

A Pre-Season Stay at Hever Castle

DAY ONE

Arrival Arrive and check in at 3pm.

Enjoy a complimentary bedroom upgrade (subject to availability) and a complimentary book about Hever Castle & Gardens.

Walk Wrap up warm and head out into the grounds* for a brisk walk around the Lake before dusk.

A walk in the Gardens at this time of year will provide a welcome boost to flagging winter spirits.

You are welcome to enjoy the Gardens both on the day of arrival and the day of departure.

Dinner Depart for dinner

Our local recommendations are:

- The Wheatsheaf (approx. 6 min/2-mile drive)
- The Pheasant Plucker (approx. 15 min/6-mile drive)
- Squerryes Winery Restaurant (approx. 19 min/8-mile drive)
Guests will receive a 10% discount on their total bill when they dine a-la-carte and quote 'HEVER10' at the time of booking at the AA Rosette award-winning restaurant located at this winery and vineyard just a short drive from Hever Castle.

Return Upon returning to the warmth of the B&B, relax and enjoy a night in five-star gold splendour.

*Some areas of the estate may be closed including the mazes & play areas

HEVER CASTLE



DAY TWO

Breakfast Tuck into an award-winning breakfast between 8am and 9.30am.

Castle Tour Check out at Reception before 10.30am, after which you will be collected by one of our knowledgeable castle stewards at 10.30am and taken on a Behind the Scenes Tour of the Castle.

You will have the rare opportunity to experience Behind the Scenes Access to rooms that are in the process of being re-interpreted. You will witness the works in progress to the Boleyn Apartments that will be unveiled on the 25th March to give visitors a unique and immersive experience of Tudor history.

Gardens Following this, at midday you can head out into the grounds to explore further. You can choose to take a self-guided stroll in the gardens or you can join a tour with one of our gardeners (Monday to Friday only).

EXTEND YOUR STAY

Lunch Depart to enjoy lunch at the Waterside Bar Restaurant & Terrace at Hever Castle Golf Club with stunning views over the Kent countryside. You could even play a round of golf/enjoy a treatment at Hever Castle Golf & Wellbeing (pre-booking required).

Explore Kent Chartwell - Family home and garden of Sir Winston Churchill, located approx. 11 min/5-mile drive from Hever Castle.

Chiddingstone Village - Beautifully preserved Tudor village, with buildings dating to the 15th century and village records even older, located approx. 9 min/3-mile drive from Hever Castle.

Knole - Originally built as an archbishop's palace, Knole passed through royalty to the Sackville family, who still live here today, located approx. 23 min/10-mile drive from Hever Castle.

Emmetts Garden - An Edwardian estate and interesting hillside garden with year-round features, located approx. 16 min/6-mile drive from Hever Castle.

Ightham Mote - Outstanding 14th-century moated manor house, gardens, and estate, located approx. 25 min/11-mile drive from Hever Castle.