



INTRODUCING DUNDEE

Dundee is Scotland's fourth largest city and has a population of about 150,000. It is multicultural, diverse city, bursting with life and energy. It's recently been described as "Britain's coolest little city" (GQ Magazine) Dundee is both an affordable city to live in and a safe place to be.

LOCATION

Dundee is in an idyllic location hugging the banks of the Tay Estuary on Scotland's East Coast, and enjoys more hours of sunshine, the purest air quality and more green spaces than any other Scottish City.

The city is at the heart of Scotland's road and rail network. Scotland's four main airports also make it easy (and affordable) to reach the main centres of the UK and Europe, and the new Dundee-Amsterdam route opens up even more possibilities for travel

Travel times Dundee to...

Edinburgh - 1hr 10mins

Glasgow - 1hr 30mins

Manchester - 5hrs

London - 6hrs

Scottish airport flights to...

Amsterdam - 1hr 25 mins Paris - 1hr 45 mins

London - 1hr



ART AND CULTURE

The last decade has seen Dundee become a resurgent cultural hub, with its Dundee Contemporary Arts Centre, Rep Theatre, McManus Galleries, Science Centre, Transport Museum, a public observatory and much more.

The V&A Dundee Museum of Design, part of the £1 billion Waterfront project, opened in 2018. Designed by the renowned Japanese architect, Kengo Kuma, it brings the best in international design and world class exhibitions to Scotland. It sits alongside Captain Scott's Antarctic ship, The RSS Discovery, at the heart of the city.

Dundee was a finalist in the UK City of Culture 2017 and became the UK's first UNESCO City of Design in 2014.

UNIVERSITY CITY

Dundee is home to two Universities, The University of Dundee and Abertay University. The city's Ninewells Hospital is a major teaching hospital where Dundee University's medical trainees study. Alongside these are Dundee University's Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art and Design, and tertiary education opportunities at Dundee and Angus College.

FOOD AND DRINK

Dundee is home to an ever-increasing range of foods from all over the world. Alongside the traditional Scottish dining, the city boasts an enviable range of eateries representing the best of Indian, Italian, Chinese, Japanese, Thai, Turkish, Mexican and more. The burgeoning coffee shop scene in Dundee provides a range of chains and independent coffee specialists, quiet places to read, or venues for live music.

SHOPPING

Dundee is a major regional shopping hub, with a large range of major retailers and quirky independents. Some of these like Groucho's Record Store (pictured) is a Dundee institution.

PARKS AND OPEN SPACES

Dundee is an exceptionally green city with 59 parks and more green space per head of population than anywhere in the UK. The city's location, within a short drive of some of Scotland's great coastlines, lochs, mountains and rivers mean that outdoor activities from walking, climbing, skiing, to observing wildlife are within easy reach. Historic Edinburgh is only an hour away by train.

CHURCH LIFE

Dundee is home to a wide-variety of evangelical churches in most denominations, streams and styles. There are large city centre churches with major preaching ministries (Baptist and Presbyterian), small church plants in housing areas (Free Church and Baptist), a range of churches from the Brethren tradition, new churches in a range of streams from New Frontiers to RCCOG, Pentecostals, and Independents and more. There are a wide range of children's and youth ministries working in Dundee as well as active student ministries on campus.