



The UWI Mona Campus Culture & Heritage Tour

Relive the Past, Embrace the Present



Spirit of Freedom Tour

Enjoy a brief excursion into the unique past of our island's history from the 17th century onwards by traversing the monuments of the UWI Mona Campus.

Experience the transformation of the old plantation grounds into a refugee camp, "Gibraltar Camp", at the beginning of the Second World War in 1939.

Accompany our tour guides on a journey as they take you through the origin of the University of the West Indies (*the University College of the West Indies*) and the integral role Her Royal Highness, Countess of Athlone and granddaughter of Queen Victoria played in the formation of the UWI.

Highlights:

Official Jamaican National Heritage Sites, Ruins of Papine & Mona Estates, The UWI Chapel, The Commandant's and Deputy Commandant House for Gibraltar Camp, Old Dramatic Arts Theatre (former Recreation Centre on the Gibraltar Camp), Old Library (Former site of the Sacred Heart Church associated with the Gibraltar Camp), Gibraltar Monument

Tour Time: 1.5 hours
Starting Point for Tour:
Mona Visitors Parking
Lot
Number of Extended
Stops: 2
Number of sites: 26

Cost: \$30.00
USD

Book your tour of the UWI World War II Story: The Gibraltar Camp Experience now at

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