

RMINGHAM

EXPLORING BIRMINGHAM 2-DAY ITINERARY

Get ready to explore Birmingham! Whether you're a foodie, a history buff, or just looking to soak in the atmosphere, our carefully curated 2-day itinerary will guide you through the must-see spots and hidden gems of the UK's second city.





Welcome to Birmingham, a city where history, culture, and world-class attractions blend seamlessly. Explore the city's top museums, iconic landmarks, and must-visit eateries, before finishing with an unforgettable performance at Birmingham Symphony Hall.



MORNING

Start your day at York's Café in the Ikon Gallery, praised by The Sunday Times, Observer, and The Guardian as one of the UK's top brunch spots. Enjoy an award-winning brunch and in-house roasted coffee.

Then, explore the Ikon Gallery, a renowned contemporary art venue featuring world-class exhibitions and events.

6 MINUTE WALK TO THE LIBRARY OF BIRMINGHAM



THE LIBRARY OF BIRMINGHAM

MORNING

Spanning 10 levels, the Library of Birmingham is Europe's largest library, home to an impressive collection of rare books and archives. On sunny days, be sure to explore the outdoor amphitheater, where you can enjoy stunning panoramic views of the Birmingham cityscape.

10 MINUTE WALK TO TIGER BITES PIG



Discover Tiger Bites Pig, where you can enjoy the freshest homemade bao and rice bowls in Birmingham. This spot is known for its affordable and mouthwatering street-food dishes, including a variety of bao buns and rice bowls.

With vegan-friendly options and weekly specials, there's always something new and delicious for everyone to try.

INFORMATION

As a region, we pride ourselves on being accessible for all visitors.

For detailed access guides on hotels. places to eat and drink and attractions, visit AccessAble.

ACES TO STAY

- **Clayton Hotel Birmingham**
- Park Regis Birmingham
- **Bloc Hotel Birmingham**

DID YOU KNOW

Birmingham and the West Midlands are home to seven Michelin star restaurants!

Three restaurants in Birmingham have five stars between them, including Adam's, Simpsons and Opheem, the latter of which is the first restaurant in the city to be awarded two stars.



AFTERNOON

Dive into the guirky world of Newman Bros Coffin Works on a top-rated guided tour. Explore the original tools and materials used to create some of the world's most exquisite coffin furniture, including fittings for the funerals of Winston Churchill and The Queen Mother.

This tour provides a captivating insight into a unique craft and its rich historical significance.





No trip to Birmingham is complete without trying a Balti, a dish introduced by a Pakistani-Brummie restaurateur in the 1970s.

Asha's Indian Restaurant, popular with celebrities, offers an authentic taste of India's North-West frontier and solidifies Birmingham as the UK's Indian Cuisine capital.

11 MINUTE WALK TO BIRMINGHAM SYMPHONY HALL



End your day at Birmingham's Symphony Hall, one of the world's top music venues. With a diverse lineup of classical, rock, pop, and comedy shows, there's something for everyone.

If they are playing during your stay, don't miss the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra who regularly wow audiences with world-class classical performances.





A day crafted for food enthusiasts! Start with freshly baked artisan pastries at a local bakery, then dive into the indulgent world of Cadbury. The afternoon is spent in Digbeth, the 'Coolest Neighbourhood in Britain,' where incredible food, bold street art, and charming independent shops await.

MEDICINE BAKERY

BREAKFAST

Medicine Bakery is a charming artisan bakery and café nestled in the heart of Birmingham, serving up breakfast, brunch and lunch, along with takeaway cakes and pastries.

Know for some of the best sourdough in the city, they also serve amazing Cronuts - until they sell out! Just a 5-minute walk from Birmingham New Street Station, its' the perfect way to start a busy day of exploration

35 MINUTE TRAIN TO CADBURY WORLD



CADBURY WORLD

MORNING

A must-visit for any chocolate lovers, Cadbury World offers an immersive journey into the world of Cadbury. Discover the secrets behind the UK's favourite chocolate brand, watch expert chocolatiers in action, and even try your hand at making your own treats.

Explore the origins of the cocoa bean in the Aztec Jungle, hop aboard a magical ride, and experience the 4D Chocolate Adventure, featuring Cadbury's beloved characters in a thrilling cinematic experience.

20 MINUTE BUS TO UPPER DEAN STREET **5 MINUTE WALK TO DIGBETH**



Digbeth is one of the most distinctive parts of the city, named the 'Coolest Neighbourhood in Britain' by the Sunday Times, hailing the Custard Factory's cafes, independent shops, cinemas and arts venues, whilst celebrating 'the best bar snacks in the postcode' from The Old Crown.

For a tasty lunch, try <u>Baked in Brick</u>. This award-winning eatery, once a street food stall, now serves some of Birmingham's finest wood-fired pizzas and BBQ dishes in a cozy, modern setting.

Afterward, unwind at <u>The Mockingbird Cinema and Kitchen</u>, a unique, intimate venue offers a mix of new releases and classic films.

For a more laid-back experience, take a leisurelyy stroll through Digbeth, where vibrant street art and graffiti bring the neighbourhood to life.



Located in <u>The Custard Factory</u>, Digbeth, 670 Grams offers a unique fine-dining experience headed up by local chef Kray Treadwell.

Expect a tasting menu full of expression, unique flavour combinations and reminiscent memories. Each course reflects Birmingham's rich culture and diversity, taking diners on a culinary journey through the city.





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