

Group Visits

Norton Priory Museum & Gardens



Norton Priory is an ideal location for any group visit. Our historical and horticultural features offer something for everyone to enjoy in an accessible setting.

We offer a choice of tours delivered by experienced Norton Priory guides (see below)



Pre-booked Midweek Visits

(during normal opening hours)

- Minimum of 15 people
- Site entry + 1 tour £4.50 per person
- Additional tour £1.00 per person
- Self led visit £3.75 per person

Group rates and tours are not available on Bank Holidays. For Weekend and Evening bookings, please see overleaf.

Tour A - The Museum & Grounds (1hr)

An inspirational journey through our museum site from medieval times to the present day.

Main features include:

- Our unique medieval statue of St Christopher
- The ruins of the medieval priory
- Our beautiful Grade 1 listed Undercroft
- A fascinating insight into the history of the Brooke Family
- Our reconstructed medieval herb garden (as seen on BBC2's Hidden Gardens programme)



Tour B - The Georgian Walled Garden (1hr)

Discover the peace and tranquillity of the magical 2 1/2 acre Georgian Walled Garden.

Main features include:

- A gentle stroll through the Garden Wood
- The Head Gardener's Cottage and Garden
- The story of the Garden Apprentices
- A walk around the wonderful Walled Garden enjoying its seasonal scents, beautiful blooms and fantastic fruits Fascinating sculptures all year round



Please be aware that the Walled Garden does not have coach access and is a 500m walk from the Museum

Pre-booked Weekend Visits

(during normal opening hours)

- Week day visit details apply (see overleaf)
- Supplement on self led or toured entry of £25.00 per group
- Not available on Bank Holiday weekends
- Not available on weekends when events are taking place

Pre-booked Evening Visits

(6.30pm-9.00pm)

- Week day visit details apply (see overleaf)
- Museum tour only
- Self led option not available
- Not available on weekends

How to book your visit

1. Phone or e-mail to check availability of dates and make a provisional booking
2. Invoice for a non refundable deposit of £25 will be sent to you, payment of which will confirm your booking and is due 30 days from date of invoice. The provisional Date will be released after 30 days if payment of the deposit is not received
3. One month before your visit please contact the booking team with the details of your required booking choices (ie type of tour, timings, numbers, refreshments etc). You will receive a copy of the booking details discussed by e-mail or post.
4. Inform the booking team of any changes as soon as possible. Alterations in catering numbers need to be received no less than 10 days before the date of your visit.
5. Final payment can be made on the day or invoiced after your visit. Entry will be charged per person on the day of your visit (minimum 15), catering will be charged at the number specified in point 4.

Opening Times	Until 31 March 2010	1 Apr - 31 Oct 2010	1 Nov 2010 - 31 Mar 2011
Museum	Every day 12-4pm	Every Day 10-5 pm	Every day 10-4pm
Walled Garden	Closed	Every Day 12-4pm	Closed

The site is closed 24-26 Dec and 1 Jan

Contact

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