

Selsdon Wood Nature Reserve

Selsdon, main entrance off Old Farleigh Road. [Address](#): South Croydon, Croydon CR0 9HU

By bus from Thornton heath 50 change opposite the Whitgift centre then 433 towards Addington. (its a further 10 minute walk)

Woodland and open meadows . It's the country side in Croydon , great for picnics and exploring the woodland with your children.

Croydon for under 7's

- Whitgift Weenies Club: robots and aliens in the Whitgift Centre! www.thewhitgiftcroydon.co.uk/weenies
- inflatable disco dome and bouncy castle at London Road Carnival, Sunday 19th July. www.ambitionfest.com/other-croydon-festivals
- Deen City Farm (Phipps Bridge tramstop) has animals from goats to guinea pigs. Entry is free. www.deencityfarm.co.uk
- love your local library: free storytime sessions and Book Trail prizes. 020 8726 6900 or www.croydononline.org/banner/booktrail
- Bee Week at the Oval Tavern, Monday 17th-Wednesday 19th August: three days of bee-themed crafts, music and stories, for children up to ten. £10 per day, under ones free. www.theovalcroydon.co.uk
- Beanies in the Whitgift Centre: cool play area for under fives. www.beaniescafe.co.uk

Croydon parks have gyms (Lloyd Park, Duppas Hill Park), streams, (Beddington Park, Wandle Park), skate parks and more.

Googlesome great ideas

[101 things to do in London with kids: free activities –Time out London](https://www.timeout.com/london/kids/101-things-to-do-in-london-with-kid) <https://www.timeout.com/london/kids/101-things-to-do-in-london-with-kid>

[31 Free Things To Do With Kids In London - Things To Do - visitlondon ...www.visitlondon.com](http://www.visitlondon.com) › Things to Do › London for Kids

[Free Things To Do With Kids In London | Londonist](https://londonist.com/london/family/free-things-to-do-with-kids-in-london) <https://londonist.com/london/family/free-things-to-do-with-kids-in-london>

[What's On in Croydon | Local Mums Online](http://localmumsonline.com/local-mums/croydon-mums/whats-on-in-croydon/) localmumsonline.com/local-mums/croydon-mums/whats-on-in-croydon/

parents can download a free app called 'floop' which has lots of ideas

Crystal Palace Park

By bus

Routes serving the park and its surrounding area include 3, 122, 157, 202, 227, 249, 322, 358, 363, 410, 417, 432, 450

By Train Crystal palace station

Has play areas , boating lake, dinosaurs and a maze.

Capel Manor farm in the park . Opening times Opening Times

All days 12.00 -4.00pm CLOSED Wednesdays



Brockwell Park

Address: Norwood Rd, London SE24 9BJ , Telephone

By Train Herne Hill station

By bus 196, 468,

Play areas and adventure play ground. Sand and water play area. Café, walled garden three duck ponds and an outdoor swimming pool.

Lambeth Country Show in Brockwell park –Lots of free fun , music , animals and lots more

Saturday 15th Sunday 16th July.



Horniman museum

Our address is 100 London Road, Forest Hill, London, SE23 3PQ

By bus

- 176, 185, 197, 356, P4 - stop outside the Museum and Gardens on London Road
 - 122 - stops on Dartmouth Road
 - P13 - stops on Underhill Road
- 363 - stops on Sydenham Hill Road By train –Forrest hill.

Daily 10am - 5.30pm, except 24 - 26 December, when we are closed.

The Aquarium is open from 10.30am - 5.30pm.

Beautiful surrounding park with outdoor musical instruments . The Animal Walk lets visitors walk through the centre of the enclosures for a close encounter with its furry and feathered residents. **Open daily 12.30 - 4pm**

Lots of interactive displays in the museum

Dulwich Park

Rail - West Dulwich or North Dulwich

Bus - College Road P4 or Dulwich Common P13

Parking - car / bike parking areas can be found at the College Road entrance and in the car park

Play ground, boating lake , café and cycle hire.