

Explore more in the South West

Sunny beaches, cream teas, cider, national parks, mysterious stones – the South West has an abundance of unique attractions.

Extending over the rolling hills of Wiltshire and Somerset to the dramatic coastlines of Devon and Cornwall, it serves up a variety of memorable experiences away from the ordinary...



Get away from it all on Roseland Peninsula, Cornwall

Nearest hotel: Best Western Hotel Bristol, Newquay

Few places can match Roseland for unspoilt beauty. It's home to some of the UK's most secluded coves – where you can potter around rocks, collect shells, paddle and have the beach all to yourself.



Walk a llama across Dartmoor

Nearest hotel: Best Western Passage House Hotel, Newton Abbot

Why not explore Dartmoor National Park with a four-legged friend? Guided llama and alpaca treks are a unique way to learn more about the breath-taking landscape – and they'll even carry your lunch for you!



Rock up at Avebury Stone Circle, Wiltshire

Nearest hotel: Best Western Plus Angel Hotel, Chippenham

Everyone knows Stonehenge, but its lesser known cousin is only 25 miles away. The three stone circles that form the Neolithic monument surrounding the village of Avebury are older and larger – and you can get closer to them.



Enjoy a boat's-eye view of Bristol

Nearest hotel: Best Western Henbury Lodge, Bristol

Bristol was built on the tobacco and sugar trade that its bustling docks facilitated. Hop on a waterbus or cruise boat to see the city from the water. You can go up to the SS Great Britain or even as far as the Avon Gorge.



Take in amazing views on the Bath Skyline Walk

Nearest hotel: Best Western Limpley Stoke Hotel, Bath

Get a unique perspective on this beautiful historic city during a leisurely walk along 6 miles of elevated footpaths, discovering hidden valleys, follies and wildflowers. The Iron Age fort on Solsbury Hill is the perfect vantage point for spectacular views over Bath and out towards the Blackdown Hills.



Go for long walks and pub lunches in the Cotswolds

Nearest hotel: Best Western Mayfield House Hotel, Malmesbury

Lush green valleys and chocolate box limestone cottages make this part of the South West an idyllic area to explore. Don't miss the picturesque market towns of Painswick and Tetbury, with their historic buildings and cosy inns.



Enjoy a stroll along Worbarrow Bay, Dorset

Nearest hotel: Best Western Wessex Royale Hotel & Restaurant, Dorchester

Part of the stunning Jurassic Coast near Tyneham village, this crescent-shaped bay is set beneath rolling downs and ancient woodland. Explore coves, climb the grassy hill fort and go wildlife spotting.



Create a buzz at Bee World, Devon

Nearest hotel: Best Western Tiverton Hotel, Tiverton

Make a 'beeline' for this bee-themed attraction in South Molton. It's both fun and illuminating. You can try your hand at beekeeping and go behind the scenes to see how honey is produced. Take a pot home too.