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Bourton-on-the-Water



Visit Bourton's quaint Model Village, the only one in the UK to be Grade II listed. Set in local Cotswold stone, it's an exact replica of Bourton in the 1930s. Compare the life-size versions of the buildings with the Model Village, including the Alpine plants and the church choirs; even the Model Village features as a model of itself!

Home to TV's supercar hero Brum, the Cotswold Motoring Museum & Toy Collection in Bourton offers seven galleries packed with vintage cars, a unique toy collection and a History of Motoring exhibition.

Step into the past with retro collections and memorabilia from the '20s through to the '70s, all within a converted 17th century watermill.





Birdland is set in nine acres of gardens and woodland. There are over 500 birds here to meet, living in over 50 aviaries in trees and along the River Windrush. Head into the woodland to discover life-sized dinosaurs in the Jurassic Journey area, see the wondrous colour of the Pandemonium of Parrots or visit the Parliament of Owls.

Cheltenham

Cheltenham nestles against the Cotswolds as the perfect place to unwind. With unique festival vibes, an abundance of independent and much loved High Street shops, and incredible dining experiences from street food to Michelin starred fine dining, Cheltenham truly is a must-visit town.



Stow-on-the-Wold



Stow is the highest of the Cotswold towns at nearly 800ft above sea level. The Market Square is large, with St Edward's Hall standing in the centre, surrounded by independent shops, antique centres and cafés. The town has a long history, most associated with the 1646 Battle of Stow-on-the-Wold, fought in nearby Donnington.

There's lots to see and do on the 801!