Visit**Aberdeen**shire



Aberdeen Pick & Mix - Activities & Attractions

Old Aberdeen 🐑



Enjoy soaking up the history with a local tour guide in these cobbled streets and allevways where monks and scholars, traders and travelers settled. Today, the 14th century St. Machar's Cathedral still stands and Kings College, the forerunner to Aberdeen University, was founded by Bishop Elphinstone in 1495.

Suggested Time Required: 1.5-2hours if on guided tour Price: From around £110 with Accredited Tour Guide

Distance from City Centre: 1.6miles/2.58km



Torry Battery - Dolphin Watching



Aberdeen is the best city in Europe for watching dolphins. An RSPB guide can be arranged to help the group spot these playful mammals from the Torry Battery. This spot also offers an excellent vantage point over Aberdeen.

Suggested Time Required: 30 - 40 mins with RSPB Guide

Price: Contact RSPB direct for specific costings **Distance from City Centre:** 2miles/3.22km



*Art Gallery 🐑



One of the best provincial art galleries in the UK, which opened in 1885. It is home to a fine collection of paintings, sculptures & graphics from the 15th Century to the present day. The gallery also hosts visiting exhibitions, so there is always something new to see.

The gallery has recently been awarded £30million pounds for an exciting and extensive refurbishment and expansion plan.

Suggested Time Required: 1-2 hours

Price: Free

City Centre Location

*Please note that the Art Gallery is closed until Winter 2017.



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Maritime Museum 🐑



This award winning museum houses a unique collection covering shipbuilding, fishing, port history and charts the rise of the oil & gas industry in the North East.

It also offers one of the best views over the busy harbour. Aberdeen Harbour is also listed in the Guinness Book of Records as the oldest business in the UK.

Suggested Time Required: 1-2 hours

Price: Free

City Centre Location



Duthie Park & Winter Gardens 🐑



The park has undergone extensive restoration and the works have restored many of the original Victorian design features.

Within the park is the David Welch Winter Gardens, one of Europe's largest indoor gardens. It houses many exotic plants, including the largest collection of cacti in Britain and the world's only talking cactus...

Suggested Time Required: 1-2 hours - guided tours available

Price: Free

Distance from City Centre: 1.5miles/2.41km



Aberdeen Harbour Cruises 🐑



Why not sit back and relax aboard Aberdeen's Harbour Cruise, giving a whole new vista to the city.

It's also a great opportunity to spot some of Aberdeen's cutest residents - the bottlenose dolphins that feed in the harbour entrance (as featured on BBC Springwatch).

Suggested Time Required: 1 hour **Price:** From £16 per person

Distance from City Centre: 0.6miles/1km



Transition Extreme (**)



A world-class extreme sports centre and award-winning social enterprise down at Aberdeen Beach, offering Climbing, Skatepark and High Ropes Course all in one centre!

Suggested Time Required: 2-3hours if partaking in activities **Price:** Activities dependent - contact Transition Extreme directly

Distance from City Centre: 0.8miles/1.29km



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