

# What happened to me at the Battle of Culloden?

Find out at the new Culloden Battlefield experience  
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## The course of history changed at Culloden on 16 April 1746.



It was here that the Jacobite army fought to reclaim the throne of Britain from the Hanoverians for a Stuart king. The British army was equally determined to stop this happening. The ferocious European war had come to Scotland - dividing families and setting clan against clan.

With over 1,200 dead in just one hour Culloden was a short but bloody battle – the last to be fought on British soil. Its outcome was not a foregone conclusion but the odds were stacked against the Jacobites.

Stand where the fighting took place and feel the emotion of this brutal battle.



## With the new visitor centre and exhibition now open there's so much more to experience at Culloden Battlefield



- Follow genuine characters who were involved in the Battle of Culloden around the new interactive exhibition. Their accounts bring the events leading up to and beyond the battle alive.



- Use the animated Battle table to provide a bird's eye view of the battlefield's topography and the forces' tactics and understand how these contributed to the outcome. As the clouds part a narration helps you to visualise the sequence of events as the battle is re-enacted before your eyes using the latest graphic technology.



- Imagine what it was like to be at the centre of the action when you visit the Battle immersion theatre. Here a 4 minute long, 360° film relives the horror of the battle.



- Appreciate the true scale of the battle when you visit the new roof top area. From this platform you'll see a completely different view of the battlefield.



- Walk the battlefield now restored to how it appeared to the opposing forces on that fateful day – 16 April 1746. The upgraded footpaths are suitable for families with prams and those with access needs.

- Participate in daily Living History presentations which bring the battle to life.
- Purchase a Culloden branded memento from the enhanced range of gifts available at the shop, to remind you of your visit.
- Make use of the centre's modern, environmentally friendly facilities.
- Book the dedicated facilities for education meetings, research, presentations, seminars, product launches and functions.
- Enjoy the restaurant with a range of dishes to suit all.

# Culloden Battlefield Guide

For a really unique experience, try the new Culloden battlefield guide and immerse yourself in the story of a momentous day as you visit the site of the last pitched battle on British soil.

With specially written audio and supporting illustrations and video, the portable guide's compelling content is triggered automatically as you explore Culloden Moor at your own pace.

Pick up a battlefield guide at the new visitor centre and be transported back more than 250 years.



Price included with exhibition admission



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# Visit today and find out what happened

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### Getting here:

Culloden Battlefield, Culloden Moor, Inverness, IV2 5EU

-  – 5m east of Inverness on the B9006.
-  – NCN1,7
-  – Rapsons no.12 bus from the Post Office, Queensgate, Inverness (01463 71055)  
May to September City Sightseeing tour bus from the Tourist Information Centre, Bridge St, Inverness ([www.city-sightseeing.com](http://www.city-sightseeing.com))
-  – Inverness station 6m. Direct rail to Aberdeen, Edinburgh, Perth and Stirling.
-  – Inverness airport 3m. Direct flights to Belfast, Birmingham, Bristol, Dublin, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Kirkwall, Leeds Bradford, Liverpool, London Gatwick, London Luton, Manchester, Stornoway, Sumburgh.

### Opening times:

**Visitor centre and exhibition:**

Winter - 10am - 4pm (November - March)

Summer - 9am - 6pm (April - October)

**Battlefield:** all year, daily

Last admission to exhibition 30 minutes prior to close.

