Kuwait

Inbound tourism overview

**Annual visits**

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<td>2014</td>
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Global ranking for inbound visits to the UK in 2018: #43

**Seasonal spread of travel (2019)**

- **Winter** (Jan–Mar): 20%
- **Spring** (Apr–Jun): 12%
- **Summer** (Jul–Sep): 40%
- **Autumn** (Oct–Dec): 28%

**Regional spread of travel (2019)**

- **London**: 76%
- **Rest of England**: 23%
- **Scotland**: 3%
- **Wales**: 5%

Purpose of travel (2019)

- **Holiday**: 69%
- **VFR***: 17%
- **Misc**: 7%
- **Study**: 2%
- **Business**: 5%

Departure & destination airports** (2019)

- **London Heathrow**
- **London Gatwick**
- **Kuwait**

Average flight seats per week (2019): 5,745

Average length of stay (2019): 12 nights

*Visiting friends and/or relatives, ** direct, non-stopping flights only.

Sources: *International Passenger Survey (IPS), **Apex.