

History Related Trips

Activity Name	Full/Half Day	Age Range	Cost	Capacity	Description	Curriculum	Special Needs Information
Powis Castle Open All year	Full day Half day	4+	No Extra cost	Unlimited	Once the stark medieval fortress of Welsh princes, Powis was transformed into a richly decorated Baroque castle. Large formal gardens and deer park.	Medieval to modern history	Wheelchair friendly
Corris Mine Explorers Open all year	Half day	8+ 1 hr 10+ 2 hr 13+ 4 hr	1 hr £7.50, 2 hr £22, 4 hour £42. Staff free. Groups of 10 - 1 free, 15 - 2 free	Groups of 10 - 20	Exploring a virtually untouched old Welsh slate mine. First worked 1836 abandoned 40 years ago. 1, 2 and 4 hour trips available		No wheelchair access but can cater for sight, hearing and physical impairment. Needs to be able to walk
King Arthurs Labyrinth Open 31.03 – 02.11	Full day Half Day	Key Stage 2	Labyrinth £7.50 Child £5 The Stone Circle £3.95 child £2.30 Combined Ticket £9.45 child £6.15	20 per group for King Arthurs can run 15 minute intervals unlimited	King Arthur's Labyrinth provides educational school visits in Mid Wales. The visit is also great fun which makes it an ideal school trip venue. The stories told in the Labyrinth are designed to stimulate discussion and to promote follow-up work.		Wheelchair friendly for the stone circle. King Arthurs is 45 mins and ½ mile underground
Judges Lodgings Open all year	Half day Full Day	Key stage 1 & 2	£3.90 Audio tour £4.95 interactive day per child teachers free		Step into the 1870s at the award-winning Judge's Lodging and discover the world of a most unusual household. Explore the 'upstairs, downstairs' life of the Victorian Judges, their servants and felonious guests	Victorian from social, cultural, technological political and aesthetic	
Silver Mountain Open March – Nov groups by arrangement all year	Full day Half day	KS1 +	£5.00per child teachers free	60 split into groups of 15	Steeped in myths and legends, high in the ancient Cambrian Mountains, the Silver Mountain Experience has tumbling streams, mysterious forests and long abandoned mine workings. Journey through the mists of time.		No wheelchair access
National Cycle museum	Half Day	KS 1 +	£2 per child	Unlimited	Entrance includes guided tour and activities. Bikes from all eras		

Acton Scott Historical Working Farm Open April - November	Full day Half day	KS1 +	Playgroup and primary school children £3.25. One adult per 6 paying children will be admitted free of charge Minimum group admission charge of £65.	30 KS1 35 KS 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All workshops last 1.5 hour 10.30 – 12.00 or 12.30 – 2.00, except for Shelter Building and Scarecrow! which are 1 hour each. All workshops cost £55. This is in addition to the group admission costs. Acton Scott offers a free preliminary visit for teachers 	Sustainability War History Victorian History	
Ludlow Castle Open all year	Half Day	6+	Adults £5 Children £2.50 Groups over 10 have 10% discount		There is a guided tour available to pre-book		
Stokesay Castle	Half Day	KS 1+	Free if booked in advance	Unlimited	Teacher led		
National library of Wales Open all year	Half day	KS 2+	No extra cost	Unlimited	Tours available		Wheelchair access
Elan Valley Open all year	Half Day Full day	KS1 +	No extra cost	Full coach	Activities based around the history of Elan valley and its construction	Victorian history and world war	Wheelchair access
Bryntail Lead Mines Open all year	Half day	KS 1 +	No Extra cost	Unlimited	Bryntail Lead Mine is an unused lead mine associated with the nineteenth century extraction and processing of lead ore. Teacher led activity	19 th century mining	
Llanfair & Welshpool Light Railway or Rheiddol Steam railway	Half day	KS 1 +	£6 per child 1 free adult per 10 children	Unlimited	Both narrow gauge railways		Wheelchair access

Environmental and Science Based Trips

Activity Name	Full/Half Day	Age Range	Cost	Capacity	Description	Curriculum	Special Needs Information
Elan Valley Open all year	Half Day Full day	KS1 +	No extra cost	Habitat 32 Geography 33	Activities including pond dipping, river profiling, life cycles, water tables, Science eg. habitat, geography which is physical and involves the dams, water aid in Uganda and lots more. The education officer may also be able to visit Broneirion for classroom based activities in advance of a visit to the Elan Valley.	Geography, Science	Wheelchair access
Corris Mine Explorers Open all year	Half day	8+ 1 hr 10+ 2 hr 13+ 4 hr	1 hr £7.50, 2 hr £22.00, 4 hour £42.00. Staff free. Groups of 10 - 1 free place, 15 - 2 free places	Groups of 10 - 20	Exploring a virtually untouched old Welsh slate mine. First worked 1836 abandoned 40 years ago. 1, 2 and 4 hour trips available	Geography	No wheelchair access but can cater for sight, hearing and physical impairment. Needs to be able to walk
Lake Vyrnwy Open all year	All day Half day	KS1 +	£5 per child	60 in groups of 20	RSPB led activities looking at the environment, life cycle, food chain. If they are aware of projects in advance they can tailor to pretty much anything required.	Geography Science History Rivers	
Centre for Alternative Technology Open all year	Full day Half day	KS1 +	£3.80 per child plus workshops. Teachers free. Tour £50 per group	Unlimited numbers Groups of 20	Entrance includes an introduction talk. Workshops available covering many areas, full list included. With over 7 acres of hands-on displays and gardens and with 40 years of experience in sustainability practice, the Centre for Alternative Technology (CAT) inspires thousands of visitors every year.	Science History Environmental science	Wheelchair access available from April to November after which the railway doesn't run and there are steep steps to the entrance.
Llyn Clywedog / Hafren Forest Open all year		KS2 +			River profiling and field studies. Walk to the source of the River Severn - or choose from numerous walks including waterfalls. The Forestry Commission has created a number of different trails along the Severn and through the towering		

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Acton Scott Farm Acton scott cont. Open April - November	Full day Half day	KS1 +	Playgroup and primary school children £3.25. One adult per 6 paying children will be admitted free of charge Minimum group admission charge of £65.	30 KS1 35 KS 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All workshops last 1.5 hour 10.30 – 12.00 or 12.30 – 2.00, except for Shelter Building and Scarecrow! which are 1 hour each. All workshops cost £55. This is in addition to the group admission costs. Acton Scott offers a free preliminary visit for teachers 	Sustainability Food chain and production	
Devils Bridge Falls Open all year	Half day	KS2 +	Mid-March – End Oct £1.50pp including teachers Nov – Mid March £2.00 for children £3.75 Adults (must be paid with £1 coins)	Unlimited	These unique waterfalls have attracted many thousands of visitors since the 18th century, including William Wordsworth who wrote about the "Torrent at the Devil's Bridge". Today, the Falls Nature Trail provides a unique opportunity to see this great natural feature in the Rheidol Gorge. There are two walks to choose from one lasting 45 mins one lasting 10 mins. Teacher led activity	Geography	When there is ice on the paths we recommend that you do not enter the walks. Fallen twigs and leaves can also create a hazard on the path and steps. It is essential that appropriate footwear is worn. Due to the geology of the Rheidol Gorge, the walks are not suitable for the elderly, disabled visitors
Gigrin Red Kite Farm Open all year	Half day	KS1 +		Unlimited	With breath-taking feats of aerial piracy red kites compete with buzzards and ravens for choice pickings. Feeding takes place at 2pm GMT (well, no-one tells the kites that the clocks change!).		
Bwlch Nant Yr Arian RED KITES Open all year	Half day Full day	KS1+	Parking only	Unlimited	Bwlch Nant yr Arian became a red kite feeding station in the winter of 1999. It was designed to give the small numbers of red kites a helping hand and to encourage		

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Bwylch Nant Yr Arian Woodlands Open all year	Half day full day	KS1 +			<p>Education Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work directly with groups offering curriculum linked visits in local woodlands • Offer training sessions to help teachers, group leaders and others use their local woodlands for learning • Support the development and delivery of Forest School • Co-ordinate Forest Education Initiative (FEI) cluster groups across Wales <p>Whatever age and ability you work with, from Foundation Phase to University level, clubs, groups and societies, our Education Officers will be happy to help you</p>		
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Active & Adventurous Trips

Activity Name	Full/Half Day	Minimum Age	Cost (pp unless otherwise stated)	Capacity	Description	Special Needs Information
Staylittie Outdoor Centre Open all year	Full Day Half Day	8+	£200 per instructor per day. 1 instructor per group of 10	Groups of 10 Can take 60 plus children	On the lake- Kayaking, Canoe, Raft Building and Sailing. On Land - Gorge walking and Abseil	Have a hoist lakeside can cater for wheelchair users and most disabilities.
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Mid Wales Off road Open all year	Half day	Carting 10+ Paintball 11+ JCB Drive 14+	£28 £15.50 100 shots £22	Groups 20 Groups 20 Groups 10	race off-road karts, enjoy a ride in the argo-cat, drive a digger or have a game of paintballing	
Silver Mountain Open March – Nov groups by arrangement outside these dates	Full day Half day	4+	£5 children teachers free	60 split into groups of 15	Steeped in myths and legends, high in the ancient Cambrian Mountains, the Silver Mountain Experience has tumbling streams, mysterious forests and long abandoned mine workings that will take you on a journey through the mists of time. Adventure playground and panning for gems, etc.	No wheelchair access
Severn Way Hike Open all year	Full day Half day	No restriction	No extra cost	Unlimited	The Severn Way is one of the longest way marked walking trails in Britain, tracing a 210-mile route from source to sea. The river falls 1,500 ft during its first dozen miles, and new trails closely follow its course over Plynlimon and through the Hafren Forest. The Severn Way is just a 5 minute walk from Broneirion.	
Elan Valley Lodge	Full day Half day	KS2+	£300 full day per group of 12	Split into groups of 12	Open Canoeing, Kayaking, Improvised raft building, High-ropes challenge, Climbing, Abseiling.	

