

A selection of things to do, see, & visit - from walking distance to within about an hour's drive:

Stroud Farmers Market - every Saturday morning, Award Winning Market, best in the UK
Cotswolds Canals - see the Cotswolds Canals Trust website
Stroud Brewery – tours & bar – www.stroudbrewery.co.uk
Stratford Park & leisure centre (including indoor swimming pool and outdoor lido, and tennis courts), museum, play area, skate park, lawn bowling green, miniature railway, arboretum/woodland, lake, bandstand...
- www.stroud.gov.uk/docs/environment/parks.asp#s=sectioncontent5&p=stratfordpark
Ten pin bowling - www.stroudbowl.co.uk
Brimscombe indoor Skate Park – one of the largest in Europe - www.rushskatepark.co.uk
The Cotswold Way - walking, & Minchinhampton & Rodborough Commons - Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty
Westernbirt Arboretum, & Tetbury, home to HRH The Prince of Wales' shop, & numerous antique shops
Slimbridge Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust
Roccoco Garden & Painswick Village ('Queen of the Cotswolds')
Historic Bath Spa - perfect for a relaxing pampering treat - book treatments well in advance, no need to book spa sessions
The Severn Bore (check dates & times)
Bibury (home to the oldest row of cottages in England) & other well known Cotswold villages
Gloucester Docks, waterways museum, antiques warehouse, Cathedral, shopping outlet centre.
Gloucester indoor Climbing Wall - www.the-warehouse.co.uk
Equestrian events at Gatcombe Park, Badminton (horse trials), Polo Club Cirencester, Cheltenham Races.
The Cotswold Water Park - a complex of 140 lakes situated 4 miles south of Cirencester
Aerial Adventure Centre - www.head4heights.net
Weston-Super-Mare - traditional seaside resort with sandy beach, pier, donkey rides, crazy golf... Wales & the Forest of Dean...
Gliding out of Aston Down Airfield - trial flights available
Hot Air Ballooning – based in Stroud - www.ballooninginthecotswolds.co.uk
Horseriding - family run Burnt Ash Farm is located in Minchinhampton
Golf - Minchinhampton Golf Club, founded 1889, comprises 3 golf courses, each of different character

Stroud provides an ideal base location for visits throughout the region including the spa towns of Bath and Cheltenham, and historic Cirencester, Gloucester, Bristol, Oxford and Stratford-upon-Avon.