

# Kensington Academy of English Social Programme—July 2016



**MONDAY 4th**

## THE NOTTING HILL WALK

**1.30pm—Free**

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**TUESDAY 5th**

## THE BRITISH MUSEUM

**1.30pm**

**FREE**



The British Museum is dedicated to human history and culture. Its permanent collection, numbering some eight million works, is among the largest and most comprehensive in existence and originates from all continents, illustrating and documenting the story of human culture from its beginnings to the present.



**WEDS 6th**

## National Portrait Gallery

**1.30pm—Free**

The National Portrait Gallery houses the most extensive collection of portraits in the world. With more than 1.8 million visitors each year, the Gallery is one of the country's most important and popular galleries.



## Walking Tour

**Buckingham Palace, St James Park, Trafalgar Sq.**

**4.30pm—Free**

This walk is the perfect way to spend an afternoon visiting some of London's biggest attractions. We head towards Buckingham Palace, along the Mall/St James' Park to Trafalgar Square, home of the National Gallery, and on to Piccadilly.



**THURSDAY 7th**

## KENSINGTON PALACE



**1.30pm—£12**

Step inside Prince William and Kate Middleton's official residence in the heart of Kensington and Chelsea. The birthplace of Queen Victoria, this Palace was home to Princess Diana until her death in 1997. Now you can see how the royals live and discover centuries of history in the state rooms, which are open to the public all year round

## Pub Evening!

**Meet outside at 5pm**

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**FRIDAY 8th**

## the London Dungeon

**1.30pm—£12.50**

The Dungeons brings together an amazing cast of theatrical actors, special effects, stages, scenes and rides in a truly unique and exciting walkthrough experience that you see, hear, touch, smell and feel. It's a hilarious, fun and terrifying 90 minute journey through 1000 years of London's murky past. Not for the faint-hearted!



**SATURDAY 9th**

## OXFORD DAY TRIP

**9am-5pm (approx.)  
£14 for return coach**



Oxford, *The City of Dreaming Spires*, is famous the world over for its University and place in history. See the ancient colleges used as sets in the *Harry Potter* films, go 'punting' along the river Thames, or enjoy the many shops and restaurants in the city centre. For over 800 years, it has been a home to royalty and scholars, and now you can join them.

**This trip is accompanied by a KAE teacher.**

**SUNDAY 10th**

## Anderson Tours

### Stonehenge and Bath

**£62**



10 or more seats  
Stonehenge and Bath by Coach  
10/07/2016 [BOOK NOW](#)

### Oxford, Stratford, the Cotswolds

**£55**



10 or more seats  
Oxford, Stratford & Cotswolds Villages by Coach

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11th

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**TUESDAY**  
12th



**1.30pm—Free**

Come and see the spectacular collection of natural history exhibits from the ages. Particularly famous for its dinosaur section, and the huge blue whale and other animals. All housed in a beautiful building in South Kensington.



BIG BUS LONDON

**4pm—£24**

This is a great opportunity to see all the major sights of London with expert commentary. Hop on, hop off for 24 hours!

**WEDNESDAY**  
13th



**1.30pm—Free**



Tate holds the national collection of British art from 1900 to the present day and international modern and contemporary art. It is one of the largest museums of modern and contemporary art in the world.



**4.15pm—Free**

Come and test your knowledge of Britain and all things British! In true British pub quiz style, we'll have a variety of rounds and questions: general knowledge, music, film, people, places... Can you and your team beat the other students and win the prize? Fun guaranteed!

**THURSDAY**  
14th

## Walking Tour

Westminster, Big Ben, Houses of Parliament

**1.30pm—Free**

A free walking tour of some of the most famous parts of London in the Westminster Area, We'll see Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament, and Whitehall where the Prime Minister lives, finishing in Trafalgar Square where you can visit the National Gallery.



## Pub Evening!

Meet outside at 5pm

Come and have a drink with us in a local Notting Hill Pub! Pay for what you want to drink/eat.

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**FRIDAY**  
15th



**1.30pm—£20.50**

London Zoo is the world's oldest scientific zoo, built in 1828 and open to the public since 1847. With hundreds of animals to see and get close to, it's a great experience for all ages!



Friday night party:



**SATURDAY**  
16th

## BATH AND STONEHENGE DAY TRIP

(Anderson Tours)



**8am-7pm- £62**

As one of the country's most famous World Heritage sites, Stonehenge is a "must see" for anyone visiting the UK. Next stop is the city of Bath where Anderson Tours includes a sight-seeing tour plus entrance to the world famous Roman Baths, which were built over 2000 years ago. Entrance tickets and coach travel are



This trip is accompanied by a

**SUNDAY**  
17th

Lost in London:  
Oxford—£39



Anderson Tours: The Cotswolds—£40



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**TUESDAY**

**19th**



**1.30pm—Free**

The fascinating Museum of London documents the history of London from prehistoric all the way through to modern times. We'll explore the social history of London first hand through informative and interesting displays.



**6.30pm**

**£17.50**

**(Half normal price!)**

**Thriller Live** is guaranteed to entertain, taking you on a visual, audio and electrifying journey through the magic of Michael Jackson's 45 year musical history.

**WEDNESDAY**

**20th**



## River Boat Cruise 1.30pm—£6-9

Enjoy sightseeing on an open-air deck, with commentary as you cruise along the river. Travelling from Westminster to Tower Bridge, you'll see all the major London attractions along the way, including the Houses of Parliament, Big Ben, the London Eye, the Southbank, the Tower of London, Tower Bridge and St. Paul's Cathedral.



## Picnic in Kensington Gardens 4.30pm

We'll have a picnic in this 'green lung', explore the park and perhaps play a bit of Frisbee or other games

**THURSDAY**

**21st**



**1.30pm—£20**

What will you be doing on your trip to London? Attending an A-List party? Going to a star-studded film premiere? Taking to the stage with music's megastars? Will you be knighted by the Queen or address the world's leaders? Do all these things and much more as you mingle and interact with the world's most famous figures at Madame Tussauds

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**FRIDAY**

**22nd**



**1.30pm—£16**



See the Crown Jewels at the fascinating Tower of London. Built in the 11th Century and site of many executions. See the ravens and the Line of Kings—the world's longest running visitor attraction!



**SATURDAY**

**23rd**

## WINDSOR CASTLE DAY TRIP

**9am—£25.50**



Windsor Castle is one of the official residences of the British Royal Family. It is the largest inhabited castle in the world and dating back to the time of William the Conqueror, is the oldest in continuous occupation. Travel by train with entrance to castle.



**This trip is accompanied by a KAE teacher.**

**SUNDAY  
24th**

**Anderson  
Tours**

**Oxford, Stratford,  
the Cotswolds**



Oxford, Stratford & Cotswolds Villages by Coach

**Lost in  
London**

**Cambridge by  
Train—£39**



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£55

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**TUESDAY**  
26th

## THE NATIONAL GALLERY

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The National Gallery houses the national collection of paintings in the Western European tradition from the 13th to the 19th centuries. It is on show 361 days a year, free of charge. The Gallery aims to study and care for the collection, while encouraging the widest possible access to the pictures



**4.30pm—£21**

The world's largest observation wheel offers a spectacular way to take in over 55 of London's most famous landmarks in just 30 minutes



**WEDNESDAY**  
27th

## Greenwich

**1.30pm—Free**



With historical and architectural attractions aplenty, beautiful parks, a market, bars, cafes, shops and restaurants, you can look forward to an unforgettable experience in Greenwich. The park is home to deer, a boating lake, the Maritime Museum (free) and the Royal Observatory (£7.50), where you can not only enjoy one of the most beautiful views in London, but also see the GMT line. Travel on the Docklands Light Railway (DLR).



**THURSDAY**  
28th



SHERLOCK HOLMES MUSEUM

**1.30pm—£15**

The world famous consulting detective Sherlock Holmes lived at **221b** Baker Street between 1881-1904, according to the stories written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. The house is faithfully maintained for posterity as it was in Victorian times and is protected by the government.



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**FRIDAY**  
29th

## BUCKINGHAM PALACE

CITY OF WESTMINSTER

**1.30pm—£20**

Open to the public for only 2 months each year! Buckingham Palace is the working headquarters of the Monarchy, where The Queen carries out her official and ceremonial duties as Head of State of the United Kingdom and Head of the Commonwealth.



**Friday night party:**



**SATURDAY**  
30th

## CAMBRIDGE DAY TRIP

**9am—£11**



Home of the famous University, King's College Chapel and punting on the river Cam, Cambridge is a compact cosmopolitan city with outstanding architecture old and new. The beauty of its ancient centre is preserved with its walkable medieval streets, college courts, gardens and bridges.

We'll travel by train in the morning (meeting at 9am) and spend the day exploring the city before heading back to London in the late afternoon. (Price is for train travel – optional extras e.g. punting £8-10 on the day).

**This trip is accompanied by a KAE teacher.**

**SUNDAY**  
31st

**Lost in London**

**Wales and the Wye Valley**

**£49**



**Anderson Tours Cardiff**



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