

The Child Friendly Leeds



to free and low-cost* things to do

SUMMER GUIDE

JULY

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| 12 | The Thing about Happiness
Leeds Playhouse, LS2, 18:00 start, booking required, pay what you can | 28 - 1 | RJC Summer Dance Camp
Mandela Centre, LS7, 10:30 to 12:30, must attend each day |
| 13 | Gledhow Valley Green Fair
11:00 to 16:00, drop-in | 28 | Mini mixology @ Festival of Fun!*
White Rose Shopping Centre, LS11, sessions at 12, 13:00, 14:00 & 15:00, £4 |
| 21 | Facepainting
Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in. | 28 - 5 | Wrongsemble: Breadcrumbs*
Multiple libraries, LS2, 10:30 & 13:30, pay what you can, booking required |
| 21 - 24 | Kirkstall Valley Explorers*
Kirkstall Valley Farm, LS5, 10:30 to 13:30, £4 to £7, booking online | 29 - 31 | Circus School
Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in |
| 24 & 31 | Thor's Let's Create Tables
Thor's Tipi City Square, LS1, 13:00 to 15:00, drop-in | 29 - 30 | North Leeds Music Summer Club*
North Leeds Music Centre, LS17, 10:00 to 12:30, £10 for 2 days, booking online |
| 24 | Miffy Storytime
Leeds City Museum, LS2, 30-min slots at 10, 11:30 and 13:30, pay what you can from £0, drop-in | 29 & 30 | Make a Miffy Wand
Leeds City Museum, LS2, 10:00 to 15:00, pay what you can from £0 |
| 25 | Lego, Duplo, colouring
Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in | 29 - 1 | 4 Day Orchestra Beginner Club*
North Leeds Music Centre, LS17 & Horsforth Music Centre, LS18, 10:00 to 12:30, £20 for 4 days, booking online |
| 25 | Kitty + Custard Club Nursery Rhyme
Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 13:00 to 13:30, drop-in | 29 - 31 | Kirkstall Valley Explorers*
Kirkstall Valley Farm, LS5, 10:30 to 13:30, £4 to £7, booking online |
| 26 | We ART Seacroft Festival
Seacroft Village Green LS14, 12:00 to 15:00 free, drop-in | 30 | Tooth & Claw workshop
Leeds Discovery Centre, LS10, 10:00 to 12:00, pay what you can from £0, booking online |
| 26 | Story Gardens - Summer Reading challenge begins!
Sign-up at your nearest Community Library! | 30 | Pot a Plant*
Temple Newsam Walled Gardens, LS15, 13:00 to 15:00, £3, booking required. |
| 26 & 27 | The Wizard of Oz (U)
Hyde Park Picture House, LS5, 11/11:30 check times, pay what you can, autism friendly screening | 31 | Magic Shows & Bunny Balloons
Leeds City Museum, LS2, 40-min slots at 11, 13:00 and 14:30, pay what you can from £0 |
| 28 | Balloon modelling
Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in | | |

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ALL SUMMER

23 Jul - 21 Aug Breeze in the Park!*

Breeze is back, visiting 26 parks across the city, including 12 relaxed sessions for children with SEND!

From giant inflatables to amazing entertainment, arts, crafts, games, sports, library buses and more, Breeze in the Park is the ultimate day out for children in Leeds for just £1!

21 of the events will have a school uniform exchange stand!

26 Jul - 31 Aug Wonderland Awaits

Mondays to Saturday 10:00 to 16:00; Sundays 11:00 to 16:00

This summer, the city will be taken over with characters and scenes from Lewis Carroll's Alice in Wonderland! Maps can be picked up in the city centre, and there are 7 locations to visit! Along the way, you can also stop at...

Summer of Whimsical Crafts!

Brand new craft activities each week in Trinity Leeds, LS1, 11:00 to 17:00 daily.

Summer colouring!

John Lewis Community Hub on the 4th floor, LS2, colouring available from 13:00 to 15:00

You can sign-up for the Summer Reading challenge from 5th July!



Sign up to Healthy Holidays - free activities and meals for children on Free School Meals

Kids eat FREE in the John Lewis dining area this summer!

Free shoe fittings for children at John Lewis throughout summer!



£1 Family films at Cineworld Leeds, White Rose Centre, 25 July to 28 August



As always, full details and booking links can be found on the Child Friendly Leeds blog.

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FULL DETAILS

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AUGUST

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Mon to Fri	Facepainting and colouring Cross Gates Shopping Centre, LS15, 11 to 15:00, free, drop-in	4 - 7	Kirkstall Valley Explorers* Kirkstall Valley Farm, LS5, 10:30 to 13:30, £4 to £7, booking online
Fridays	Lego, Duplo & Colouring Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in	4 - 31	Treasure Hunt! John Lewis store 4 th floor, LS2, check opening hours
Tuesdays	Get Arty in the Abbey Kirkstall Abbey, LS5, 10:00 to 11:30, pay what you can from £0, drop-in	5 & 6	Sensory Room Leeds City Museum, LS2, 1-hour sessions at 10:30, 11:30 and 14:00, pay what you can from £0, booking required
Wednesdays	Urban Nature: Building in LEGO Kirkstall Abbey, LS5, 10:00 to 11:30, pay what you can from £0, drop-in	5 - 7	Bumper Cars Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in
Thursdays	Crafty in the Cloister Kirkstall Abbey, LS5, 14:00 to 16:00, pay what you can from £0, drop-in	6	National Playday - Family Fun! Hunters Greave Scout Camp, LS13, 11:00 to 14:00, free, drop-in
28 - 5	Wrongsemble: Breadcrumbs Multiple libraries, LS2, 10:30 & 13:30, pay what you can, booking required	6 - 7 & 13-14	Paint Maze Cross Flatts Park, LS11, 11:00 to 14:00, free, drop-in
1	Yorkshire Day!	7, 14, & 21	Thor's Let's Create Tables Thor's Tipi City Square, LS1, 13:00 to 15:00, drop-in
2 & 3	Lilo & Stitch (U)* Hyde Park Picture House, 11/11:10, pay what you can, autism friendly screening	8	The Tigger Movie (U)* Hyde Park Picture House, LS6, 11:00, pay what you can, toddler friendly screening
2 - 3	Horsforth Music Centre Rock School! Horsforth Music Centre, LS18, 10:00 to 13:00, £10 for 2 days	9 & 10	My Neighbour Totoro (U) Hyde Park Picture House, 11/11:30 check times, pay what you can, autism friendly screening
2, 7, 9 & 14	Who's There? Creative Art Workshop Leeds Art Gallery, LS1, 11:00 to 15:00, pay what you can	11	Balloon modelling Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in
3	Family Rave! Thor's Tipi City Square, LS1, 10:00 to 12:00, booking required	12 - 14	Actual Reality Arcade Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in
4	Facepainting Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in.	12 - 21	Fladam Presents Greenfingers Multiple libraries 10:30 & 13:30, pay what you can, book online

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13	Fun Day in the Park Kirk Lane Park, LS19, 13:00 to 15:00, drop-in	20	Miffy Storytime Leeds City Museum, LS2, 30-min slots at 10:30, 11:30 and 13:30, pay what you can from £0, drop-in
13	Bread & Buried Workshop Leeds Discovery Centre, LS10, 10:00 to 12:00, pay what you can from £0, booking online	20	Once Upon a Time Workshop Leeds City Museum, LS2, 10:00 to 12:00, pay what you can from £0, booking online
14 & 21	Miffy Electric Paint & Animation workshop Leeds City Museum, LS2, 10:30 to 12 (ages 8-11); 13:00 to 14:30 (ages 12-14), pay what you can from £0, booking online	20 - 21 27-28	Paint Maze Cross Flatts Park, LS11, 11:00 to 14:00, free, drop-in
15	Peppa Meets the Baby (U)* Hyde Park Picture House, LS6, 11:00, pay what you can, toddler friendly screening	23 & 30	Climbing Wall Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in
16 & 17	Elio (U) Hyde Park Picture House, LS6, 11/11:30, pay what you can, autism friendly screening	23 & 24	How to Train your Dragon (PG)* Hyde Park Picture House, LS6, 11/11:30, £2.50, autism friendly screening
18	Facepainting Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, free, drop-in.	26 & 27	Make a Miffy Wand Leeds City Museum, LS2, 10:00 to 15:00, pay what you can from £0, drop-in
19	Magic Shows & Bunny Balloons Leeds City Museum, LS2, 40-min slots at 11, 13:00 and 14:30, pay what you can from £0, drop-in	26 - 28	LS-TEN Rollerskating Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in
19 - 21	Bath bomb making Kirkgate Markets, LS2, 11:00 to 15:00, drop-in	26, 29-31	Short Films for Children (0-14 years)* Hyde Park Picture House, LS6, 1 check times, £0-3
19 - 21	Pattern Making Poetry Kirkstall Abbey, LS5, 11:00 to 15:00, pay what you can from £0, drop-in	27	Capture a moment workshop Leeds Discovery Centre, LS10, 10:00 to 12:00, pay what you can from £0, booking online
		27 - 29	Jack & the beanstalk Multiple libraries 10:30 & 13:30, pay what you can, book online

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