

### TASTE THE BEST **OF DEVON**

Ashburton's Antiques Trail is a paradise for collectors, where unique finds and vintage gems wait around every corner.

food and a warm welcome.

From award-winning restaurants to artisan Ashburton serves up delicious flavours that

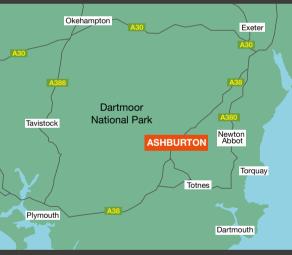
bakeries and cosy cafés,



every foodie will love.

## ASHBURTON

## **Getting here**





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Why you'll fall in love with Ashburton

Nestled on the edge of Dartmoor, Ashburton

creativity come together - offering visitors a

unique blend of independent shops, delicious

is a vibrant town where history, culture and

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timeless home décor, you'll find plenty to explore. searching for vintage treasures, rare collectibles or Ashburton Antiques Trail. Whether you're rich collection of antique shops and its famous Ashburton is a shopper's paradise, known for its

visit a chance to discover something unique. specialist food and homewares - making every from contemporary clothing and gifts to variety of independent stores offering everything Alongside its antiques, the town is home to a



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restaurants, the town is a gastronomic delight. delights to traditional pubs and award-winning taste. From cosy catés serving locally sourced a range of dining experiences to suit every Ashburton is a haven for food lovers, offering

those looking to enjoy high-quality food and drink. and flavours makes it the perfect destination for craving. The town's focus on local ingredients ale, Ashburton has something to satisfy every dishes or enjoying a pint of locally brewed Whether you're indulging in fresh, seasonal

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# with history Packed

16th century and the old market square. impressive St Andrew's Church rebuilt in the to the 13th-century St Lawrence Chapel, the tin mining industry. Its historic streets are home stannary town, it once played a vital role in the dating back to medieval times. As an ancient Ashburton is a town steeped in history,

brings its story to life. centuries of history, and the town's museum the town's rich heritage, offering a glimpse into Stone bridges and historic buildings add to



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### A SHOPPING **EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER**

The distinctive shops are full of character, offering contemporary fashion, bespoke jewellery, stylish homeware and deli treats.

### WANDER THROUGH HISTORY Once a thriving stannary town, Ashburton is packed with centuriesold charm, fascinating folklore and stories waiting to be discovered.

N FOOT Enjoy scenic walks from riverside strolls to countryside paths, taking in historic streets, stunning views and the town's breathtaking surroundings.

# ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

### A TOWN BURSTING WITH CREATIVITY From inspiring art galleries to live music and theatre,

Ashburton is a thriving hub of arts and culture.

and Plymouth, both only 30 minutes away. On the edge of southern Dartmoor, it's an ideal base for exploring the moors and South Devon coastline.

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located just off the A38 with direct links to Exeter

Ashburton is easily accessible by road,

The town offers a car park with both short-stay and long-stay options, along with convenient on-street parking. Regular bus services connect Ashburton to Totnes, Exeter and Plymouth, while nearby Newton Abbot and Totnes railway stations provide easy access to local and national rail networks.

### Find out more and start exploring!

Visit us online at enjoyashburton.co.uk for more information.









On the edge of southern Dartmoor, just off the A38, Ashburton is a must-visit town. With rich history, independent shops, great food and year-round events, there's always something to enjoy.

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# Relax, rejuvenate and revive

Ashburton is a haven for relaxation and wellbeing, offering a range of opportunities to unwind and recharge. From holistic therapies and yoga classes to wellness retreats and alternative health practitioners, the town provides a tranquil escape for those seeking balance and rejuvenation.

Whether you're indulging in a soothing treatment, joining a meditation session, or simply enjoying the peaceful surroundings, Ashburton is the perfect place to nourish both body and mind. For those who love the water, the town also boasts a seasonal open-air heated swimming pool, offering a refreshing way to relax and stay active in the warmer months. **"One of the best small live music** venues in the UK"

# ASHBURTON ARTS CENTRE



### Entertainment galore

Entertainment in Ashburton is diverse and dynamic, catering to all tastes with live music performances, theatrical productions and more. At the heart of the town's cultural scene,

> the Ashburton Arts Centre hosts an array of events, from art exhibitions to concerts and engaging workshops.



From enjoying a performance to exploring local art galleries or attending one of the many festivals, Ashburton's lively arts

scene ensures there's

always something to

inspire and entertain.

Unmissable events

Ashburton offers a vibrant calendar of events throughout the year, from the traditional Ale Tasting and Bread Weighing Ceremony that dates back to medieval times, to the excitement of the annual summer carnival.

Food lovers will delight in the town's Food Festival in September, while the festive spirit shines brightly during Christmas celebrations. Additionally, Ashburton hosts a variety of one-off festivals, offering unique experiences that make every visit memorable.

See what's coming up at enjoyashburton.co.uk.

### DID YOU KNOW?

DARE TO CROSS KINGSBRIDGE LANE BRIDGE? LOCAL LEGEND WARNS THAT CUTTY DYER MAY STILL BE LURKING BENEATH, WAITING IN THE SHADOWS!

### **Moor walking** with nature

Ashburton is the perfect base for outdoor enthusiasts, with its close proximity to the stunning landscapes of Dartmoor. Whether you're hiking, cycling or simply exploring the moors, there's an abundance of outdoor activities to enjoy.

The town itself also offers charming walks, with scenic routes that take you through its historic streets and beautiful surrounding countryside. With fresh air, breathtaking views and peaceful surroundings, Ashburton is ideal for those seeking adventure or relaxation in nature.



### **Plan your** visit and start exploring!

Ashburton is home to a wonderful variety of independent businesses, each offering something unique. As a small town, some shops, cafés and restaurants may not be open every day so if there's something specific you'd like to visit, it's always worth checking ahead.

You can also contact the Ashburton Information Centre, a central hub located near the main car park with plenty of useful information to help you make the most of your visit. Whether you're planning your visit or looking for local insights, the friendly team is there to help. Get in touch with them on 01364 653426 or info@ashburton.org.

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## Stay a while

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Why not extend your visit and experience all that Ashburton has to offer? The town boasts a range of welcoming accommodation options, from characterful B&Bs and boutique guesthouses to cosy selfcatering cottages.

> Be it a relaxing countryside retreat or a convenient base to explore Dartmoor, you'll find the perfect place to stay.

### **DISCOVER MORE AT ENJOYASHBURTON.CO.UK**

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### **DID YOU KNOW?**

ASHBURTON IS THE SETTING FOR THE THRILLING JUNO BROWNE MURDER MYSTERY SERIES BY RESIDENT AUTHOR **STEPHANIE AUSTIN** Image: Allison & Busby