

All of the heritage attractions which usually take part in BBC Radio Nottingham's Big Day Out are closed, but they recommend the following on-line resources and activities to keep your family busy on the Big Day In instead...

Newstead Abbey

Spend some time in the relaxing gardens and learn all about the history of Lord Byron's home [HERE](#)

Wollaton Hall

Turn your home into a museum by making and growing various things [HERE](#)

National Civil War Centre, Newark

The new "Learning from Home" pages are a treasure trove of activities to entertain all ages. With games and crafts to recipes and podcasts.

Explore it all by clicking [HERE](#)

Creswell Crags

Downloadable colouring sheets, activities and poetry resources can be found [HERE](#)

Take a peek inside Robin Hood Cave and see the spooky witch marks [HERE](#)



Robin Hood Experience, Nottingham

You can enjoy live stories throughout the day via Facebook [HERE](#)



Nottingham Industrial Museum, Wollaton Park

Check out all the activities on Mrs Bird's Victorian Kitchen page. It has recipes using rations, puzzles and advice.

You can also take part in a cooking competition [HERE](#)



Papplewick Pumping Station

See a range of videos including a mini guided tour with The Bald Explorer, a video of the station in steam and footage of the pumping station when it was still pumping water back in 1969 [HERE](#)

Newark Air Museum

Enjoy a virtual tour of the museum [HERE](#)



Southwell Minster

Discover the 'Leaves of Southwell' and learn about their significance

[HERE](#)

Online worship is also available [HERE](#)



Calverton Folk Museum

The museum recommends watching "Gedling's Heritage" which includes Calverton, Newstead Abbey, Papplewick Pumping Station and many other heritage sites in Gedling Borough [HERE](#)



Canalside Heritage Centre, Beeston

The theme of the fun resources here are to help those feeling lonely or isolated. Discover the history and exploration of the Beeston and Nottingham Canal and River Trent... also join a creative community

[HERE](#)

The Royal Lancers & Nottinghamshire Yeomanry Museum at Thoresby Courtyard

Take a virtual tour on the Museum website [HERE](#)



Palace Theatre, Newark

Find crosswords, mini quizzes and Spotify playlists [HERE](#)

The team have also curated recommendations for the best theatre-themed content streaming online and on TV. Check out their Self-Isolation Survival Kit [HERE](#)



Museum of the Horse, Tuxford

Take part in the weekend curious item quiz and join in with an active, vibrant Facebook community [HERE](#)



Framework Knitters Museum

Help produce a quilt made up of personal, textile responses to the unprecedented events and experiences of the Covid-19 outbreak as well as supporting your mental health [HERE](#)

National Justice Museum

Discover a 3D tour of the museum's latest exhibition which includes work by a range of artists...Explore it [HERE](#)

There's also a range of resources that can help to keep children and young people occupied – including quizzes, solving crimes, sentencing, staying safe online, and a Dragons' Den style activity to present ideas for improving the justice system [HERE](#)



Mansfield Fire Museum

There are plenty of things to entertain you on the museum website, including an interactive feature about the Great Fire of London...Discover it [HERE](#)



Trent Bridge

Take part in a workbook principally for ages 7 to 11, downloadable from the website. In it there's activities and historical content about Trent Bridge and Nottinghamshire Cricket [HERE](#)

Other activities for you to enjoy...

BBC Radio Nottingham's print out rainbow...ready for you to colour in.

Find it [HERE](#)

Then share it digitally or through social media, by tagging '@BBCNottingham' or emailing us at radio.nottingham@bbc.co.uk



Nottinghamshire illustrator, Evie Warren, has come up with free 'colouring sheet designs' to thank key workers. She's created pictures thanking NHS and Emergency Services staff but also teachers, funeral workers, shop workers that you can print off and colour in.

She's created a special sheet especially for the Big Day In, find it [HERE](#)



The City Nature Challenge, taking place Friday 24th - Monday 27th April, is an annual event documenting nature and helping residents, nature enthusiasts and professionals alike to better understand urban biodiversity. This year, cities will join together to embrace the healing power of nature and encourage collaboration through recording the natural world on our doorsteps. To take part, snap some photos of the plants, animals or other wildlife around you then download the nature recording app [HERE](#)

Challenge Nottingham is a cultural education partnership aiming to ensure all children in Nottingham city access cultural activities, here is a comprehensive list compiled when COVID-19 made many organisations close their doors.

You'll find a great selection of activities for all ages, abilities and interests to keep them engaged and entertained over the weeks until schools reopen fully [HERE](#)



City Arts are sharing activities on their blog [HERE](#)

There is also a Youtube playlist of activities that you can try at home [HERE](#)

There's also an Armchair Gallery app, designed for older family members but would also suit young families. It is something that kids and grandparents can try together if not isolated from each other [HERE](#)



“Wiggle and Giggle” are sharing music and movement classes for babies and pre-school children. They have taken their classes online and have a new YouTube channel [HERE](#)