**The History Boys** - **Fountains Abbey and Studley Royal Water Garden**

This acclaimed drama, The History Boys starring Dominic Cooper and James Corden, was shot at Fountains Abbey in 2002. The writer and director Alfonso Cuaron is known to be a big fan of this atmospheric World Heritage Site.

**Robin Hood** - **Devonshire National Nature Reserve (4), Freshwater West (5), Ashridge Estate (6)**

There were scenes used in the 2009 shoot of Robin Hood: The Rebellion, on this spectacular beach. The cliffs were added later using computer magic. At Dovedale National Nature Reserve in the Derbyshire Peak District, the shoot included the family in the film, and the huge action stunts of the battle sequences were shot at Freshwater West in Pembrokeshire, the huge dramatic battle scenes were choreographed and shot over many days on the spectacular beach. The film's set was built using computer magic. At Devonshire National Nature Reserve in the Derbyshire Peak District, the shoot included the family in the film, and the huge action stunts of the battle sequences were shot at Freshwater West in Pembrokeshire, the huge dramatic battle scenes were choreographed and shot over many days on the spectacular beach.

**The Duchess** - **Kedleston Hall**

Key scenes for the entire film were shot at Kedleston Hall in 2007; the property was closed to the nation and visitors of Kedleston Hall for the first time on a filming project. The National Trust gardens had to appear neglected and overgrown, so the Head Gardener was very understanding! For the first time on a filming project the National Trust grounds had to appear neglected and overgrown, so the Head Gardener was very understanding!

**Envy** - **Wimpole Estate**

Key scenes from Noel Coward’s hit musical comedy, Envy, were shot here in 2003. The film was a success but the house was not well received by critics. The two townhouses caught fire in the summer of 2005 and the historic house is now undergoing renovation.

**Miss Potter** - **Osterley Park and House**

Three scenes of the 2007 film Miss Potter were shot at Osterley Park and House; one in the parkland, one in the Long Gallery, and one in the house itself. The family home of Beatrix Potter, where the two lovers were caught in a comic hunting scene.

**Game of Thrones** - **Castle Ward**

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**Larkrise to Candleford** - **Great Chalfield Manor and Garden**

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**Die Another Day** - **Holywell Bay**

Pierce Brosnan as James Bond saves the world again - this time by destroying a secret Korean military base which was built over 4 weeks on this beach in 2001.

**The Other Boleyn Girl** - **Knole**

used for a scene featuring Catherine of Aragon, and horse-riding sequences were recorded in the extensive and timeless parkland. Two courtyards at the ancient estate of Knole were used to represent scenes of London in the Tudor era; an interior was actually the French Dining Room within the house, and the large bay window and vista provided the perfect setting for the ballroom involving 250 extras, and horses and carriages.

**Sherlock Holmes** - **Clivedon**

Sherlock Holmes met his match, Irene Adler, in a beautiful hotel bedroom - actually the French Dining Room within the Clivedon Hotel, which was built over 4 weeks on this beach in 2001. We learn about the many famous families who have owned this well-loved TV drama.

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