With carefully chosen wine pairing options to perfectly complement each dish on the tasting menu.

#### STAY AT THE GRAND

Designed for guests who are looking for a stylish and comfortable base to retreat to in order to relax and unwind. With two varying room styles, one of which encompasses the true history and heritage of the building's former guise and one which offers a modern twist on the building's history.

### DAY TWO

#### BREAKFAST AT THE GRAND

Breakfast is a Grand affair, served in the comfortable surroundings of The Rise Restaurant. A continental buffet with a selection of cured meat and cheeses, freshly baked pastries, fresh fruits, and bread is available alongside a full Yorkshire hot breakfast station.

#### TIME IN THE SPA WITH A BLISSFUL AFTERNOON TEA

The Blissful Afternoon Tea package is the perfect way to spend a luxurious afternoon, with two serene hours in the spa and a decadent afternoon tea. awarded 'Best Afternoon Tea 2022' by Condé Nast Johansens Awards for Excellence, there's nowhere quite like The Grand when it comes to afternoon tea.

#### CASTLE HOWARD

##### (4 HOURS TOTAL TO GO AND RETURN)

One of Britain's finest stately homes and one of the filming destinations of Netflix's Bridgerton, situated just outside York in the Howardian Hills, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Discover the House at your own pace, admiring its awe-inspiring architecture and interiors, with something to capture everyone's imagination.

#### EVENING MEAL AT STAR INN THE CITY

An award-winning Brasserie-style restaurant nestled on the banks of the River Ouse in the heart of York. Inspired by the vision of Andrew Pern of the Michelin-starred Star Inn at Harome.

#### EVENING WALKING TOUR

An evening walking tour of York will be the perfect opportunity to hear all of the spooky stories of the city's historic past. Or take a walk around the city walls, York's beautifully preserved walls are the longest medieval town walls in England.

#### THE 1906 LOUNGE FOR DRINKS

Sink into our comfortable loungers and allow our expert bartenders to guide you through our extensive menu. From classic and signature cocktail serves, to our considerable collection of premium spirits and whiskeys.

#### STAY AT THE GRAND

### DAY THREE

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## ITINERARY FOR EXPERIENCE FINDERS

### DAY ONE

#### HISTORIC CITY SIGHTSEEING HELICOPTER TOUR

From 2000 feet over the city you will be able to see the magnificent York Minster, the historic Clifford's Tower, York City Walls, The 'Knavesmire' York Racecourse, Bishopthorpe Palace and York Marina.

#### LUNCH IN THE CITY

There are many dining options available in York for the luxury traveler. From fine-dining to quick eats our concierge team would be happy to make reservations on your behalf and give five-star recommendations.

#### DESIGNER SHOPPING

With an extensive spread of designer stores to choose from such as Berrys, Mulberry, Fenwicks and Flannels, York is the perfect place to soak up history whilst enjoying luxury goods. With in-store concierge services, there will always be a five-star helping hand.

#### TREASURER'S HOUSE TOUR

Nestled behind York Minster, all is not as it first appears. At one time divided into three houses, in the late 1800s wealthy Yorkshireman Frank Green created his version of a historic house to showcase his important collection. The remarkable collection includes antique furniture, ceramics, textiles and paintings from a 300-year period, collected by Frank Green as he travelled the world.

#### PRIVATE TOUR OF THE EVENSONG AT THE MINSTER

Experience an exclusive private tour of The Minster, the largest Gothic Cathedral in Northern Europe. Visit hidden areas of the beautiful and iconic Minster, while hearing unheard facts and stories. Experience the magical sounds of the Evensong Choir.

#### EVENING DINING IN LEGACY

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#### STAY IN A SUITE AT THE GRAND

Our Suites offer a luxurious experience for our guests, perfectly pairing modern decor with old-world charm and elegance. Enjoy full mini-bar inclusion, complimentary in-room dining tray charge and complimentary access to our luxury spa. Escape and unwind in luxury.

### DAY TWO

#### BREAKFAST AT THE GRAND

Breakfast is a Grand affair, served in the comfortable surroundings of The Rise Restaurant. For true luxury, enjoy your breakfast from the peaceful comfort of your suite with our five-star room service.

#### CASTLE HOWARD WITH PRIVATE TOUR

Experience an exclusive private tour of one of Britain's finest stately homes and one of the filming destinations of Netflix's Bridgerton, situated just outside York in the Howardian Hills, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Discover the House at your own pace, admiring its awe-inspiring architecture and interiors, with something to capture everyone's imagination.

#### CHAMPAGNE AFTERNOON TEA

Awarded 'Best Afternoon Tea 2022' by Condé Nast Johansens Awards for Excellence, there's nowhere quite like The Grand. Take in stunning views of the city walls from The Rise as you indulge in the finest champagne and treats.

#### THE SPA

Set in the hotel's atmospheric former vaults, The Spa at The Grand is a secluded and tranquil escape in the centre of York. Our skilled therapists offer an abundance of indulgent treatments to work away every knot, tension, and flaw.

#### EVENING DINING IN SKOSH

Just a short walk from the hotel, a bespoke dining room with an open-concept kitchen designed specifically to create a unique experience, in which to enjoy uncomplicated, yet refined dishes.

#### THE 1906 LOUNGE FOR DRINKS

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#### STAY IN A SUITE AT THE GRAND

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After a Grand buffet breakfast, soak in the last few moments of indulgence by requesting a late check-out from your suite. Extend your UK luxury travels with a first-class experience by train and reach London in less than two hours or Edinburgh in two and a half hours.