1. **MUSEUM OF ROYAL WORCESTER**
Severn Street WR1 2ND
01905 21247

2. **WORCESTER CATHEDRAL**
8 College Yard WR1 2LA
01905 732900

3. **FLOOD MARKS WALL**
Watergate, on the river path

4. **THE HIVE**
The Butts WR1 2PB
01905 822866

5. **THE INFIRMARY**
University of Worcester City Campus, Charles Hastings Building Infirmary Walk WR1 3AS
01905 542373

6. **WORCESTER CITY ART GALLERY AND MUSEUM**
Foregate Street WR1 1DT
01905 25371

7. **WORCESTER GUILDL HALL**
High Street WR1 2EY
01905 722018

8. **FRIAR STREET**

9. **THE COMMANDERY**
Sidbury WR1 2HD
01905 362822

**DESTINATIONS BY CAR**

**GEORGE MARSHALL MEDICAL MUSEUM**
Charles Hastings Education Centre, Worcestershire Royal Hospital WR5 1DD
01905 760738

**ELGAR BIRTHPLACE MUSEUM**
Crown East Lane, Lower Broadheath, Worcester WR2 6RH
01905 333244
WORCESTER HERITAGE WALK

The walk starts in Severn Street, two minutes from the city centre, where the Museum of Royal Worcester nestles amidst the Victorian buildings that were home to the Royal Worcester factory and leads on to a journey through Historic Worcester.

1. MUSEUM OF ROYAL WORCESTER

Monday to Saturday, March to October, 10 am – 5 pm
Monday to Saturday, November to February, 10 am – 4 pm
Admission fee applies, includes free audio guide

The museum encompasses 250 years of the City's history and tells the story of Royal Worcester and its remarkable workforce. Customers placed orders from the four corners of the world and porcelain was so highly valued people often took it with them when they emigrated and so it became world renowned. Visit and admire the exquisite creations of highly skilled craftsmen and women, learn about the people behind the porcelain, industrial techniques and the factory community and Royal Worcester's famous customers.

www.museumofroyalworcester.org

2. WORCESTER CATHEDRAL

Daily, 7.30am – 6pm

The Cathedral, an inspirational site since the 7th century, is the final resting place of King John, two saints, a prince, a duke and a prime minister. Highlights in the cathedral are the magnificent stained glass, 11th century round chapter house and beautiful Norman crypt. Its musical heritage features through choral evensong, regular concerts and within the rare monastic manuscripts of the mediaeval library which can be viewed by appointment.

www.worcestercathedral.co.uk

3. FLOOD MARKS WALL

This unassuming wall on the river path behind the Cathedral displays the severity of Worcester's floods since c.1700.

4. THE HIVE

Daily, 8.30am – 10pm

Opened in 2012, The Hive is Europe's first joint university and public library. It has a distinctive look, with seven upward-facing 'cones' and gold cladding, and has won several architectural prizes.

5. THE INFIRMARY

Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm

An interactive exhibition at the University of Worcester's City Campus combining history, science, art and technology to explore the medical stories of one of England’s oldest infirmaries. Meet characters from the Infirmary, investigate medical technology, explore memories and occupations, share your thoughts, challenge your ideas of mental health, and compare health today to other times and places.

www.worc.ac.uk/your-home/the-infirmary.html

6. WORCESTER CITY ART GALLERY AND MUSEUM

Monday to Saturday, 10.30am – 4.30pm

Situated in a stunning Victorian building, Worcester City Art Gallery and Museum is one of the oldest regional museums in the country. Collections include natural history, geology, archaeology and social history, art, and items from the Worcestershire Regiment and Yeomanry Cavalry.

www.museumsworcestershire.org.uk

7. WORCESTER GUILDHALL

Monday to Saturday, 8.30am – 4.30pm

Admire the ornate façade of Worcester Guildhall as you walk down High Street. Built in 1721, this Grade I listed building was designed by Thomas White, a pupil of Sir Christopher Wren.

8. FRIAR STREET

Friar Street contains some of the oldest surviving buildings in the city, dating back to the thirteenth century. It is also the perfect place to stop for lunch, with a large selection of independent cafes and restaurants.

9. THE COMMANDERY

Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 5pm
Sunday, 1.30pm – 5pm

This Grade I listed property served as King Charles’ II headquarters during The Civil War; the green space behind The Commandery is Fort Royal Hill, the site of the Battle of Worcester, which ended the Civil War.

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GEORGE MARSHALL MEDICAL MUSEUM

Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm

Exploring the fascinating developments in medicine and health care over the past 250 years. Highlights include a collection of Victorian death masks and don’t miss the reconstructed apothecary shop and operating theatre.

ELGAR BIRTHPLACE MUSEUM

Daily, 11am – 5pm

Admission fee applies

Offering a fascinating insight into the life and work of Sir Edward Elgar, Britain's best loved composer, in the C19th cottage where he was born. Discover the beautiful cottage garden and rustic summerhouse. Explore Elgar's musical life in the Elgar Centre with the introductory video, touchscreen interactives and contemporary films alongside the main exhibitions. Visit to find out about the man behind the music with our unique collection of personal possessions, letters, furniture and manuscripts.