

# CARISBROOKE CASTLE MUSEUM



## FAST FACTS

*"Home to more than 35,000 historical items connected with the Isle of Wight"*



2 - 3 hours



Low Cost



Picnic Spaces

In castle adjacent



Snack Bars



Parking On Site

FREE coach parking



Own Resources

KS1 - KS5

### Unique Location

Carisbrooke Castle Museum is an accredited local history museum run by an independent charitable trust, sited inside the medieval Carisbrook Castle, run by English Heritage.

The museum was founded in 1898 by HRH Princess Beatrice, youngest daughter of Queen Victoria, as a memorial to her husband Prince Henry of Battenberg.

### More than 35,000 Items

The museum cares for more than 35,000 items connected with the Isle of Wight.

The collection includes social history, medieval history, King Charles I, ecclesiastical history, costume, military history.

Artefacts include photographs, paintings, decorative art, ephemera and documents.

### Resources & Topics

The museum provides curriculum-targeted sessions and materials.

Available for Key Stage 1 through to Key Stage 5, topics include *One Thousand Years in a Castle* and *I'm a King... Get Me Out Of Here!*

There's also a range of fun and creative pre- and post-visit activities and resources available to teachers to help support their school's visit.

*When visiting the museum this needs to be combined with access to Carisbrooke Castle which is usually free for educational visits. Education Destination can take of this for you.*

FUN

60%

LEARNING

90%



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