

Suggested Walking Route

1. Start outside **Visit York**, go straight across the road and follow the crescent around to **Bootham Bar**. Here you can also catch the **Sightseeing Buses**.
2. Head up the steps onto the **city walls** and follow the walls around.
3. Leave the city walls at **Monk Bar** and head down **Goodramgate**, home to cafés, shops & pubs. Pass **Lady's Row** and **Holy Trinity Church**, on your right.
4. At **King's Square** pass **Chocolate Story** and head down the historic **Shambles**.
5. At the bottom, turn right onto **Pavement** and follow the road, keeping **All Saints Church** on your right.
6. Turn left into the Coppergate Centre, passing **Jorvik** and **Van Gogh Expo**.
7. Pass through the archway to the right of Fenwick's and past **Fairfax House** to see **Clifford's Tower** and **Castle Museum**.
8. Head along **Tower Street**, passing **York Army Museum** and turn right onto **Clifford Street**, past **York Dungeon** on your left.
9. Keep following the road straight on to **Coney Street** for all the big high street shops and straight across the square onto **Lendal**.
10. At the top of **Lendal**, head straight forward for **Museum Gardens** or down the cobbled hill for **City Cruises**. Turn right here for **Visit York**, where you started.

Map of Walking Route



Scan this QR code to see the walk on your mobile device.



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This guide just shows you the highlights but there is much more to see if you have time. Visit our website at www.visityork.org or ask one of our friendly staff, who are happy to help you plan your day.

Optional diversions off the suggested route

If the city walls are closed (**step 2**), at **Bootham Bar**, head through the arch and onto **High Petergate**.

At the **Minster**, head left around the side on **Deangate** – this takes you to **College Green** for picturesque cafes and then straight onto **Goodramgate**. Turn right to continue the route from **step 3**.

Along **Coney Street (step 9)**, turn right at **St Helen's Square** to see **Betty's Tearoom** and the **Mansion House**. Head straight forward onto **Stonegate** for lovely shops.

Prefer a guided tour?

Ask one of our friendly staff for leaflets on guided **walking tours** of the city. We also sell tickets for the **City Cruises Boat** and the **Sightseeing Buses**.

Enjoyed York and want to visit again in the future?

Why not consider the **York Pass** which gives you access to attractions in York and the surrounding area. Visit www.yorkpass.com or ask one of our friendly staff for further details.

What to see on the route

- As you follow the City Walls, look to your right to see a view over York Minster behind Gray's Court.



York Minster from the City Walls

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- In the Museum Gardens, look out for the ruins of St Mary's Abbey and Multangular Tower. Also see if you can spot the squirrels that roam around the gardens.

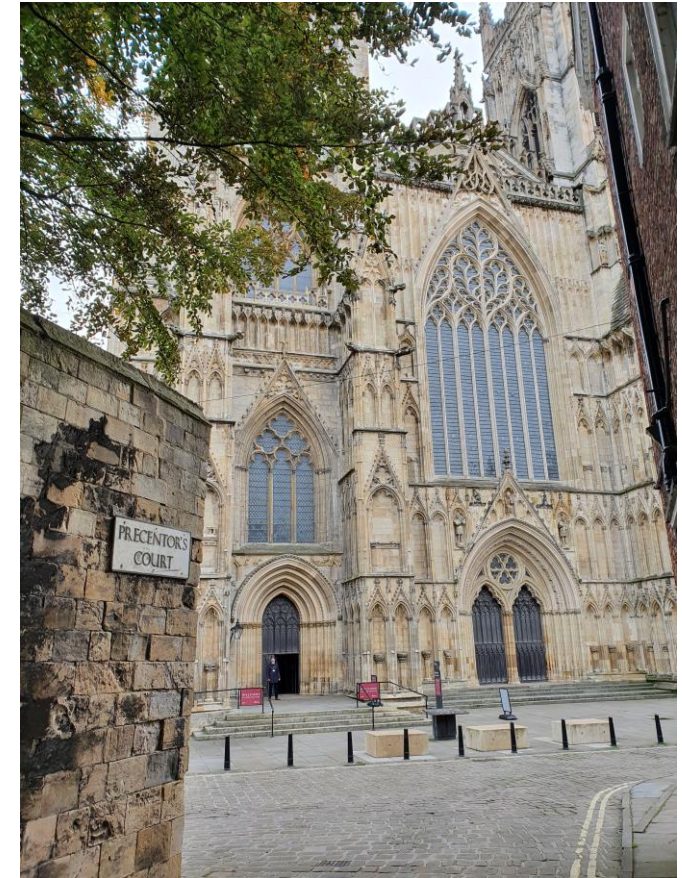


St Mary's Abbey in the Museum Gardens

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Whistle Stop Tour, including a suggested walking route
40 Minutes / 2 Miles (3.2km)



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