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# **Self Catering Holiday Cottages : The Basics Explained**

The UK is a wonderful place for a trip away, whether for a flying visit or a longer stay. An increasingly popular accommodation choice is the self catering holiday cottage, and its not hard to see why. These cottages offer you loads of freedom. You can come and go as you please without worrying about hotel rules or restaurant timetables. No one will mind if you dont want breakfast until 10am or if you show up to eat it in your pajamas!

You also get great flexibility in terms of the price. Whether youre on a budget or looking to splash out, there is bound to be a holiday cottage to suit you. The price is based on renting the house for everyone in your party rather than per person, as advertised by many hotels. This means that what you see is what you get with no hidden extras. You can choose a style and size of house to suit you and your budget.

Whether youre looking to stay in a busy market town or a quiet, sleepy hamlet, you are guaranteed to be able to find a lovely self catering cottage thats right for you. The choice over location is one of the best benefits of going with this option. Staying in hotels often means youre confined to typically touristy areas, whereas going with a cottage means you can stay somewhere off the beaten track, experiencing life as it really is in the UK while getting a great deal on the price.

One of the things that can put people off going on holiday is the thought of being without their home comforts for the duration of the break. Staying in a UK holiday cottage, however, means that youll effectively be living in a home away from home. They provide everything you need from the big things such as soft furnishings, bed linen and a stove and right down to the smallest necessity such as can openers and potato peelers. It all adds up to make your break wonderfully relaxing.

Another great benefit of cottages is the privacy that comes with having your own space. Staying in a hotel, you often have to share facilities such as dining rooms and the lounge, but with a self catering property, you get the whole place to yourself. Youll have the security of an emergency contact, but basically youre free to do what you want without worrying people are watching over you. All of this ensures that your break is hassle-free and ideal for anyone looking for a break in the UK.

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