

Clumber Park Accessibility Statement

Clumber Park

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Introduction

Clumber Park is a beautiful expanse of parkland, heath and woods covering more than 3,800 acres.

Clumber was once the country estate of the Dukes of Newcastle. Although the house was demolished in 1938, there are many glimpses of its grand past to explore. From the Gothic-style chapel, often referred to as a 'Cathedral in miniature', you can follow in the footsteps of Dukes through the peaceful pleasure ground to the Walled Kitchen Garden where you can experience sights, scents and a taste of the past.

In brief

- Assistance dogs are welcome in all areas of Clumber Park. We also welcome dogs on leads in the Pleasure Grounds and Walled Kitchen Garden. We have a dog-friendly café; Central Bark.
- Areas of the gardens and parkland has flat pathways, but also some areas of steep and rough terrain.
- Wheel chairs are available from the Cycle Hub where we also hire mobility scooters. Scooters are also welcome in the park but we do not currently have the facilities to charge them.
- Within the Walled Kitchen Garden and Chapel, most of the spaces are accessible for wheel chairs and mobility scooters, however there are a few areas that inaccessible.
- Please be aware that there are low light levels inside the chapel for conservation reasons.



Arrival, parking and toilet facilities

There are brown tourism signs to follow to Clumber Park from main routes towards the park. Access the park through one of three entry points from A614 and B6034.

Carers are admitted free of charge, when accompanying a person who has National Trust membership or is paying normal admission. This is standard practise throughout the National Trust.

Parking

Visitors can park in our main car park, located by the visitor facilities.

On peak days, we provide overflow car parking; our Membership & Visitor Welcome team is on hand to welcome visitors and guide you to the correct parking area as you arrive.

There is an accessible car park, with ample spaces located very close to the main visitor facilities, please make a member of staff aware upon entry if you require these spaces.

Visitor facilities and accessibility

Visitors can find toilets, baby changing facilities and accessible toilets throughout the park.

Toilets are located in the following areas of the park:

- Turning Yard toilets, including accessible facilities and baby changing
- Discovery Centre toilets, including accessible facilities
- Main Café toilets & baby changing. Please note, these toilets are located upstairs and are not accessible
- Walled Kitchen Garden toilets, including accessible facilities and baby changing
- Garden Tea House toilets are located upstairs; there is an accessible toilet on the ground floor

We are upgrading our main visitor toilets, in the Turning Yard, with the addition of a Changing Places facility in early 2020.

Main visitor areas

Laundry Yard - Shop, plant sales, Laundry Yard kiosk and Discovery Centre



Level access and accessible by wheelchairs, prams and mobility scooters.

The Discovery Centre is accessible, with lift access to the first floor. Please note, we have accessible toilets available on the ground and first floor in the Discovery Centre.

Some bookable activities take place in classrooms to the rear of the Discovery Centre. These areas have step access and a removable ramp can be used to assist wheelchair users.

Turning Yard

Café - Level access for majority of the building however, there is a step down into the Duke's Study section of the café.

Toilets - There are female, male, accessible and baby changing facilities available, with level access. Please note the toilets are located upstairs, without lift access. Our main visitor toilets are located nearby, which includes an accessible facility.

Woodland Play Park

The terrain is wood chip and therefore uneven in places.

Book shop

Level access and accessible for wheelchairs, prams and mobility scooters.

Pleasure Grounds

There is an accessible route around the chapel, however there are steps along Lincoln Terrace, lake side that are unsuitable for buggies and wheelchairs.

There are even pathways throughout much of the Pleasure Grounds for visitors with wheelchairs, prams or mobility scooters.

Chapel

Ramp access and the space is accessible for a wheelchair. Due to conservation requirements, lighting in the chapel is kept dim.

Cycle Hub

Our Cycle Hub has level access. Manual wheelchairs and self-drive powered mobility vehicles are available for visitors to hire free of charge, on a two-hour loan. Contact our Cycle Hub on 01909 544911.



Walled Kitchen Garden

Central Bark

The dog-friendly café has level access and is accessible to wheelchairs.

Garden Tea House

Ramp access is available to the ground floor only, with accessible toilets on the ground floor.

Walled Kitchen Garden

Accessible entry to the glass house, through one entrance. Separate accessible entry to the garden is available.

Toilets

Accessible toilets are available in the Walled Kitchen Garden.