



# Visit Richmond

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## Directions to Richmond Park

### Walk

- Turn left out of station, walk to the end of George Street (the shopping street).
- Cross at the traffic lights at the end of George Street past Waterstones on your left and go up the hill keeping the Odeon Cinema on your left.
- At the top of the hill go straight past the beautiful view from the terrace opposite the Roebuck Pub.
- The park gates are directly in front of you.

### Bus

- Take the 371 bus outside the station, get off at the stop indicated 'Richmond Hill, Richmond Gate'.
- Walk and you will see the park gates.

### Recommended

- Take the bus, 371 outside station, and get off at the 'Richmond Hill, Richmond Gate' stop.
- After enjoying your time in Richmond Park, walk back down into town straight out of the park gates.
- Walk past the Star and Garter (the huge brick building on your left) past the view from the terrace and down the hill into town.
- Alternatively, walk downhill on the footpath from the terrace and walk back into town along the river.



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## One Hour Walk from Richmond Station

- Turn left out of the station and cross the road at the pedestrian lights. Go straight down Old Station Passage and turn left at the end onto Little Green.
- Go past Richmond Theatre, built at the turn of the last century and the first theatre in Britain to have unobstructed views of the stage.
- When you arrive at Richmond Green, pause at the information board, then cross diagonally to the next information board which tells the history of Richmond Palace.
- Walk through the Palace Gate and follow the road inside the Palace Grounds to the Old Palace Lane.
- Turn left and walk to the end of Old Palace Lane where an information board gives details about river life in the area. Turn left along the river and enjoy the walk to Richmond Bridge, completed in 1777, and the oldest surviving Thames bridge in Greater London.
- Return to Richmond Station.

### To Return (Choose an Option Below)

- After leaving the bridge retrace your steps, turn right at Water Lane by the White Cross Pub and head up to Richmond's commercial area.
- At the top of Water Lane, turn right and cross the road for the art galleries, small shops, cinema and restaurants on Hill Rise. Walk back down the hill to the traffic lights, bear right past the Art Gallery, along George Street past Marks and Spencer and straight back to Richmond Station.
- At the top of Water Lane, turn left then first left past the Old Ship Pub to King Street with its small shops, restaurants and, on the right, the entrance to The Lanes off Richmond Green. Explore the lanes then, at the top of Brewers Lane, turn left and return to Richmond Station.
- As a speedy route, continue along George Street, Richmond's High Street, past The Ship Pub and on to Richmond Station.

### Or

- Continue along the tow path under Richmond Bridge until you reach a junction in the footpath. Turn left, cross the road at the pedestrian lights and climb the path and steps up the hill to enjoy the famous view and information board at the top. Turn right along Richmond Hill, past the hotels and into Richmond Park.