



Day 1 Example Itinerary: Exploring and Unleashing Creativity

Breakfast: We start the day with a relaxed group breakfast at the hotel before heading out.

Morning: Exploring Greenwich – Past, Present, and Global Futures

Activity Overview:

After breakfast, we will take the IFS Cloud Air cable car across the Thames to Greenwich, taking in panoramic views of London while discussing the idea of perspective and how seeing things from above can inspire innovative thinking. In Greenwich, the morning begins with a series of hands-on challenges inspired by its rich maritime and scientific history.

Mini-Project: Charting Trade Routes

Using historical maps, participants work in small groups to trace historical trade routes, discussing the challenges faced by early traders and how these challenges relate to today's global supply chains.

Skills Developed:

- **Critical Thinking:** Analysing historical decisions and their modern implications.
- **Collaboration:** Coordinating group efforts to build a coherent narrative.

Creative Challenge: Time Travellers at the Prime Meridian

At the Royal Observatory, participants imagine they are time travellers explaining the concept of time zones and the Prime Meridian to people from the 18th century. They must deliver a short, imaginative presentation using props provided on-site.

Skills Developed:

- **Communication:** Delivering an engaging and creative explanation.
- **Creativity:** Using props innovatively to bring the concept to life.

Lunch: Enjoy a hearty and relaxed meal at The Gipsy Moth, a charming gastropub near the Cutty Sark. Over lunch, participants discuss the morning's activities, focusing on how challenges like navigating trade routes relate to modern-day teamwork and problem-solving.



Afternoon: Creativity and Problem-Solving at the Tate Modern

Activity Overview:

After lunch, we travel by riverboat along the Thames to the Tate Modern, one of London's most iconic contemporary art spaces. This journey offers a chance to reflect on the evolution of the Thames from a working river to a symbol of cultural exchange.

Team Task: Storytelling Through Art

Participants choose a modern installation or artwork that resonates with them. Working in teams, they create a mini digital storytelling project, using their interpretation of the artwork to convey a powerful message about a global issue.

Skills Developed:

- **Creativity:** Thinking beyond the obvious to interpret art in a new way.
- **Communication:** Conveying a clear and engaging narrative.

Interactive Workshop: "Challenge the Norm"

In this guided session, participants explore how art challenges societal norms. They discuss parallels between these artistic challenges and their own potential to drive change in their lives and careers.

Skills Developed:

- **Critical Thinking:** Questioning established ideas and considering alternative perspectives.
- **Commitment to Excellence:** Developing insights with depth and originality.

Dinner: The Swan at Shakespeare's Globe - A stunning location overlooking the Thames, The Swan provides a perfect setting for dinner. Participants share reflections on how the day's activities relate to their own lives, with a focus on the skills clusters.

Discussion Prompt: What have you learned today about collaboration and creativity that you can apply in your own career or personal goals?

Summary

- **Integrated Learning:** By tying historical and cultural exploration to specific skill-building tasks, the day immerses participants in London's rich heritage while ensuring tangible takeaways that resonate with modern challenges.
- **Hands-On Challenges:** Activities like the Time Travelers presentation and the digital storytelling project push participants out of their comfort zones, fostering creativity and confidence.