

★ COMMUNITY ★ festival map



UNIVERSITY TRAIN STATION

Explore our brand new main Library, built at a cost of £60 million and described as heralding a new generation of libraries in UK higher education, is now open at the heart of the University. Visit for inspiring talks and fun craft activities.

LIBRARY

WINTERBOURNE HOUSE AND GARDEN

This unique heritage attraction is set within seven acres of beautiful botanic gardens. Wander along the woodland walk or simply soak up the tranquillity of this perfectly English Edwardian home. Special entry price of £1.

BARBER INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS

Described as 'one of the finest small art galleries in Europe', the Barber features many of the greatest names in Western art, one of the most internationally significant collections assembled in Britain during the 20th century. Drop in today and join in with all kinds of exciting art activities.

THE BRAMALL

Enjoy the very best in entertainment at the Bramall including performances from University Music students.

ASTON WEBB RECEPTION/ GREAT HALL

LAPWORTH MUSEUM OF GEOLOGY

Art Fund Museum of The Year 2017 finalist
The University of Birmingham's Lapworth Museum is home to one of the UK's most outstanding geological collections, with the finest array of fossils, rocks and minerals in the Midlands. Why not take part in your own dino-dig or one of the many other special activities planned for today?

- Key**
- Footpath from University train station to East gate
 - Level access entrance
 - Steps
 - Museum
 - Sculpture trail
 - Food and drink
 - Toilets
 - First Aid

★★ YOUR PASSPORT TO THE WORLD ★★

Collect 10 stickers
Locations marked on the map with a star ★

Hand in this completed passport to Aston Webb reception for your chance to win in our prize draw!

DID YOU KNOW?

Outer SPACE 2017

On 14 September 2015 an international team of scientists including the University of Birmingham detected gravitational waves for the first time, using the twin LIGO instruments in Louisiana and Washington state in the US. The detection of these waves will help us to understand and explore the mysteries of our universe.

PANGAEA

Pangea is a hypothetical supercontinent that included all current land masses, believed to have been in existence before the continents broke apart during the Triassic and Jurassic Periods. Find out more at the Lapworth!

BIRMINGHAM

The University of Birmingham contributes £3.5 billion to the UK economy every year – enough to build seven flagship hospitals or 140 new secondary schools. Almost one in 50 jobs in Birmingham depend on the University.

SOUTH AMERICA 2017

Researchers from the University of Birmingham are working with health partners in Brazil to combat the spread of Zika virus by deploying a pair of mobile DNA sequencing laboratories on a medical 'road trip' through the worst-hit areas of the country.

North AMERICA

The 'Birmingham-Illinois Partnership for Discovery, Engagement and Education' (BRIDGE) has established over 55 successful links between the two Universities in key academic disciplines.

AFRICA 2017

During the 2015 Rugby World Cup, the University served as the official base for the South African Springboks rugby team, due to its superb sporting facilities and proven track record of hosting high-profile training camps.

AUSTRALIA

As part of a global collaboration with the University of Melbourne in research, education, and cultural engagement, we are offering up to 20 PhD scholarships, enabling research students to work with academics in Birmingham and Melbourne.

ASIA 2017

The University of Birmingham are thrilled to announce that we will be opening a campus in Dubai this autumn, becoming the first global top 100 and Russell Group university to establish a campus in Dubai and its rapidly developing international educational hub.

EUROPE

The Barber Institute of Fine Arts is housed in one of Birmingham's finest Art Deco buildings. Whether you are enchanted by Monet, captivated by Rossetti or inspired by Van Gogh, the Barber houses one of the finest small collections of European art in the UK.

ANTARCTICA 2017

Sir Raymond Priestley was a distinguished Antarctic explorer and Vice-Chancellor of the University of Birmingham from 1938–52. Named in his honour, the University of Birmingham's Raymond Priestley Centre is an idyllic location for Outdoor Pursuits and Field Studies which sits by Coniston Water in the Lake District.