Cannon Bridge House visitor guide

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Getting here

Address and contact

Historic England, 4th Floor, Cannon Bridge House, 25 Dowgate Hill, London EC4R 2YA

Historic England reception – 020 7973 3700, Monday to Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Cannon Bridge House reception – 020 7444 0006

Transport links

Train and underground

Cannon Bridge House is around a 14-minute walk to National Rail services at Liverpool Street and a 13-minute walk to Moorgate. The nearest underground stations are Cannon Street (1-minute walk) and Bank (5-minute walk).

Bus

Check the Transport for London website for bus routes.

River taxi

The nearest water taxi stations are Blackfriars or Tower.

- Blackfriars water taxi stop: Blackfriars Pier, White Lion Hill, London EC4V 3QR
- Tower water taxi stop: Tower Millennium Pier, Lower Thames Street, London EC3N 4DT

More details about routes, times and prices are on the Thames Clipper website.

Cycling

Cycle racks are available to use in the basement, via Cousin Lane. Please let your meeting host know if you are cycling.

Parking near Cannon Bridge House

Although there is no onsite visitor parking, it is possible to arrange accessible car parking. If you need accessible car parking, please contact your meeting host. The nearest public car parks are:

- NCP, London Vintry Thames Exchange, Bell Wharf Lane, London EC4R 3TB Tel: 0345 0507080
- Baynard House Car Park, 133 Queen Victoria Street**,** London EC2V 4BQ Tel: 020 7329 6520

How to find us

The main entrance is on Dowgate Hill.

There is also an accessible, alternative entrance on Cousin Lane, which avoids using the escalators. Please contact your meeting host to use this entrance.

Your meeting host will let the building reception know the date and time of your visit in advance. Once you arrive at Cannon Bridge House, please sign in at the building reception desk – you will be provided with a visitor access pass and entry through the barriers. Take the escalator up to the mezzanine floor, turn left and take the lift to our office on the 4th floor.

Our receptionist will let your meeting host know when you've arrived.

Fire safety and first aid

Fire alarm tests

Fire alarm tests will be carried out each Friday at 16:00.

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Access to fire escapes

The three fire exits are identified by signage above the doors, as shown on the office floor plan on page 5. Each of these exits lead to external doors at street level.

Evacuation

In the event of a fire, alarm bells will sound continuously. Everyone must leave the building via the nearest safe exit and proceed to the muster point at Swan Lane.

It is the responsibility of all hosts to escort their visitors safely out of the building.

First aid

There are two first aid boxes; one in reception and another in the kitchen.

Working during your visit

Our office is a shared space with areas dedicated to quiet working. Hot desks are available and detailed on the floor plan. Please ask your meeting host for the guest Wi-Fi login details.

There is a designated smoking area, although no smoking of cigarettes or electronic cigarettes is permitted on the spiral staircase.

Charging phones and laptops

Most desks have power sockets to charge laptops and mobile phones.

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Floor Plan



Meeting Rooms

1	Betjeman	7	Pitt-Rivers	13	Bazalgette
2	Coade	8	Kenyon	14	Brunel
3	Hill	9	Trevisan	15	Jekyll
4	Morris	10	Charles	16	Pevsner
5	Lister	11	Hadid	17	Gilbert-Scott
6	Hall	12	Montagu	18	Hawksmoor

Key

- Meeting Room
- Bookable Meeting Room
- Hot Desks
- Fire Exits
- Business Centre
- Wellbeing Room
- Lockers
- Printer
- Male Toilets
- Female Toilets
- Disabled Toilets

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