Tower Trip Information

Please read this before purchasing a Tower Trip ticket

The Tower Trip is a challenging climb up 275 uneven, narrow, spiralling medieval steps to the top of York Minster’s Central Tower.

The Tower takes about ten minutes to ascend.

You must be fit and healthy to climb the Tower.

Trips are not suitable for people who:

- Have breathing problems (including asthma)
- Have heart problems or high blood-pressure
- Have had recent surgery or illness
- Are pregnant
- Are not comfortable with heights or tight spaces (the Tower is 60m (200’) high, and the stairway narrows to 61 cm (24”) wide)
- Are under 8 years old