

ELIZABETH CASTLE

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WHEN YOU ARRIVE



The Elizabeth Castle Kiosk is at West Park slipway. Here you can get your tickets for the Castle and the amphibious ferries. These go every half hour and the journey is quite short.



WHEN YOU COME IN



There is a ticket office and shop at the entrance to the Castle. A member of staff will welcome you when you arrive and provide information about the Castle.



There could be up to 30 other passengers on the ferry. As you travel you will see a safety video. The trip could be a bit bumpy! If the tide is low you can walk across the causeway to reach the Castle.



LIVING HISTORY CHARACTERS
These people are dressed in costume and will explain what it was like to live at the Castle in the past. You don't need to stop and listen to their stories if you would rather explore on your own.

CAFÉ

This is near the Parade Ground and you can sit inside or outside.



USEFUL PLACES

TOILETS
By the Café and also in the Parade Ground.

THE PARADE GROUND



You can explore the Castle in any direction you like. If you follow the path from the entrance you will reach an open space called the Parade Ground where the midday parade is held.

CANNON FIRING



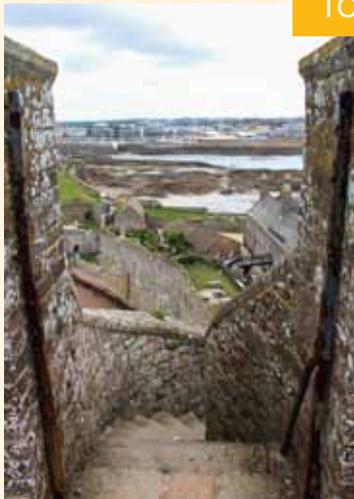
The cannon is fired around 1pm. It is very loud so you will need to cover your ears. There will often be a large crowd watching.

EXHIBITIONS



Buildings surround the Parade Ground including exhibitions you can visit.

TO THE TOP OF THE CASTLE



You can follow the steps up the Castle and explore the rooms on your way. Some are very small with narrow corridors but you don't have to go into these if you don't want to.

AT THE TOP



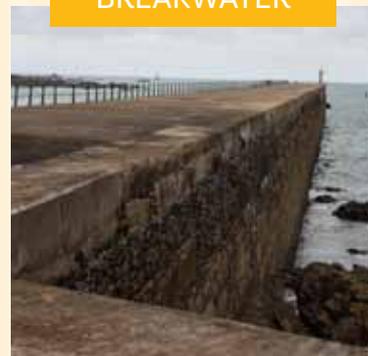
You can see some amazing views from the top of the Castle but it can be quite windy.

THE HERMITAGE



Saint Helier was killed here by raiding pirates in 555 AD. You can climb up the steps to look inside.

BREAKWATER



You could also walk to the end of the breakwater.

BUNKERS



You can explore the bunkers that were added during the German Occupation in World War II. In some places they are very dark.

SHOP



If you want you can buy something from the shop before you leave.