

Travel trade packages 2024

at Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum



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Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum

Kelvingrove's must-see tour

Guided

Ideal for clients craving culture but short on time.


Offer your clients a warm Glaswegian welcome at the Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum.

Guests start their guided tour through some of our 22 galleries with the museum's must-see objects front and centre.


Our knowledgeable guide will offer insights into the building, and its stunning architecture and touch on some of the details of our iconic pieces and the collections.

Journey back to the Art Nouveau era as you experience the Charles Rennie Mackintosh tearoom interior, witness the birth of modernism in Scottish paintings with works by the Glasgow Boys, see the French-influenced Scottish Colourists and marvel at the incredible collection of arms and armour.

 1 hour

 from 2 to 120 pax

 £24 per person (minimum charge 15 pax / £360)

 English

Add exclusive early access to this package
for a one-off supplement from £120; final price
will vary depending on group size.

The stunning architecture of Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum is a landmark within Glasgow's west end. Opened in 1901, the museum boasts 22 galleries and is a firm favourite with locals and visitors alike. From art to animals, Ancient Egypt to Charles Rennie Mackintosh, there is something for everyone.

The rich array of artwork on display is one of the finest collections in Europe ranging from classic European art to contemporary Scottish works. Guests will marvel at the varied selection of artefacts from around the world, including Egyptian mummies, armour and weapons, Asian and African artefacts, natural history specimens and so much more.

Create an unforgettable experience for your clients in the spectacular setting of one of Glasgow's best loved buildings.








Exclusive early bird access

Self guided / exclusive

Ideal for early risers; clients wanting to beat the crowds and those tight on time who want to fill their days.

Offer your clients the ultimate, exclusive access to the superb Kelvingrove collection, avoiding the queues and enabling them to have unimpeded views of the treasures on offer.

Welcomed by one of the collection guides, groups will be given an introduction to Kelvingrove. The guide will highlight some of the treasures of the collection not to be missed before inviting clients to peruse the galleries at their own pace for as long as they wish. Doors open to the general public at 10am, 11am on Fridays and Sundays.

-  9 – 10am daily
-  from 50 to 250 + pax
-  £1,450





Expertly led – the VIP curator tour

Guided

Ideal for sophisticated culture vultures, art groups, education groups and those with specialist interests.

Clients have a unique opportunity to delve into their favourite art subject, artist or era with this bespoke, escorted tour. Expert curators will provide an exclusive opportunity for the group to focus and explore a specialist sphere of interest.

Our curator can provide detailed information on subject chosen by the clients such as: Scottish History, Scottish or British Art, Charles Rennie Mackintosh, The Glasgow Boys, European Art, Arms and Armour, Natural History.

-  1 hour
Monday to Friday,
weekends on rare occasions
-  from 2 to 20 pax
-  £45 per person
(minimum charge
12 pax / £540)
-  English

Add exclusive early access to this package to enhance the VIP experience for a one-off supplement of £120.

Culture and cuisine: an evening at Kelvingrove

Guided / exclusive

Ideal for clients seeking unique experience of the museum – private viewing time and fine dining.





Allow your guests to experience the magic of a night at the museum. A warm welcome awaits your clients' arrival, followed by a one-hour must-see tour through selected galleries.

Guests will enjoy dinner seated beneath the exquisite, vaulted ceiling and ornate chandeliers of the Centre Hall or surrounded by the balustraded galleries of the East Court, ideal for smaller groups.

This will be an evening to remember for your clients – a magnificent combination of culture and fine cuisine.

Our events team can accommodate options including a piper on arrival or an exclusive organ recital during dinner.

Prices will be tailored to your specific group size and menu requirements.

-  3 hours (6 – 9pm)
-  from 20 to 50 pax
-  from £175 per person (based on 50 pax)
-  English

Catering options at Kelvingrove

The restaurant at Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum offers visitors a chance to enjoy a meal or a snack while taking in the beautiful surroundings of the museum. The restaurant is situated in a spacious, light-filled room with large windows that look out onto the museum's grounds.

The menu features a variety of dishes, including traditional Scottish fare, sandwiches, soups, salads, and a selection of desserts.

Please contact us for a list of our lunch and afternoon tea options.

Added value at Kelvingrove

- 10% discount for customers booked by the travel trade in the gift shop.
- Free cloak room access (normally £2 per item).



Notes for the travel trade

All travel trade packages are bookable on request basis and are subject to availability. Contact our events team for availability, special requirements and tailored offers.

All prices given are inclusive of VAT.

For all guided tours there will be a maximum of 20 pax per guide. For groups over 20 pax there will be multiple guides taking your clients around the galleries. Guided tours are conducted in English, language guides (French, German, Spanish) might be available on request.

Terms and conditions of booking will be provided to you at proposal stage by the team.

Please contact
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