

1. Build a sandcastle at Crimdon Beach on the Durham Heritage Coast
2. Climb to the top of Auckland Tower and enjoy views across the Deer Park and rolling countryside
3. Enjoy a refreshing dip in the North Sea at Seaham Activity Centre with paddle boarding or sea kayaking
4. Enjoy the view as you paddle down the River Wear with Weardale Adventure Centre
5. Feel the force at High Force in the Durham Dales, one of the highest waterfalls in England
6. Follow the trail at Bowlees Visitor Centre to Summerhill Force and Gibson's Cave, named after a 16th Century outlaw
7. Get your adrenaline pumping on one of Hamsterley Forest's many mountain bike and family friendly bike trails
8. Go on the hunt for sea glass, also known as mermaid's tears, along Seaham Beach
9. Go wildlife spotting with the Land of Oak & Iron Wildlife Group
10. Got a head for heights? Learn how to abseil on Moor House Adventure Centre's 20-foot abseiling tower
11. Grab a bow and arrow and give archery a go at Holmside Park
12. Grab a rod and catch a tiddler at Derwent Waterside Park
13. Hit the track at Top Gear Karting – the perfect rainy day activity
14. Pick up some seeds at Hardwick Park Visitor Centre and feed the park's resident ducks
15. See how many red and fallow deer you can spot in Raby Castle's 200 acre Deer Park
16. See if you can spot the famous red squirrels at Killhope
17. Spend a night under the stars and catch a glimpse of the milky way at one of the North Pennines Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty Dark Sky Discovery Sites
18. Take on the challenge of the Beamish Wild treetop adventure
19. Test your outdoor skills and build a raft at The TCR Hub
20. Trek through the stunning scenery of the Durham Dales with your very own Alpaca

20 wild things to do in Durham

There's lots of wild and wonderful family adventures to be had across the county. Will you take on the challenge?



Don't forget to share your snaps with us and you could win a Durham VIP Pass #thisiswild #thisisdurham

