10 Easter family fun days out

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Horniman Museum Gardens

The school holidays are here! We've chosen our favourite family day trips at National Lottery-funded places to help keep the whole gang entertained.

Horniman Museum

Enjoy the Easter weekend at the Horniman Museum in London. Take part in an Easter Trail or venture through the rabbit hole at a storytelling performance inspired by Alice in Wonderland. This fab museum also has an aquarium and a garden with alpacas and goats.

Whitworth Art Gallery

Spring into action at the Whitworth Art Gallery in Manchester. Explore their gardens and free exhibitions, and make your own family artwork.

River & Rowing Museum

Head to the <u>River & Rowing Museum</u> at Henley-on-Thames to discover the *Wind in the Willows* exhibition, take part in a family Easter hunt or build your own longboat!

Stephenson Railway Museum

A range of fascinating locomotives are on display at the <u>Stephenson Railway Museum</u>, including George Stephenson's *Puffing Billy*. This holiday take a ride on the Easter Eggspress and pop along to the parcel van for story time.

National Museum of Rural Life

Escape to the Scottish countryside to explore the <u>National Museum of Rural Life</u>'s 1950s working farm and museum. This Easter meet lambs, calves, chicks and even skunks!

Wray Castle

Visit a mock-Gothic castle on the shores of Lake Windermere and learn survival skills. Discover how to build a shelter and cook on a campfire! Find out more on the Wray Castle website.

Castle Espie Wetland Centre

Get up close to Ireland's largest collection of native and exotic waterbirds, bats and migrant birds on a day out at the <u>Castle Espie Wetland Centre</u>. You can also help Dusty find his missing ducks at Dusty's GIANT Easter Duck Hunt.

Wallington

Do you know your chaffinch from your nuthatch? Find out more about birdlife at <u>Wallington</u>. You can also take a guided tour of the lambing shed and see how the farmers look after newborns.

St Fagans

Enjoy Wales' history at <u>St Fagans</u> near Cardiff. Pick up an explorer pack, go on a ghost walk and take part in an Easter hunt.

Arlington Court and the National Trust Carriage Museum

Set in a picturesque garden with horse-drawn vehicles, <u>Arlington Court</u> is a great family day out. This Easter, meet new spring lambs and enjoy a talk from a local farmer.



Moonrocket fairground ride



10 historic houses and gardens to visit this spring