

GROUPS AND TRAVEL TRADE

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Beginning in the earliest days of powered flight, Aerospace Bristol takes visitors on a fascinating journey through aviation history.

It's a journey through two World Wars, the drama and technological advances of the space race, the tension and competition of the Cold War, and on to the modern day, where visitors discover the latest technologies of today's aerospace industry.

Visiting groups enjoy an exhibition that includes aeroplanes, helicopters, missiles, engines and space technology, and tells an inspirational story of ingenious design, engineering innovation and remarkable social history.

> The star attraction is the last Concorde ever to fly. Stunningly displayed in a purpose-built hangar and with a breath-taking show projected on to the side of the supersonic jet, visitors are able to see Concorde up close and even step aboard.

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Aerospace Bristol has won 'Best Museum or Gallery 2021', and has been shortlisted for 'Best Attraction for Group Visits Outside London' in the Group Travel Awards.

Our friendly and knowledgeable team are committed to delivering the best possible experience for every visitor and will ensure that all members of your group enjoy a first class experience.





GROUP BENEFITS

Aerospace Bristol offers discounted rates for groups, free entry for the group leader and coach driver (accompanying 15 paying visitors) free coach parking, and a free hot drink for the driver. Discount requires a minimum group size of 15 people.

Our group rates for 2022

Adult £14.00 Child £9.00 A non-refundable deposit of 20% of the total order balance is payable at the time of booking.

In the Travel Trade?

We welcome Travel Trade enquiries and are keen to work with partners in the industry to welcome FIT and group visits to Aerospace Bristol. To discuss how we might be able to work together, please email **groups@aerospacebristol.org** using the subject line Travel Trade.

TAKE OFF ON AN UNFORGETTABLE JOURNEY

Let Aerospace Bristol whisk your group away on an immersive journey through more than a century of incredible aviation achievements and fascinating tales of human endeavour.

HERITAGE TOUR

Take off on a flight through more than 100 years of Bristol's aerospace history.

Find out how a small, pioneering company manufactured some of the earliest aeroplanes at Filton, evolved over the decades to influence the course of aviation history and shaped the world we see today.

With an expert guide and our stunning collection as a backdrop, discover how Bristol changed the world.

Price per person (plus admission) £7 Duration: Approx. 45 minutes





ALEX TOUR GUIDE

" In order to build the Brabazon aeroplane, a new extended run way had to be built. At the end of the proposed extension lay the village of Charlton. Charlton village was destroyed and the new runway was completed. At 2750 yards it was the largest runway in the world at the time."

CONSERVATION IN ACTION

Situated in a restored Grade II listed WWI aircraft hangar, built around 1915, the latest addition to Aerospace Bristol allows visitors to get up-close to conservation projects - including the Bristol Freighter, Fighter and Bolingbroke - and watch as volunteers work on historic Bristol aircraft.

CONSERVATION TOUR - NEW -

Join one of our knowledgeable volunteers on a guided tour of the refurbished WWI aircraft hangar, see Conservation Volunteers at work (subject to availability), and discover three remarkable conservation projects.

Your tour includes a look at the only Type 170 Bristol Freighter in Europe, our ongoing Bristol Bolingbroke restoration project, and a WW1 Bristol fighter, complimenting the replica on display in the museum galleries.

Price per person (plus admission) £7 Duration: Approx. 45 minutes



STEP ABOARD THE LAST CONCORDE

The stunning centrepiece of your visit will be Concorde Alpha Foxtrot: the last of the iconic supersonic passenger jets to be built and the last to fly.

THE CONCORDE TOUR

BRITISH AIRWAYS

Join us to learn about the supersonic superstar that is Concorde, across the runway from where all British Concordes were built. You will be taken on a journey all the way from Concorde's beginnings in the 1950s to its retirement in 2003.

Learn about many of its engineering triumphs, record breaking achievements and the social history of those who flew and worked on this ground breaking aeroplane.

Price per person (plus admission) £7 Duration: Approx. 45 minutes

GREG TOUR GUIDE

On one of her early flights on Concorde The Queen Mother told captain Jock Lowe that upon hearing Concorde flying over Clarence House, she would wave from the balcony. It therefore became tradition for all Concorde captains to flash the landing lights in salute when flying over central London'

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REFUEL IN THE CAFĒ

At Aerospace Bristol, you can expect much better than your typical in-flight meal! Our cafe offers a delicious range of hot and cold meals, snacks and drinks, served throughout the day, with children's options and high chairs available.





TREAT YOURSELF

Remember your day with something special from our shop.

We offer a range of quality souvenir and gift items inspired by our collection, including books, cards, models, toys and much more.

Every purchase helps Bristol Aero Collection Trust to inspire the next generation of engineers.

ACCESSIBILITY

Aerospace Bristol is committed to providing the best possible experience for all visitors. The museum is set over three buildings and the site is fully accessible by wheelchair users. However, Concorde was sadly not designed with easy access in mind and has a narrow aisle between the seats.

The museum has wheelchairs available for visitor use and pre-booking is advisable.

Aerospace Bristol offers free entry for dedicated carers. Guide and assistance dogs are welcome. The museum has wheelchair accessible lifts, easy access toilets, and disabled changing facilities. If you have concerns regarding mobility, or if you need further information prior to your visit, please don't hesitate to get in touch and we will be happy to assist you.

Further information for visitors with access needs can be found in our accessibility guide. Please visit **aerospacebristol.org/accessibility**

HOW TO FIND US OPENING TIMES

Our address is: Hayes Way, Patchway, Bristol, BS34 5BZ

Aerospace Bristol is situated to the north of Bristol, just 2 miles from M5 Junction 17.

Our nearest major railway station is Bristol Parkway and from there you'll find bus or taxi services to bring you to Aerospace Bristol. More information at **aerospacebristol.org/find-us** Aerospace Bristol is open from Wednesday to Sunday, except for 24 - 26 December and 1 January.

Our opening hours are 10am - 4pm. Please note our opening times vary. The latest times can be found at aerospacebristol.org/opening-hours



MUSEUM HANGARS

Download a more detailed museum map at aerospacebristol.org/visit



BOOK YOUR VISIT TODAY

Book now and get ready for a supersonic day out

Phone: 01179 315 315 Email: groups@aerospacebristol.org www.aerospacebristol.org/groups

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to welcoming your group to Aerospace Bristol





GROUP BOOKING FORM

Ready to book your group visit or interested in finding out more?

Call 01179 315 315, email groups@aerospacebristol.org or return the form below to Group Visits, Aerospace Bristol, Hayes Way, Patchway, Bristol, BS34 5BZ.

| Preferred date of visit: | | |
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| Will you be arriving by coach: If yes, how many coaches? | | |
| What would be your preferred arrival time? Please circle: | 10.00 10:30 12.30 13.00 | |

A non-refundable deposit of 20% of the total order balance is payable at the time of booking.















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