Family city guide Liverpool



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# A trip to Liverpool made easy

Adagio and Auzou Éditions are pleased to offer every budding globetrotter their very own Family City Guide dedicated to Liverpool! Follow Wolf as he explores the city and check out his suggestions for the best things to do with your family!

From sports and sightseeing to hands-on activities and restaurants, the team at your Adagio aparthotel have thought of everything to make sure your city break is a breeze. All that's left is to make the most of your trip!

Ready to go? It's time to have fun!

# Let's go!

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#### Did you know?

Liverpool's waterfront is a designated World Heritage Site. That puts it on a par with the Taj Mahal and the Great Wall of China!

#### **Question time!**

What kind of insect is Liverpool's most famous band named after? O Spider O Beatle O Grasshopper (,səjteəg əy1, pueg) əjteəg :Jəmsuy

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# **Museum of Liverpool**

Few cities can match Liverpool for its wealth of history. The Museum of Liverpool reflects the city's global significance through its unique geography, history and culture. Visitors can explore how the port, its people and their creative and sporting history have shaped the city. The museum opened on 19 July 2011 in a landmark building on the waterfront and has won several awards, including the Council of Europe Museum Prize for 2013. Its collections cover Social History, The Overhead Railway which closed 60 years ago and, of course, The Beatles. There really is something for all the family at this fascinating venue.

Museum of Liverpool Pier Head, Liverpool, L3 1DG tel. +44 (0)151 478 4545 www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk /museum-of-liverpool



- **16 mins'** walk from your aparthotel
  - Typical opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday and bank holidays, 10am - 5pm
- **Typical prices:** Free

## Hurray!

Don't miss the Little Liverpool gallery, a hands-on fantasy world for our youngest visitors and their family (entry with a free timed ticket from the welcome desk on the day of your visit).

# World Museum

The World Museum is one of Britain's greatest museums, with varied collections and displays focused on life sciences, earth sciences and human cultures from around the world. The everpopular Dinosaurs and Ancient Egypt sections sit alongside a Planetarium and Space and Time attraction. Children will love looking at the fish in the aquarium, watching films and live performances in the theatre, taking a journey through space in the planetarium and examining creepy crawlies in the bug house.

#### 🗋 World Museum

William Brown Street, Liverpool, L3 8EN tel. +44 (0)151 478 4393 www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk/ world-museum



- **11 mins'** walk from your aparthotel
- Typical opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday and bank holidays, 10am - 5pm
- **Typical prices:** Free

# Cool:)

Good to know! The picnic area on level 4 is open to the public at all times, please feel free to bring your packed lunches here.

#### **Imagine That!**

Described as 'Liverpool's fullest, funniest day out', Imagine That caters to babies and children up to age 12. Five sections offer morning or afternoon visits. The Science Area provides an interactive introduction to the world of science, while budding engineers can muck in at The Construction Area. A highlight of the Art Area is the paint the car section, where children can add their own designs to a real car! According to Imagine That, visitors to its Water Area should be advised that there's a good chance you'll get wet and an outside chance you'll get soaked!' The Imagination Village contains shops and restaurants.

#### 🚫 Imagine That!

26-32 Faraday Road Wavertree Technology Park, Liverpool, L13 1EH tel. +44 (0)151 228 2175 www.imaginethat.org.uk

Train: Wavertree Technology Park Station Bus: Technology Park (line 139), Edge Lane, Wavertree Road and Rathbone Road (lines 6, 7, 14, 60, 61, 62, 78, 79)

Typical opening hours: Sat, Sun & school holidays, 10am - 4pm (last entry 2.30pm) Toddler Hangout: Fridays, 10am - 12.30pm

#### **Typical prices:**

Adults: £7.95 Young visitors (aged 3+): £15.95 Children (aged 1-2): £12.95 Free for children under 1 Pre-booking only

#### Wow!

Ready for some outdoor Fun? Try your aim at the giant dinosaurs with our catapult, hunt for fossils in the sandpits... or if you're feeling sporty, put yourself to the test on our Builders' Bootcamp.

#### **Mersey Ferries**

The iconic Mersey Ferries take hundreds of thousands of people out on the River Mersey each year. They provide a range of exciting river cruises including the River Explorer Cruise, which gives visitors the perfect view of the UNESCO World Heritage waterfront and is a must-do for all families visiting the city. Guided by expert commentary throughout the 50-minute trip, the River Explorer Cruise offers stunning views of Liverpool's famous skyline. As you relax and take in the sights, you'll be captivated by the rich and fascinating history of Liverpool as the River Mersey unfolds beneath your feet.

#### \lambda Mersey Ferries

Closest station to the Aparthotel: Pier Head, Georges Parade, Liverpool, L3 1DP tel. +44 (0)151 330 1003 www.merseyferries.co.uk

- **16 mins'** walk from your aparthotel
- Typical opening hours: Mondays to Fridays, 10am - 4pm Weekends, 10am - 6pm

Typical prices: Adults (aged 16+): £12 Young visitors (aged 5-15): £8 Family (2 adults & 2/3 children): £34/£37 Free for children under 5 All River Explorer Cruise tickets include entry to the U-Boat Story Tickets can be bought online or on the day at the ferry terminal



## **Brilliant!**

During your River Explorer Cruise, you can hop off at Woodside Ferry Terminal and explore the U-Boat Story, before returning to Pier Head, Liverpool.



#### **Yellow Sub**

Liverpool's leading family entertainment centre, Yellow Sub, houses a host of attractions including large and small play frames, an arcade, a football pitch and a brand new sensory area. Its state-of-the-art party rooms include animation walls, disco lighting and music. The coffee shop serves delicious home-cooked food including flame-grilled burgers, pizzas and scrumptious filled wraps. Located by Liverpool's famous Albert Docks, the centre has recently been carefully redesigned to ensure that Yellow Sub provides a fantastic experience for families visiting the area and that children have a really fun time!

#### Yellow Sub

Dempster Buildings, Atlantic Way Brunswick Business Park, Liverpool, L3 4BE tel. +44 (0)8444 120 850 www.yellowsub.co.uk

Bus: Sefton St or Grafton St (lines 500, 4, 4A) Train: Brunswick Business Park Station

#### Typical opening hours:

Tuesdays to Sundays, 10am - 6pm Open on Mondays during peak times (weekends, school holidays and public holidays)

#### **Typical prices:**

Adults (aged 16+): £1.95 Children (aged 1+): £8.50 Infants (under 1): £2.95 Prices are charged per 90-minute play session

#### Yum!

Yellow Sub's amazing restaurant and coffee shop provide delicious home-cooked food made using only fresh and locally sourced ingredients. Choose from flame-grilled burgers, Neapolitan pizzas and scrumptious wraps.

# **Knowsley Safari**

Knowsley Safari has been welcoming visitors since 1971! Its 5 mile Safari Drive is the longest in the UK and home to many animals from around the world including lions, wildebeest, camels and bison. Families can also discover the Safari via the Baboon Bus or Foot Safari. In addition, the popular Flight of the Talons bird of prey display takes place daily where guests can experience vultures, hawks and stalks feeding, flying and swooping just inches above their heads. There's also a collection of amusements and fairground rides on site, the chance to take a rowing boat out on Mizzy Lake or you're free to enjoy a woodland walk through the Wild Trail.

#### 🚫 Knowsley Safari

Prescot, L34 4AN tel. +44 (0)151 430 9009 www.knowsleysafariexperience.co.uk

Car: Please use the postcode L34 4AN Train: Liverpool Lime street to Prescot train station (+30-min walk or taxi) Bus: Prescott Bus Station (+30-min-walk or taxi)

Typical opening hours: Mondays to Fridays, 10am - 5.30pm Weekends, 10am - 6pm Safari Drive: Mondays to Fridays, 12pm - 5pm Weekends, 11am - 6pm (last entry to the Safari Drive: 4pm)

Typical prices:Adults: £25Young visitors (aged 3-15): £22.50Free for children under 3

#### Oh la la!

Don't miss the sea lion display, one of the most popular highlights, perfect for families with children of all ages. Daily: 12pm, 1.30pm and 3pm.



#### **Gusto**

Eating at Gusto is an experience. The chef invites customers to discover the best of Italy for all to enjoy. Delicious pizzas, burgers, pasta, risotto, steaks and a host of the chef's signature specialities will delight young and old alike. Brunch is an adventure in itself, pairing refined cuisine with creative cocktails. Finally, Gusto is a restaurant steeped in elegance with a spacious dining room with a modern and natural design - it's a must-try!

🔿 Gusto

Edward Pavilion, Albert Dock Liverpool, L3 4AF tel. +44 (0)1517 086 969 www.gustorestaurants.uk.com /restaurants/liverpool

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13 mins' walk from your aparthotel

#### () Typical opening hours: Sunday to Thursday, 12pm - 10pm

Fridays and Saturdays, 10am - 11.30pm

## **Typical prices:**

Kids menu: 2 courses, £8.95 3 courses, £10.95 Lunch (Mon to Fri): from £18.95 Pizza from £11.95

# Hurray!

food-related puzzles and other games on the kids'



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