

Places to visit

Steam Museum

You can visit the Steam Museum. Here you learn all about trains and railways and about Swindon's history.



Lydiard Park

You can visit Lydiard Park. It has a historic house and lots of places for a picnic.



Coate Water Park

Coate Water has a lake to swim in, crazy golf, a mini train, a café and a water trail. It is great to visit in the summer.



The Magic Roundabout

The Magic Roundabout is 5 mini roundabouts joined around one bigger roundabout. It has won awards for being England's scariest bit of road.

Swindon



Swindon is in South West England.

It is halfway between Bath and Bristol.

210,000 people live here.



Currency

Pence



Pounds

Weather

Summer

In summer it is sunny and warm but it still rains a lot.



Winter

In winter it is cloudy and it rains. It can snow but not very often.



Transport

Bus



Train



Bike

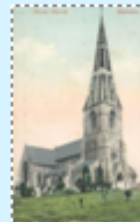


Car



Religion

People with many different religions live in Swindon. There are lots of churches for Christians and there is Sikh Temple.



History of Swindon

Swindon is famous for its railway history. The first railway line linking London and Bristol came through Swindon. It was built by Isambard Kingdom Brunel. Swindon had factories to help this development. Railway cottages were built alongside the station.

