



The Auckland Project is a unique collection of Gardens, Galleries & Museums based around Auckland Palace in the historic town of Bishop Auckland, County Durham. One of the best preserved Bishop's Palaces in Europe, our attractions bring the rich story of Bishop Auckland to life through arts, culture and heritage

Need to know

Address

Auckland Tower, Market Place,
Bishop Auckland, DL14 7NP

What3Words Locator

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Opening/Operating Times

10:30 – 16:00, Wednesday –
Sunday (gardens open until
17:00)

Out of hours visits available on
request

Trade Information

Ideal destination for families, art
& heritage groups/tours, and
history enthusiasts.

Pricing

£22.95 for access to all venues

Tickets to individual venues:

- Auckland Palace, Faith
Museum & Gardens (£14.25)
- Spanish Gallery (£11.85)
- Mining Art Gallery (£4.75)

Payment

Invoiced prior to visit.

Payment terms 30 days from
invoice.

Good to know

Best Time To Visit

We recommend arriving at
10:30AM to get the most of your
visit.

Average time on site

We recommend 1.5 hours per
venue.

To visit all venues we
recommend a 2 day visit.

Min & Max Numbers

We cater for groups from 10 to
100 people, as well as FITs.

Upsells available

- Guided Tours
- Curator Led Tours
- Catering in private dining
areas (group menu available)
- Hotel & Self Catering
Accommodation

Did you know?

Don't miss!

- **Spanish Gallery:** UK's first gallery dedicated to the arts and culture of the Spanish Golden Age
- **Auckland Tower:** 15-metre high viewing platform offers 360 views of the town
- **Francisco de Zurbarán's *Jacob & his Twelve Sons*,** paintings which have hung in Auckland Palace for 250 years
- **The Gemini Collection,** at the Mining Art Gallery, over 400 artworks by acclaimed mining artists
- **AGLOW,** a spectacular Christmas Light Trail, boasting the longest light tunnel in the country!

Interesting local facts

- **Weardale Railway,** an 18 mile heritage railway with services to Bishop Auckland
- Home to **Bishop Auckland Football Club,** one of the most successful amateur sides.

Who to know

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