

# Group Visits



A group visit to the Quilt Museum and Gallery is a special day out for your local quilting club or regional group. See the newest contemporary and heritage exhibitions at the Museum, discover new quilting related books and gifts in our Shop, and enjoy the lovely gardens just outside the museum, all in the setting of one of York's magnificent medieval Guild Halls.



## Exclusive offers for Groups

- 10% discount on groups of 10 or more, up to 50 persons
- free admission for coach driver
- free introductory talk by resident staff or volunteers by request
- Evening visits and behind the scenes sessions

**For details on any of the above, and to book your group, please contact us at 01904 613242 or [info@quiltmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@quiltmuseum.org.uk)**

## Group Rates

Adult	£5.40
Concession (students or seniors)	£4.50
Child (under 16)	£1.80
QGBI Member	£2.70

These rates only apply to pre-booked groups of 10 or more. To receive the group rates you must pay on the day as a group, not individually. No deposit is required.

## Opening Hours

Tuesday – Saturday	Open 10am - 4pm
Sunday and Monday	Closed

The Museum will be closed Bank Holidays, during Christmas and New Year and for exhibition changeovers. Please contact us for specific closure dates.

## Plan Your Group Visit

To book your visit please call us on 01904613242 or send an email to [info@quiltmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@quiltmuseum.org.uk). We will be happy to answer any questions and help you to plan your day with us.



## Out of Hours and Evening Visits

£5 per person, plus £50 staffing fee
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Minimum charge £150 (20 people)
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**Behind the Scenes Sessions** – includes visit to quilt store and entrance to galleries

Behind the Scenes Session Fees	
£15 per person non members	£10 QGBI members



Behind the scenes tours include a handling session with historic quilts from our heritage collection, which can include a variety of items across the collection or specifically requested items along a similar theme. Other topics such as museum conservation and practice can also be covered. This is a rare chance to glimpse the treasures of the collection which are not on display to the public, and also the chance to see how and where we store our collections.

Behind the scenes visits are available Wednesday to Friday and Saturdays by appointment. Maximum group size 15 people. Larger groups will be divided into smaller groups.

## Accessibility

Although St Anthony's Hall is an ancient building, we have done our best to accommodate all visitors. If your group has a particular access requirement not mentioned here, please contact us.

The Quilt Museum and Gallery offers:

- level ramped access throughout the Ground Floor
- First Floor access via a lift or staircase (NB. The exhibitions halls are on the First Floor.)
- accessible toilet on the Ground Floor
- induction loop in the Shop
- large print exhibition labels and guides
- assistance dogs welcome

## Transportation

### By Train

The Quilt Museum is a 15 minute walk from York Railway Station. York Railway Station has regular train services to and from Scarborough, Harrogate, Leeds, Doncaster and Hull. If you are coming from further afield, regular services call at York from London, Edinburgh and Birmingham. For up-to-date travel information and fares, telephone 08457 484950.



## By Coach

National Express also offers an efficient, good value coach service to York, from most major UK destinations. For information and booking seats on coaches, telephone 08717 818181.

## Coach Parking

St George's Field car park is a 24 hour car and coach park located at Castle Mills Bridge, York, YO10 4AA

Union Terrace coach park is open until 8.30pm and is located at Clarence Street, York, YO31 7ES

For queries regarding coach parking ring 01904 551309 or email [parking@york.gov.uk](mailto:parking@york.gov.uk).

## Park and Ride

Visitors to York who come by car are encouraged to use one of the convenient Park & Ride sites on the outer ring road. Buses from Grimston Bar and Monks Cross Park & Rides drop off on Peasholme Green directly opposite the Quilt Museum and gallery, outside the Black Swan pub. For local bus information telephone 01904 551400.

## Car Parking

Alternative parking is available in the Foss Bank Pay & Display car park, and the Shambles Pay & Display car park, but please be aware that these fill early during busy times. For parking information, telephone 01904 551309.

## Restaurants

'Le Langhe' deli and restaurant is housed in The Old Coach House on Peasholme Green, Le Langhe are direct importers of artisan Italian food and wine, and offer a delicious delicatessen as well as a fine restaurant. Le Langhe is open during the day for thirsty museum visitors, but be warned, they are very popular and booking for lunches is advisable. A sample of their menu can be found on their website: [www.lelanghe.co.uk](http://www.lelanghe.co.uk). Telephone: 01904622584



**The Black Swan Pub** across the street from the Quilt Museum and Gallery offers pub lunches at competitive prices in a medieval timber framed house, which retains a classical 17th century interior. **Opening times:** Monday – Saturday 12 noon - 11.00pm and Sunday 12 noon – 10.30pm

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**We look forward to welcoming your group to the Quilt Museum and Gallery!**



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