

Cultural & Educational Resources for Students

Online Tours of the South Kensington Museums & Galleries

The cultural and educational venues in South Kensington have physically closed their doors due to Covid-19 but there are plenty of online tours and resources to help satisfy your curiosity and expand your cultural knowledge. Discover South Kensington have curated a list of resources and events.

International Museum and Galley Tours

Discover some of the world's best artistic treasures from the comfort of your armchair. Secret London have compiled a list of one museum and gallery tours including the Rijksmuseum in Amsterdam, the Detroit Institute of Arts and the Guggenheim Museum in the USA, and our very own British Museum in London.

A Night At The Opera

The Royal Opera House in Covent Garden have launched a free programme of operas and behind the scenes broadcasts for the culturally curious.

Netflix Party

Netflix Party is a Chrome extension which allows you to view Netflix content with friends and family remotely, functions include synchronized video playback and group chat. Visit Techadvisor for details on how to set up Netflix Party and start watching.

National Theatre at Home - theatre every Thursday at 7PM via YouTube

Watch a selection of National Theatre productions, live streamed via YouTube at 7pm every Thursday and available to re-watch for 7 days after. Recent productions streamed include *One Man, Two Guvnors* and *Jane Eyre*.

NYC Metropolitan Opera - live opera every night (19:30 EST) for 20 hours

Visit the NYC Metropolitan Opera website to tune into a different complete performance from the NYC Met's impressive collection every day. Catch the stream at 19:30 EST (22:30 BST) or the performance will be available to re-watch for 23 hours after.

Royal Shakespeare Company - stream shows via Marquee TV (free 30-day trial)

Sign up for a 30-day free-trial of Marquee TV and you will be able to watch 17 complete productions from the world renowned Royal Shakespeare Company. RSC plays available to stream include *The Merchant of Venice*, *Hamlet* and *Anthony and Cleopatra*.

TodayTix - Theatre From Home Around The World

The [TodayTix](#) website provides an in-depth rundown of streams of productions and performances made available from a world-wide range of sources. Keep checking back for updates and new additions to the list.

Penguin Enclosure at Edinburgh Zoo

Bring the zoo home and live stream the penguin enclosure at [Edinburgh Zoo](#), home to over -100 penguins. You can also keep an eye on Tigers, Pandas and Koalas through live streams!

The Globe Theatre

From Shakespeare's most famous stage, the Southbank's Globe Theatre will be streaming a selection of their most well-loved plays over the coming month via [Globe Player](#) and YouTube. Visit the website for the schedule and upcoming productions.

Artsy – Free creative courses online

Why not use time at home to expand your creative skills and learn new things? Check out the [Artsy website](#) for a list of 10 free university courses you can enrol on remotely.

Lifewire – Free language learning resources

There's a wealth of free resources to help you on your path to learn a new language! Visit the [Lifewire](#) website for a listing of the best free websites to use available on the internet.

Sir Patrick Stewart – A sonnet a day

Join British acting legend Sir Patrick Stewart as he reads a Shakespeare sonnet a day via his [Twitter account](#).

Nikon School – Free online Photography courses

[Nikon School](#) is providing a fantastic opportunity to learn more about Photography by making all its online courses completely free for the month of April. Enrol now!

Cirque du Soleil – Stream 60-minute specials

The world-famous circus company Cirque du Soleil have made a selection of 60 minute specials available to watch for free. For a fantastical escape, stream these performances via their [YouTube Channel](#).