

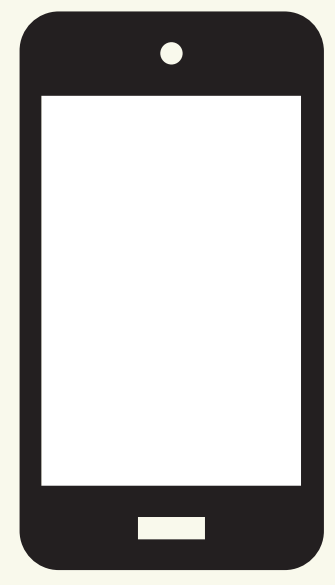


Insider Guide

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Insider Guide On-the-go



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Day Exploring



Chesil Beach

Spend your morning exploring Chesil Beach and the surrounding Fleet Lagoon. The area is famous for its diverse birdlife, especially during migration seasons.

4 miles / 15-minutes

Lulworth Cove

Drive to Lulworth Cove and take in the stunning natural beauty of the cove. Walk along the beach, explore the rock pools, or take a scenic walk up to the top of the hill for panoramic view.

21 miles / 40-minutes

Portland Bill Lighthouse

Head to Portland Bill to see the iconic lighthouse and take a walk along the rugged coastline. The views are spectacular, and you might see some seabirds and enjoy the coastal scenery.

11 miles / 30-minutes

Visit Durdle Door

Just a short drive from Lulworth Cove, visit the iconic Durdle Door arch. Take a walk to the arch, enjoy the beautiful views, and explore the area.

21 miles / 40-minutes

Lunch at The Lobster Pot

Enjoy a delicious seafood lunch at this popular local restaurant. Try some fresh lobster, fish and chips, or other local seafood dishes.

11 miles / 30-minutes

Top Tip

Stair Hole

A short walk from Lulworth Cove, on route to the incredible Durdle Door lays Stair Hole, a hidden wonder on the much loved Jurassic Coast.

Half Day Exploring



Visit Nothe Fort

Spend your morning exploring Nothe Fort, which offers fascinating exhibits on military history, along with stunning views over Weymouth Bay and the Jurassic Coast.

6 miles / 20-minutes

Rossi's Ice Cream

Treat yourself to some delicious Rossi's Ice Cream, a local favorite and right on Weymouth sea front.

5-minutes from Weymouth

Crabbing in Weymouth Harbour

Enjoy crabbing in Weymouth Harbour, a popular and family-friendly activity. The harbour is an excellent spot to catch crabs using simple bait and nets.

6 miles / 20-minutes



Walking

South West Coastal Path

Enjoy some time on the South West Coastal Path. There are three routes you can join just a short walk from the hotel.

Portland Circuit

A walk of dramatic, rugged cliffs, nationally rare plants, hidden coves and stunning views.

Rodwell Trail

Follows the track bed of the old Weymouth to Portland railway. The trail is a pleasant walk or perfect for a bike ride for the whole family.

Fleet Nature Reserve

This walk explores the Fleet Nature Reserve, a haven for wildlife. From Moonfleet Manor, head towards the Fleet Lagoon and follow trails around the nature reserve.



Half Day Exploring

Weymouth Sealife Centre

Spend time exploring the Sealife Adventure Park's various exhibits, including sea creatures, interactive displays, and educational talks.

6 miles / 20-minutes

Lunch at Smugglers Inn Pub in Osmington

Enjoy a traditional pub lunch with local ales and hearty meals.

10 miles / 25-minutes

Osmington

Discover the charming village of Osmington and visit the Osmington White Horse, a historic hill figure carved into the hillside.

10 miles / 25-minutes

Top Tip

Smugglers Inn Pub

It's a popular spot, so booking a table in advance is recommended, especially during peak times.



Beaches

Weymouth Beach

An award-winning sandy beach overlooked by a magnificent Georgian seafront, located at the heart of the Jurassic Coastline. The sand is lovely and soft and there's plenty to do along the shore, with fairground rides, sand sculptures, and donkey rides.

6 miles / 20-minutes

Good Friday to 31st October

Hive Beach

Hive Beach is a scenic and tranquil stretch of coastline located in Burton Bradstock, along the Jurassic Coast, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It is renowned for its fossil-rich cliffs, which provide excellent opportunities for fossil hunting and geological exploration.

14 miles / 40-minutes

All-year-round

Chesil Beach

This beach is 18miles long. It is a pebble and shingle tombolo connecting Portland to Abbotsbury.

4 miles / 15-minutes

All-year-round

Durdle Door

Durdle Door beach is renowned for its natural beauty and the striking limestone arch known as Durdle Door, which is a prominent feature of the Jurassic Coast. This arch is a remnant of erosion that has created a dramatic natural archway in the cliffs, offering stunning photo opportunities and breathtaking views.

50-minute drive

All-year-round

Lulworth Cove

Close to the rock arch of Durdle Door this majestic horseshoe shaped cove offers a great pebble beach and fantastic cliff walks. One of Dorset's beauty spots.

45-minute drive

All-year-round

Charmouth Beach

Ideal family beach with a mix of sand, pebbles and fossils.

45-minute drive

All-year-round

Day Exploring



Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens

Explore the beautiful Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens, featuring exotic plants and stunning landscapes. Wander through the gardens and enjoy the serene atmosphere.

7 miles / 15-minutes

Explore Lyme Regis

Head to the charming town of Lyme Regis, known for its historic harbour, The Cobb, and beautiful beaches. Explore the town, visit the Lyme Regis Museum, and stroll along the seafront.

3 miles / 10-minutes

Charmouth Beach

Drive to Charmouth beach, renowned for its fossil-rich coastline. Spend time exploring the beach, hunting for fossils, and enjoying the stunning coastal scenery, or visit the Charmouth Heritage Coast Centre to discover more about fossils.

24 miles / 45-minutes



Top Tip

Check Tide Times

The best time to find fossils is after high tide when the water has receded and exposed fresh fossils on the beach.