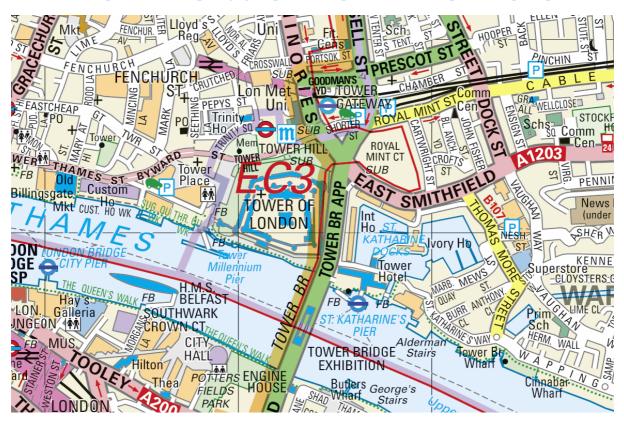


Borough of Tower Hamlets

The Tower of London





Her Majesty's Royal Palace and Fortress, Tower of London

The **Tower of London** dates back to 1066 and is one of the essential London attractions and one of the world's most iconic tourist sites. The Tower of London enjoys the prestigious honour of being a World Heritage Site. Officially known as **Her Majesty's Royal Palace and Fortress**, the complex acted as a palace for the English monarchy; a London-protecting fortress; and a prison to the country's highest-status prisoners, including members of the Royal Family. The Tower has also housed the United Kingdom's crown jewels for over seven hundred years.

The Tower of London's highlights include the following attractions: the White Tower; the Crown Jewels; the Beefeaters' guided tour; the ravens; the prisoners exhibition; Lady Jane Grey's graffiti; the Medieval Palace; Tower Green; and a collection of King Henry VIII's armour.

Just a stone's throw away is the equally iconic Tower Bridge, so why not follow your visit to the Tower of London by visiting the bridge's popular exhibition? It is well worth it for the incredible views across The Thames alone.

Nearest Tube/Railway Station

Tower Hill (Circle Line; District Line)

Admission

Adults: £19.80

Under 16s: £10.45

Under 5s: Free

Students and over 60s: £17.05

Opening Times

9.00am to 5.30pm, Tuesday to Saturday (4:30pm in winter)

10.00am to 5.30pm, Sunday and Monday (4:30pm in winter)

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Guide Book

For a lasting souvenir of your visit to the Tower of London, don't forget to purchase the Tower Guidebook. Available from the Welcome Centre, the Tower Shop, Medieval Palace, White Tower and Beefeater shops. Price: £4.99

