

Churchill War Rooms

The **Churchill War Rooms** is a museum in London and one of the five branches of the Imperial War Museum. The museum comprises the *Cabinet War Rooms*, a historic underground complex that housed a British government command centre throughout the Second World War, and the *Churchill Museum*, a biographical museum exploring the life of British statesman Winston Churchill.

Construction of the Cabinet War Rooms, located beneath the Treasury building in the Whitehall area of Westminster, began in 1938. They became fully operational on 27 August 1939, a week before Britain declared war on Germany. The War Rooms remained in operation throughout the Second World War, before being abandoned in August 1945 after the surrender of Japan.

Churchill War Rooms - an underground bunker that allowed Britain's leaders to plot the allied route to victory during the Second World War. Walk the labyrinth of rooms and corridors that stretch below Westminster that sheltered Winston Churchill and his war cabinet from the German bombing raids, and explore the Churchill museum to learn the story of his life and legacy.

Luggage

Regrettably we have no cloakroom and as our corridors are narrow, we ask visitors not to bring in rucksacks or other large items, such as suitcases.

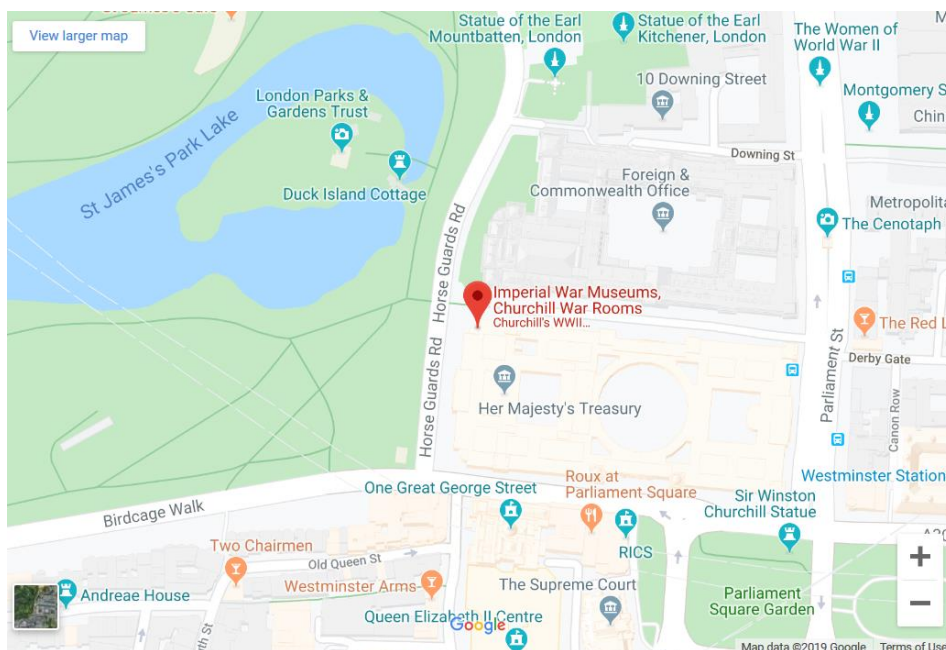
Eating and Drinking

Open daily from 10am-5pm with last orders at 4.45pm, hot food served until 3pm

Our café specialises in classic British food, home-cooked pies, stews and tarts alongside a range of deli sandwiches and fresh seasonal salads.


Audio Guides

Audio guides are included in your admission price and provide an insight into Churchill's Cabinet War Rooms.



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