

SOUTH EAST

LV= and ElectriX has teamed with Ordnance Survey (OS) to create a series of road trips around Great Britain to highlight just how many miles an electric vehicle can travel on a single charge – 250 miles. The 250-mile maps have been developed after a new study from LV= and ElectriX found that I in 3 (36 per cent) are put off from switching to a battery-powered car because they fear they can't travel long journeys.

This map covers some of the most scenic routes and landmarks in the South East of England. From a historic dockyard and a moated castle to the woodland home of one of the world's most beloved bears... Can you guess who? These are some of the amazing destinations and landmarks you can visit in the car on one charge!

According to new research from LV= and ElectriX, I in 4 of us take travelling around the UK for granted, and nearly half would like to explore more of the UK than they currently do. So, pack your things and grab your road trip essentials as it's time to explore some of Great Britain's most beautiful landmarks.

You can join the route from wherever you fancy, but in order to make the most of the views and landmarks across the South East, we recommend that you start in London and follow our itinerary below.

As part of the route, we have also identified EV charging points along the way so you can ensure you're fully charged before you set off on your adventure. If you want to find out more about electric vehicles, then visit lvelectrix.co.uk.

Our Weekend Itinerary:

Start your route in South London where you can charge up your vehicle ready for your adventurous weekend exploring the South East of England. The first stop on the map is Crystal Palace, a Grade II* listed park that is on the Register of Historic Parks and Gardens in the UK. Take a walk through the park and enjoy some of its beautiful landscaping and greenery. But remember to keep your eyes peeled for the full-sized dinosaurs lurking between the trees! These were built by the Victorians in 1854.

You can then start your journey by heading south towards Portsmouth to visit the historic dockyard - a must see for anyone visiting the South East of England. After a couple of hours on board one of the world's most famous ships, you might want to grab some food and take a quick comfort break too.

Next, head along the beautiful south coast until you find yourself at Brighton where you can visit the seaside or venture off on one of the OS trail walks in Stanmer Park. Remember to make note of all the wildlife you see along the way!



After a long walk and a busy afternoon, you might be looking to put your feet up, so we recommend booking yourself into a nearby hotel or bed and breakfast to rest up before day two of your adventure.

Your morning will begin with a drive towards the Ashdown Forest, where you can grab some breakfast at the Pooh Corner Cafe and play Pooh Sticks in the One Hundred Acre Wood. Mornings don't get much better than that!

Next on the itinerary is Royal Tunbridge Wells, where you can stop off at the Spa Valley Railway, the standard gauge heritage railway in England that runs from Tunbridge Wells. Or you can explore the Calverley Grounds for some picturesque scenery and a picnic in the park if the sun's out.

Finally, make sure you visit Leeds Castle on your way home, it's not one to miss! The Castle has been called the "loveliest castle in the world" and is listed in the Domesday Book. Its setting is stunning, set on an island surrounded by a magnificent lake.



