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STIRLING CASTLE

When you’re visiting Stirling Castle why not discover more history at these nearby sites:

- **Doune Castle**
  - 8 miles NW of Stirling / 16 mins by car

- **Castle Campbell**
  - 14 miles E of Stirling / 30 mins by car

- **The Engine Shed**
  - Next to Stirling Train Station

- **Argyll’s Lodging**
  - On approach to Stirling Castle

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Go Explore!
From only £35, The Explorer Pass gives you access to all our attractions – a great value way to discover Scotland’s history.

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Access
Leave M9 at Junction 10 and follow road signs for castle. Postcode FK8 1EJ
Telephone 01786 450 000

- Some areas of the castle are not suitable for visitors using wheelchairs. For those who find the castle’s steep inclines difficult a mobility vehicle can be arranged, or try our virtual tour
- Car parking £4. If the car park is full there are city centre car parking and seasonal park and ride facilities available – see website for details
- Trailers, caravans and mobile homes are not permitted
- Online in advance: Adult £15 Child £9 Concession £12
  On site: Adult £16 Child £9.60 Concession £12.80

Opening times
Open all year, 7 days a week.
1 Apr to 30 Sept 9.30am to 6pm
1 Oct to 31 Mar 9.30am to 5pm
Last entry 45 mins before closing. For details of our Christmas and New Year opening hours, please visit our website. Opening times and admission prices are correct at time of publication, but are liable to change.

For reasons of ease of movement, visitor safety and general security, suitcases and large rucksacks are not permitted in the castle. We may carry out random bag searches at the castle entrance as part of our security screening process.

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Toilets

Visitor Centre

Disabled toilets

Shop

Guided tours

Display on history

Children’s quiz

Restaurant/café

Dogs not permitted

Accessible by public transport

Self service tea/coffee

Pl flatt area

Bicycle rack

Water refill scheme

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A PLACE OF POWER, BEAUTY & HISTORY

Favoured residence of Scotland’s kings and queens.

Knights, nobles and foreign ambassadors once flocked to the Royal Court at Stirling Castle to revel in its grandeur, with superb sculptures and beautiful gardens. The Stewart kings and queens hosted banquets here to celebrate great events from christenings to coronations.

At the heart of the castle was the stunning Royal Palace of James V. Today the palace has been returned to its Renaissance splendour, and is at the centre of the visitor experience with its stunning apartments and costumed characters.

Family fun
Stirling Castle is a great place for children to get hands on with history.

The Palace Vaults have been designed for young visitors and include dressing up costumes, interactive games, musical instruments and puzzles. Our family tour, History Hunters (held every weekend and included in the castle admission price), is also designed to give children an introduction to the castle that they will understand and enjoy and brings the castle’s rich history and colourful characters to life. Great fun for all the family guaranteed!

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stirlingcastle.scot/newsletter

LOTS TO SEE AND DO

The Stirling Castle experience
There’s more than ever to see and do at Stirling Castle. The Castle Exhibition tells the intriguing story of a major fortress at the heart of Scotland, and the replica Stirling Heads and Unicorn Tapestries bring vivid colour back to the Royal Palace. The Regimental Museum of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders is currently being redeveloped.

Our three shops are brimming with gift ideas including whisky and liqueurs, books, jewellery and our ever popular clan tartans. After all this you can relax and enjoy a delicious meal in the Unicorn Café.

Meet the people of the palace
Cross the threshold into the castle’s Royal Palace and step into a wonderful world of plots, passion, intrigue and high fashion. Meet our costumed performers in the roles of monarchs, nobles, bodyguards, court officials, maids of honour and servants who will welcome you into 16th century life.

An accessible castle
The Palace Vaults have interactive and multi-sensory displays. The vaults house the Access Gallery, specially designed to allow disabled visitors to experience areas within the castle that may be inaccessible.

Pre-book today and save money
Book online in advance for the best price.

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