

## 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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