

== The Course ==

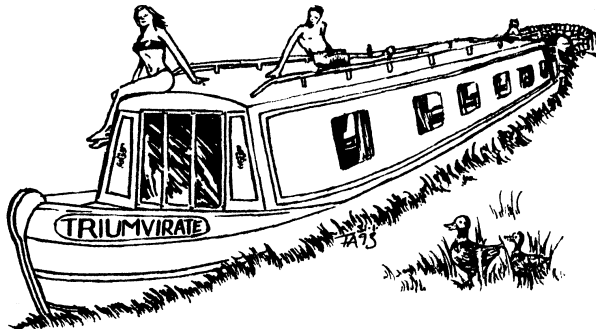
Learning English can be fun! Our courses are for people who can already speak English but who want to enjoy a holiday and learn at the same time. **No beginners please.**

We teach in very small groups. A maximum of nine students are taught by two experienced and qualified teachers. There are 18 teaching sessions of 90 minutes, and while one group is having lessons, the other students are driving the boat, working the locks, chatting or doing private study. We visit various towns and villages along the way and there is plenty of time for sight-seeing and practising your English. We generally stop cruising at about 7pm and moor near a traditional English pub. Musical instruments are very welcome.

We provide a cooked breakfast, a light lunch and the main meal of the day is in the evening after mooring. The meals are prepared on board with fresh produce where available. There is always a vegetarian option and special dietary requirements will be catered for if mentioned at the time of booking.

We usually visit an open air museum or go to see a play. Details of the routes are given in the booking form which you can download from:

www.EnglishAfloat.co.uk



== How to Book ==

If you haven't got a booking form please email us or download it from the website.

- Short Course 1: Sun 15th to Sat 21st June
(this 1 week course is half price - £330)
- Course 2: Sun 22nd June to Sat 5th July
- Course 3: Sun 6th to Sat 19th July
- Course 4: Mon 4th to Sun 17th August 2025

The price is **£660** which includes:

- 27 hours of formal tuition
- 13 nights accommodation
- 3 meals per day cooked on board
- tuition materials
- theatre and museum tickets.

£40 discount for bookings before 1st May
English Afloat is run by a small group of people on a co-operative basis, which is why we keep our prices so low.

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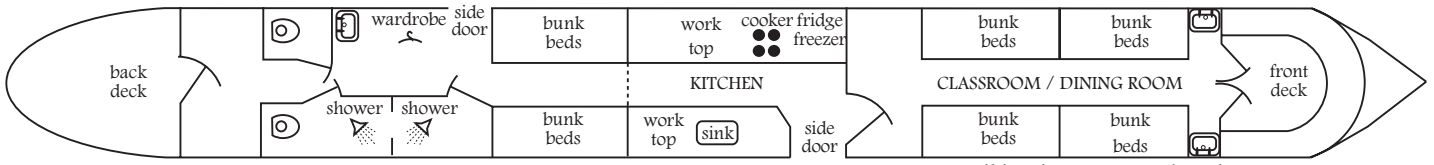
while cruising
through the heart of
England
on a canal boat

The Boat

The original “narrowboats” were pulled by horses. Most of the space on board was for cargo with just a small cabin for the boatman and his family. Modern cruising boats have kept the original length and width of these boats, but offer much higher standards of comfort! Our boat, N.B. Triumvirate, has been fitted out as a purpose-built language school.

The upper bunk beds fold down during the day, making long bench seats. There is storage space for your possessions underneath. The three washbasins and two showers have hot and cold running water and the spacious kitchen is well equipped for preparing meals for large numbers of people. Heating is by warm air blowers.

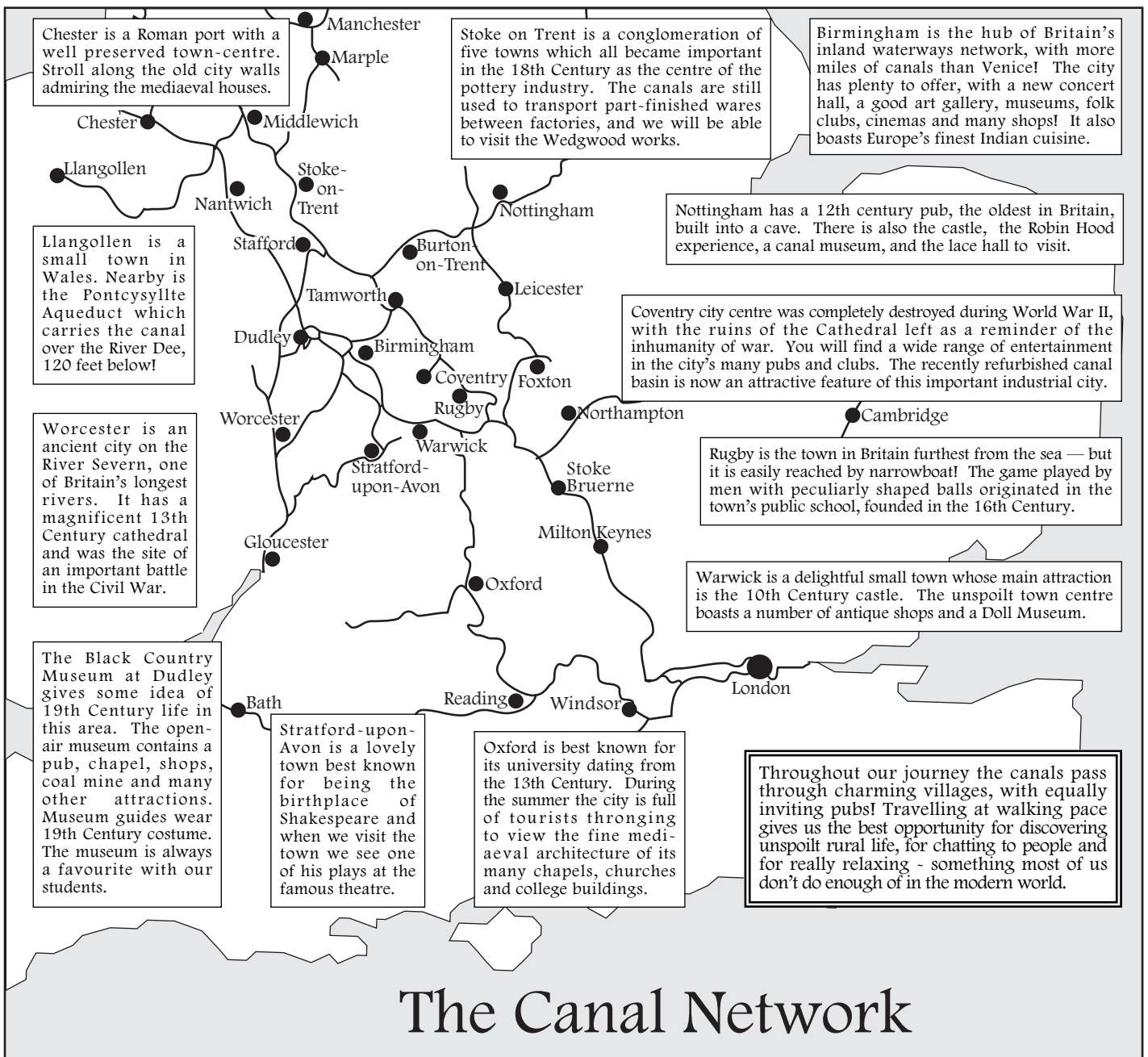
There is seating outside on the front deck for around 7 people (we sometimes have lessons there) and about 30 square metres of roof — great for sunbathing. Even with twelve people aboard the boat is not crowded, but privacy is obviously limited. Fortunately you can always go for a walk along the towpath with no danger of getting left behind.



22 metres long, 2 metres wide

Plan of N.B. TRIUMVIRATE

All bunks convert to bench seats



The Canal Network