

Make the most of your visit

The National Railway Museum is split between two sides of the road – use our underpass to get between the two halves. If you're short of time ask a member of staff to recommend some highlights.

As well as exploring the museum for yourself, you can join our team of Explainers for live shows, storytelling, talks and demonstrations. To find out what's happening today listen out for announcements or ask a member of staff.

Support us

Celebrate Britain's railway heritage by making your donation today. As a registered national charity we rely on your support*.

Every purchase helps support the museum.

Accessibility

Wheelchairs are available for loan free of charge at both entrances.

Support dogs are welcome.

If you're finding the museum a bit busy and would like some time-out in a quieter space, try Search Engine or the Art Gallery.

If you would like a large print map, please ask at the entrance desk.

Photography

Photography for personal use is allowed throughout the museum, apart from in the Art Gallery.

*The National Railway Museum (as part of NMSI) is an exempt charity under the Second Schedule of the Charities Act of 1960 and is recognised as charitable by HM Revenue and Customs.

Talk to us

Your visit doesn't have to end here – find us online to talk to us, hear our latest news, and see what's happening behind the scenes.

You can also sign up to our email newsletter at nrm.org.uk/newsletter.



About our site

Our buildings were once working railway buildings, so you will find some uneven surfaces and platform edges. Please take extra care.

Please don't climb on our vehicles – they're more fragile than you might think.

The museum is a no smoking site.

Useful information

Open daily 10am–6pm
Closed 24, 25, 26 December

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Map





Great Hall
Get up close to iconic vehicles.

Warehouse
Discover hidden treasures from our collection.

The Works
Watch live workshop restorations and see today's railway in action.

Search Engine
Dig deeper into railway history in our library and archive centre.

Station Hall
Explore the daily life of a railway station.

Learning Platform
Join our Explainers for interactive live shows.

South Yard
Let off steam in our outdoor play area.

Art Gallery
See how railways have inspired artists.



Information point



Toilets



Accessible toilets



Baby changing



Baby feeding



Lockers



Lift



Restaurant



Picnic area



Miniature railway



Café



Playground



Accessible parking