

Six Family Days in Norwich & the Norfolk Countryside especially for when the sun doesn't shine or it's too HOT!

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Day 1	www.visitnorwich.co.uk
<p>Aylsham Fun Barns</p> <p>Spa Lane Aylsham NR11 6UE 01263 734108 www.aylshamfunbarns.co.uk</p> <p>10am-5pm Full day or less</p> <p>Approx 20 mins drive from Norwich.</p> <p>Adults £1, children £6 for all day. Family rate £13 (2A&2C). Suitable for children under 10yrs.</p>	<p>Heaps of fun to be had on a day out here. When the weathers too hot or too wet use the giant sandpit, bouncy castle, bouncy ball pool and giant bouncy slide. Ride-on toys, giant four-in-a row and floor snakes and ladders add to the fun. There is a soft play corner for babies and toddlers to keep amused.</p> <p>Pedal tractors and diggers, pedal go-karts all inside a barn as well!</p> <p>Café with good choices for children's food.</p> <p>Animals outside to visit and ride. Bus shuttle to Bure Valley Steam Railway if you have time for more action!</p>
Day 2	www.visitnorwich.co.uk
<p>Norwich Castle Museum & Art Gallery</p> <p>Castle Meadow Norwich NR1 3JU 01603 493625 www.museums.norfolk.gov.uk</p> <p>Mon-Fri 10am-4.30 Sat until 5.30 Full day or less.</p> <p>City centre location, use city car parks.</p> <p>Adults £6, children (4-16) £4.40 see website for exact prices.</p> <p>POP in for £1 - hour before closing</p>	<p>Dungeon Tours - descend deep below the castle to a maze of early medieval cellars used to incarcerate manacled prisoners in dreadful conditions long ago. Hear extraordinary stories about prisoners. Learn about the history of crime and punishment and see horrifying instruments of torture including a ducking stool, scold's bridle and gibbet iron.</p> <p>Watch out for school holiday activities such as arts & crafts, storytelling, costumed characters.</p> <p>Full museum including; Norman life, life in the castle, Norwich silver, Norwich civic regalia, Snap the snapdragon – medieval scenes, Anglo Saxon treasures, models, Queen Boudica gallery, Egyptian gallery and much much more.</p>

Day 3	www.visitnorwich.co.uk
<p>Norwich Puppet Theatre</p> <p>St James, Whitefriars Norwich NR3 1TN 01603 629921 www.puppettheatre.co.uk</p> <p>Workshops approx £7 per child for 90 minutes – varies depending on theme.</p> <p>Performances from: Adults £6.50, children £4.50. No under 3's.</p> <p>City centre location, use city car parks.</p>	<p>Come along and see a show or make a puppet with the experts at this unique centre for puppetry. With performances and workshops throughout the year, there is something for everyone.</p> <p>The Puppet Theatre is housed in the strikingly converted Grade I listed Mediaeval church of St. James in the city of Norwich. It has an international reputation for its work and the most comprehensive facilities of the four buildings that are solely dedicated to theatre of animation in the UK.</p> <p>Full programme of workshops and performance during school holidays. Booking required.</p>
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<p>The Playbarn</p> <p>Westgreen Farm, Shotesham Road Norwich NR14 7LP 01508 495526 www.theplaybarn.com</p> <p>Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm. Approx 10 mins from Norwich.</p> <p>90 mins of play - £5 under 3, £7 over 3. Weekends and bank holidays £8 over 3's. Adults free.</p> <p>Free parking .</p>	<p>Activity centre for 7's & under based around a farmyard theme. The Playbarn features both indoor & outdoor play areas & a small farm. Inside there is a climbing apparatus, beach barn sandpit, ball pool, soft play equipment & a quiet area for reading & puzzles. For under 3's there is an area with push-along vehicles, a kitchen set & soft play. Outside you will find playhouses, a wooden climbing frame, pedal-tractor courtyard & during summer, a bouncy castle.</p> <p>Great facilities for adults, Sky TV, magazines, papers, sofas.</p>
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<p>Strangers' Hall</p> <p>Charing Cross Norwich NR2 4AL 01603 667229 www.museums.norfolk.gov.uk</p> <p>Weds-Sat 10.30am-4.30pm City centre location, city car parks. Half day visit.</p>	<p>Come and explore one of the oldest and most fascinating buildings in Norwich. Home to wealthy merchants and Mayors when Norwich was in its heyday, this beautifully preserved building dates back to 1320.</p> <p>Wander through a maze of passages to discover a series of inter-linked rooms with period settings. See the Tudor Great Hall, the fine Georgian Dining Room and</p>

<p>Approx prices adults £3.30, children £1.80, Family pass £9.10 free under 4's.</p>	<p>the magnificent stone-vaulted undercroft. Find out who the Strangers were on one of our regular guided tours and maybe meet a costumed character from times gone by. In fine weather, relax in the 17th century knot garden.</p>
<p>Day 6</p>	<p>www.visitnorwich.co.uk</p>
<p>Weekend children's cinema</p> <p>Cinema City St. Andrews Street Norwich NR2 4AD 0871 704 2053 www.picturehouses.co.uk</p> <p>3-15yrs members £2.00 non-Members £4.50. All accompanying adults go FREE!</p> <p>Join membership £4.00 a year (first visit free).</p> <p>All mentioned cinemas city centre locations, use city car parks or car parks.</p>	<p>Cinema City - every Saturday at 10.30am. Creative activities, fun and games are followed by a children's film at 11.00am. The Club is suitable for 3 - 15 year olds. No adult unaccompanied by a child will be admitted.</p> <p>Vue cinema in Norwich offers Saturday and Sunday morning films for £1.70 per child with 1 adult free. See their website for full details.</p> <p>Odeon Norwich offers a similar programme. See their website for full details.</p>

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