

THE ROYAL GARDENS

This is probably one of our best tour. We will explore the Royal London through its green open spaces as well as its historical and prestigious Royal palaces. Starting at Trafalgar Square, we'll then move to Admiralty Arch a landmark building in London, explore St James's Park and its beauty and move on to Buckingham Palace where you'll delight your eyes with the world's most famous building in the world. In this tour, we will also visit Hyde Park the largest and finest landscape of Great London dating back to the 16th Century, when King Henry VIII used it to hunt deer and wild bird.



Figure 1@blindveterans.org.uk

WALK HIGHLIGHTS



Figure 2@walklondon.com

This tour will take you to the heart of Westminster before continuing to Hyde park and Kensington Gardens. It's a bit of walk but at the end of this tour you will have visited the best two of the best Royal Parks of London.

1. City of Westminster
 - a) Trafalgar Square – you'll learn a brief history of the Napoleonic War in 1805
 - b) Admiralty Arch - commissioned by King Edward VII which did not get to see it complete in 1912

- c) St James's Park – the park has a colony of pelicans donated by a Russian ambassador in 1664
- d) Horse Guards - a historic building commissioned in 1663
- e) The mall – a road that led to Buckingham Palace famous for official parades
- f) Buckingham Palace – the monarch residence built in 1703

2. Kensington area
 - a) Hyde park – finest landscape dating back to the 16th century
 - b) Diana memorial fountain – opened by RMTQ in 2004 to celebrate Diana's life
 - c) Albert memorial – commissioned by Queen Victoria for Prince Albert in 1872
 - d) Kensington palace – a royal residence since the 17th century, current Prince William's home.

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