Visual Story





Arriving

- To arrive at Gilbert White's
 - House from the car park,
- you will come down a stony
 - path with a slight decline.
 - (An alternative route is via
 - the High Street.)

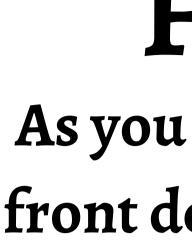


At the bottom of the path you will come to a courtyard.

Arriving



Museum Entrance This is what the Museum entrance door looks like. To get to the door there is a ramp or three shallow steps. If it's warm the door will be open, if not you need to give the handle a pull and it will





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- or activity to do whilst you are
- visiting. Or you can request one of
 - our SEND backpacks.





Camille



Julia

Front Desk

- As you enter on your right is the
- front desk. There will be friendly
 - face to greet you.
- Our receptionist will give you some
 - paper guides for the house and
- garden. They will explain where to
- go. They might offer you a fun trail



Gift Shop

- You will then go through
- the Gift Shop on your way
 - to the museum. Some of
 - the corners around the
 - shop are tight so let us
 - know if you need
 - assistance.



Tortoises

All around the house you can see little toy tortoises to

count.

Gilbert White had a pet tortoise called Timothy.



Museum

- The first room you will find
 - is the Orientation Room.
- This room introduces you to
 - the three explorers our
- museum is all about Gilbert
 - White, Frank Oates &
 - Lawrence Oates.



Little Parlour The Little Parlour is a little room with a table in the middle of it. There is a mannequin of Gilbert White in this room, And some fun building blocks.



Great Parlour The Great Parlour is a big room with a large window. There are lots of paintings in this room and some dressing up clothes. You can sit on the green bench by the window.



Bell's Library

- This room has purple
 - bookcases and a big
- window seat. It has a
- rubbings table where
- you can make your own
 - garden.



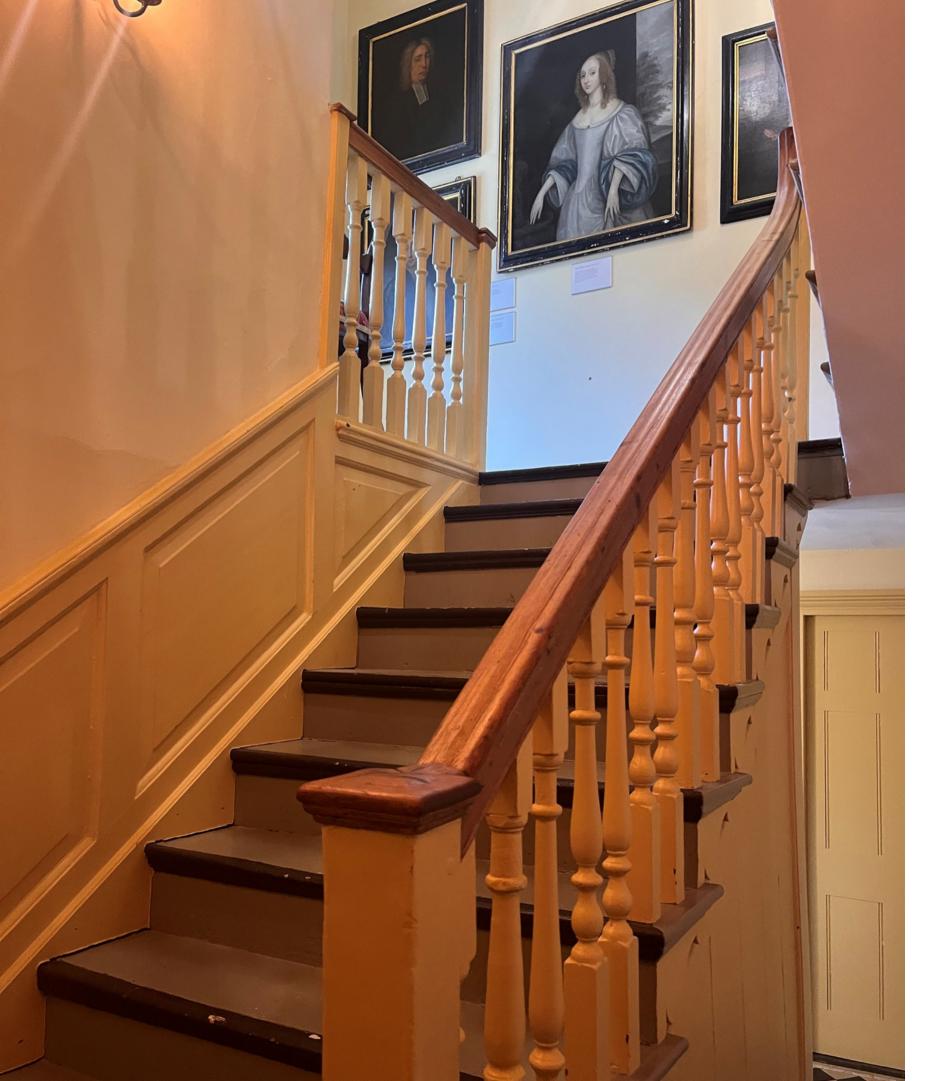
Old Kitchen This room is down four steps. It is bright blue!

There are some

wooden blocks for you

to pick up and look at

on the table.



Stairs The rest of the museum is up stairs. There is a handrail. If you are unable to go upstairs then let one of our receptionists know and they can play you a video in the Discovery Room all about Lawrence Oates.



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Bedchamber

This is Gilbert White's

- bedroom, it is pretty dark in here!
- Legacy Room Up a few more stairs is our
 - Legacy Room. There is a
- video playing in this room on loop.



Study

- Back down the stairs.
- This is Gilbert White's
- Study, it is small so might be
 - a bit cramped.
 - You'll hear a voice reading
 - out Gilbert White letters in
 - this room.



Frank Oates

- **Gallery** There are four steps up to this room. This room is all about Frank Oates. There are a few videos and other
 - interactives in this room
- which sometimes makes it a
 - little noisy.



Ponting Room In this room there is a video which plays for 15 minutes on a loop.

Lawrence Oates Gallery

- In this room we learn about
- Lawrence Oates. There some wind
 - sounds in this room and video
 - screens with telephone sets to
 - hear the sound.



Discovery Room Back down the stairs to the ground floor the discovery room has a different display in it every couple of months. Sometimes there is a video playing on loop in this room. There are some lovely comfy sofas with books and toys for a quiet moment.



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Toilets We have two sets of toilets.

- One set is in the Discovery
- Room and the other is in our café.
- They both are non-gendered
- and have an accessible toilet
- with baby changing facilities in each.



Café Our café is opposite the museum entrance across the courtyard. You will be met by members of staff wearing an apron like in the picture. There are lots of chairs and tables, lots of food, drinks and snacks to choose from. There are quieter booths to the left of the counter.



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The Garden

- The garden is very big, with
- lots of different areas to walk

around.

- The garden is usually very
- quiet, which plenty of places
 - to sit. There is a garden
- alphabet trail which you can
 - get from the front desk.



Leaving When you leave make your way back up the path to the car park. Remember this time it is uphill and uneven. Or you can exit along the high street till you reach The Selborne Arms then up to car par by turning right.