

Monument ID Card



Name Palace of Westminster (nickname: Big Ben)

Type Parliament Building

Residents Members of Parliament and Lords work there

Age 150 years old

Size 96m tall

Address & Location Westminster, London. Next to the Thames, opposite Westminster Cathedral

Opening Times Monday to Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. / Saturday only when Parliament is in session.

Famous for? Home of the British Government

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.

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Name The Tower of London

Type Castle

Residents IN THE PAST – Kings, Queens, and prisoners. NOW – Beefeaters (guards) and some called ravens (big black birds).

Age About 1,000 years old

Size very big like 9 football fields!

Address & Location Tower Hill, London. Next to Tower Bridge and the Thames.

Opening Times Monday to Saturday 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. (4.30 in winter)

Famous for? The Crown Jewels

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.



Name Buckingham Palace

Type Royal Residence

Residents The King and the Royal Family (when they are in London)

Age Over 300 years old

Size Very big – 775 rooms!

Address & Location London SW1A 1AA, England. Between Green Park and St James's Park.

Opening Times 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. (July to September)

Famous for? Home of the King and the Changing of the Guard

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.



Name The London Eye

Type Big wheel

Residents 250 people work there

Age 25 years old

Size 135 metres tall

Address & Location South Bank, London. Next to the River Thames, opposite Big Ben.

Opening Times 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Famous for? Great views of London and the New Year's Eve Fireworks.

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.

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Name Tower Bridge

Type Bridge

Residents None but 40,000 people cross the bridge every day!

Age Over 125 years old

Size About 65 metres tall and 244 metres long.

Address & Location London. Next to the Tower of London, on the River Thames.

Opening Times 9:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Famous for? It opens for tall ships. There is a glass floor walkway between the towers.

Pet-friendly? Yes No

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Name The Shard

Type Skyscraper

Residents No homes – but 5,000 people work there!

Age About 10 years old

Size 310 metres tall

Address & Location 32 London Bridge Street, London. Near London Bridge train station.

Opening Times (for the viewing platform)
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Famous for? With 95 floors, it's the tallest building in the UK!

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.

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Name The British Museum

Type Museum

Residents About 1,000 people work there

Age Over 270 years old

Size Very big – there are more than 8 million objects!

Address & Location Great Russell Street, London. Near Covent Garden.

Opening Times 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Open until 8:30 p.m. on Friday.

Famous for? The Rosetta Stone, Egyptian mummies, Ancient Greek and Roman things.

Pet-friendly? Yes No Guide dogs only.

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