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Group Enquiry

Pickering Castle

Thank you for your interest in organising a group visit to **Pickering Castle**.

Hereafter please find the Group Visit Request / Group Booking Form and detailed information about the site to help you with the organisation of your visit.

Don't forget to pre-order guidebooks so that we can prepare everything for your group's arrival.

We look forward to welcoming you and your group.

If, after having read this information, you have any other questions

please do not hesitate to contact us on:

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Group Visit Request / Booking Form

Pickering Castle

Castlegate, Pickering, North Yorkshire YO18 7AX tel: +44(0)1751 474989

**Please note: until you receive a confirmation from us you have not made a booking.
You are welcome to call us in advance to check availability.**

Tour Reference / Group Name _____

Contact Name _____

Company Name and Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Fax Number _____

E-mail Address _____

Date	Time of Arrival	Estimated number of people visiting					
		Please do not include coach driver and tour leader in the figures.					
		Number of Adults		Number of Concessions		Number of Children	
		Non-members	English Heritage Members	Non-members	English Heritage Members	Non-members	English Heritage Members

Method of transport Name of coach company _____

Cars _____ Please advise the number of cars expected.

I would like to book the following (please tick). Prices valid from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010 and may vary on event days.

	<p>Standard visit: We offer a 15% discount for groups of 11 or more paying visitors, if one person makes payment for the group. You also receive one free place for every additional 20 people in your group. Coach driver and tour leader and English Heritage members are admitted free of charge and do not count towards the group numbers.</p> <p>Normal admission price: £3.50 per adult; £3.00 per concession; £1.80 per child. Group of 11 or more paying visitors: £2.98 per adult; £2.55 per concession; £1.53 per child.</p>
	Guide books x _____ @ £3.50 ready for collection upon arrival.

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Method of Payment (please tick)	Voucher/ Invoice		Debit Card / Switch	
	Cash		Cheque	
	Credit Card			

For Office Use	Diary		Client	
	Guide		Retail	
	Catering			
Copy of form sent to: Travel Trade Marketing, 3 rd Floor WHS				

It would be helpful if you could supply the following information for us:

1) How did you find out about us? E.g. advert (which one?) recommendation etc.

2) What prompted your visit?

3) Would you like to receive the free English Heritage Groups publication 'Attractions'? YES_____ NO _____

English Heritage will use your details to process your booking and will keep you on record for future reference.

From time to time, we may send you information about group visits to English Heritage sites.

If you DO NOT wish to receive this, please tick this box

We may also wish to contact you for market research. If you DO NOT wish us to do so, please tick this box

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Group Visits Information

◆ **Opening Times valid from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010:**

1 Apr – 30 Sep 10am – 6pm Daily

1 Oct – 31 Mar Closed

Site Location: To the north of Pickering town centre, off North Gate.

- ◆ **Coach Parking:** Drop off outside the Castle. Limited coach parking available at North York Moors Railway by arrangement which is about 10 minutes walk away.
- ◆ **Prices & Group Discounts valid from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010:** We offer a 15% discount for groups of 11 or more paying visitors, if one person makes payment for the group. You also receive one free place for every additional 20 people in your group, plus free entry for the tour leader and coach driver. English Heritage members are admitted free of charge and do not count towards the group numbers.

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Group of 11 or more paying visitors: £2.98 per adult; £2.55 per concession; £1.53 per child.

Carers for visitors with disabilities FREE. English Heritage Members FREE.

Prices may vary on event days, please reconfirm with the site.

- ◆ **Guide Books:** Available at a cost of £3.50. Pre-order to ensure that your guidebooks are ready and pre-packed for your arrival.
- ◆ **Duration of Visit:** We advise you to allow at least 45 minutes – 1 hour for your visit.
- ◆ **Disabled Access:** Parking is about 75 metres from the entrance on a loose gravel surface. There is a ramp at the castle entrance and access is on compacted gravel paths and smooth grass. With the exception of inside the towers. Slopes in some areas, assistance may be required. There are 80 steps with a handrail to the top of the motte. There is one wheelchair available on site, please book it when booking your group visit. There is an accessible toilet in the car park and the shop has level access. The exhibition can be accessed via a ramp in the chapel. Please make us aware of the special needs of any member of your group before your arrival so that we can offer every assistance.
- ◆ **Catering:** Tea, coffee and light refreshments are available on site. Picnics are welcome in the grounds.
- ◆ **Facilities:** Shop, toilets and exhibition which are accessible.
- ◆ **Restrictions:** Dogs are allowed on site only if on a lead and in the grounds only. **No Smoking** is allowed on site.
- ◆ **Nearby English Heritage Sites:**

Helmsley Castle	Tel: 01439 770442
Rievaulx Abbey	Tel: 01439 798228
Scarborough Castle	Tel: 01723 372451
Whitby Abbey	Tel: 01947 603568

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