



Jersey, Channel Islands



Measuring just nine miles by five miles, Jersey is the perfect location for a day trip. Small in square miles but big in places to go and things to see, it's the perfect size for cruise guests to explore for a few hours.

With history on our doorstep and many heritage sites to seek out, cruise guests on a short stopover can easily discover our colourful past. Visitors can step back in time with a trip to Passage Grave, a building older than the Egyptian Pyramids. They can follow in the footsteps of invading armies through a 12th-century castle, spot Jersey's Martello towers which were built in the 1800s to keep the French at bay or discover the story of the German occupation.

For those wanting to enjoy Jersey up close, there are a range of walking and cycling options, with a whole network of routes across the island. Voted as one of the top European destinations for a walking break, Jersey offers quiet coastal hikes along the north coast or strolls along peaceful wooded valleys. For keen cyclists, the island can offer its many 'green lanes', where the speed limit is 15 miles per hour, keeping cruise guests safe as they cycle and enjoy the spectacular scenery.

Food lovers are also in for a real treat with the island's abundance of culinary delights. From Michelin-star

restaurants and charming beachside food shacks, to al fresco bay-side dining and intimate settings for romantic escapes, Jersey prides itself on its array of restaurants, cafes and bars.

Waiting to greet cruise passengers on-shore with a warm welcome, Cruise Jersey's Passenger Services Manager Maria Le Tiec, has over 20 years' experience in the local tourism sector. With her wealth of experience, knowledge and enthusiasm, she'll be delighted to help and importantly, share her knowledge to cruise partners considering the Island of Jersey as a future destination port.

Top Five Facts About Jersey

1. Jersey is officially the sunniest place in the British Isles. You can also expect the temperature to be a few degrees warmer too.
2. Jersey has one of the world's largest tidal ranges. The Island grows by a fifth every time the tide goes out.
3. You are never more than ten minutes away from the sea.
4. Jersey has its own notes and coins, including a pound note. As well as a security watermark of a Jersey cow, you'll see Queen Elizabeth smiling on our banknotes.
5. Charles II spent several years in exile in Jersey and it was here in 1649 that he was proclaimed king. In recognition of the island's help, King Charles II gifted several parcels of land in the colonies to the island's Bailiff, Sir George Carteret - one of them became the state known as New Jersey.

Experience Jersey, Channel Islands

St Brelades Bay

St Brelades Bay has one of the best beaches in Jersey and has something for everyone, from watersports to leisurely strolls through the surround parks or perhaps sampling local seafood from one of the many beachside restaurants and cafes.

Link: <http://www.jersey.com/english/discoverjersey/beachesandviews/Pages/St-Brelades-Bay.aspx>

Jersey War Tunnels

Jersey War Tunnels, a tunnel complex dug deep into the hillside in St Peter's Valley intended to be a barracks and ammunition store for the occupying forces. Today, it tells the compelling story of life in Jersey under the occupation of German forces during the Second World War.

Link: <http://www.jerseywartunnels.com>

Durrell Wildlife Park

Durrell Wildlife Park - founded by author and naturalist Gerald Durrell, visitors have the opportunity to see some of the planet's most endangered species and learn how Durrell is working to save them.

Link: <https://www.durrell.org/wildlife/>

Corbiere Lighthouse

Corbiere Lighthouse was the first lighthouse in the British Isles to be built of concrete and is a popular tourist site for its panoramic views.

Link: <http://www.jersey.com/english/discoverjersey/sightseeing/Pages/La-Corbiere.aspx>

Elizabeth Castle

Elizabeth Castle, built on a rocky islet in St Aubin's Bay, it defended Jersey for more than 400 years and sits alongside the hermitage where St Helier is through to have lived around 550AD.

Link: <http://www.jerseyheritage.org/places-to-visit/elizabeth-castle>

Mont Orgueil Castle

Mont Orgueil Castle overlooks Gorey Habrour and protected Jersey against French invasion for over 600 years. Visitors can explore the network of staircases, towers and secret rooms to discover hidden treasures.

Link: <http://www.jerseyheritage.org/places-to-visit/mont-orgueil-castle>

Jersey Museum

Jersey Museum tells the story from the Neolithic times to the modern day. Discover the island's finest treasures on display including a priceless Bronze Age gold torque and Millais' famous portrait of Lillie Langtry.

Link: <https://www.jerseyheritage.org/uk>

The Mansell Collection

The Mansell Collection, find out more about Formula 1 World Champion and CART Indy Car World Series winner Nigel Mansell and his battle to become one of the world's greatest racing drivers told through interviews, pictures and video footage.

Link:

<http://www.jersey.com/english/sightsandactivities/attractions/attractions/Pages/The-Mansell-Collection.aspx>

16 New Street

16 New Street, constructed in the 1730s the building is undoubtedly the finest remaining Georgian town house in St Helier and provides a wonderful example of the elegant architectural style and fashions of 18th Century Jersey.

Link: <http://www.nationaltrust.je/place/16-new-street/>

St Helier

St Helier, take a leisurely stroll through the Island's capital and browse through an array of cosmopolitan shops and local boutiques, sample some of the many mouthwatering dishes from award winning restaurants or simply sit and watch the world go by in an al-fresco cafe.

Link: http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Tourism-g551613-St_Helier_Jersey_Channel_Islands-Vacations.html

Port Info

Time Zone : GMT (GMT+1 during BST)

Operational Hours : 24hr

Latitude & Longitude : 49°10.0'N, 002°07.0'W (as per ALRS Vol. 6)

Prevailing Weather : South - Westerly

Berth Information : Albert Pier, No.3 Sump 3.4m BCD Length 105m Sump Width 16m Quay Height 13.0m ACD Elizabeth harbour Sump 136m x 23m sump depth 6m BCD available between ferry movements

Vessel Length : 100m at Number 3 berth

Vessel Width : 16m wide sump on Berth No. 3

Air Draft Restrictions : None

Vessel Draft : Dependant of tide height and berth allocated. Maintained depth inside main harbour 2.0m BCD

Depth on Berth : No. 3 Sump dredged to 3.4m BCD

Largest ship to call : 110m alongside berth No 3 /130m using Elizabeth harbour berths / No limit at anchorage (subject to draft) Other than listed above

VTS - Channel : VHF 14 - St Helier VTS

Max Ship Dimension : 110m inside main harbour, 136m at Elizabeth harbour
Pilotage : Yes (for vessels 35m and over)
Tugboat : 1x 26m Damen Shoalbuster -28t Bollard Pull 1 x 11.5m workboat – 1.5t Bollard Pull
Security Facilities : ISPS compliant
Gangway : 4m and 6m available
Fresh Water : Via quay side hydrants
Power Supply : 16A and 74A available on Albert Pier
Fuel Supply : Via road tanker, arranged through shipping agent
Hot works / painting/ lifeboats : Hot works / painting as per vessels SMS. Call St Helier VTS CH14 for permission to launch lifeboats if alongside berth.
Waste Handling : Euro bins and recycling points available on quay, arranged through shipping agent
Anchorage Position : No. 1 - 49° 10.31'N 002° 08.78'W - Depth BCD 5m (<140 LOA) No.2 - 49° 10.065'N 002° 08.40'W- Depth BCD 6m (<150- 180LOA depending on draft/tide) No. 5 - 49° 08.51'N 002° 06.05'W - Depth BCD 14m no size limit
Distance to landing stage in nm : Anchorage No.5 to Albert Pier Pontoon - 2.8nm Anchorage No.1/No.2 to Albert Pier Pontoon - 1.7nm

Facilities

Cruise Terminal Building : Albert Pier Terminal
Currency Exchange : Throughout St Helier
Internet Access : Free WiFi is available in the area surrounding the harbour
Telephones : At Albert Pier Terminal and throughout St Helier
Mailbox : Post office available in St Helier
Taxi Rank : Outside Albert Terminal
Distance to Railway Station : Not Applicable
Distance to Airport : 4 miles - 15 minutes
Banks / ATM Machines : At Elizabeth Terminal and throughout St Helier
Restaurant/Café : There are many cafes, bars and restaurants located in and around St Helier which is only a short 10 minute walk from the harbour.

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