



Edinburgh Castle

Description

Perched on top of a long-extinct volcano, the Edinburgh castle was built in the 12th century. It acted as the Scottish Royal Residence until the 15th century, and from there served mostly as military barracks. With 26 sieges throughout its existence, Edinburgh Castle is the most besieged fortress in Great Britain and almost Europe. It contains insightful military museums, the country's Crown jewels and prison cells taking you deep into Scottish history.

Metadata

- City: Edinburgh
- Country: Scotland
- GPS Coordinates: 55.9486° N, 3.1999° W
- Floor Surface in Square Feet: 384669
- Landmarks: Monuments
- Cadastral Number: GB.L.M.E.1