

Most visited 20 free attractions – South West 2013

*Note: Country Parks excluded as numbers may include visitors to the park only E = Estimate DK = Information not available (Don't know)

Rank	Name of Attraction	Category	2012 Visitors	2013 Visitors	% Change 12-13
1	Bristol Museum & Art Gallery	Museums & Art Galleries	1,110,433	1,300,503	+17.1%
2	M Shed	Museums & Art Galleries	DK	595,604	DK
3	Paignton Pier	Leisure & Theme Parks	563,217	534,079	-5.2%
4	Bath Abbey	Places of Worship	420,000	452,000	+7.6%
5	Salisbury Cathedral	Places of Worship	235,045	253,186	+7.7%
6	The Donkey Sanctuary	Farms	173,500	223,000	+28.5%
7	St John the Baptist, Cirencester	Places of Worship	DK	140,000 (E)	DK
8	Avebury Stone Circle	Historic Properties	176,999	125,067	-29.3%
9	Waterfront Museum	Museums & Art Galleries	112,393	117,996	+5.0%
10	Little Clarendon	Historic Properties	DK	77,175	DK
11	Christchurch Priory Church	Places of Worship	77,311	73,486	-4.9%
12	Clifton Suspension Bridge Visitor Centre	Historic Properties	61,564	65,159	+5.8%
13	Swanage Museum and Heritage Centre	Museums & Art Galleries	59,694	57,228	-4.1%
14	Museum of Barnstaple and North Devon	Museums & Art Galleries	60,542	56,078	-7.4%
15	The Museum in the Park	Museums & Art Galleries	55,468 (E)	53,802 (E)	-3.0%
16	Blaise Castle House Museum and Estate	Museums & Art Galleries	DK	42,270	DK
17	St Ives Society of Artists	Museums & Art Galleries	47,343	36,735	-22.4%
18	Walford Mill Crafts	Museums & Art Galleries	35,000	34,000	-2.9%
19	Spike Island	Museums & Art Galleries	29,000	33,000	+13.8%
20	Watchet Market House Museum	Museums & Art Galleries	33,191	32,741	-1.4%