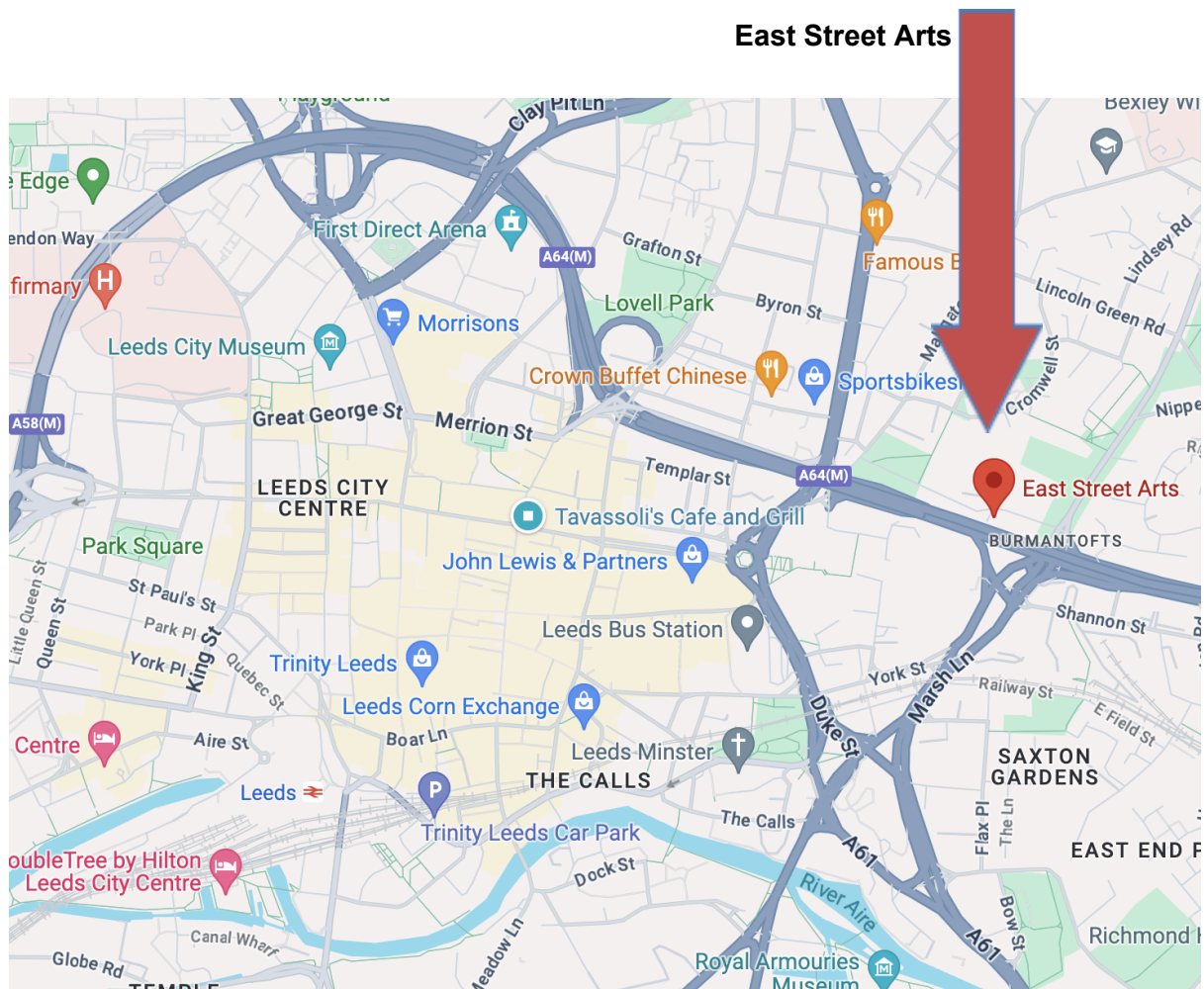


**Visiting Artist Info Pack: Leeds, March 2024**

**Project: UpFront Survivors Pop-Up Cultural Space**

**Date: 20th-24th March 2023**

**Location: East Street Arts, St Mary's Lane, LS9 7EH**



Map Leeds 1 - the image shows a screenshot of Google Maps, showing the location of East Street Arts in the location to the city centre.

## **Event Venue Information:**

### **Address:**

East Street Arts, St Mary's Lane, LS9 7EH, Leeds

### **Getting there from Leeds train station:**

Distance: 1.0. (Approx 23-minute walk. Route [here](#).)

**Bus route:** either **5 Electric Leeds City Centre**, or bus 19 or 19A from Woodpecker Junction, stopping at Station B, then walk for 2 minutes. They are operated by FirstBus, and there are buses approximately every 10 minutes. You can find the timetable online, [here](#) for the 5, and [here](#) for 19 and 19A. You can buy your ticket(s) online or on the FirstBus app, but you will need an account. You can also pay by cash or contactless on the bus. A single journey costs £2, but on the 5, the single journey is £1.

You can also take the 163 Sapphire from Woodpecker Junction, stopping at Station A, then walk for 4 minutes. It is operated by Arriva Yorkshire, and there are buses approximately every 15 minutes. You can find the timetable online, [here](#). You can buy your ticket(s) online or on the Arriva Yorkshire app, but you will need an account. You can also pay by cash or contactless on the bus. A single journey costs £2.

### **If you are walking...**

There are roadworks being done at the train station, so please use the left side exit of the station to City Square - walking by the food and drink shops. Outside, take the street on the right, Boar Lane - and look out for Park Plaza Hotel or Decathlon. Walk down Boar Lane to the Corn Exchange. Standing in front of the Corn Exchange, take the left hand street to Call Lane, in the direction to the Bus Station. Cross the road, take a left in the direction of Leeds Playhouse - you should pass by a restaurant called Sarto, then the BBC Yorkshire Building. Continue straight to the underpass and then take a right to St Mary's Street. Walk up the street and you'll arrive at East Street Arts.

### **Getting there from Leeds Coach Station:**

Distance: 0.4 miles. (Approx 9-minute walk. Route [here](#).)

Bus route: there is no route available by public transportation.

Leaving the Bus Station, cross the roads either from York Street or Dyer Street, take a left in the direction of Leeds Playhouse - you should pass by a restaurant called Sarto, then the BBC Yorkshire Building. Continue straight to the underpass and then take a right to St Mary's Street. Walk up the street and you'll arrive at East Street Arts.

## Parking:

There is very limited parking at East Street Arts and the small streets surrounding it, available on a first come first served basis and they are not reservable as they are public spaces. We don't recommend trying to park here.

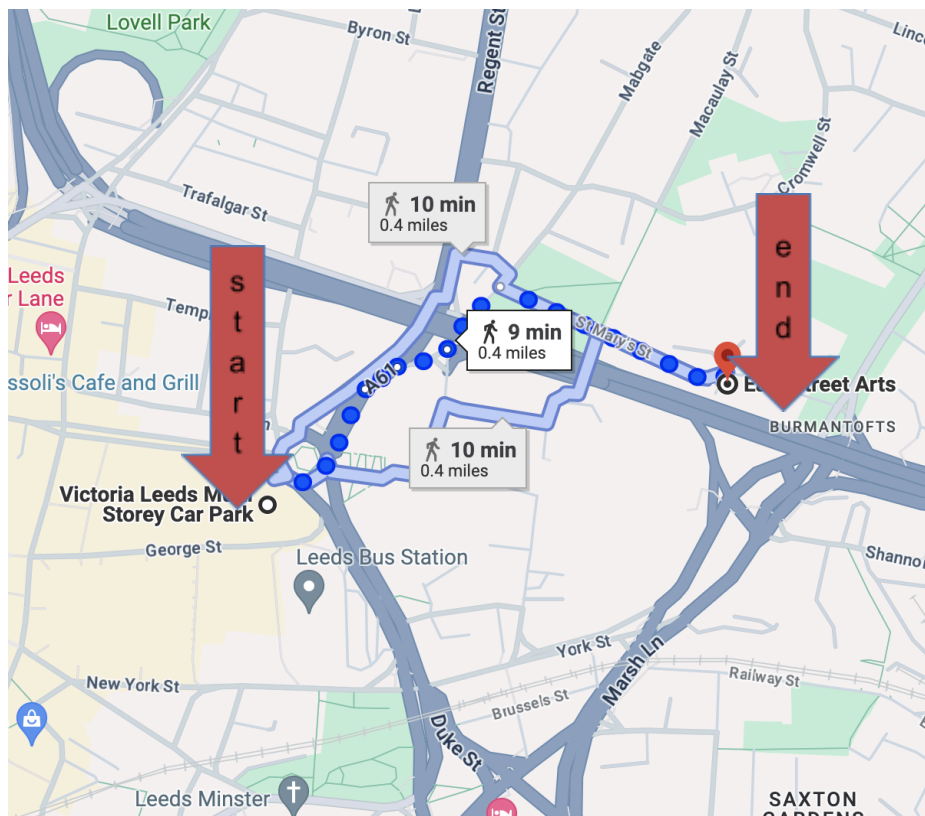
The nearest car park is the large [Victoria Leeds car park](#) (John Lewis) multi-storey car park, located next to Victoria Gate shopping centre. It offers 50 disabled spaces, electric vehicle charging facilities and mobile pay, and it is open 24h a day. It also has a Women and Family parking level.

This car park costs £10 a day Monday to Friday, if you register for an account in advance, [here](#).

If you don't register in advance, and on the weekend, parking is expensive at £4 for 1 hour, £8 for 3 hours, £17 for 6 hours, or £30 for upto 24 hours. The evening rate 5pm - 6am is £5. Full details and prices [here>>](#)

Distance: 0.4 miles (Approx 9-minute walk. Route [here](#).)

Bus route: there is no route available by public transportation from Victoria Car Park to East Street Arts.

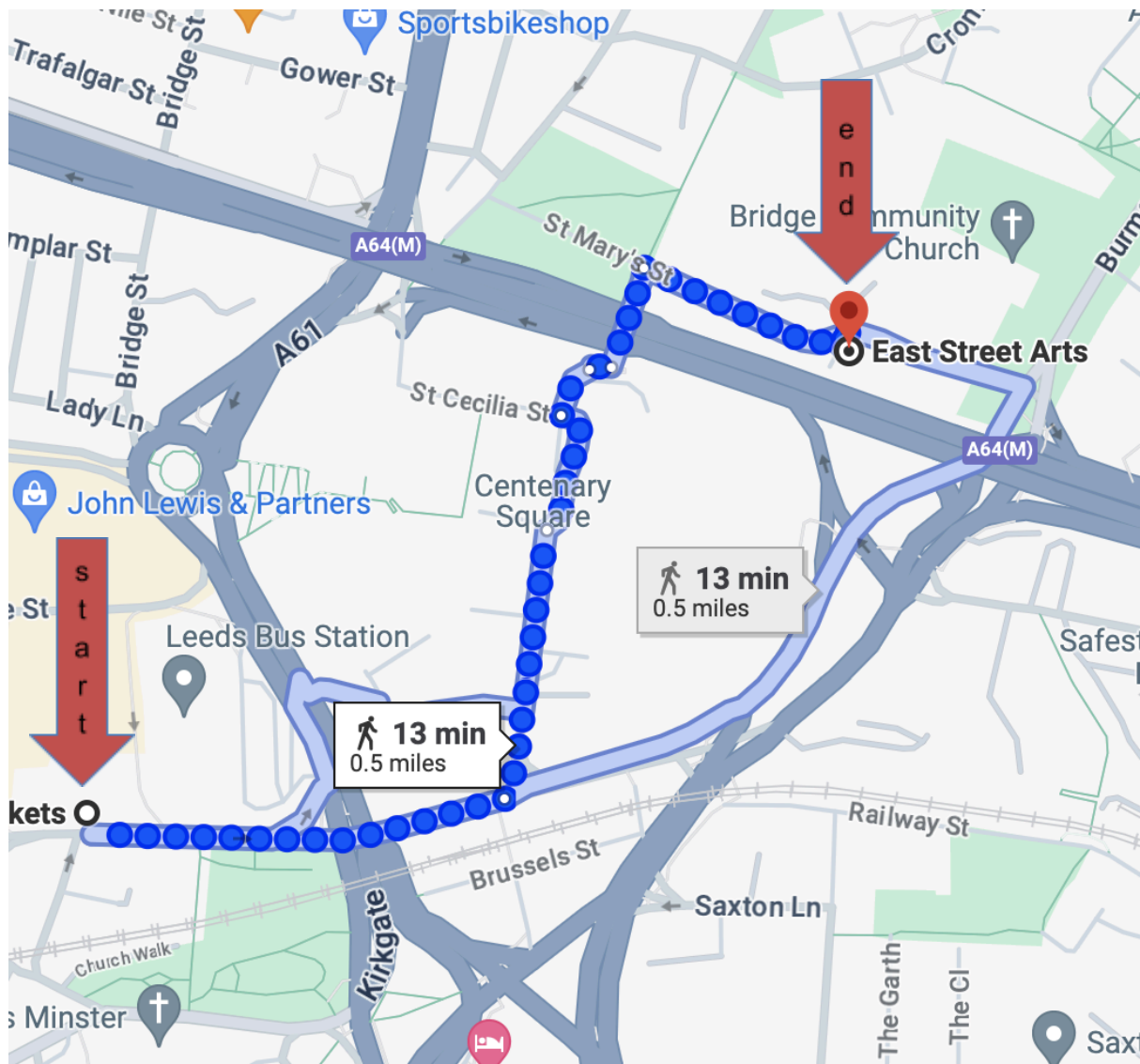


Map Leeds 2 - the image shows a screenshot of Google Maps, showing the location of Victoria Multi Storey Car Park and the itinerary to East Street Arts.

There is another car park located near Kirkgate Market, [NPC Leeds The Markets](#), LS2 7EA. It also offers disabled spaces but it is **only open from 6AM to 11:00PM**. It offers 20 disabled bays. If you pay on the day, 5 to 24 hours costs £14.95, and £12.95 if you use the NCP App.

Distance: 0.5 miles (Approx. 13-minute walk)

Bus routes: Buss 4F, 4, 16, 49, 50A from Cultural B to Burmantofts Street. Then walk for about 3 minutes.



Map Leeds 3 - the image shows a screenshot of Google Maps, showing the location of NPC Car Park the Markets and the itinerary to East Street Arts.

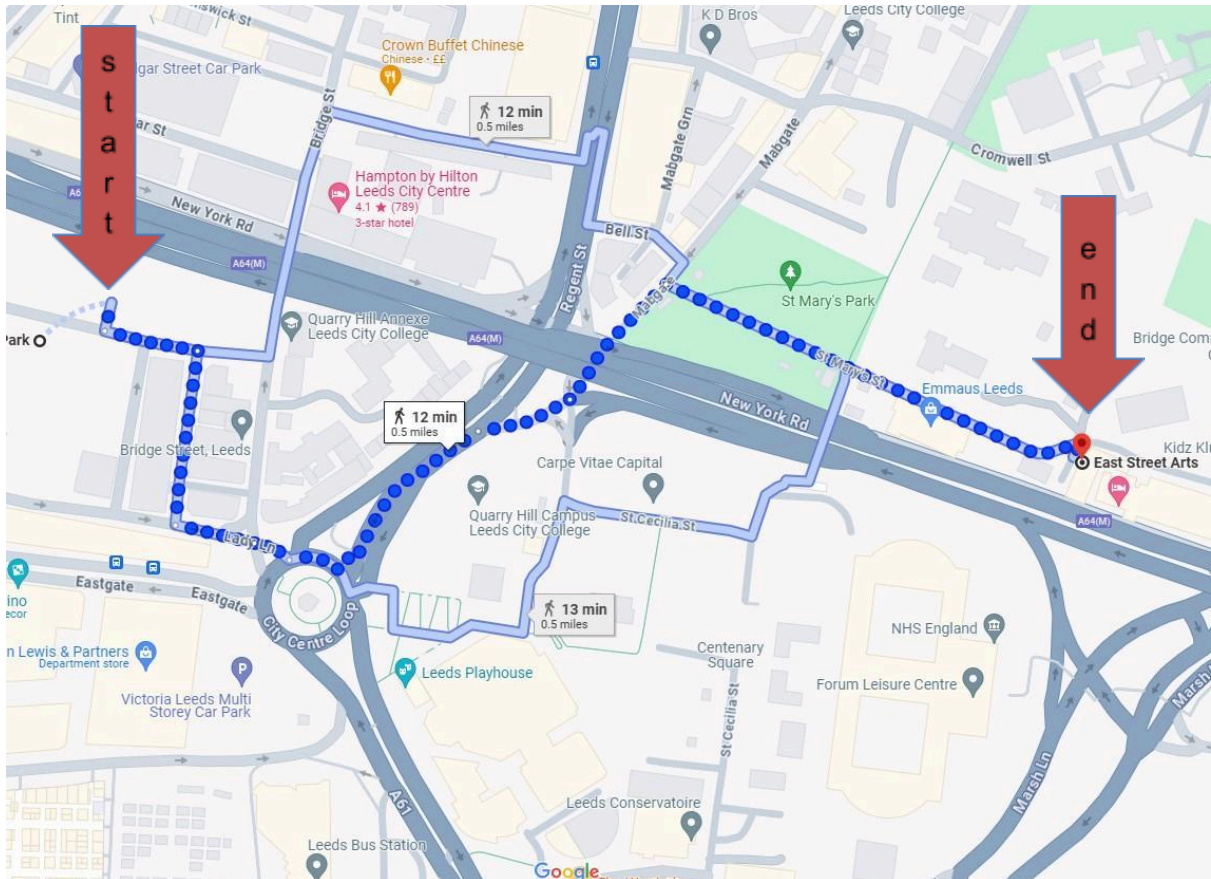
Another nearby car park is [Templar Street car park](#).

Templar Street, Leeds, LS2 7NU.

It is open 24 hours per day.

Charge apply: £2 per hour, or 8 hours for £10, or 24 hours for £15. Pay by card only.

Distance: 0.5 miles (approx 12 min walk)



Map Leeds 4 - the image shows a screenshot of Google Maps, showing the location of Templar Street car park, and the route to East Street Arts.

**On arrival:**

Look out for the East Street Arts banner at the entrance of Patrick Studios, on the brick wall.

Evening Events and some workshops will take place in Patrick Studios event space, and most of the workshops will take place in Convention House (the building directly opposite).

For the events and workshops we will have a member of our team or volunteer at the door to welcome you to the building. If you have signed up for an event they will sign you in on the event attendance list; if you haven't signed up in advance and there is space they will take your name to sign you in - this is a fire safety measure for the venue.

Note that East Street Arts is located in a quiet street, and it is possible to be dropped off and picked up outside by a taxi or a friend.

Photo of the front of East Street Arts Building:



Image of the front building of Convention House.



**Facilities:**

**In Patrick Studios:** accessible toilet on the ground floor, accessible toilets on the first floor; refuge area in case of an emergency; accessible lift (13 persons or 1000kg).

**In Convention House:** accessible toilet; accessible lift (5 persons or 450kg); accessible toilets; kitchen area to make hot/cold drinks when the space is open for workshop use; prayer room (available on request, staff access); step-free fire exit.

**Nearby Amenities:**

ESA is in a central location a short walk away from many shops, cafes, restaurants etc - see below for info & addresses of local amenities. Here are some suggestions:

**Front Room Café, Leeds Playhouse**

Good for a hot drink and lunch.

Playhouse Square, Quarry Hill, LS2 7UP, 0.4 miles away from ESA, approx. 8-minute walk.

**Leeds Kirkgate Market**

Food market with a vast selection of cuisine.

Kirkgate Market, LS2 7JL, 0.5 miles away from ESA, approx. 12-minute walk.

**Sarto**

Italian eatery with handmade pasta.

Munro House, Duke Street, LS9 8AG, 0.4 miles away from ESA, approx. 8-minute walk.

**Kapow Coffee**

Perfect for a hot drink and a quick bite.

46 The Calls, LS2 7EW, 0.6 miles away from ESA, approx. 15-minute walk.

**Aagrah**

One of the best Indian restaurants in Leeds!

St Peter's Square, Quarry Hill, LS9 8AH, 0.3 miles away from ESA, approx. 8-minute walk.

On the Headrow, you will find yourself in the shopping quarter of Leeds with tons of food options such as Olive & Rye, Tavassoli's Café, Sushi Waka, or Trinity Kitchen, a food court in Trinity Shopping Centre. 0.6 miles away from ESA, approx. 15-minute walk.

**Supermarkets/shops:**

**Co-Op Food**

44 New York Street, LS2 7DY, 0.5 miles away from ESA, approx. 12-minute walk.

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