36 Gallery 1

36 Lime Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 2PQ

36limestreet.co.uk
0191 261 5666
Sat & Sun, 12 – 5 during exhibitions
Ⓜ Byker FREE

36 Gallery provides a platform for emerging and established artists and curators to experiment, test and take risks. Eight proposals a year are selected from an open call by a committee of members of 36 Lime Street studios and workshops.

Newcastle University First Year Fine Art Students: 101
29 – 30 January
Preview 28 January, 6 – 9pm

Presenting all new painting, wearable sculpture, print and film created in response to five challenges.

BALTIC Centre for Contemporary Art 2

South Shore Road
Gateshead
NE8 3BA

baltic.art
0191 478 1810
Wed – Sun, 10 – 6
Ⓜ Gateshead FREE

Situated on the south bank of the River Tyne in Gateshead, BALTIC consists of 2,600 square metres of art space, making it the UK's largest dedicated contemporary art institution.

Sutapa Biswas: Lumen
Until 20 March

A major exhibition by a vital contributor to the Black Arts Movement in Britain. A central voice of post-war British art, Biswas' works disrupt, challenge and reimagine our present time.

Ad Minoliti: Biosfera Peluche / Biosphere Plush
Until 8 May

Their first solo show in the UK, Minoliti uses feminist and queer theory to generate alternative interpretations of painting, design, architecture and art history and visual language.

Albert Potrony: equal play
Until October

Exploring themes of non-gendered and non-prescriptive play, taking inspiration from Dutch architect Aldo van Eyck to consider the role of men and childcare in relation to feminism.

Phyllis Christopher: Contacts
Until 20 March

The archive of photographer Phyllis Christopher reflects how the camera participated in the performance of queer identities and feminist politics in San Francisco's lesbian community in the '90s.

The Biscuit Factory 3

16 Stoddart Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1AN

thebiscuitfactory.com
0191 261 1103
Mon – Sun, 10 – 5
Ⓜ Manors FREE

The Biscuit Factory is the UK's largest independent contemporary art, craft and design gallery, set in the heart of the Ouseburn Valley.

Anthony Marshall
Until 30 January

A colourful celebration of the North East in vibrant palettes and expressive style from the Newcastle-born artist.

Verity Pulford and Pratibha Mistry
Until 30 January

Verity and Pratibha present a joint exhibition in glass exploring the micro and macro worlds of plant biology and cell structure.

Sally Anne Fitter
4 February – 30 March

Sally Anne Fitter returns to the gallery with a collection that marries her love of colour, pattern and texture with landscapes and traditional still life.

Breeze Creatives 4

John Marley Centre
Muscott Grove
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE15 6TT

breezecreatives.com
info@breezecreatives.com
Ⓜ St James (2 miles); buses 30, 31, 38, 38A from city centre N.V.

Breeze Creatives provides studios for artists and creative organisations across Newcastle and Sunderland. Its new base in the West End of Newcastle offers a range of studio sizes and workshops.

Cobalt Studios 5

10 – 16 Boyd Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1AP

cobaltstudios.co.uk
0191 232 3553
Mon – Sun: see website for times
Ⓜ Byker

Cobalt is a grassroots DIY project, built and run by artists, to provide affordable studios and a community-driven event space to host local, national and international music, art and culture.

Regular events
Daily, three seasons a year

Cobalt runs events each week under themes: Monday and Tuesday, *Change*; Wednesday, *Learn & Do*; Thursday, *Fresh*; Friday, *Live*; Saturday, *Learn & Do* and *Club*; and Sunday, *Pop Up*.

D6: Culture in Transit 6

1st Floor
5 Charlotte Square
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 4XF

d6culture.org
0191 261 4407
Ⓜ St James N.V.

D6: Culture in Transit works with extraordinary artists, intrepid partners, communities and policy makers. Through co-produced residencies and commissions they explore big questions around the value and ethics of artistic production and engagement in response to issues that unite and divide us.

End of the Wall 7

17 High Street West
Wallsend
NE28 8JA

instagram.com/end_of_the_wall
endofthewall2021@gmail.com
Mon, Wed, Fri by appointment
Ⓜ Wallsend FREE

End of the Wall is a versatile art studio space in Wallsend. It is a space for exhibitions, residencies, critiques and workshops.

End of the Wall Introduces: Caitlin Stobbart
Until 29 January 2022
Closing event 29 January

End of the Wall Introduces is a rolling programme of residencies and exhibitions for undergraduate, recently graduated, and emerging artists. Our first resident is Caitlin Stobbart, a queer woman artist and Fine Art undergraduate at Northumbria University working across media.

Gallagher & Turner 8

30 St Mary's Place
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 7PQ

gallagherandturner.co.uk
0191 261 4465
Tues – Fri 10 – 5; Sat 11 – 4
Ⓜ Haymarket FREE

A modern and contemporary art gallery and specialist picture framer, established in 1990 by Paul Gallagher and Clare Turner, which hosts a lively programme of exhibitions.

Open Exhibition
Until 22 January

The Open Exhibition features works by 54 artists from across the North East, bringing together a diverse range of practices to celebrate the region's wealth of creativity.

Gordon Dalton
28 January – 5 March
Preview 27 January, 5.30 – 7.30pm

Gordon Dalton's paintings revel in simplicity and in their relationship to landscape painting, finding an intimate beauty in both natural and post-industrial landscape.

Abi Hampsey, Oliver Hoffmeister & Mark Bletcher
28 January – 5 March
Preview 27 January, 5.30 – 7.30pm

An exhibition of paintings by Fine Art graduates of Newcastle University. Mark and Oliver live in Newcastle while Abi has recently moved to London to pursue an MFA.

Paul Henery
11 March – 23 April
Preview 10 March, 5.30 - 7.30pm

Paul Henery is a wildlife artist working in various media based in his native Northumberland. He explores the interaction between species and habitat.

The Gallery, Gateshead Library 9

Prince Consort Road
Gateshead
NE8 4LN

gateshead.gov.uk
0191 433 8420
Mon – Fri 9.30 – 5; Sat 9.30 – 1
Ⓜ Gateshead FREE

The Gallery has an exhibition programme of five to six shows each year. Curated by Gateshead Council's Arts Development Team, the space showcases work by the region's artists and often includes work for sale.

Art Diamonds Exhibition
22 January – 19 March

Over the last four years, Art Diamonds has supported retired people to improve their health and wellbeing through creative arts activities. This exhibition showcases the artwork created by some of the 230 members.

Hatton Gallery 10

Newcastle University
King's Road
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 7RU

hattongallery.org.uk
0191 227 8877
Mon – Sat, 10 – 5
Ⓜ Haymarket FREE

The Hatton stages a programme of modern and contemporary art exhibitions and events, including talks and family activities. It works closely with students from Newcastle University and exhibits their work annually.

Print Goes Pop
Until 29 January

A colourful exploration of the way artists have used the screenprinting method in their work, particularly during the 1960s, with work by Richard Hamilton, Roy Lichtenstein, Victor Pasmore, Bridget Riley, Parviz Tanavoli and Andy Warhol.

The Ignorant Art School
5 March – 21 May

A curriculum devised by Cooper Gallery, Dundee, The Ignorant Art School brings together artists, educators, activists and others to question what art education is. Circling the School, this interactive exhibition questions the nature of knowledge and how it is shared.

Incursions 11

incursions.co.uk
instagram.com/_incursions
incursionsproject@gmail.com
Ⓜ Monument FREE

A walking and talking forum by Archie Smith and Kitty McKay inviting people to share histories and experiences of Newcastle upon Tyne at the pace of a walk. Usually followed by food, drinks and socialising afterwards.

Newcastle walks
Most Mondays at 12

Meet for a two-hour walk outside the Laing Gallery. *Please check in advance via Instagram or by e-mailing.*

Laing Art Gallery 12

New Bridge Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 8AG

laingartgallery.org.uk
0191 278 1611
Mon – Sat, 10 – 4.30
Ⓜ Monument PART-FREE

The Laing Art Gallery is home to an impressive collection of art and sculpture, and stages regular temporary exhibitions of some of the biggest names in modern and contemporary art.

Portrait of an Artist
Until 26 February

An opportunity to step into the inner world of the artist, shedding light on personal lives and creative processes via over 85 oil paintings, drawings and prints.

Newcastle in Watercolour
Until late 2022

Newcastle's changing character over the centuries is revealed in watercolours and drawings, including panoramic views of the city and scenes showing the transformation of the Tyne and the city centre.

LOT Ouseburn 13

Behind the Cumberland Arms
(Back Stephen Street)
1 James Place Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE6 1LD

instagram.com/lotouseburn
lotouseburn@gmail.com
Ⓜ Byker FREE

LOT is a multifaceted outdoor art space located in the Ouseburn Valley. It is run by Maximiliane Ley in collaboration with North East Wilds, Ouseburn Farm and The LOT Society at Newcastle University.

Please see Instagram profile for upcoming exhibitions and events.

Mushroom Works 14

St Lawrence Road
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE6 1AR

mushroomworks.com
0191 224 4011
Shop open first Sat of every month
Ⓜ Byker FREE

The Mushroom Works is home to a diverse group of professional artists and craftspeople. It houses studios and a gallery space.

The Newbridge Project 15

The Shieldfield Centre
4 – 8 Clarence Walk (off Stoddart St.)
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1AL

thenewbridgeproject.com
0191 232 8975
Wed – Fri, 12 – 5; for Sats see website
Ⓜ Manors FREE

An artist-led community supporting the development of artists and curators via the provision of studios, curatorial opportunities and an ambitious programme of exhibitions, commissions and events.

Blazing New Worlds
Until 29 January

An exhibition and series of events, commissions and discussions to mark The NewBridge Project's 11th birthday. Blazing New Worlds explores the current and future roles of artist-led spaces within their communities.

Slack's Radio Residency
26 – 28 January

Slack's Radio, Tyne and Wear's weird radio are back and broadcasting live from the gallery space. Listen at home or join us in the gallery to hear shows from residents and individuals.

Abel Shah Residency
Mid Feb – mid March
See website for exact dates

In March 2020, artist duo Abel Shah (Alex Bell and Giulia Shah) began NewBridge's Practice Makes Practice Residency. They return now, using the gallery space to make and show work, exploring strategies for collaboration.

Newcastle Arts Centre 16

67 Westgate Road
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 1SG

newcastle-arts-centre.co.uk
0191 261 5618
Mon – Sat, 9.30 – 5
Ⓜ Central Station FREE

Newcastle Arts Centre shows music, exhibitions and some theatre. It has a gallery, performance venue, bar, conference rooms, and shops for art materials, original crafts, and framing.

Damien Wootten: Close the Door on Past Dreariness
29 January – 26 February

Damien Wootten started to photograph homeless people on Tyneside in 2017, and has continued ever since. This exhibition hopes to raise awareness of homelessness — and the positive ways in which we can respond.

Kelsey Lynn Mayo: Rethinking the Craftsperson in a World Submerged in Technology
19 March – 16 April

Kelsey Lynn Mayo delves into an investigation of how craft, art and technology influence each other, exploring themes of health, gender and family while exploring new combinations of processes in textiles, ceramics, glass and woodworking.

Newcastle Contemporary Art 17

High Bridge Works
4th Floor, 39 High Bridge
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 1EW

visitnca.com
info@highbridgecic.co.uk
Thu – Sat, 12 – 5
Ⓜ Monument FREE

Newcastle Contemporary Art is an arts venue in the heart of Newcastle. Its gallery doors are open to all communities throughout the city.

Now That's What I Call Art 2021
Until 15 January
Closing event 7 January, 6 – 9pm

Now That's What I Call Art 2021 is a collaboration between System Gallery and Spaghetti Factory, two North East artist-run projects. Please join us for the closing celebration.

Postgraduate students studying Fine Art at Newcastle University
17 – 26 February
Preview 16 February, 6 – 9pm

An opportunity to experience a diverse range of work produced by first- and second-year postgraduate students.

Northern Print 18

Stepney Bank
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 2NP

northernprint.org.uk
0191 261 7000
Wed – Sat, 12 – 4
Ⓜ Byker FREE

Northern Print is the centre for excellence in printmaking in the North East. Its base in the cultural quarter of the Ouseburn Valley is equipped with a studio, gallery and education space, all dedicated to printmaking.

20:20 Print Exchange
9 February – 5 March

The 20:20 Print Exchange project brings together original screenprints, etchings, woodcut, linocut and letterpress prints by artists from around the globe, a selection of which are for sale for £20 each.

Shieldfield Art Works 19

1 Clarence Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1YH

saw-newcastle.org
0191 447 6811
Tue – Thu, 11 – 4; Sats 5 & 19 Feb, 5 & 19 Mar, 1 – 4
Ⓜ Manors FREE

A project of the Methodist Church, Shieldfield Art Works believes art and creativity are integral to human life, and can enact positive change in our communities and the world. An artist-led organisation, it produces a programme of exhibitions, events, workshops & publications.

Take Over 2022
2 February – 23 March

Four talented emerging artists will take over the SAW gallery and stage four short exhibitions in order to explore new ways of exhibiting outside of the studio context.

Shipley Art Gallery 20

Prince Consort Road
Gateshead
NE8 4JB

shipleyartgallery.org.uk
0191 477 1495
Tue – Fri, 11 – 4; Sat, 11 – 5
Ⓜ Gateshead FREE

The North East's leading gallery of craft and design, based in Gateshead. Permanent exhibitions include 'Treasures from the Shipley Art Gallery,' which includes one of the UK's finest collections of 16th and 17th century Dutch and Flemish paintings.

Side Gallery 21

5 – 9 Side
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 3JE

amber-online.com
0191 232 2000
Wed – Sun, 11 – 5
Ⓜ Central Station / Monument FREE

Side Gallery and Cinema show the best in documentary photography and film from the region, and beyond. Home of the acclaimed Amber Collective, the venues present a wide-ranging programme which engages, challenges and inspires audiences.

Poulomi Basu: Eruptions
Until 6 February

An immersive installation of VR, film and photography engaging with issues of gender, caste and class to expose both the marginalisation and the strength of women and indigenous communities in South Asia.

Slugtown 22

44 Wretham Place
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1XU

slugtown.co.uk
Opening soon
Ⓜ Manors FREE

Slugtown is an artist-run gallery based in Shieldfield, Newcastle upon Tyne. It supports early-career artists, and provides a programme of public exhibitions, free-to-attend workshops and events.

Opening soon — please check website for further details.

South Shields Museum and Art Gallery 23

Ocean Road
South Shields
NE33 2JA

southshieldsmuseum.org.uk
0191 211 5599
Mon – Fri, 10 – 5; Sat, 11 – 4
Ⓜ South Shields FREE

South Shields Museum celebrates the rich heritage of South Tyneside and the people who shaped it. The art gallery shows temporary exhibitions and works from the collection.

Tyne and Tide: John Peace — Selected North East Paintings
Until 7 May

A major exhibition of work by the late John Peace, focusing on landscapes of the North East, many depicting the region's coast and rivers.

Jarrow & Hebburn: Photographs from the Bede Gallery Collection
Until 2 April

A new exhibition of photographs of people and places in Jarrow and Hebburn — 25 years after Jarrow's Bede Gallery, where the photographs originated, closed its doors.

The Spaghetti Factory

spaghettofactoro.weebly.com
instagram.com/spaghetto_factoro N.V.

The Spaghetti Factory (Eve Cromwell and Jenny McNamara) is a grassroots curatorial project driven by artist support networks. It aims to work with early-career artists and show a range of exciting, experimental work.

Please check website for details of upcoming projects.

Star & Shadow Cinema 24

Warwick Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE2 1BB

starandshadow.org.uk
Mon – Sun; times vary
Ⓜ Jesmond / Manors

A volunteer-run DIY space, the Star & Shadow is set up as an open-to-join co-operative, dedicated to culture coming from and/or programmed by the grassroots — particularly cinema and music.

Vane 25

Orbis Community
65 High Street
Gateshead
NE8 2AP

vane.org.uk
0191 261 8281
Ⓜ Gateshead FREE

Established by artists in 1997, Vane operates a gallery space for artists to develop new work. It represents a group of critically-engaged artists from the North East and beyond.

Opening soon — please check website for further details.

Women Artists of the North East Library

womenartistsnelibrary.co.uk
womenartistsnelibrary@gmail.com
Open Library days and by appointment (see website for details) N.V.

Hosted by sites across the region, Women Artists of the North East Library supports women-identifying artists based in or from the region through a growing physical collection, ongoing research, events and opportunities.

In residence at Northumbria University
24 January – 1 April

Please see website for details of upcoming events

Workplace Foundation 26

12 Blandford Square
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 4HZ

workplacefoundation.art
0191 477 2200
Tue – Sat, 12 – 6
Ⓜ St James FREE

Workplace Foundation supports emerging and under-represented artists. It aims to cultivate a dynamic and critically-aware art scene in the North of England and connect it to national and global audiences outside of a commercial context.

Nina Chua: Permanent Marker
Until 15 January
Closing event 15 January

Nina Chua makes drawings predominantly with marker pen on paper. Varied in style and form, they propose different ways of thinking about and through drawing.

Tess Denman-Cleaver: Return
5 February – 26 March
Preview 4 February, 4 – 8pm

An exhibition of writing and photographs. The opening event will include live readings of the work by Tess Denman-Cleaver.

XL Gallery 27

Fine Art Building (adjacent to art shop)
Newcastle University
King's Road
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 7RU

Artists: instagram.com/jane_doe_101
elladawsonartist.co.uk
Mon – Sat 9.30 – 5.30 when showing
Ⓜ Haymarket FREE

The XL, or Ex Libris Gallery, is situated in the Fine Art Building at Newcastle University. It exists as a project space for students to mount exhibitions year-round.

Jane Doe: Unlocked
15 – 20 January
Opening event 17 January

The independent and anonymous curation collective Jane Doe curates work by students for students, providing an exploratory space for student artists to exhibit work outside of an academic structure.

Ella Dawson: Every Space We Occupy
7 – 25 February

This commemorative exhibition presents work by Newcastle University graduate Ella Dawson. Weeks after graduating, she was diagnosed with a rare and aggressive form of cancer, and sadly passed away in July 2021.

The exhibition coincides with the official launch of The Ella Dawson Foundation, a charity established to support young adults with cancer.

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Newcastle & Gateshead Art Map

This guide is produced independently as a seasonal directory of art exhibitions and organisations across Newcastle and Gateshead, North and South Tyneside.

There's so much to see and do here. From artist-led events to public galleries, art in Newcastle and Gateshead is marked by a sense of adventure, discovery and variety, and by the lively, inquisitive and open artistic community that makes it happen.

Whether you live here or are visiting, use this guide to find out what art's where.

Using the map

1 – 27 *Venue numbers*
Use the numbers beside each organisation's name to locate them on the map overleaf.

FREE *No admission charge*
Venues marked as 'free' have no admission charge (but might still charge for certain events or activities)

N.V. *Non-venue organisation*
Some organisations don't have their own venue. They might commission artists, produce events or exhibitions, but not from a fixed base. Their contact details are included here for information.

Ⓜ *Nearest Metro station*

Winter 2022
The Newcastle & Gateshead Art Map is published four times a year. This edition, Winter 2022, covers the period January – March.

All listings are checked for accuracy at the time of publication, but it's a good idea to check individual websites before visiting, in case things have changed.

More information
For tourist information about the area, **see newcastlegateshead.com**
For performance and music listings, pick up a copy of *NARC, magazine* or *The Crack* across the region.

Getting around

If you're visiting the area, the Tyne & Wear Metro is a good way to travel between venues that are further away from the city centre. Nearest Metro stations are indicated alongside each venue's address. View maps and plan your journey for Metro, bus and ferry at **nexus.org.uk**

It's easy to walk between most venues in the centre. The area is good to cycle around, too, with flat, almost entirely traffic-free riverside paths to the coast and a growing network of dedicated cycle lanes in and around the centres of Newcastle and Gateshead. Plan journeys at **cycle.travel**

About this map
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www.womenartistsnelibrary.co.uk

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