

SCHOOL TOURS

All School Tours can be tailored to meet the individual needs of each school. Educational activities are an important part of a child's life; hence our tours can be customised so that learning can be fun. Prices can be tailored to suit your school budget & itineraries can be varied so as to get the full value of your day out.

We have established links with a number of major tour wholesalers and can offer excellent value and experience in helping you organise your school tour. For those of you who want to look a little bit further from home we offer excellent packages including ferry travel, accommodation, visits etc and can arrange all of your travel needs. From theatre tickets to stadium visits nothing is too big or small. Our team of highly skilled workers can liaise with you throughout your planning stage so as no stone is left unturned.

IRISH BASED SCHOOL TOURS

At Matthews Educational Tours we can create specific itineraries that are related to your school curriculum. History and Geography of Ireland are an important part of any school's study programme and with a vast amount of interesting sites and places to visit both North and South, anything is possible with Matthews. Topics of Literature, Arts and Sciences are not to be neglected and can easily be incorporated into any tour programme. Please send us your requirements and we would be more than happy to help you create a tour that includes fun and educational content.

DUBLIN DAY TOURS

With no Ferry costs & within easy reach of the North-East & Northern Ireland, why not explore Ireland's Capital City-Dublin. Steeped in history yet one of Europe's most cosmopolitan cities, a school trip to the capital of Dublin can offer a host of attractions. Combine a visit to any number of attractions and enhance your knowledge of Dublin. Overnight accommodation can be arranged if longer stays are specified. Examples of only a few attractions available:

Dublin City Tour

Dublin Viking Experience

National Wax Museum

James Joyce Museum

Dublin Zoo

National Museums

National Gallery

Kilmainham Jail

Aras An Uachtairian

Croke Park & GAA Museum



BELFAST SCHOOL TOURS

Why not visit the capital of Northern Ireland, Belfast. Throughout its modern history Belfast has been a major commercial and industrial centre. With many attractions on offer, discover how a school trip to Belfast can enhance your knowledge of the North's capital. Overnight accommodation can be arranged if longer stays are specified.

W5 Odyssey Arena

Belfast Zoo

Ulster Museum

Titanic Dock / Pump House

Lagan Lockout

Crumlin Road Jail Tour

Belfast Big Wheel

Belfast City Tour

Carrickfergus Castle

Ulster Folk & Transport Museum

Itineraries can be designed to meet the needs of the school, factoring in travel time and also return time to the school. We will organise the full package for you including stops for lunch, if packed lunches are not been taken. Make the choice to travel with Matthews, hassle free & cost effective.



ACTIVITIES

As we know extra curriculum activities are an important part of school life and at Matthews Tours this is something that we have taken on board. Special outings can be arranged to involve students in a number of sporting activities ranging from training sessions with top football clubs to golfing lessons with club professionals. For full details of what we can offer please contact our office team and they will be more than delighted to offer their assistance in helping you plan that special event.

UK BASED SCHOOL TOURS

Whether it's London, Manchester or Edinburgh to name but a few, destination is not a problem with Matthews Educational Tours. With such a wide variety of interesting places and sites to visit, a trip across water is a lot easier than it seems. We can make your travel arrangements stress free by arranging your ferry crossings, accommodation, meals and visits. Educational trips are meant to be fun as well as being educational and a programme can be arranged to suit your school needs. We can offer day trips to the UK along with short breaks depending on the needs of the school. London Theatre breaks are a speciality. Also a visit to Alton Towers or Cadbury's World are popular with schools. Discover the world of William Shakespeare, with a visit to Stratford-Upon-Avon or visit the historic city of York. In Scotland why not visit Glasgow or Edinburgh or take a visit to Scotland's premier Theme Park M&D, just a few of the many visits that can be arranged.