

Tour Code: MMT20

The Hoe Plymouth Devon England



Netherlands and England

# Mayflower Heritage Trail

12-day Tour of the Netherlands and England in the footsteps of the Pilgrims

SCHEDULED DEPARTURE  
September 16 - 27, 2020

**Mayflower  
400 Tours**



*Mayflower Pub,  
Rotherhithe*



*London*



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**Day 1: Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2020 • Depart North America**  
We will depart from the USA today. (IF)

**Day 2: Thursday, Sept. 17, 2020 • Amsterdam, Leiden**  
When we arrive in Amsterdam, we will transfer directly to Leiden and drop our bags at the hotel. The tour director will be available to suggest leisure options, including a boat ride on the canal, the Botanical Garden, and the Museum De Lakenhal. We will meet the rest of the travelers at the Welcome Reception in the hotel, followed by dinner. (B/D)

**Day 3: Friday, Sept. 18, 2020 • Leiden**  
After a leisurely breakfast, we will tour the American Pilgrim Museum, which tells the stories of the founders of New England (subject to availability). It features furnishings from Pilgrim times, as well as maps and engravings from the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> century. The Pieterskirk was founded in 1121 and has a small exhibition about the Pilgrims. John Robinson is buried in this church and we will see his home nearby, which is marked with a plaque. The afternoon will be at leisure, with an optional tour to the Mauritshaus Art Gallery in The Hague, where we can see paintings by the Dutch Masters, including *The Girl With The Pearl Earring*. We will dine together this evening. (B/D)

**Day 4: Saturday, Sept. 19, 2020 • Delfshaven, Harwich**  
This morning we will visit Delfshaven, the departure point for the *Speedwell*. We will visit the Pilgrim Fathers' Church and explore the harbor district. We will then make our way to the Hook of Holland to board our own ship bound for England. The crossing to Harwich takes 6½ hours. The ship has restaurants on board, as well as shops, and a cinema. When we arrive in England, we will check in to our hotel near Harwich. (B)

**Day 5: Sunday, Sept. 20, 2020 • Harwich, Lavenham, Boston, Lincoln**  
Harwich is the port town where Captain Christopher Jones was born. We will visit his recently renovated house, the Guildhall, and the Ha'Penny Pier. We'll have free time for lunch in Lavenham, one of the best-preserved and picturesque medieval villages in England. We will then drive to Boston, a port town on the East coast. In 1607, a group of pilgrims walked 60 miles from Scrooby to Boston to meet a ship to take them to Holland. They were betrayed and instead of a new life, they were arrested and taken to the Guildhall. We will see the cells where they were held in the Guildhall. St. Botolph's Church, known as "Boston Stump," is one of England's largest parish churches. Rev. John Cotton urged members of his congregation to join the Massachusetts Bay Company, and he helped found the city of Boston in the 1630s. The Puritan Path leading to the church is in his honor. We will dine in our hotel in Lincoln. (B/D)



*Old historic district Delfshaven*

**Day 6: Monday, Sept. 21, 2020 • Scrooby, Babworth, Gainsborough, Lincoln**  
This morning a local expert guide will take us on a tour of local sites that would have been very familiar to the Pilgrim Fathers. We will start at Babworth Church where William Brewster and William Bradford were part of the Separatist movement under Richard Clyfton's leadership. We will view Scrooby Manor, Brewster's home in Scrooby, as well as the village church. In Austerfield, we will see the font where Bradford was baptized and learn about his childhood. After a delicious pub lunch, we will continue on to Gainsborough, from where the Pilgrims set out on their final and successful escape attempt. We will tour the medieval Old Hall, where Separatists were able to hold worship services. We will then have some free time to explore Lincoln with the option of attending Evensong in the cathedral. (B/L)

**Day 7: Tuesday, Sept. 22, 2020 • Lincoln, Stratford-upon-Avon**  
After breakfast, we will drive to Stratford-upon-Avon, a medieval market town that was the 16th-century birthplace of William Shakespeare. We will tour Shakespeare's Birthplace, Anne Hathaway's Cottage, and Trinity Church. The rest of the day will be at leisure and tickets to a Shakespeare production can be arranged. (B)

**Day 8: Wednesday, Sept. 23, 2020 • Droitwich Spa, Worcester, Plymouth**  
After breakfast at the hotel, we will travel to nearby Droitwich Spa to visit St. Peter's Church where Edward Winslow was baptized. He served three terms as governor of Plymouth Colony. Winslow was educated at King's School, which was part of Worcester Cathedral at that time. We will have a tour of one of England's loveliest Cathedrals, followed by time to purchase lunch in the Cloister cafe. We'll end the day with dinner in our hotel in Plymouth. (B/D)

**Day 9: Thursday, Sept. 24, 2020 • Plymouth**  
We will have breakfast in our hotel, then spend a full day exploring Plymouth. Our specialist guide will tell the story of the Mayflower Pilgrims, the ship, and the voyage, before they finally set off on Sept. 16, 1620. We will see the Mayflower steps, the cobbled streets of the Barbican, and Sutton Harbour. We will then have a few hours to explore independently, before we meet again for a boat cruise around the harbor. We'll visit the new Box Museum, then the rest of the evening will be at leisure. (B)

**Day 10: Friday, Sept. 25, 2020 • Southampton, London**  
After breakfast, we will travel to Southampton. In the afternoon, our local expert guide will take us on a guided walk describing Southampton as it would have been in 1620, when the Pilgrims

*Anne Hathaway Cottage*

arrived from Leiden. We will hear about the provisioning of the Speedwell and the Mayflower and see their departure point. This is now commemorated with a Pilgrim Fathers' Memorial, which was unveiled in 1913. We will tour the Tudor House and Garden, which existed at the time of the Pilgrims' departure. We will continue to London and dine in our hotel. **(B/D)**

#### **Day 11: Saturday, Sept. 26, 2020 • London**

We will have a fabulous view of London from the London Eye this morning, followed by a round-trip cruise from Westminster Pier. The bus will then take us to lunch at the Mayflower Pub in Rotherhithe. This used to be called the Shippe Inn and was well known to the crew of the Mayflower. We will see the original 1620s mooring point and we'll have the opportunity to sign the Mayflower Descendants' visitors' book. The rest of the day will be at leisure. **(B/L)**

#### **Day 12: Sunday, Sept. 27, 2020 • London**

After breakfast, there will be a group transfer to Heathrow and additional transfers can be arranged. Post-tour travel options are available. **(B/IF)**

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#### **Abbreviations for Meals**

**IF**=In Flight **B**=Breakfast,  
**L**=Lunch **D**=Dinner

*London Eye*

#### **TOUR COST:**

**\$3,599\* Land only**

*per person, double occupancy*

*Single Supplement \$750*

\*Price is based on a minimum of 25 paying participants

#### **Your Tour Includes:**

- **Land Transportation** via private deluxe air-conditioned motor coach
- **Accommodations** (double occupancy) in 4-star hotels
- **Meals per the itinerary**
- Professional Tour Director throughout the tour
- Local step-on guides for city tours and major attractions
- **Admission** to all activities indicated in the itinerary except those listed as optional
- All taxes and tips except as indicated below

#### **Your Tour Does Not Include:**

- Estimated Roundtrip airfare, including related taxes and fees.
- Meals and beverages not indicated on itinerary
- Items of a personal nature such as passport and visas. *(Passports must be valid for 6 months beyond return date.)*
- End of tour Gratuities for tour director and driver
- **Optional insurance** for health, baggage and cancellation.

#### **Payment Schedule:**

A deposit of \$350 per person is due with reservation. Final invoices will be sent June 2020; final payment is due by July 1, 2020. Passengers may add after this date subject to air and land availability. Generally airlines do not increase the price of a ticket after it has been contracted. However, prior to the issuance of a ticket, airlines may (and regularly do) impose fuel, tax, or security surcharges. In the event a surcharge is imposed after Ed-Ventures has received a final payment, Ed-Ventures will send an additional invoice for the surcharge amount. Early registration is encouraged.

#### **Currency:**

Currency exchange rates fluctuate constantly. In the event of a significant drop in the value of the dollar, we reserve the right to add a currency surcharge to the price of the tour.

#### **Refund/Cancellation Policy:**

Regardless of reason, cancellations are costly. To offset these costs the following fees will apply, plus any non-recoverable expenses to our suppliers:

From time of deposit to until 100 days before departure: \$125. From 99-15 days prior to departure: \$375 plus any non-refundable deposits. 14 days or less prior to departure: No refund.

- Cancellation charges also apply to additional accommodation reserved prior to and after the tour.
- Cancellations must be received in writing by 5:00 p.m. central time on the last business day of the applicable time period.
- For flight changes or cancellations, revision fees and/or airline cancellation charges will apply.
- Roommates canceling can result in a single supplement charge for the roommate. The Participant who cancels will be responsible for that charge if a substitute roommate cannot be found.

***Purchase of health, baggage, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance is strongly recommended.***

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# Netherlands & England

Please register me for:

- MMT20:** Sept. 16 - 27, 2020  
\$3,599 LAND only
- Single Supplement:** \$750

## Passenger Information (1<sup>st</sup> Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on your passport. Passport information may be sent later if you have yet to obtain a passport. *Best practice is to include a copy of the photo page of your passport.*

**Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Name for name badge): \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Exp. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Authority:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Place of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dietary Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Passenger Information (2<sup>nd</sup> Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on your passport. Passport information may be sent later if you have yet to obtain a passport. *Best practice is to include a copy of the photo page of your passport.*

**Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Name for name badge): \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Exp. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Authority:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Place of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dietary Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Work phone/cell:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sleeping Preference** (circle one): Double bed (1 bed) Twin Beds (2 beds)

**Roommate name:** \_\_\_\_\_ OR **Single supplement:** \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

## Travel Insurance (7.2% of tour cost)

- I wish to purchase Travel Guard insurance and have included the premium with my deposit.
- I wish to decline the travel insurance offered through Travel Guard.

## **Deposit Payment Information** (please check one)

- Enclosed is my \$ \_\_\_\_\_ deposit and insurance premium (if applicable). **Make checks payable to Ed-Ventures, Inc.**
- Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ deposit and insurance premium (if applicable) to my Discover/MasterCard/Visa/AMEX

**Credit Card Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exp. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Card ID Code:\*** \_\_\_\_\_ \*last 3 digits in signature box on the back of the card

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**Signature of 1<sup>st</sup> traveler:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of 2<sup>nd</sup> traveler:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



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