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**VISITOR INFORMATION**

**ASK OUR STAFF**
Our friendly staff are on hand to help you explore some of Scotland’s other historic attractions, and to answer any questions about Edinburgh Castle.

**UPGRADE TO AN EXPLORER PASS**
If you are travelling around, then save money by upgrading your Edinburgh Castle ticket for an Explorer Pass, giving you unlimited access to over 75 of Scotland’s best historic properties. Just go to Visitor Information for more details.

**FIND OUT MORE**
If you have enjoyed your visit and would like to find out more, please visit www.edinburghcastle.gov.uk. Or visit www.historic-scotland.gov.uk to discover 5,000 years of Scottish history.

**EDINBURGH CASTLE GUIDEBOOK**
Our Official Souvenir Guide is the definitive guide to the buildings and history of Edinburgh Castle. Pick one up as a lasting souvenir of your visit. Available in various languages from all the Historic Scotland castle shops and Ticket Office.

**OUR SHOPS**

**PORTCULLIS GIFT SHOP**
Located next to the Ticket Office, the shop offers an extensive range of quality gifts and souvenirs, including exclusive Edinburgh Castle merchandise, and traditional Scottish and Clan gifts.

**CROWN GIFT SHOP**
Located in Crown Square. Treat yourself to an extra-special memento of your visit. With a wonderful range of gifts, tapestries and exclusively designed jewellery and china.

**WHISKY AND FINEST FOOD SHOP**
Located near St Margaret’s Chapel, a shop dedicated to offering the best of Scottish food and drink, ranging from whiskies and liqueurs to a delicious variety of Scottish sweet and savoury gifts.

Each purchase made in our retail outlets helps support Historic Scotland’s conservation role. Your support is greatly appreciated and will help conserve our properties in the future.

**OUR CAFÉS**

**REDCOAT CAFÉ**
Found next to the One o’Clock Gun, a self-service café with spectacular views. With something for everyone, the café offers hot meals, light snacks, food on the go and a range of castle-baked delights. Teas, coffees and soft drinks are also available.

**THE TEA ROOMS**
Located in Crown Square. Come and enjoy a delicious traditional afternoon tea, complemented by a wide selection of luxury drinks and fresh handmade sandwiches and cakes. We also offer traditional Scottish fare, prepared and produced from the freshest local ingredients.

We fully cater for all dietary requirements. Please speak to a member of our friendly staff.

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**Edinburgh Castle Site Orientation**

**The One o’Clock Gun**
Gather at 1pm to see the master gunner fire the gun – every day except Sunday.

**St Margaret’s Chapel**
Take a quiet moment in St Margaret’s Chapel, the oldest building in Edinburgh.

**Mons Meg**
Discover the firepower of this mighty 15th-century siege cannon.

**The Honours of Scotland**
Marvel at Scotland’s glittering crown jewels and the historic Stone of Destiny.

**The Great Hall**
Be amazed by the original hammerbeam roof in the Great Hall.

**Prisons of War**
Discover how prisoners of war lived here in the 1700s and 1800s.

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**Audio Guide**
Hire one of our informative audio guides for all you need to know about Edinburgh Castle. Available in different languages.

**Guided Tours**
For a great start to your visit, join one of our Guides for a guided tour.