



# Durham

Durham is an amazing county - explore breath-taking scenery, discover award-winning attractions and enjoy world-class exhibitions, festivals and events. From city breaks to coast and countryside escapes - a warm welcome awaits.

Durham is a city in northeast England, south of Newcastle upon Tyne. The River Wear loops around the Romanesque Durham Cathedral and Norman Durham Castle. North of the castle, 13th-century, medieval Crook Hall is home to gardens and a maze. South of the river, Durham University offers a Botanic Garden with woodland and tropical plants, and the Oriental Museum exhibiting Asian, Egyptian and Middle Eastern artefacts

The county is home to many more treasures too; step back in time at fascinating heritage attractions, or seek out hidden gems in market towns and villages. Relax and enjoy peace and tranquillity, or get outdoors and active with walking and cycling routes revealing unforgettable views.



## Places to visit

### Beamish Museum

Experience first-hand how the Industrial Revolution transformed agricultural life in the region. The buildings you see at Beamish are not replicas, but have been brought, brick by brick, from around the region and rebuilt to give visitors a real sense of history. Tariff Adult £18.50 Child £10.50

**Address:** The Living Museum of the North Beamish, County Durham, DH9 0RG  
**Tel:** 0191 370 4000  
**Email:** [museum@beamish.org.uk](mailto:museum@beamish.org.uk)

### Durham Castle

It is likely that a Saxon fortress existed on the site now occupied by Durham Castle from around the 10th century. The earliest surviving parts of the Castle date from around 1072 when William the Conqueror ordered the construction of a new fort. Since this time the Castle has had a fascinating history as fortress, palace and finally as a college of Durham University. Tariff: Adults £5.00 Child £3.50

**Address:** Palace Green, Durham City, County Durham, DH1 3RW  
**Tel:** 0191 334 2932  
**Email:** [castle.tours@durham.ac.uk](mailto:castle.tours@durham.ac.uk)

### Hall Hill Farm

Set in the beautiful rolling hills of County Durham, Hall Hill Farm is an award winning mixed farm of 290 hectares - a great day out for children and schools with loads of great things to do and see. Tariff: Adults £7.95 Child £7.20

**Address:** Hall Hill Farm, Lanchester, Durham, DH7 0TA  
**Tel:** 01388 731333



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