



## School Group 5 Day Itinerary

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Jersey is the perfect island break - somewhere a little way apart, a little bit different, ever so slightly exotic. A place where you can experience the unique character of land, coast, beach and sea, a place where you can relax and just be yourself. Small in square miles but big in places to go and things to see, Jersey's close proximity makes it easy to fit plenty into your island break.

### Itinerary Highlights

- Foraging for food and making fires
- Surfing the Atlantic Swell
- Discovering the islands occupation story
- Watching the sun set whilst exploring the coast on a paddle board
- Last night mayhem with a trampoline disco

### Day 1

Arrive in the morning from one of the many UK airports that serve Jersey or use Condor Ferries from the UK and France. Full details on airlines and routes here [www.jersey.com/getting-here](http://www.jersey.com/getting-here)

### Stay

Head straight to the [Jersey Accommodation and Activity Centre](#) (JAAC) and get settled in. Located in St. Martin on the east coast it is Jersey's only residential adventure and activity centre. Years of experience with school groups means they could be your perfect partner when planning your trip to Jersey.

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## Afternoon and Evening

Take the short walk down to Long Beach in the Parish of Grouville and let the group stretch their legs and burn off some energy with an afternoon of beach games. Head back to the JAAC where dinner can be waiting for your group.

## Day 2

There are many events and tours to choose from during your visit to Jersey that will allow you to experience Jersey's beautiful landscape as well as help you to understand the island's rich food heritage. A heritage shaped by a history of Nazi occupation, miles of beaches, crystal clear waters and a rich and fertile land. Our local guides will inspire you with stories of foraging for food during the Nazi occupation, to how we are home to one of the rarest seafood delicacies in the world - the Ormer.

## Morning

[Foraging with Kazz from Wild Adventures](#). Discover wilder parts of the island finding wild edible and medicinal plants, using natural navigating skills, making cordage using plants and trees, and finally the great achievement of making fire by friction or other more modern methods.

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## Lunch

Either arrange with the JAAC for a packed lunch or give [The Line Up](#) a call and pre-order lunch for the group. A relaxed beach shack where the kids can eat on the beach or sit on the sea wall watching the Atlantic swell.

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## Afternoon

Jersey has some of the best waves in the UK. We're old school. We've been teaching the world to surf since we opened the first surf school in Europe back in 1914. Warmed by the gulf stream and powered by Atlantic swell, there's no better rush than paddling out to clean waves in Jersey's west coast. Winter warrior or summer surfer, point break or newbie, anyone can zip into a wetsuit, grab a board and paddle out year round.

Spend the afternoon in the capable hands of the [Splash Surf Centre](#) these guys are passionate about surfing, love school groups and introducing the kids to the water. They are able to tailor make a surf programme to suit all surf levels, timescales and budgets and as a sister company to Absolute Adventures, on the rare occasions that the conditions aren't suitable for surfing they will be able to provide an alternative that will be

just as exciting for the kids. They are an Adventuremark and ISA approved centre and have been welcoming local and visiting schools for years. Any group size can be accommodated, with a rotation of shore activities and surfing.

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## Evening

Back to the JAAC for some down time and a BBQ for dinner. After dinner take advantage of the many facilities within the grounds which are free for residents; table tennis, croquet, football, volleyball, garden chess and boules.

## Day 3

### Morning

Spend the morning immersing young minds in the in the true story of wartime Jersey at the [Jersey War Tunnels](#). A great place to get a true picture of what life was really like in Jersey during WWII. The exhibition is housed within an underground tunnel complex, built by the Germans using slave labour. By bringing the occupation to life, the exhibits help today's young people to appreciate the hardship, the heartache and the heroism of this period.

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### Afternoon

Head into St. Helier for an afternoon of exploring the islands capital.

Explore the [The Central and Beresford Street Markets](#) a great place to see first-hand some of Jersey's freshest produce. The markets are an integral part of Jersey's heritage and a source of pride for many islanders and have served the community for over 200 years. Both markets are lively, full of colours and smells and home to a wide range of local produce, crafts, goods and services.

Discover the [Jersey Museum and Art Gallery](#), which showcases history from 250,000 years ago when the first people arrived in Jersey and continues through the centuries to explore the elements that have shaped this unique Island and the people who live here.

### Evening

The beach at St. Brelade's is thought by many to be the most beautiful on the island and shouldn't be missed from your itinerary. Order take-away pizza from perhaps the most idyllically situated [Pizza Express](#) in the British Isles and eat on the beach with sand between your toes.

Once the kids have eaten, gear up for an evening of adrenaline on mega fun inflatable rides or perhaps a calmer sunset stand up paddle boarding or kayaking session with the professional team at [Absolute Adventures](#). Activities are suitable for people of all ages and abilities and these guys are very experienced in looking after local and visiting school groups.

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## Day 4

So often children are told where to be and when, why not offer the group a choice for today's activities? [Jersey Adventures](#) can plan a variety of activities either around the island or based at the JAAC. The ideas can be as wild as your imagination, abseiling off of Mont Orgueil Castle, coastering, climbing, blo-karting, paint balling, disc golf and bushcraft. Break into smaller groups and spend day making amazing memories.

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## Evening

Let your hair down on your last night with a pumping disco organised by the JAAC, or step it up a notch and book in for a disco session at the islands newest attraction [Jump Jersey](#). A 2 hour trampolining disco, with a live DJ and full lighting show including access to all of the trampolines, dodge ball, foam pit, ninja warrior course and total wipe-out machine.

## Day 5

Before heading off to the airport for your return flight, squeeze in one last experience and stop in at [Jersey Zoo](#) the first ever conservation-themed zoo opened by the legendary Gerald Durrell. 60 years later, this haven for animal is the natural place to discover some of the world's most incredible creatures. Supporting activity sheets or taught sessions with zoo staff can be organised to enhance your visit.

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