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Chocolatarium

Your clients can craft their own Scottish-themed chocolate bars and sample over 40 unique flavours, all within a boutique micro-factory setting. Enhanced travel trade options—including truffle-making and curated whisky- or

wine-and-chocolate pairings—provide a distinctive, flavour-rich addition to premium Edinburgh itineraries.

3-5 Cranston Street
Edinburgh, EH8 8BE

chocolatarium.co.uk



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
0.4 miles / 0.6 Kms – 4 mins drive / 8 min walk

Auld Alliance Kiltmakers

Led by artisan duo Mathilde and Jonathan, a husband-and-wife team dedicated to preserving and sharing the rich heritage of Scottish Highland dress. Their private talks and workshops – hosted at venues across Edinburgh’s Old Town and beyond – invite your clients on a journey through the history and evolution of tartan and Highland dress. They demonstrate the intricate, handsewn process of kiltmaking, offering hands-on experiences such as pleating tartan. Each session concludes with a thoughtful tartan keepsake, ensuring guests leave with both knowledge and a tangible memory of their time.

Edinburgh’s Old Town

auldalliancekiltmakers.com

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
2.8 miles / 4.5 Kms – 15 mins drive



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Fingal Hotel – Afternoon Tea

Permanently berthed in Edinburgh’s historic Port of Leith, Fingal is a luxury floating hotel offering a distinctive maritime experience. Formerly a Northern Lighthouse Board vessel, Fingal has been transformed into an elegant retreat, ideal for FITs and small groups. A highlight for touring clients is the celebrated Afternoon Tea, served in the Lighthouse Restaurant beneath a shimmering ceiling. Guests enjoy savoury and sweet delicacies, teas and the option to add champagne.

Alexandra Docks, Leith
Edinburgh, EH6 7DX

fingal.co.uk



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
17.2 miles / 27 Kms – 43 mins drive

Blackness Bay Distillery

Perched on the scenic shores of the Firth of Forth, Blackness Bay Distillery offers your clients an engaging, craft-led whisky and rum experience in the historic village of Blackness. Inside the village’s oldest building, tours deliver a sensory journey through traditional copper-pot distillation and artisan small-batch spirits. The adjoining Lobster Pot restaurant adds a premium culinary touch. Booking essential.



Shore Road
Blackness, EH49 7NL

blacknessbaydistillery.co.uk

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
25.2 miles / 40.6 Kms – 35 mins drive

Inglewood House & Spa

A beautifully restored Grade A listed Jacobean mansion set within 25 acres of tranquil woodland near Stirling, combining historic grandeur with refined modern comfort. The property offers six individually designed luxury bedrooms in the main house, complemented by beautifully appointed woodland lodges and cosy pods for an elevated escape. Exclusive to travel trade, “A Scottish Laird” is an immersive Scottish experience where your clients can join the actor-led original owner, John Forrester Paton. Travel back in time to explore his story and the hotel’s rich history over dinner.

Tullibody Road
Alloa
Clackmannanshire, FK10 2HU

inglewoodhouseandspa.co.uk

[Link to Trade Website](#)



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Solsgirth Home Farm

Solsgirth Home Farm offers high-quality, nature-focused experiences in the heart of Scotland, inviting travellers to slow down and reconnect with the land. Your clients can stay on the farm in beautifully restored accommodation, explore the estate on personal guided tours, and immerse themselves in seasonal workshops ranging from craft and cookery classes to conservation and sustainability sessions. Each experience is rounded off with a warm, home-cooked lunch made using produce grown right on the farm, creating a truly authentic and restorative rural escape.



Solsgirth Home Farm
Dollar
Clackmannanshire, K14 7NZ

solsgirthhomefarm.co.uk

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
4.3 miles / 6.9 Kms – 12 mins drive

Japanese Garden at Cowden

Set beneath the rolling Ochil Hills, the Japanese Garden at Cowden offers your clients a serene seven-acre landscape. Created in 1908 by pioneering horticulturist Taki Handa, the garden enchants with its reflective loch, sculpted landforms, traditional stone lanterns and exquisite stroll-garden pathways framed by Scottish and



Japanese flora. This meticulously restored haven invites your clients into a rare fusion of cultural artistry and natural beauty. The estate also offers exclusive experiences, from intimate garden tours to elegant afternoon teas for small groups, adding a refined and memorable dimension to any luxury itinerary.

Upper Hillfoot Road
Dollar
Clackmannanshire, FK14 7PL

cowdengarden.com

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
43.5 miles / 70 Kms – 1 hr 10 mins

East Neuk Seaweed

East Neuk Seaweed offers your clients immersive coastal foraging adventures along the East Neuk of Fife, where they can learn to identify and sustainably harvest edible seaweeds while exploring the region's rich marine ecology. Led by expert forager and wild cook Jayson Byles, these hands-on experiences blend conservation, well-being and wild cooking, giving your clients an engaging and authentic way to connect with Scotland's shoreline. Meeting point for experience arranged during booking process.



c/o 4 Croft Loan

Ceres

Fife, KY15 5NR

eastneukseaweed.com

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
20.5 miles / 32.9 Kms – 40 mins drive

RRS Discovery – exclusive dining experience

At Discovery Point, your clients can delve into the remarkable 1901 Antarctic expedition of Captain Scott and Ernest Shackleton as they explore immersive galleries and step aboard the historic Royal Research Ship Discovery. After taking in over a century of maritime heritage, they can elevate their visit with The Wardroom Dining Experience—a private, luxurious occasion held in the mahogany-panelled Officer's Wardroom where Scott and Shackleton once dined. Blending the ship's legendary history with exceptional Scottish hospitality, this exclusive experience invites your clients to enjoy a bespoke menu at the captain's table, complete with personalised touches and an atmosphere rich in tradition.



Discovery Point
Discovery Quay
Dundee, DD1 4XA

dundeeheritagetrust.co.uk

[Link to Trade Website](#)



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Ballintaggart Cook School

In the cook school by Ballintaggart, your clients will learn how to cook with some of Scotland's finest ingredients and hone their skills through a series of practical and inspiring masterclasses and courses.

Watch owner and chef Chris, trained at the world-renowned Leiths School of Food and Wine, at work and then get hands on with cooking. The Ballintaggart Farm Kitchen hosts talks, garden tours, foraging and cookery classes which are suitable for both individuals and groups.

Ballintaggart Farm
Grandtully, PH9 0PX

ballintaggart.com

[Link to Trade Website](#)



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
54.4 miles / 87.7 Kms – 1hr 30 mins drive

Glencadam Distillery

Glencadam Distillery, founded in 1825, is one of Scotland's oldest operational distilleries. Located in Brechin, Angus, the distillery offers visitors an authentic heritage experience through guided tours, allowing your clients to explore more than two centuries of whisky-making history, view traditional equipment still in use, and discover how Glencadam's award-winning single malt is crafted from source to cask. For travellers seeking a more exclusive encounter, the Glencadam Origin Experience—limited to a maximum of six—provides a rare behind-the-scenes tour that includes access to the distillery's blend centre. The experience concludes with a curated tasting of five single malts, offering an intimate and immersive introduction to the character and craftsmanship of Glencadam whisky.

Smithbank Road
Brechin
Angus, DD9 7PA

glencadamwhisky.com



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
12.2 miles / 19.6 Kms – 25mins drive

Lunan Bay Farm

Immersive farm experiences featuring adorable Cashmere goats, led by the farmer and locals. Your clients can enjoy range of immersive experiences including hands-on experience with the Cashmere goats and meeting Scotland's only Cashmere farmer. Feast on local delicacies with a farm-to-table dining experience or work with Lunan Bay Farm to create a tailored experience, from textile workshops to goat therapy.

Redcastle Salmon Bothy
Redcastle
Lunan Bay
Angus, DD11 5SS

lunanbayfarm.com

[Link to Trade Website](#)



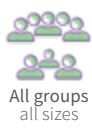
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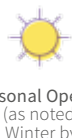
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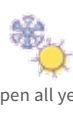
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Wild Braemar

Wild Braemar creates bespoke, authentic experiences in the heart of the Cairngorms National Park. Annie created the company to share her love and knowledge of the natural world. Her vision is to help people connect with

the amazing natural spaces we have in Scotland and support the protection and restoration of Scottish landscapes. There are a number of experiences for your clients to try. From wild swimming and a wilderness sauna to a Scottish Bothy experience, cosying up in a shelter in the wilderness with drinks and local musicians.

Gowanlea Cottage
Braemar
Aberdeenshire, AB35 5YQ

wildbraemar.com



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
38.6 miles/ 46 Kms - 60 mins drive

Sutherland Pastry Academy

An immersive culinary experience which offers your clients an authentic opportunity to engage with the rich food heritage of North-East Scotland. Led by internationally renowned pastry chef Graham Sutherland, the workshop features hands-on demonstrations of iconic Scottish favourites, including buttery shortbread, traditional clottie dumplings, and indulgent Aberdeen rowies. Throughout the session, your clients enjoy curated whisky tastings that complement each dish, and they leave with a personalised goodie bag filled with the delicious treats they helped create.



Inchmarlo Golf Centre
Banchory
Aberdeenshire, AB31 4BQ

thepastryacademy.co.uk



Distance between this attraction and the next attraction
20.8 miles / 33.4 Kms - 35 mins drive

Cairngorm Bothies - Dark Skies Experience

An exceptional dark-sky experience in one of the darkest regions of Scotland. Cairngorm Bothies provides your clients with unspoiled views of the Milky Way and even the Aurora Borealis from its remote Aberdeenshire setting. Their dark-skies experience creates memorable celestial encounters with guided stargazing, rustic log seating, hot drinks, blankets, red LED head torches, and locally sourced stovies, complemented by spirit tastings from nearby Lost Loch Spirits. Situated far from light pollution, the bothies offer an ideal setting for visitors seeking high-quality, nature-led experiences that combine serenity, sustainability, and immersive night-sky interpretation. Cairngorm Bothies operate year-round, the dark skies experience runs from October to March.

Logie Coldstone
Aboyne, Nr Ballater
Aberdeenshire, AB34 5PZ

cairngormbothies.co.uk



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FOOD AND DRINK SUGGESTIONS

[Avery Edinburgh](#)

Awarded a Michelin Star in 2025, Avery is run by American chef, Rodney Wages, who owned the one Michelin Star Avery in San Francisco. Situated in the stylish Stockbridge area of the city, you can expect contemporary flair and fine dining with bold flavours from quality Scottish ingredients, all in a New Town Georgian building.

[The Kitchin](#)

The Kitchin is a Michelin-starred gem on Leith's waterfront, housed in a converted whisky warehouse. It celebrates modern Scottish cuisine—with French technique, seasonal “from nature to plate” produce, intimate setting, and kitchen-view dining flair.

[Café at the Palace](#)

Found at the end of the Royal Mile in a striking setting within the Palace of Holyroodhouse, this is one of the top destinations for afternoon tea. All locally sourced produce.

[Amber Restaurant](#)

Located within The Scotch Whisky Experience on The Royal Mile in Edinburgh, Amber is a traditional Scottish restaurant that offers unique and exciting dishes to delight the palate.

[Scottish Cafe and Restaurant - Contini](#)

Located in the Scottish National Gallery with iconic views into Princes Street Gardens, this is an award winning sustainable Scottish restaurant run by Contini.



[Daisy Tasker at Hotel Indigo](#)

The bar and award winning 2 AA rosette restaurant Daisy Tasker, located in the Hotel Indigo Dundee, are perfect to experience Scotland's finest produce and hand crafted bespoke cocktails and wines.



[The Gin Bothy](#)

Home of award-winning Gin Bothy, the Gin Bothy Experience is nestled in the historic Angus village of Glamis and on the doorstep of Glamis Castle.

[The Green Lady - Thainstone House](#)

Refined dining in a Georgian mansion setting, featuring seasonal Aberdeenshire produce, elegant interiors with Wedgwood green walls, and menus crafted by award-winning chefs for a memorable culinary experience.

[Café Bohème](#)

Tucked away in an Aberdeen side street with a French bistro style, run by a friendly team with a genuine desire to please. Renowned for serving classic French cuisine combined with local Scottish produce.

ACCOMMODATION SUGGESTIONS

[The Balmoral](#)

An iconic 5-star hotel in the centre of Edinburgh with 167 rooms, 20 suites, stunning views of the city and a majestic clock tower.



[Kimpton Charlotte Square](#)

A historic luxury boutique hotel with a private garden and a spa, residing in the heart of Edinburgh in the New Town.



[The Caledonian](#)

A luxury hotel located in a former Victorian rail station on Princes Street. With views of Edinburgh Castle, the hotel has an indulgent Spa offering organic Scottish seaweed treatments and has 241 rooms.



[Cromlix Hotel](#)

A luxurious Victorian country house hotel near Dunblane, set on 34 acres, offering refined dining, tranquil grounds and elegant interiors, with 15 individually designed rooms and suites.

[Ballintaggart Farm](#)

Offering luxurious self-catering stays in a peaceful Highland Perthshire setting, featuring elegant rooms, cottages and a farmhouse, complemented by exceptional food experiences and serene countryside views.

[The Grandtully Hotel | Ballintaggart](#)

Offering a warm, design-led Highland Perthshire escape with seasonal Scottish dining, inventive cocktails, cosy individually styled rooms, and a vibrant bar, perfect for relaxed stays and memorable experiences.

[Malmaison Dundee](#)

Only 100m from the riverfront, Malmaison Dundee offers 91 rooms and suites. With a contemporary restaurant and a stylish cocktail bar, the property has all the facilities for a comfortable stay.



[Sandford Country Cottages](#)

Self-catering cottages in Newport-on-Tay. Luxury 1, 2 and 3-bedroom cottages and apartments in a courtyard setting which is part of a 'B' listed arts and crafts house.

[Turin Castle](#)

A fully serviced private luxury castle in Forfar with 10 rooms. Built in 1659, they provide concierge service from the moment of booking delivering unique in-house experiences.

[Balmoral Arms](#)

A Highland inn in Ballater, Royal Deeside, offering cosy rooms, local cuisine, and authentic Scottish charm. Recently refurbished, it blends Victorian heritage with modern comfort, near Balmoral Castle and Cairngorms National Park.

[Marcliffe](#)

A privately owned luxury hotel set in scenic Royal Deeside with 40 bedrooms, only 3 miles from the centre of Aberdeen.

[Dounside House](#)

Nestled in Royal Deeside, is a luxurious country estate offering elegant accommodation, award winning dining, and warm Highland hospitality.

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Green Tourism Award

Businesses that work in a sustainable, environmentally friendly way are graded: Bronze, Silver or Gold

VisitScotland's websites

Our travel trade website offers the travel industry a one-stop-shop for Scotland information, inspiration and toolkit. The site is designed to assist tour operators and agents to sell destination Scotland more effectively to their clients.

Travel trade website www.visitscotlandtraveltrade.com
VisitScotland consumer website www.visitscotland.com

Information on our travel trade website:

- Inspirational itineraries
- Downloadable e-brochures and maps
- Link to multimedia library for images and videos
- **Sign up** to our monthly travel trade e-newsletter
- A comprehensive directory of Scottish companies who have committed to special rates, discounts and commissions exclusively available for the travel trade

General websites

Britrail www.britrail.com
News & Weather information www.bbc.co.uk/weather
British Train information www.nationalrail.co.uk
Scottish Train information www.scotrail.co.uk
Bus information www.citylink.co.uk
Historic Environment Scotland www.historicenvironment.scot
National Trust for Scotland www.nts.org.uk
Scottish Tourist Guides Association www.stga.co.uk
Royal Scottish Highland Games www.rshga.org