

## Liverpool Fact Sheet

- Home to more museums and galleries than anywhere outside of London
- Liverpool has the most Grade II-listed buildings outside of London
- The Royal Albert Dock is the largest collection of Grade I-listed buildings in the UK
- A UNESCO City of Music
- Liverpool was European Capital of Culture in 2008
- Liverpool played host to the Eurovision Song Contest in 2023
- A train from London Euston will take passengers to Liverpool in a little over 2 hours
- Liverpool Chinatown is home to the largest Chinese Arch in Europe (14 metres tall)
- The Grand National takes place in Liverpool every year
- There are 3 universities in Liverpool University of Liverpool, Liverpool John Moores University and Liverpool Hope University
- Liverpool is the 3rd 'Friendliest City in the UK' (Conde Nast Traveller 2022 Readers Choice)
- The clock faces on the Royal Liver Building are the largest in the country
- The most filmed city outside of London, often doubling for New York
- The world's first School of Tropical Medicine and still a world leader in infectious disease research
- The world's first commercial wet dock was built in Liverpool in 1715
- Liverpool Anglican Cathedral is the largest in Britain and 5th largest in the world
- Liverpool was the first city in the world to open a lending library
- Home to both Cunard and the White Star Line
- The railway between Liverpool and Manchester was the first passenger line of its kind
- Home to two Premier League Football Clubs, Liverpool FC and Everton FC
- Liverpool FC have won the European Cup Six times in their history
- Home to one of the top 25 high performance computing systems in the world
- University of Liverpool is a UK centre for world-leading computer science research
- More than 42 million visitors every year to the region (as at 2021)
- Overall value of tourism to the region is £3.58bn (as at 2021)
- The Visitor Economy supports in excess of 38,000 jobs (as at 2021)
- Liverpool City Region has more than 11,500 bedrooms available
- 80 different languages are spoken to Liverpool
- The oldest Chinatown in Europe is in Liverpool
- Liverpool has been named as one of the top 25 destinations to visit in Europe in Tripadvisor's Travellers' Choice Awards 2022
- The Liverpool City Region is home to one of the world's largest concentrations of offshore wind farms
- We have significant expertise in maritime energy, hydrogen and waste transformation
- The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust and Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust are awarded Centres of Excellence
- Sensor City is one of the world's only incubators dedicated to sensor and IoT technologies
- Home to the largest supercomputer facility for industrial applications in the UK