



## Fun things to do in [Bristol with kids](#)

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Activity	Cost	Things to do	Top Tips
1. <a href="#">Ashton Court</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Picnic on the formal lawn by the Mansion House or amongst Giant Redwoods.</li> <li>• Wander round the Rose Garden</li> <li>• Hire clubs and try out the pitch and putt</li> <li>• Check to see if the ride on mini-train is running</li> <li>• Go for woodland strolls or bike trails</li> <li>• Find the giant Giant's Head</li> <li>• Deer spotting (how many types can you find?)</li> </ul>	Watch out for the Ha-Ha at the end of the formal lawn

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Great for sledging in winter</li> <li>• Bacon sarnies and hot chocolate available from the café even in lockdown.</li> <li>• Google Kite/Hot Air Balloon and music festival dates for when lockdown ends</li> </ul>	
2.	<a href="#">Bristol Zoo</a>	£12.10 (Kids 2-14)  £17.84 (Adults)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Animals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-watch the lions being fed,</li> <li>-find the swinging gibbons,</li> <li>-feed your own lorikeet,</li> <li>-look out for animal encounters restarting when you can hold your own snake or enormous insect</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Botanical Gardens – don't miss the maze</li> <li>• Zooropia high ropes course for the brave</li> </ul>	On Zooropia – don't look down (or wear a skirt)
3	<a href="#">Southville Street art trail</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spot a Banksy or two</li> <li>• Play animal bingo on the Southville animal mural trail</li> </ul>	Check out new Sneezing Covid Woman in Totterdown
4	<a href="#">Slidy rock</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Upper slidy rock (by Suspension Bridge)</li> <li>• Lower slidy rock (under Suspension Bridge)</li> <li>• Apres-slide refreshments available at the White Lion in post lockdown times</li> </ul>	Visit lower slidy rock on a bike ride from the Create Centre to Pill
5.	<a href="#">Harbour walking or cycle tour</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paddle in Millennium Square</li> <li>• Look out for celebrity, shark-tooted and pirate boats.</li> <li>• Discover historic trains and talking cranes</li> <li>• Find Wallace and Gromit at home in the Aardman windows</li> <li>• Find Banksy's Girl with Pearl/Security alarm earring</li> </ul>	<p>1.Bring a change of clothes and wear water shoes for Millennium Square. The floor is slippy as glass.</p> <p>2.Don't get your bike wheel lodged in a train or</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See boats being made ship shape and Bristol fashion in Underfall Shipyard</li> <li>• Look out for multicoloured harbourside houses and Bridge views</li> <li>• Find Mr Plimsol cast in stone</li> <li>• Stop at one of the many harbourside cafes</li> </ul>	tram track. Follow the cycle signs to avoid being catapulted into the water.
6	<a href="#">SS Great Britain</a>	<p>£10 (kids 5-16) Free with Blue Peter Badge</p> <p>£18 (adults)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discover Brunel's international travel master plan</li> <li>• Tour the golden boat outside and in</li> <li>• In tier 2, visit the 2 museums (look out for the massive head and try to draw a circle whilst riding a Victorian train)</li> </ul>	Don't miss your chance to act like a pirate and climb the rigging. Head for heights required!
7	<a href="#">Leigh Woods</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Woodland walks</li> <li>• Den building</li> <li>• Barn and stone age fort hunting</li> </ul>	Look for the Paradise Bottom sign for a childish snigger
8	<a href="#">Tyntesfield</a>	<p>Currently gardens only: £5 (kid 5-17)</p> <p>£10 (adult)</p> <p>Free with National Trust Membership</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tour the stately home, and find out what films it has started in</li> <li>• Stroll through Victorian walled gardens straight out of Rapunzel</li> <li>• Woodland walks</li> <li>• Den building (dedicated den area)</li> </ul>	<p>1. Don't miss the comedy conical trees.</p> <p>2. In summer, use the tennis racquets left out on the courts for your use</p>

9.	<a href="#">Brandon Hill</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Climb Cabot Tower for views over Bristol</li> <li>• Squirrel feeding with monkey nuts</li> <li>• Playground</li> </ul>	Get your nuts from Tesco's at the bottom of Park St
10.	<a href="#">Weston Super Mare beach</a>	Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infinity pool walk</li> <li>• Bouncy Castles</li> <li>• Donkey rides</li> <li>• In non-Covid times, the amusement arcades with the tuppenny falls are a big hit</li> <li>• Chips on the beach</li> </ul>	On a sunny day, check out the park with water features just behind the beach if the tide is too far out (or you have a mud aversion).
11.	<a href="#">Dyrham Park</a>	Currently gardens only: £4 kid £8 adult Free with National Trust Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tour the stately home – look out for the ebony staircase and 17<sup>th</sup> century hot chocolate samples</li> <li>• Walk amongst the deer</li> <li>• Spot your favourite crazy plant in the formal gardens</li> <li>• Big hill running</li> <li>• Tractor themed playground</li> </ul>	There is a bus to take you back up the hill to the entrance if your legs/children have given up.
12.	<a href="#">Dry ski slope sledging at Mendip Activity Centre</a>	Group and individual activity prices vary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sledging under fairy lights</li> <li>• Campfire, hot chocolate and s'mores</li> <li>• Ski lessons for those who are prepared to stand up on their slidy toy.</li> </ul>	Activities running in Tier 3

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