Thank you for being part of our legacy

Your contribution is helping secure Britain’s Greatest Palace for future generations to enjoy.

A Warm Welcome

My wife, children and I are very pleased to welcome you to our home and hope you will enjoy an inspiring day out with us.

As a registered charity your admission fee makes a big contribution to the amount of restoration and conservation we can achieve every year. See the difference your money makes during your visit as we have a number of restoration projects across the Palace and Estate often taking place around our visitors. 2020 the start of our seven year masterplan to conserve and protect our World Heritage Site.

By agreeing to donate your Palace, Park and Gardens admission on arrival you can benefit from converting to a free Annual Pass. To help us achieve even more we ask that you kindly agree to Gift Aid your donation when you come to claim your Annual Pass, which makes your donation go further*. Your contribution helps secure the future of this World Heritage Site.

The 12th Duke of Marlborough

*Terms & conditions apply

The Treasure Houses of England

Blenheim Palace is proud to be a member of the Treasure Houses of England. You can experience one of the other magnificent castles, palaces or stately homes with an exclusive 2 for 1 entry offer. To claim this offer, pick up a leaflet with vouchers at the Palace entrance.

For more information visit treasurehouses.co.uk
Exhibitions and Experiences

Enrich your visit with audio guides, tours and exhibitions.

Palace

**Palace State Rooms (40 minutes)**
Explore the gilded State Rooms with their priceless collections of portraits, tapestries and furniture. Our audio guide* is available in nine languages and allows you to immerse yourself in the fascinating history and treasures at your own pace.

**Churchill Exhibition (30 minutes)**
This exhibition provides a wonderful insight into the life of Sir Winston Churchill, including the room in which he was born in November 1874.

**The Untold Story (40 minutes)**
Experience more than 300 years of captivating stories from the Palace’s past in this animated and interactive visitor experience. This tour is unsuitable for wheelchair and buggy users, but an alternative experience is available in The Untold Story Cinema.

Formal Gardens

Take your time to enjoy the beautiful Formal Gardens, including the Water Terraces, Rose Garden and Churchill Memorial Garden. Visit the Temple of Diana – the romantic spot where Churchill proposed to his beloved Clementine Hozier.

Park

Discover 2000 acres of beautiful ‘Capability’ Brown landscaped Parkland, with inspiring views, monuments and a rich variety of wildlife.

There are many walks to enjoy around the Formal Gardens, Lake and Park Perimeter. Please refer to the map for accessibility and to find dog-friendly routes.

Pleasure Gardens

A miniature train takes families from the Palace to enjoy an adventure playground, giant hedge maze and butterfly house. The miniature train runs every 30 minutes between 11.00 and 17.00 during main season. 50p per single journey, under-fives go free.

*Audio guides are free with a Palace, Park and Gardens ticket, and to collect your guide, present your receipt at the Palace entrance. Additional tickets for audio guides are available to purchase from the Palace entrance at £2.50 each.

Please note all times are approximate and should be used as a guide only.
Enhance your visit
Make your visit truly memorable with our additional experiences.

Private Apartment Tours
Available mid February - September
£5.00 per adult and £4.50 per concession or child.*
Book in the Visitor Centre or at the Palace entrance.

Upstairs Bedrooms (50 minutes)
Explore the Palace’s State Bedrooms, in which the family and illustrious guests have stayed.
This tour is unsuitable for wheelchair and buggy users.

Downstairs Servants Floor (40 minutes)
Visit the areas used by household staff both past and present.
A wheelchair and buggy accessible tour is available.
*Prices subject to change. Tour subject to availability.

See the Park by Buggy (35 minutes)
We have a range of buggy tours available, including a tour of the Formal Gardens and a themed Winston Churchill tour. Visit the Flagstaff Information Point to book your place.
£4.00 per adult and £3.00 per concession or child.**
**Tours subject to weather conditions. Prices subject to change.
2020 Event Highlights

Visit our website for a full list of events.

**January/February**
Restoration and Conservation Tours . . . 10th January - 9th February
Let's Misbehave: 1920's Exhibition . . . . 15th February - 13th April

**April**
Easter Carnival & Family Entertainment . . 10th - 13th April
Cecily Brown at Blenheim Palace . . . . . . 23rd April - 5th July

**May**
Jousting Tournament . . . . . . . . . . . . 2nd - 3rd May
VE Day Celebrations . . . . . . . . . . . . 8th - 10th May
Blenheim Palace Food Festival . . . . . . . 23rd - 25th May
Bloodwise Blenheim Palace Triathlon . . . . . 30th - 31st May

**June**
Giffords Circus . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4th - 8th June
International Garden Photographer . . . . . 6th June - 19th August
‘Nocturne Live’ Concerts in the Great Court . . . . . 18th - 21st June
Blenheim Palace Flower Show . . . . . . . . . 26th - 28th June

**July/August**
Battle Proms Picnic Concert . . . . . . . . . 4th July
All About Dogs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4th - 5th July
Family Summer Entertainment . . . . . . . . 22nd July - 2nd September
Family Cycling Day . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16th August

**September**
Salon Privé Classic & Supercar . . . . . . . . . 6th September
SsangYong Blenheim Palace Horse Trials . . . . . 17th - 20th September
British Heart Foundation Half Marathon . . . . . 27th September

**November/December**
Christmas at Blenheim Palace . . . . . . . . . 20th November - 1st January 2021
Christmas Market, Illuminated Light Trail & Festive Palace Experience

Please note all events and dates listed are provisional and subject to change.
Restaurants and Cafés

The Orangery Restaurant
Open 11.00-17.30 seasonally. Last orders 16.30.
Our stunning Orangery overlooking the ornate Italian Garden offers a tempting choice of lunches from the à la carte menu, as well as a delicious range of Afternoon Teas.

Water Terrace Café
Open 10.00-17.30 daily. Last orders 17.00.
Serving seasonal hot food, sandwiches and a selection of cakes and pastries, overlooking the beautiful Water Terraces.

Oxfordshire Pantry
Open 09.30-18.00 daily.
Located in the Visitor Centre, the Pantry serves snacks, light lunches and a selection of cakes and pastries, served with hot and cold drinks that can also be taken away to enjoy.

Pizza Café
Open 10.30-17.00 seasonally. Last orders 16.00.
Enjoy delicious handmade pizzas freshly made in our pizza oven, a selection of tasty salads, barista-style coffee and hot drinks, plus a range of wines and craft lagers. The Pizza Café can be found in the family Pleasure Gardens.

Shopping

East Courtyard Shop
Open 09.30-18.00 daily.
Whether it’s a present for a loved one or a treat for yourself, our award-winning shop provides a variety of souvenirs, gifts and locally made products, with ranges exclusive to Blenheim Palace.

Toy Shop
Open 10.00-17.00 daily from Easter until September.
Located in the Family Pleasure Gardens, you can find a fantastic range of children’s toys, books, games and souvenirs.

Please note opening days and times apply to main season only and are subject to change. Please check the website or with a member of staff when visiting.
By agreeing to donate your Palace, Park and Gardens admission fee at the time of purchase, you can now convert your ticket to an Annual Pass for free, so you can enjoy visiting all year round.

**Claim your free Annual Pass today**
Simply take your donation receipt and application form to the Annual Pass Kiosk situated in East Courtyard, have your photograph taken and receive your Annual Pass.
You can also convert online within 14 days after your visit at blenheimpalace.com/convert

*Terms and conditions apply. Annual Passes are not available for Park and Gardens tickets, tickets purchased as a non-donation and tickets purchased for groups of 15+. See our website for full details.

If you are a UK taxpayer, we can receive 25% more from your kind donation when you choose to Gift Aid your transaction, at no extra cost to you. Please help us to preserve our Palace for future generations.

**Why not upgrade to a Privilege Card?**
For only £5.00 you can upgrade your Annual Pass and receive an exclusive 15% discount in our shops, restaurants and cafés every time you visit. Available at the Annual Pass Kiosk.

**Saving ‘the Finest View’**
See history be made with our largest restoration project to date: Repairs on the Grand Bridge and dredging of Queen Pool - commencing Spring 2020.
This year sees the start of our seven year master plan to conserve and protect our World Heritage Site for future generations. Funds raised through your admission donation help us complete vital restoration projects.
Find out more at blenheim.org/restoration
Visitor Information

Main Season - Opening Hours

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Opening times vary during the winter season. For details please ask a member of staff.

Due to the historic nature of the Estate, there are uneven surfaces. The use of adult scooters, skateboards, rollerskates, or any similar equipment is not permitted. Drones must not be used anywhere onsite for the protection of the public and buildings.

Accessibility

Where possible, the site has been adapted to be accessible to wheelchair and buggy users. Please see the map overleaf for specific facilities or ask a member of staff. Wheelchairs and mobility scooters can be hired free of charge at the Flagstaff Visitor Information Point with a refundable deposit.

Dogs

Dogs are welcome in the Park, seating area between the Welcome Desk and the Oxfordshire Pantry, in the Colonnade by the Gift Shop, the East Courtyard and in the area around the Pizza Café outside the Pleasure Gardens. All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times. We have two dog-friendly Park walks available (see overleaf) and dog facilities can be found outside the Visitor Centre.

On-site Guide

Make the most of your visit with our on-site guide, available on your mobile. Simply connect to our free onsite WIFI on arrival and use it to plan your day, or to find your way around the Palace, Park and Gardens. blenheimpalace.com/app

If you have enjoyed your visit today, please share your experience and review us on TripAdvisor.

Visit blenheimpalace.com or call 01993 810530

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