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Great Britain is a country of traditions, so it pays much attention to raising interest and honor to its history and art. Most cities and towns have their museums and galleries devoted to the local art or history and to the whole country. But there are such museums and galleries in the UK that make the jaw drop. Most of them are situated in London, of course, and gained fame all over the world. They are popular tourist destinations providing unique exhibits, important historical items and incredibly beautiful pieces of art.





British Museum

The British Museum is one of the world's largest museums of history and archeology. Here you can see the mummies of the Egyptian pharaohs, and the Rosetta stone, and ancient Greek sculptures, and a statue from Easter Island, and engravings by medieval masters such as Raphael, Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci.

The British Museum has designed events for the whole family - excursions for adults and schoolchildren, games for children.

The museum has a great site, there is a version even in Russian. So you can plan a visit in advance.

The museum constantly hosts additional exhibitions. Now, for example, the exhibition is devoted to the Egyptian Book of the Dead. The entrance to the British Museum is free. To visit the special exhibitions you need to purchase a ticket.



Natural History Museum

In this museum you will see dinosaur skeletons, the remains of a 40 million-year-old spider, as well as an extensive collection of the largest, tallest and rarest animals on earth.

A visit to the London Natural History Museum is a real adventure for children and adults.

Special exhibitions are also held in this London museum, entrance to which is paid, for example, the Butterfly Pavilion.





Science Museum

In the London Science Museum you can see, touch and experience the basic laws of physics. You will see exhibits affecting many aspects of modern science, from genetics and medicine to space flights.

The gaming zone is full of excitement with a variety of devices that allow you to personally see and touch the laws of physics in action. Perhaps this zone is for children, but "children" of all ages joyfully frolicked there.

Entrance to the museum is free. Paid, again, only special expositions, as well as the IMAX cinema, which shows interesting popular science films



Imperial War Museum

This is the story of wars and those who participated in them, starting with the First World War. In the museum you will learn about World War I, espionage and the Holocaust. Some exposures are paid.

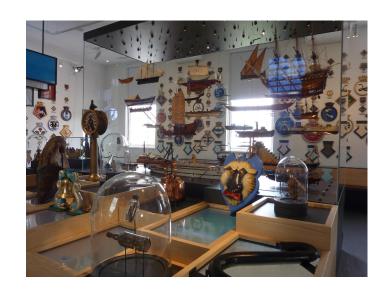






National Maritime Museum

The National Maritime Museum in London is one of the largest in the world. There you will find models, paintings and trophies from all over the world. Exhibitions are dedicated to both sea battles and the history of trade.







Conclusion

These are only several examples of the museums worth visiting in London. Their choice all over the UK is much bigger and more various. I think everyone can find a suitable museum to his interests. You will not only fulfill your interest, but also develop your personality and expand your knowledge. Museums are unique schools, where studying is interesting, exciting and unforgettable.



