



Celebrate the festive magic this season at Warner Bros. Studio Tour London – The Making of Harry Potter



Bringing back a touch of seasonal sparkle, the beloved Hogwarts in the Snow feature and Dinner in the Great Hall returns to Warner Bros. Studio Tour London, inviting fans to experience the spellbinding winter transformation from 14th November 2026 to 17th January 2027.

The Great Hall will be beautifully adorned in its traditional festive dress, lined with towering Christmas trees, decorated with baubles and ornaments, topped with flying witches and the iconic seasonal feast will cover the Hogwarts house tables. Visitors can also enjoy a close-up demonstration of the giant Christmas puddings as they burst into flames before their eyes.

Visitors can enjoy a new scene for 2026, set in the iconic Great Hall, where Harry and Ron's game of Wizard's Chess unfolds before they bid farewell to Hermione as she leaves to spend Christmas at home.





Fans can explore how Hagrid was brought to life through a demonstration of the animatronic head used in the films, set beside the snowy scene where he hauls a huge Christmas tree across the Hogwarts grounds and into the castle, showcasing the remarkable craftsmanship behind the magic.

Visitors are encouraged to step up and learn part of the Yule Ball waltz, that fans are introduced to in *Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire*, where Professor McGonagall teaches the dance to Gryffindors. Taking place by the Defence Against the Dark Arts classroom, this interactive moment invites visitors to embrace the scene themselves, guided through the elegant dance and bringing a touch of the Hogwarts tradition to life.

The Backlot Stage will transform into a new festive foley demonstration, revealing how the sounds of winter in the wizarding world were created, exploring how the effects were enhanced in post-production and how sound artists carefully crafted the noise of crunching snow, fire crackling and ice forming to bring magical moments to life on-screen.

The Studio Tour Backlot, home to Mr Weasley's Ford Anglia and Hagrid's motorbike, will be showcased for the first time ever against a Hogwarts in the Snow themed backdrop, creating the perfect photo opportunity.

Warm mulled drinks await in the brand-new Bubbles in the Backlot area which launched earlier in the year, offering visitors a toasty festive pause to indulge among the magic. Alongside a variety of exclusive menu choices available throughout the Studio Tour, including for the first time ever a yule-tide Hogwarts in the Snow Afternoon Tea at The Hogwarts Table.



Fan-favourite sets including the Gryffindor common room, Diagon Alley and the Forbidden Forest will have a festive makeover for the season, equipped with filmmaking snow, homemade Christmas cards and decorations. The breathtaking Hogwarts castle model will once again be blanketed in snow, created using the same techniques used by filmmakers during production and visitors can take a closer look at how these wintry effects were achieved and get hands on at the snow station. Returning visitors may remember a beloved Studio Tour tradition, a hidden snowman tucked somewhere within the Hogwarts castle model. Fans are once again advised to keep their eyes peeled as they wander past, they might just spot the snowman bringing a touch of festive mischief to the set.



Celebrate the season with the unforgettable evening event Dinner in the Great Hall, where guests are welcomed with drinks and canapés before taking their seats for a three-course meal in the enchanted set, ahead of exploring the Studio Tour after hours. Throughout the evening, guests will enjoy a signature cocktail or mocktail outside the Potions classroom. Guests will also receive a range of magical extras, including Butterbeer, green screen experiences and a photo snow globe take home souvenir.

Hogwarts in the Snow will run from 14th November 2026 to 17th January 2027. Tickets are on sale now and must be pre-booked, all extra features are included in the ticket price.

Dinner in the Great Hall will take place on 9th December, with a special family specific evening on 4th December. Tickets can be purchased on 2nd July at 10am here <https://www.wbstudiotour.co.uk/whats-on/dinner-in-the-great-hall-events/>

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About Warner Bros. Studio Tour London:

Warner Bros. Studio Tour London – The Making of Harry Potter opened its doors to visitors on 31st March 2012. The highly rated attraction offers visitors the ultimate chance to get up close to authentic sets to discover the magic behind spellbinding special effects and explore the behind-the-scenes secrets of the Harry Potter film series. Visitors can explore the original Great Hall, step into the Forbidden Forest, discover Gringotts Wizarding Bank and pull out a Mandrake in Professor Sprout's Greenhouse all before marvelling at the breath-taking miniature scale model of Hogwarts castle.

The Studio Tour has been well received with 96% of the 46,000+ reviews on TripAdvisor rating it as 'Excellent' or 'Very Good' and over 80,000 4- or 5-star ratings on Google Reviews. Tickets must be pre-booked at www.wbstudiotour.co.uk and cannot be bought at the attraction.

About the Harry Potter franchise:

From the moment eleven-year-old Harry Potter met Rubeus Hagrid, Keeper of Keys and Grounds at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, his adventures have left an indelible mark on popular culture. Today, over 25 years later, the Harry Potter phenomenon thrives as one of the most successful and best-loved entertainment properties in history.

J.K. Rowling's best-selling Harry Potter novels have been brought to life in an ever-evolving, interconnected universe which is loved by millions of fans worldwide. Eight blockbuster Harry Potter films and three epic Fantastic Beasts films bring the spellbinding action to life on screen, *Harry Potter and the Cursed Child* mesmerises on stage, full-cast and single-voice audiobook productions bring the written words to life, and state-of-the-art video and mobile games from Portkey Games allow players to experience the wizarding world like never before. Fans can proudly showcase their passion through innovative consumer products, and thrill at spectacular location-based experiences - including themed lands at six Universal Destinations and Experiences theme parks around the world.

This expanding portfolio of Warner Bros. Discovery-owned Harry Potter and Fantastic Beasts offerings includes ground-breaking touring experiences and events, each developed to celebrate special moments and locations that fans cherish, as well as Harry Potter Shops in King's Cross,



New York, Chicago, Akasaka, and Harajuku. Wizards, Witches and Muggles alike can also discover something new as they explore behind-the-scenes secrets at Warner Bros. Studio Tour London – The Making of Harry Potter and Warner Bros. Studio Tour Tokyo – The Making of Harry Potter.

With a new HBO Original TV series based on the Harry Potter books on the way, this extended world continues to provide the community with fresh and exciting ways to interact. For its global fans, and for generations to come, it invites everyone in to find the magic for themselves.

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