

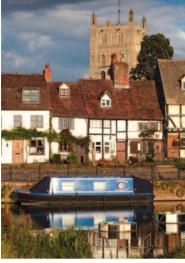


# REGENCY, MEDIEVAL & STEAM...

Stay a night or two in cosmopolitan Cheltenham or medieval Tewkesbury. Spend 48 hours exploring these lovely towns. But don't feel limited to just 48 hours; we'd love you to stay longer.

#### DAY 1

Soak up the architecture of **Cheltenham**, the most complete Regency town in the UK. Indulge in some retail therapy and choose from a fabulous choice of eateries, whether a unique café or Michelin-standard restaurant. Cheltenham is famous for its festivals, so keep an eye out for horse-racing, literature, science or jazz. Explore **Tewkesbury** – where the rivers Severn and Avon meet. It has a colourful history and character all of its own, with some lovely pubs and cafes. Wander the riverbanks, visit beautiful **Tewkesbury Abbey** and the **heritage centre**.





**Cheltenham** – Refined elegance and Regency terraces provide the backdrop for a year-round event programme, enviable foodie scene and buzzing nightlife. Known for its horse racing, Cheltenham also has great shopping and a cosmopolitan vibe. **Tewkesbury** has a unique character, with almost 400 listed buildings, riverbank location, independent shops and restaurants and a beautiful abbey.



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#### WHERE TO STAY

Choose from a selection of accommodation in Cheltenham including the iconic **Queen's Hotel** or boutique-style **131 The Promenade**, a range of bed & breakfasts, small hotels or serviced apartments. For luxury why not stay at **Ellenborough Park Hotel** or **The Greenway Hotel** located on the outskirts of the town.



#### **HIDDEN GEMS**

Make a splash at the **Cheltenham Lido** outdoor pool or go to **Pittville Park** play area – great fun for children in the summer. Visit **Tewkesbury Town Museum** to discover the town's rich and diverse history through a host of eclectic collections located in a 17th century building, or walk in the local nature reserve established to create a wetland habitat.

#### **TOP TIP**

Get off the beaten track to discover Cheltenham's architectural highlights including the **Holst Museum** and **Pittville Pump Room**, where you can taste the spa waters. Sample Tewkesbury's medieval history with a walking tour. Evenings are catered for too, so relax and enjoy a show in one of the many theatres.



#### **DAY 2**

Winchcombe is a lovely place to start the day, with a stroll around its charming centre and a visit to magnificent Sudeley Castle and Gardens. Steam buffs can catch the GWR railway from Winchcombe or Toddington to Cheltenham Racecourse in one direction, or Broadway in the other. If you are heading onto Broadway by road, stop in the pretty village of **Snowshill**. It is



home to Snowshill Manor and, in summer, carpeted with lavender. The long, main street of Broadway is lined with shops, cafes and antiques. High on the hill, Broadway Tower offers panoramic views of 16 counties on a clear day.

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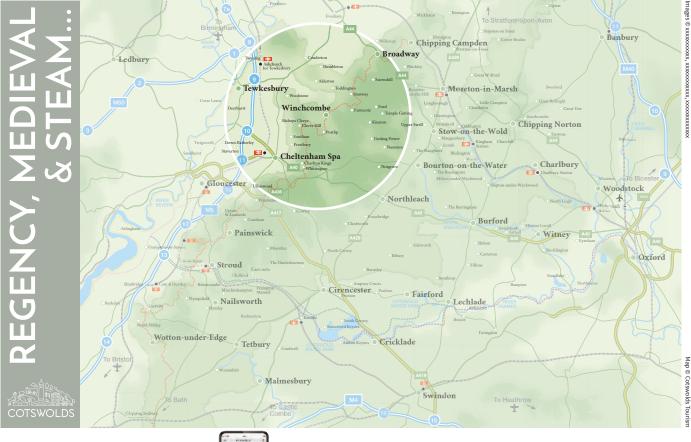
The Bugatti Museum is a must for everyone interested in cars and engineering, or, for creatives, discover the life and work of a renowned furniture designer in the Gordon Russell Design Museum and the Broadway Museum and Art Gallery, both in Broadway.



#### **TOP TIP**

Winchcombe is a great base for walking and exploring - see Hailes Abbey, Stanway House & Fountain, Belas Knap or walk a section of the Cotswold Way to get fantastic views.





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