

London 2012 torch relay

The Olympic torch will pass through 1,018 places as it visits every region in the UK – including a number of islands – travelling 8,000 miles (12,800km) over 70 days next year

OLYMPIC TORCH

Colour:
Gold
embraces
qualities
of Olympic
Flame

Height:
800mm

Weight:
800g,
including
central
propane-
butane
burner



Lightweight
aluminium alloy
skin perforated
by 8,000 circles –
equal to number
of torchbearers

Designed by east London
partnership **Edward Barber**
and **Jay Osgerby**

Triangular form:
Inspired by Olympic
motto – faster, higher
stronger – and London's
three Olympic Games
– in 1908, 1948
and 2012



Olympic
Torch Relay



8,000
torchbearers
run average of
300m each

FINISH July 27 LONDON
Opening Ceremony,
Olympic Stadium

Haringey Waltham Forest
Ealing Bexley
Wandsworth Westminster

START
May 19
Lands End

