

HOLDSWORTH HOUSE

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THE TOURIST TRAIL SUGGESTED ITINERARY

FULL DAY OR INCLEMENT WEATHER
Brontë Parsonage and Haworth - Saltaire and Salts Mill

West Yorkshire has long been a cultural centre, now it is emerging as a hub for the literary, art, film and TV world. Here are a few of the highlights. Let us know your favourite and any more we should add!

BRONTË PARSONAGE MUSEUM AND HAWORTH
Church Street, Haworth, BD22 8DR | bronte.org.uk

Off to Haworth (8 miles from Holdsworth House) and the Parsonage, home of the legendary Brontë family. The village of Haworth attracts visitors from all over the world with its cobbled streets and quaint shops. It's another location used by Sally Wainwright, for her BBC film 'To Walk Invisible'. Open daily (except 24 - 27 December and 2 - 31 January) from 10am.



SALTS MILL, SALTAIRE
Victoria Road, Shipley BD18 3LA | saltsmill.org.uk

On to Saltaire and Salts Mill, 8 miles east of Haworth. This former textile mill was built by philanthropist Sir Titus Salt in 1853 as the centrepiece of his utopian vision of Saltaire. He built the adjoining village to house his workers. The name of the village is a combination of the founder's surname and the name of the river Aire.

Salts Mill is huge, measured in acres not feet, and home to the 1853 Gallery – the largest collection of work by the world famous, Bradford-born artist David Hockney. Plus there's a wonderful bookshop, restaurant, antique centre and home store.



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FURTHER AFIELD...

HAREWOOD HOUSE

Sandy Gate, Harewood, Leeds LS17 9LE | harewood.org

Harewood House, built in the late 18th century with gardens by Capability Brown, was used as a set for ITV's period drama 'Victoria'. Several of the magnificent rooms were transformed into Buckingham Palace and Kensington Palace. If you've seen the Downton Abbey film you'll immediately recognise this impressive building which was the home of Princess Mary, daughter of King George V and Queen Mary from 1927- 1965. After the visit by the King and Queen to Downton, the party moved on to Harewood for the ball.



EMMERDALE VILLAGE TOUR

emmerdalestudioexperience.co.uk/village-tour

For fans of this long running soap, a three-hour tour within the grounds of Harewood Estate



HARDCASTLE CRAGS & GIBSON MILL

A stunning National Trust landscape
nationaltrust.org.uk/hardcastle-crags



YORKSHIRE SCULPTURE TRIANGLE

Three leading cultural venues: Yorkshire Sculpture Park in West Bretton, The Hepworth gallery in Wakefield, and Leeds Art Gallery.

They're a 30-minute drive, bus or train ride from each other, so you can enjoy an afternoon, day or weekend exploring them all.

Start with the Yorkshire Sculpture Park, approximately 45 minutes drive from Holdsworth House. This award-winning centre has 500 acres of parkland with over 100 outdoor sculptures, as well as beautiful indoor galleries, a cafe and an excellent gift shop.

The Hepworth celebrates the work of sculptor Barbara Hepworth in the city where she was born. Lastly, head to Leeds Art Gallery to discover one of the best collections of 20th century art outside London, including the Henry Moore Institute.

