

Official Sightseeing Pass



Guidebook 2020

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Please click this to find an online map of all the York Pass City Pass and York & Beyond Pass attractions.



Wishing you an enjoyable #OnlyinYork experience

Thank you for purchasing a York Pass to enjoy a wide range of attractions in and beyond York.

Choose your adventure today with York Pass, experience your choice of 50 York & beyond attractions. Please do take a few moments to read through the following pages to ensure you get the most out of your York Pass. In addition to information on the included attractions, the pages at the back of this guidebook are packed with discount vouchers for Ghost Walks, Escape rooms, Tours and Car & Taxi hire. Need more information? The Visit York Information Centre at 1 Museum Street (close to York Minster) is open seven days a week. The team would be delighted to welcome and assist you with any questions or help book one of the tours listed in York Pass.

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To help you enjoy your York Pass & get the best possible sightseeing experience please take a few moments to read the information below.

How it works



York city pass valid for one day giving you free entry to 26 City Centre attractions plus pizza or pasta at ASK Italian.



York & beyond explorer pass, choose from 2, 3 or 6 days giving you entry to your choice of any of the 50 attractions.



York Pass is activated at the first attraction visited. York Passes are valid for calendar days.

Additional information



- Two & six day passes are valid for consecutive days, three day passes can be used any three days out of six.
- Please note York Pass is not a fast track pass attractions do get busy at peak holiday times and we strongly advise arriving early at popular attractions to beat the queue or later in the afternoon when it can be quieter.
- We recommend York's Chocolate Story tours are booked in advance simply visit the attraction and book a suitable tour time advising you are a York Pass holder.
- Vouchers for both the York City Sightseeing
 Bus Tour and City Cruises must be exchanged
 for a ticket prior to boarding.
- Passes must be exchanged for tickets before boarding the North Yorkshire Moors railway.



Terms & conditions

Pass credits

Each York Pass is subject to a credits value based on the duration of the Pass – please refer to yorkpass.com for a breakdown of the credits value for each Adult & Child York Pass. The credits value is a maximum amount you're able to use based on the standard gate price for each attraction.

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Eboracum. Jorvik. York. This is a city which has always reinvented itself, while never letting go of its past. York's rich blend of staggering history and constant innovation are what make it the foremost city for heritage in the UK; a city with an eclectic range of festivals; a city which will never struggle to find new ways to surprise you. Nowhere can match York as the home for independent traders, independent organisations, and independent minds.



ASK Italian Restaurant

askitalian.co.uk/restaurant/york | 01904 637254

Outstanding Italian cooking in a magnificent historic building.

Dine at the The Grand Assembly Rooms, built almost 300 years ago in the Palladian style of architecture, and you'll be eating in a stunning setting beneath chandeliers and surrounded by Corinthian columns. A choice of Stromboli, Verdure and Margherita Pizzas or Linguine Carbonara, Spaghetti Al Pomodoro and Fettuccine Bolognese available with York Pass. No reservation needed.

WHERE: Blake street York, YO1 8QG WHEN:
Offer can be used
between 3-5pm only





The Bar Convent

bar-convent.org.uk | 01904 643238

One of York's hidden gems, the oldest convent in England offers the warmest of welcomes.

The Bar Convent opened as a Catholic girls' school in 1686, at a time when the faith was still banned in England. Our interactive exhibition tells of the convent's long history. You can also visit our stunning 250 year old secret chapel and enjoy the peace of our walled garden, an assis in the heart of York

WHERE:

17 Blossom Street, York YO24 1AO

WHEN-

10am-5pm Mon-Sat Last admission 4pm





Barley Hall

barleyhall.co.uk | 01904 615505

Barley Hall is a stunning medieval townhouse, once home to the Lord Mayor of York.

Until the 1980's the house was hidden under the relatively modern façade of an office block. Only when the building was going to be destroyed was the amazing medieval building discovered and its history revealed. Now lovingly restored to its original splendour, Barley Hall boasts stunning high ceilings, exposed timber frames, and fascinating exhibitions.

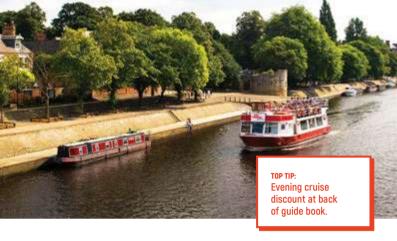
WHERE:

2 Coffee Yard, York YO1 8AR WHEN-

Apr-Oct 10am-5pm Nov-Mar 10am-4pm



Price: Adult £6.50 | Child £3.50



City Cruises York

citycruisesyork.com | 01904 628324

Joining a York City Cruise is the perfect way to escape the city rush and take in the sights, while you relax in the comfortable saloon or on the open top deck.

See historic York from a different perspective. All cruises have an entertaining and informative live captain's commentary and toilet facilities. Cruises depart from both King's Staith and Lendal bridge landings. Our friendly and knowledgeable crew look forward to welcoming you aboard.

WHERE:

King's Staith Landing York YO1 9SN

WHEN-

Regular sailings 10.30am-3pm 1 April-27 Nov & 26 Dec-31 Mar 2021





City Sightseeing Bus Tour

yorkcitysightseeing.com | 01904 633990

We'll take you to the finest attractions York has to offer!

The CitySightseeing York tour will capture the hearts of all ages! With so many things to do and attractions to see, York is the perfect place to hop-on to one of our open top buses and explore the English heritage in more depth. Your ticket is valid for 24 hours, activate your ticket on the tour bus with your driver at any of our 20 stops around the city. You can then complete a full loop of the tour first and then hop-off at all the attractions you want to delve into.

WHERE:

Bootham Tower Exhibition Square, York WHEN:

See website for opening times



Price: Adult £16 | Child £9



Clifford's Tower

english-heritage.org.uk/cliffordstower | 01904 646940

Enjoy 360 degree views from York's top spot, the ideal starting point for any visit to the city.

This imposing tower is almost all that remains of York Castle, built on a mound raised by William The Conqueror. Scale the steps of the ancient mound to enter the mighty castle keep. Begin your self-guided tour on the ground floor, which at one time housed the royal exchequer and treasury. Please note-Clifford's Tower will close in Autumn 2020 for major conservation and display works.

WHERE: Tower Street, York YO1 9SA WHEN: See website for opening times





DIG: An Archaeological Adventure

digyork.com | 01904 615505

DIG gives kids the chance to dig, delve and discover exciting artefacts from York's history!

With four special indoor excavation pits filled with replica Roman, Viking, Medieval and Victorian finds, children can grab a trowel and explore how people lived in these key periods of York's past. DIG offers a unique archaeological adventure to set children on their way to becoming real archaeologists!

WHERE:

St Saviour's Church, York YO1 8NN WHEN:

10am-5pm last admission at 4pm





Fairfax House

fairfaxhouse.co.uk | 01904 655543

One of the finest eighteenth-century townhouses in England, Fairfax House transports you to the world of Georgian Britain.

Originally the winter home of Anne Fairfax and her father – Charles Gregory, 9th Viscount Fairfax – this townhouse's richly decorated interiors, magnificent stucco ceilings and beautiful collection of furniture and clocks unfold a story of life behind closed doors in the Georgian city of York: the food, the fashions and the entertainments.

WHERE:

Castlegate, York YO1 9RN WHEN-

February to December see website for details





Goddards House & Garden

nationaltrust.org.uk/goddards | 01904 771930

Make yourself at home!

Just by the racecourse, discover the Terry family stories and confectionery history (think chocolate orange) at their former home. A warm and welcoming building, full of memories, you're invited to relax in the drawing room with a sherry. Meander through garden rooms, discover the fragrant garden or play croquet and tennis. Enjoy refreshments on the terrace or in the old Terry family dining room.

WHERE:

27 Tadcaster Road, York YO24 1GG WHEN:

See website for opening times



Price: Adult £7.70 | Child £3.85



The Henry VII Experience

henryviiexperience.com | 01904 615505

Discover York's connection to the first Tudor king.

Explore the life of Henry VII as he created a new era in English history, after defeating his rival Richard III. Learn more about his early years as an exiled heir to the throne, in the very gateway where his enemies' heads were displayed on spikes. For the full experience, we recommend also visiting The Richard III Experience at Monk Bar.

WHERE:

Micklegate Bar, York YO1 6JX WHEN-

Apr to Oct 10am-4pm Nov to Mar 10am-3pm





JORVIK Viking Centre

jorvikvikingcentre.co.uk | 01904 615505

Visit JORVIK Viking Centre to discover York's fascinating Viking legacy.

As you journey back to 10th century York, the sights, sounds and even the smells of the Viking Age city are brought vividly back to life with an updated ride experience and state-of-the art galleries to explore. Dig deeper into the Viking story of York by getting close-up with our rare collection of 1,000-year-old-artefacts whilst talking to our friendly Viking hosts.

WHERE:

19 Coppergate, York YO1 9WT WHEN-

Apr to Oct 10am-5pm Nov to Mar 10am-4pm





Merchant Adventurers' Hall

merchantshallyork.org | 01904 654818

Discover one of the finest medieval guildhalls in the world. Home to York's entrepreneurs for 660 years- and counting.

Explore the Merchant Adventurers' Hall and delve into York's entrepreneurial past, present and future following stories of the "mystery of mercers"-business pioneers who make it happen: from the medieval wool trade, via the railways, chocolate and two universities to the 21st century Science City.

WHERE: Fossgate, York YO1 9XD WHEN:

Sun to Fri 10am-4.30pm Sat 10am-1.30pm





National Railway Museum – Road Train

railwaymuseum.org.uk | 0333 016 1010

Travel between York city centre and the National Railway Museum in style on the Road Train.

Catch the Road Train for a unique journey between the National Railway Museum and York Minster. Complete your experience by exploring the museum's unrivalled collection of iconic locomotives and engineering firsts, with free entry for all. Simply show your York Pass to redeem one free Road Train journey per pass (subject to availability, no substitute available).

WHERE:

Leeman Road, York YO26 4XI WHEN:

See website for timings





The Richard III Experience

richardiiiexperience.com | 01904 615505

Follow in the footsteps of the last Plantagenet King.

Explore the life of Richard III as he struggles for the throne and power during his short reign. Located on the City Walls, and visited by Richard III himself, discover for yourself the stories of the Wars of the Roses. For the full experience, we recommend also visiting The Henry VII Experience at Micklegate Bar.

WHERE:

Monk Bar, Goodramgate, York Y01 7L0

WHEN-

Apr to Oct 10am-5pm Nov to Mar 10am-4pm





The Roman Bath

Facebook: York Roman Bath Museum | 01904 620455

How many pubs in Britain can boast a 2,000 year old Roman bath house in the cellar?

Descend 5 metres below the bar room and into the world of the legionaries. Excavated in 1930 while digging a new cellar. A modern steel walkway suspended above the ancient remains now takes visitors through the Tepidarium (warm room), Caldarium (hot steam room) and Frigidarium (cold plunge pool) before returning to the modern world and perhaps a drink at the bar.

WHERE:

St Sampson's Square, York YO1 8RN WHEN: 11am-4pm



Price: Adult £3.50 | Child £2



Treasurer's House

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/treasurershouse | 01904 624247

A house of contradictions.

First given to the National Trust by the wealthy and eccentric industrialist Frank Green in 1930, celebrating 90 years, Treasurer's House is a quirky hidden gem tucked behind York Minster. The house boasts a stunning collection of fine antiques, art and furniture, while the award-winning garden is a haven amidst the bustling city. The Below Stairs Café and garden are free to enter on open days.

WHERE:

Minster Yard, York YO1 7JL

WHEN-

1 Apr-20 Dec 11am-4.30pm Closed 9-13 Nov





Van Gogh Immersive Experience

vangoghexpo.co.uk | Open until 31 August 2020

Take an awe-inspiring 360° journey into the imagination of Van Gogh, one of the world's greatest artists.

Step inside Van Gogh's famous paintings, exploring his life and work as never before in a magical and magnificent spectacle of cutting-edge digital animation, with a captivating sound and light show. This world-class exhibition has been specially created to breathe life into Van Gogh's masterpieces, in a unique and immersive experience for all ages.

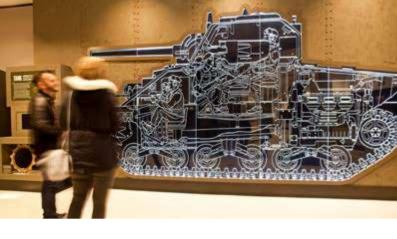
WHERE:

York St Mary's church, Coppergate, York WHEN-

Check website for opening times



Price: Adult £13 | Child £9



York Army Museum

yorkarmymuseum.co.uk | 01904 461010

Come and explore over 300 years of military history at the award-winning York Army Museum.

Get to grips with historic objects and weapon handling, enjoy museum trails and dress-up, and discover the stories of two serving regiments of the British Army: The Royal Dragoon Guards and The Yorkshire Regiment.

WHERE:

3A Tower Street, York YO1 9SB WHEN:

Tue to Sat 10am-5pm





York Art Gallery

yorkartgallery.org.uk | 01904 687687

Spot the Picasso, David Hockney, L.S Lowry and Grayson Perry and surround yourself with some of the best ceramic art in the world, in CoCA – the Centre of Ceramic Art.

This multi-award winning art gallery hosts a changing programme of ground-breaking, inspiring and exciting exhibitions throughout the year that showcases the gallery's most-loved pieces alongside headlining loans. See website for special events and exhibitions.

WHERE: Exhibition Square, York YO1 7FW WHEN: 10am-5pm





York Castle Museum

yorkcastlemuseum.org.uk | 01904 687687

Immerse yourself in 400 years of fascinating social history in this award winning museum of everyday life.

Wander through the cobbled streets of Victorian York on our world famous recreated Street Kirkgate, then venture into the prison cells that once held infamous highwayman Dick Turpin. Return to The Front with the First World War Exhibition, 1914: When the World Changed Forever and discover how our body shape has changed in the last 400 years in the exhibition Shaping the Body.

WHERE: Eye of York, York YO1 9RY WHEN: 9:30am-5pm





York's Chocolate Story

yorkschocolatestory.com | 01904 527765

Discover the stories behind the greatest names in chocolate and unwrap the secrets of chocolate making.

The attraction is a fully guided tour over three floors of interactive exploration that takes you on a unique journey of how chocolate made history. Find out how the confectionery families of York invented your favourite chocolate bars. Meet the expert chocolatiers behind the scenes and see them in action with a live chocolate making demonstration.

WHERE: King's Square, York YO1 71 D WHEN: Daily 10am-4pm





York Cold War Bunker

english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/vork-cold-war-bunker | 01904 646940

York Cold War Bunker is a true gem in the city of York.

A modern and spine chilling property, this is a visitor attraction which uncovers the secret of Britain's Cold War. Enter through blast-proof doors and experience an expert-led guided tour of the more unusual side of York's heritage. Visits are by guided tour, lasting one hour, enhanced by a striking 10 minute film (PG rated) telling the story of the Cold War. The property is just 2 miles from the city centre.

WHERE:

Monument Close, York YO24 4HT

WHEN-

See website for opening times





The York Dungeon

thedungeons.com/york | 01904 632599

Live and breathe over 2000 years of York's darkest history... if you dare.

The York Dungeon is a journey into more than 2000 years of York's darkest history, bringing together iconic characters, immersive sets and thrilling special-effects in a unique and exciting actor led experience that you see, hear, feel and smell. Find out the real story of York!

WHERE:

12 Clifford Street, York YO1 9RD WHEN:

See website for opening times





York Mansion House

mansionhouseyork.com | 01904 553663

Welcome to York Mansion House, a Georgian architectural gem right in the heart of York.

Drop in for a self-led tour of our beautiful gold and silver collections, wander through the glorious rooms of this living city house and see how every Lord Mayor has danced, dined and entertained for nearly 300 years.

WHERE:

St Helen's Square, York Y01 901 WHEN-

Wed to Sun: 10.30am-5pm Bank Holidays: 10.30am-5pm





York Minster

yorkminster.org | 01904 557200

Discover one of the world's most magnificent cathedrals. York Minster is a masterpiece in stained glass and stone, with nearly 2,000 years of history to discover.

Join our expert guides for a free guided tour exploring the building's fascinating stories, or venture below ground to see the Roman ruins in our interactive Undercroft museum. For the best panoramic views in York, climb the Central Tower's 275 steps (extra charges apply).

WHERE: Deangate, York YO1 7HH WHEN:

Mon to Sat 9am-4.30pm Sun 12.30-3pm







Yorkshire Museum

yorkshiremuseum.org.uk | 01904 687687

The Yorkshire Museum houses some of the finest collections of archaeological and geological finds in Europe.

Walk on a genuine Roman mosaic floor, marvel at one of the country's greatest treasures – the beautiful Middleham Jewel – and be amazed by the Middlesbrough meteorite that is four and a half billion years old – all in the heart of the city. See website for special events and exhibitions.

WHERE:

York Museum Gardens, York YO1 7FR WHEN: 10am-5pm



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shamblesmarket.com





With a York & beyond explorer pass you can discover the spectacular North York Moors, Dalby Forest, Scarborough, Helmsley and The Yorkshire Dales.

Escape the city crowds and discover centuries of history and breathtaking landscapes right on the doorstep of York. Castle Howard is a treasure trove of architecture and interiors. Sit back, relax and enjoy the scenery of the North York Moors aboard a steam train to Whitby the home of great fish and chips on the North Yorkshire Moors railway. Scarborough offers a traditional day at the seaside with lots of fun to be had at the North Bay Railway or Sealife Centre with York Pass.

Staying longer with a six day pass?
Enjoy a trip to the Dales or Whiby with BOBH tours (page 41) or a brewery tour with Brewtown Tours (page 40).

How to get there

Whitby can be reached by boarding the North Yorkshire Moors Railway at Pickering. Travelling to Pickering by either car, taxi or bus. If travelling by car please do allow plenty of time for your journey as the roads of North Yorkshire can be busy during peak holiday time. For more information & advice on the best way to get there please call into the Visit York Information Centre at 1 Museum Street, York or call 01904 555670.







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	1hr 20min	2hr 10min	1hr 20min
Scarborough yorkbus.co.uk tpexpress.co.uk	train: 50min	ви s 843: 1hr 45min	car: 1hr 20min
Helmsley	TRAIN:	BUS 31X:	car:
yorkbus.co.uk	-	1hr 20min	50min
Castle Howard	TRAIN:	BUS 181:	car:
yorkbus.co.uk	-	1hr 5min	40min



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Brewtown Brewery Tours

brewtowntours.co.uk | 077 3862 3862

Enjoy a Yorkshire brewery tour.

Available with the 6-Day Pass only, Hop on the Brewtown minibus for a friendly, small group guided tour and enjoy a true taste of God's own county with our selection of Yorkshire brewery tours. Visit a few amazing independent breweries in and around York. Meet the brewers, listen to their stories, learn all about the beer making process and enjoy a few samples along the way.

WHERE:

York Tap, York Station, YO24 1AB WHEN:

Wed-Fri Tour departs 11.30am



Price: Adult £70 over 18s only



BOBH - Day Trips from York

bobholidays.com | 01609 779933

Available with the 6 Day Pass only, join a friendly, small-group, guided tour to explore Yorkshire.

Yorkshire Dales National Park
North York Moors & Whitby
Haworth & Brontë Country
Trips must be booked in advance by email
enquiries@bobholidays.com or telephone 01609 779933,
or the Visit York Information Centre can process your booking.

WHERE:

Opposite the Dean Court Hotel WHEN:

Tours Depart 9am February to December





York Maze

yorkmaze.co.uk | 01904 607341

Lose yourself in a world of fun at Yorkshire's AMAZING family day out!

Get lost in Europe's biggest maize maze, have a laugh on the Crowmania ride and enter Kernel Kernel's House of Cornfusion. With over 20 rides, shows and attractions you'll be amazed just how much there is to do! Winner of Visit York Large Attraction of the Year 2018, Best Tourism Experience and Best Family Day Out.

WHERE:

Elvington Lane, York Y019 5LT WHEN:

11 July-7 September



See website for prices



Yorkshire Air Museum

yorkshireairmuseum.org | 01904 608595

Discover over a century of aviation on a historic World War II airbase.

Our Museum enjoys a completely unique history, being home to thousands of allied aircrew flying the Halifax Bomber during WWII. Experience the authentic WWII feel of a former bomber station while being blown away by our extensive aircraft collection. Allow 3 hours to visit all our exhibitions, climb onboard cockpits and enjoy our restaurant and shop.

WHERE:

Halifax Way, Elvington, York YO41 4AU WHEN-

10am-5pm 4pm during Winter



North York Moors

From dramatic coastlines and picturesque dales to enchanting forests and carpets of purple heather, you'll find an adventure worth discovering within 20 miles of York. Visit Castles, Stately Homes and take a trip on the North Yorkshire Moors Railway.





Castle Howard

castlehoward.co.uk | 01653 648621

Built over 300 years ago, Castle Howard commands breath-taking views across sweeping countryside.

In the house, visitors can discover a treasure trove of architecture, interiors and world-renowned collections. Explore 1,000 acres of parkland with meandering woodland paths, lakeside terraces, temples, fountains and the Walled Garden. For youngsters, the Adventure Playground offers endless fun.

WHERE: York YO60 7DA WHEN: See website for opening times





Captain Cook Museum Whitby

cookmuseumwhitby.co.uk | 01947 601900

Where James Cook Lodged, 1746-1749.

17th century house. 18th century collections tell the Cook story. Original letters written by Cook and associates, paintings by the voyage artists, maps, ship models and Pacific artefacts. Special exhibition about Joseph Banks, botanist on Endeavour Voyage "The Celebrated Mr Banks. Reputation and Legacy" Whitby, with its old town,museums and medieval abbey is a rewarding day out from York.

WHERE: Grape Lane, Whitby YO22 4BA WHEN: See website for opening times





Dalby Forest

forestryengland.uk/dalbyforest | 01751 460295

Located north of York, Dalby Forest is nestled on the southern slopes of the beautiful North York Moors National Park.

Discover the magic of our unique landscape by hiring bikes, following walking trails or going for a run. We also hold events year-round. Varied terrain means you are regularly rewarded with breathtaking views and the chance to spot wildlife. Or, you can just enjoy a relaxing coffee amid inspiring scenery!

WHERE: Low Dalby, Pickering YO18 7LT WHEN: Open 8am-8pm





Pickering Castle

english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/pickering-castle | 01751 474989

Pickering Castle is a motte-and-bailey fortification in Pickering.

Set in the attractive Moors-edge market town of Pickering this splendid 13th century castle has a fascinating history having been an important fortress, royal hunting lodge, holiday home and a stud farm.

WHERE:

Castlegate, Pickering YO18 7AX WHEN:

See website for opening times





North Yorkshire Moors Railway

nymr.co.uk | 01751 472508

One of the world's greatest heritage railway experiences with thrills and family fun at its heart.

Climb on-board a steam or heritage diesel train and experience 24 miles of Yorkshire's amazing scenery at this must-see visitor attraction. Trains run daily from the market town of Pickering to the seaside at Whitby, calling at Levisham, Goathland and Grosmont along the way. York Pass includes a return journey from Pickering to Whitby only.

WHERE:

Pickering Station, Pickering Y018 7AJ WHEN-

Running daily from 6 Apr to 1 Nov 2020





The Yorkshire Arboretum

yorkshirearboretum.org | 01653 648598

120 acres of peace and tranquillity in the heart of North Yorkshire.

Experience outstanding natural beauty in this stunning sheltered valley, just 30 minutes from York. A botanically diverse tree collection, wildflower meadows, sweeping vistas and native fauna. Wander off and explore peaceful hidden glades, follow a tree trail, or simply relax and enjoy the views. It's yours to explore...

WHERE:

Castle Howard, York YO60 7BY WHEN-

7 March-30 November 10am-4pm



Price: Adult £7 Child £3.50

Scarborough

The Yorkshire Coast has unspoilt treasures, breathtaking landscapes and friendly hospitality that attracts visitors year after year. Scarborough is a traditional seaside resort with sandy beaches, rock pools, surf, colourful beach huts plus some great visitor attractions.





North Bay Railway & Sky Trail

nbr.org.uk | 01723 368791

Have a great family day at North Bay Railway.

The locomotives, scenery and history of the railway all add up to make a fantastic day out. Now more than just a railway bring your family to explore the Sky Trail our 2 storey ropes and beam course, experience thrills on the Historic Water Chute, face the challenge of the Water Walking Balls or take things more leisurely on the boating lake. Regular trains to the Sea Life Centre.

WHERE:

Burniston Road, Scarborough Y012 6PF WHEN:

April to October seasonally see website for details





Scarborough Castle

english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/scarborough-castle | 01723 372451

Conquer the castle, it will be the pinnacle of your visit to Scarborough.

With its stunning location and panoramic views over the dramatic Yorkshire coastline, the castle is the only place where you can enjoy fantastic views of both the north and south bays of Scarborough. Explore the exhibition and discover artefacts spanning the whole period of the castle's past. Take a stroll around the sixteen acre site and take tea in the Master Gunner's house.

WHERE:

Castle Road, Scarborough YO11 1HY WHEN-

See website for opening times





SEA LIFE Scarborough

visitsealife.com/scarborough | 01723 373414

Shh! Do you hear that? An adventure is calling...

Brave the new Rainforest Adventure and come face-to-face with scaly serpents, creepy crawlies and frightful frogs. Step outside and meet the cheeky residents of Penguin Island –watch out, they like to get up close and personal! With over 1,000 creatures in 50 displays, including Yorkshire's only Seal Hospital, there are amazing discoveries around every corner on a trip to SEA LIFE.

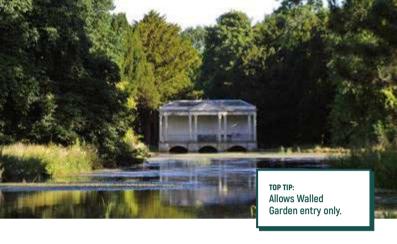
WHERE: Scalby Mills.

Scarborough Y012 6RP

WHEN:

See website for opening times





Scampston Hall & Walled Garden

scampston.co.uk | 01944 759111

Award-winning contemporary walled garden and regency hall.

Explore the striking walled garden, a true plantsman's paradise. Discover the secrets of Scampston Hall on a lively guided tour and enjoy the delights of the 'Capability Brown' parkland with beautiful views of the rising Yorkshire Wolds. Nature trails and sensory games encourage exploration of Scampston's habitat and wildlife, while the Garden Café offers a beautiful setting to enjoy lunch or a cream tea.

WHERE:

Scampston, Malton, North Yorkshire Y017 8NG

WHEN-

3 April-1 November see website for further details





Wolds Way Lavender

woldswaylavender.co.uk | 01944 758641

Visit Wolds Way for an Outdoor Adventure with Nature.

Explore our Working Lavender and Nature Farm. Relax among 100's of varieties of lavender and wildflowers. Help with our Butterfly Count, Bee Keeping and Bird Spotting. Weave through the living Willow Maze. Ride Woldie Willow's Miniature Railway. Enjoy the outdoors together with Giant Games, foot golf, Timber Trial, Den Zone and much more.

WHERE: Wintringham, Malton Y017 8HW WHEN: See website for opening times



Price: Adult £8 | Child £7

Helmsley

Helmsley is the only market town in the North York Moors National Park. With plenty to do, from fascinating attractions including the National Centre for Birds of Prey, Helmsley Castle and the Walled Gardens, to award-winning eateries.





Helmsley Castle

english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/helmsley-castle | 01439 770442

Unlock 900 years of life at Helmsley Castle.

A must see for any visitor to the picturesque market town of Helmsley and the North York Moors. Discover how the castle evolved over the centuries: from almighty medieval fortress to a luxurious Tudor mansion to a Civil War stronghold and a romantic Victorian ruin. Find out more about the site's rich past with the audio guide and the mansion house's fun hands on exhibition.

WHERE: Castlegate, Helmsley Y062 5AB WHEN: See website for opening times





Helmsley Walled Garden

helmsleywalledgarden.org.uk | 01439 772314

Relax in the tranquil atmosphere of this beautiful and historic garden.

Unwind amongst beautiful and colourful displays of flowers and fruit. Walk along our Hot Border and imagine yourself in the new film adaptation of the Secret Garden in which it appears or explore our own newly planted Secret Garden. Bring a picnic or have lunch at The Vine House Café and explore the loveliness of this special garden.

WHERE: Cleveland Way, Helmsley Y062 5AH WHEN: April to October 10am-5pm (last entry 4.30pm)





National Centre for Birds of Prey

ncbp.co.uk | 01439 772080

The largest collection of these wonderful birds in the north of England.

Set in the ancient oak woodland and rolling parkland within Duncombe Park parklands, is the National centre for Birds of Prey. You'll find 50 aviaries housing everything from tiny burrowing owls up to massive eagles and vultures. Every day we fly our team of trained birds for visitors to watch. We have an on-site café, a gift shop and access into Duncombe Park is included in your admission.

WHERE:

Duncombe Park, Helmsley Y062 5EB WHEN:

10am-5pm All year round



Price: Adult £10 | Child £7.50



Rievaulx Abbey

english-heritage.org.uk/rievaulx | 01439 798228

Escape to this tranquil valley and one of England's most powerful Cistercian Monasteries.

Located on the North York Moors, visit Rievaulx Abbey, discover its fascinating past and the lives of the monks who called it their home. Wander the extensive ruins and visit the elegant museum displaying previously unseen artefacts which tell the story of the rise and dramatic fall of the first Cistercian Abbey in the North of England.

WHERE:

Rievaulx Bank, Helmsley Y062 5LB WHEN-

See website for opening times



Further afield

Attractions featured in the following pages are a little further afield, and make for a great afternoon visit beyond the city after a busy morning in York. Make a day of it, why not visit Black Sheep Brewery and Newby Hall which are within easy travelling distance of each other.





Beningbrough Hall, Gallery & Gardens

nationaltrust.org.uk/beningbrough | 01904 472027

Changing art exhibitions and glorious gardens in a historic setting.

Step into the Saloon Galleries for the new exhibition: In the Moment: The Art of Wellbeing. Fourteen artworks from the Arts Council Collection including Lowry, Emin, Chagall and Hirst with a year-long programme of ways to join in. Outside, explore colourful borders, heritage trees, the walled garden and see the long term plans from RHS Chelsea award winner Andy Sturgeon.

WHERE: Beningbrough, York YO30 1DD WHEN:

See website for opening times





The Black Sheep Brewery & Tours

blacksheepbrewery.com | 01765 680101

Tour our historic Black Sheep brewery in Masham and sample BAA-rilliant Black Sheep beer.

Learn how Black Sheep began and how we create the perfect pint. You'll be shepherded around the Brewhouse to see the magic unfold all the way to the bar, where you can sample a range of our delicious beers.

WHERE: Wellgarth, Masham HG4 4FN WHEN: See website for times





The Deep

thedeep.co.uk | 01482 381000

Visit The Deep, Hull's spectacular aquarium and encounter over 5,000 animals on your voyage of discovery.

Marvel at magnificent sharks and rays, Green sawfish, Gentoo penguins, Loggerhead sea turtles and hundreds of tropical fish. Encounter prehistoric seas, tropical lagoons, the vast open oceans, the darkest depths, the chilly polar realm and the rivers of the world. Plus all tickets include FREE return visits for 12 months. See website for full details.

WHERE:

Tower Street, Hull HU1 4DP WHEN:

10am-6pm last entry 5pm





Mother Shipton's Cave

mothershipton.co.uk | 01423 864600

Discover the legend of Mother Shipton and the magical Petrifying Well at England's oldest attraction.

Just a short train journey from York is Knaresborough, with castle ruins and impressive viaduct. Journey through historic woodland at Mother Shipton's. Step into the cave where Yorkshire prophetess Mother Shipton was born and hear her story, then marvel at the Petrifying Well with cascading water turning everyday objects to stone – as if by magic.

WHERE:

Harrogate Road Knaresborough, HG5 8DD WHEN-

See website for opening times



Price: Adult £10 | Child £8



Newby Hall & Gardens

newbyhall.com | 01423 322583

Newby Hall & Gardens is the perfect day out for the whole family.

Newby Hall is a great place that has something for everyone, from the elegant Georgian House, spectacular Gardens, Dollshouse Exhibition and Sculpure Park right the way through to the legendary Adventure gardens, Miniature Train, Water Play, Pedalo Boats and Teddy Bear Exhibition. There is so much to do, you'll need a break in the Garden Restaurant for a delicious scope and tea!

WHERE:

Ripon, North Yorkshire HG4 5AF WHEN:

1 April-4 October see website for opening hours





Stillingfleet Lodge Gardens

stillingfleetlodgenurseries.co.uk | 01904 728506

Stillingfleet Lodge Garden and plant nursery is a wildlife friendly family garden.

Described as a quintessentially English garden, it is a fine example of how a garden can be planted up to encourage wildlife and retain the beauty of a cottage garden. This is the perfect place to enjoy the peace and tranquillity of the natural world. Please note: This attraction is closed during the winter. Please refer to the attraction website for summer opening times.

WHERE: Stewart Lane, Stillingfleet YO19 6HP WHEN: See website for opening times





World of James Herriot

worldofjamesherriot.com | 01845 524234

Visitors of all ages are assured of a warm welcome at the World of James Herriot, Thirsk, the original home and veterinary surgery of Alf Wight OBE (James Herriot).

Set in the former Thirsk surgery and home of Alf Wight, the World of James Herriot brings to life his colourful story. The story of the Yorkshire vet is expressed in his books and TV series "All Creatures Great and Small" which returns later this year.

WHERE:

23 Kirkgate, Thirsk YO7 1PI WHEN-

See website for opening times





Extra Value Offers

The vouchers over the following pages give a wide range of discounts on evening entertainment including several ghost walks, Escape Rooms, evening river cruises, cycle tours, day trips beyond York and even the opportunity to visit a windmill.

PLUS great value car hire or discounted taxi service to help you travel further afield. To take advantage of these offers simply show your York Pass at time of booking or making payment.

Brewtown Brewery Tours

brewtowntours.co.uk | 07738623862 York Tap, York Station, YO24 1AB

Hop on the Brewtown minibus for a friendly, small group guided tour of 3 independent breweries around Yorkshire. Meet the brewers and enjoy a few samples along the way

£10 OFF

A full price tour (Normally £70)

BOBH - Day Trips from York

bobholidays.com | 01609 779933 Tours depart at 9am opposite the Dean Court Hotel, York

Take a day out from York to explore the North York Moors & Whitby, Yorkshire Dales and/or Brontë Country on our small-group guided Day Trips (TripAdvisor Certificate of Excellence Hall of Fame Winner 2019).

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when booking online or at the Visit York Information Centre. Use code 'yorkpass2020'

Europcar

europcar.co.uk | 08448464003 The Locomotive Works, York Railway Station, York Y024 1AD

Get a free upgrade, or hire an economy car for the day (09–17.30) for just £20 including insurance. All brand new, low mileage vehicles. Terms & Conditions apply.

Free Upgrade

Streamline Taxis York

streamlinetaxisyork.co.uk | 01904 656565 7 Cumberland Street, YO1 9SW

With over 80 years of experience, Streamline is the undisputed Premier Taxi company of York.
Our Fleet: Saloon-estate-executive-multiseater (5–8 people)-WCF vehicles.

10%OFF meter fare

City Cruises York

citycruisesyork.com | 01904 628324 King's Staith Landing, York, YO1 9SN

Take in a relaxing evening cruise with City Cruises York. £5 discount on the Floodlit Evening Cruise, sailing every evening at 9.15pm from 1 April to 26th September 2020.

£5 OFF

on the Floodlit Evening Cruise.

York Cycling Tours

yorkcyclingtours.com | 07908 245439 or 07866 049082 (Rear of) The Gillygate Pub, 48 Gillygate, York Y031 7EQ | Daily at 10am

Join our award-winning guided bike tour for a humorous and light hearted look into York's past. We take the safest routes and go inside and outside the historic city walls.

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Day Trips by Grand Yorkshire

grandyorkshire.com | 07773975299
Tours start on Duncombe Place, opposite the Dean Court Hotel

Day Trips from York – Steam Trains, Whitby & the Moors; Yorkshire Dales; Fountains Abbey; Castle Howard; Rievaulx Abbey. Discover Yorkshire with a Yorkshire guide on a Grand Yorkshire Tour.

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on all of Grand Yorkshire's Day Trips and Tours - book online using the booking code YORKPASS20.

Mountain Goat

mountain-goat.com | 01904 405341 Tours departing from Duncombe Place

Mountain Goat specialises in delivering sightseeing tours of the Moors and Dales national parks in comfortable minibuses. Explore stunning scenery and iconic landmarks as you make memories you'll never forget.

20%OFF tours

Can You Escape? York

canyouescape.co.uk/york-book-now | 01904 230494 15 Micklegate, York Y01 6JH

Fancy yourself a secret agent/ super hero? Can you solve puzzles and save the world in an hour? Then book a game and guote the code YP2020 for 15% off!

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all bookings. Use code YP2020.

GR8escape

gr8escape.co.uk | 07897122834 4a Colliergate, York YO1 8BP

One hour is all you have to solve the various codes and puzzles to escape from North Yorkshire's first live escape room. Can your group work as a team to solve the clues or will it descend into chaos?

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using the code "yorkpass10" via our online booking system.

Holgate Windmill

holgatewindmill.org | 07710 314614 Windmill Rise, Holgate, York Y026 4TX

Holgate Windmill is a restored 18th-century corn mill. The mill produces stoneground wholemeal flour for sale. Visitors can explore four floors with both original and restored equipment and lots of information about milling.

Adult £2 (£1 discount)
Child £0.75 (25p discount)

The Bloody Tour of York

thebloodytourofyork.co.uk | 07584 855443 St. William's College, College Street Y01 7JF | Thurs, Fri, Sat 6pm

Join Mad Alice on a unique walking tour of the city recounting tales of the plague, executions and all things macabre.

£1 OFF

Offer valid on Adult tickets only with valid cards.

Ghost Trail

ghosttrail.co.uk | 01904 633276 7.30pm every evening from the west doors of York Minster Y01 7EH

Every evening beneath the twin bell towers of York Minster your entertaining guide dares you to travel back in time and experience thrilling, classic and fun Yorkshire ahost stories.

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The Ghost Bus Tours

theghostbustours.com | 0844 5678666 Station Road, Bus stop RE, York Y024 1AA | 7.30pm and 9pm

Award-winning theatrical tour unearthing the horrors of Europe's most haunted city onboard a classic 1960's Routemaster bus. Both a comedy-horror show and the perfect way to see York.

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Quote YORKPASS when booking online or over the phone.

The Original Ghost Walk

theoriginalghostwalkofyork.co.uk | 01759 373090 Kings Arms Pub, Ouse Bridge, York YO1 9SN

Britain's first premier ghost walk – a professional and historic tour aimed for the seekers of originality. 8pm every evening from Kings Arms Pub, lasts 1hr 15 mins. £6 adults. £4 child/senior/student.

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Escape to this extraordinary National Park, with timeless villages and ancient abbeys, coastal harbours and clifftop walks, cosy pubs and tempting tearooms

