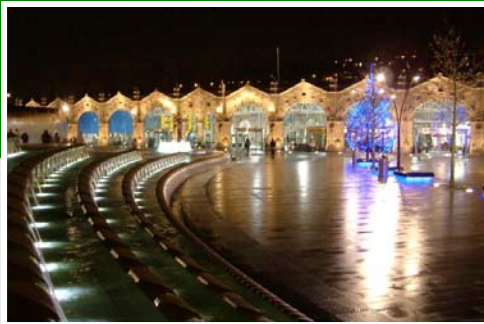


Sheffield

at a glance



Sheffield is England's fourth largest city and is the only city in the UK to have a national park as part of its boundary.

Shopping

Sheffield City Centre is packed full of all the high street names and department stores you can think of. The Devonshire Quarter, where you will find boutiques alongside the more alternative, individual shops, and the Meadowhall shopping centre are just a couple of the numerous popular shopping opportunities.

Food and Drink

Whilst traditional English foods such as a Sunday roast with Yorkshire puddings and meat pies are readily available, Sheffield is also home to restaurants, cafes, coffee shops, takeaways, pubs and bars. As you can imagine there is an extensive selection of food available at a price to suit every budget.

Nightlife

Sheffield boasts several of its own breweries, and there are lots of hidden gems around the district as far as traditional country pubs and real ale are concerned. To name but one, Kelham Island Tavern is the real ale pub of the year. See www.u26camra.f9.co.uk for details about the Campaign for Real Ale. That is not to say that Sheffield is a sleepy city; on the contrary it is packed full of bars, clubs and also various restaurants. Head down to Division Street or West Street where there's plenty going on in the evenings.

Accommodation

There is no shortage of rental accommodation, see www.sheffield.gov.uk/privately-rented-accommodation for more information.

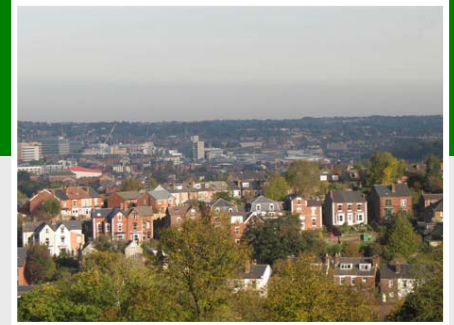
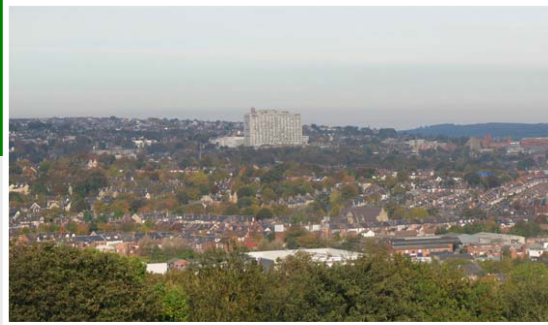
Public Transport

The closest international airport to Sheffield is Doncaster Sheffield Airport, which is located 18 miles (29 km) from the city centre; however, Manchester Airport, Leeds Bradford International Airport and East Midlands Airport: Nottingham, Leicester, Derby are all within easy reach of the city. Sheffield is effortlessly accessible by the M1 and M18 motorways. The local public transport is also first class, with its combination of buses, trains and super trams servicing the city; see www.sheffield.gov.uk/public-transport.

There is also the opportunity to travel using the network of canals and canalised rivers!

Sheffield

at a glance



Museums

- Abbeydale Industrial Hamlet
- Crich Tramway Village
- Cusworth Hall and Park
- Derwent Valley Mills
- Elsecar Heritage Centre
- The Fire & Police Museum Sheffield
- Graves Art Gallery
- Kelham Island Museum
- Millennium Galleries
- Mr Straw's House
- National Coal Mining Museum
- Peak Rail
- Sheffield Bus Museum
- Shepherd Wheel
- Site Gallery
- The Traditional Heritage Museum
- Turner Museum of Glass
- Weston Park Museum
- Wortley Top Forge Industrial Museum
- Yorkshire Artspace

Heritage sites in and around Sheffield

- Beauchief Abbey
- Birley Spa
- Bishops' House
- Brodsworth Hall and Gardens
- Cannon Hall Museum, Park and Gardens
- Cathedral Church of St Marie
- Cathedral of St Peter and St Paul
- Chatsworth House
- Cutlers' Hall
- Eyam Hall
- General Cemetery
- Haddon Hall
- Hardwick Hall
- Manor Lodge
- Renishaw Hall Gardens and Museum
- Roche Abbey
- Town Hall
- Upper Chapel



Population city/urban area

530,300/640,720

Surface area

368 km²

Average sunshine per year

1381 hours

Highest building

Sheffield University arts tower

Universities

2

Number of students

45,000+

Green space

Over 170 woodlands, 78 public parks, 10 public gardens plus 134.7 km² of national park.

Major theatres

2

Cinemas

45 screens