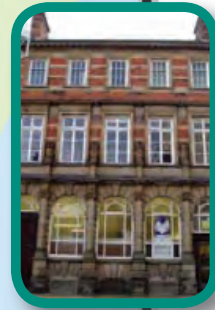
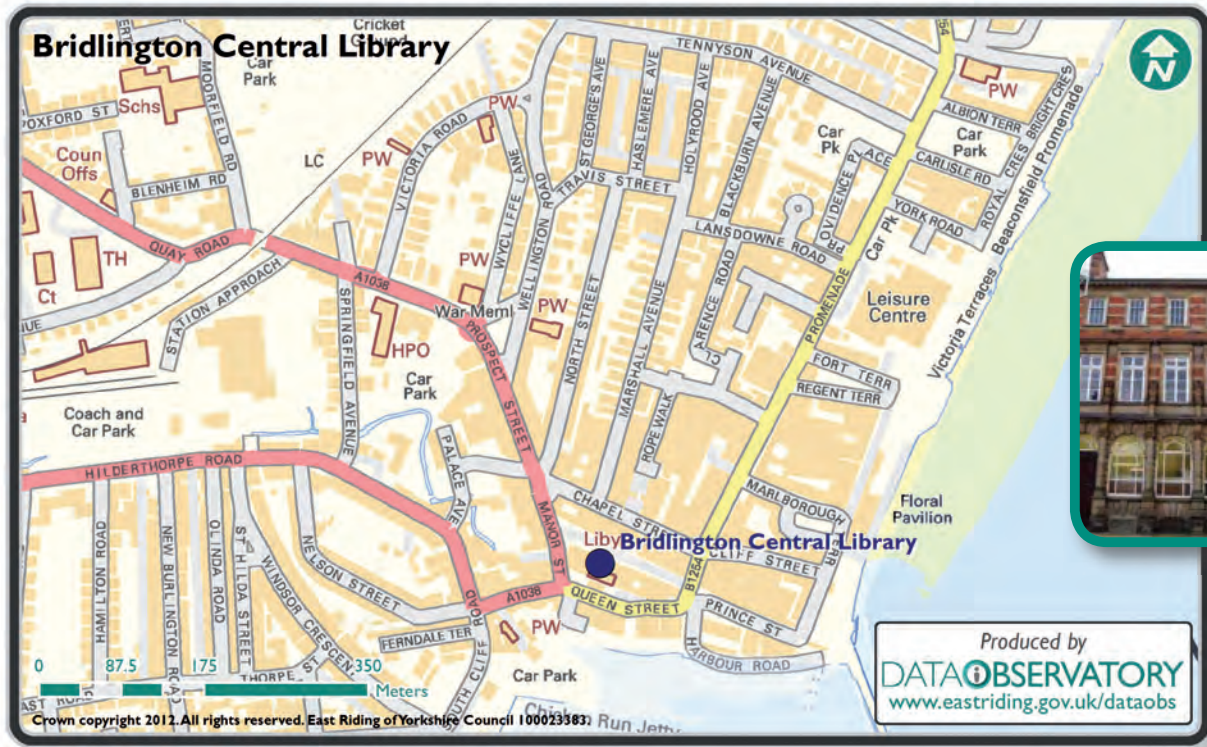


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Bridlington Local Studies Library holds one of the three major Local Studies collections in the East Riding of Yorkshire.

Our other major local studies collections are held at:

The Treasure House at Beverley
 Tel: (01482) 392790
 Email: archives.service@eastriding.gov.uk

Goole Local Studies Library
 Tel: (01405) 762187
 Email: goolelocalstudies.library@eastriding.gov.uk

All public areas are accessible to wheelchairs/pushchairs

Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday	9am - 6pm
Friday	9am - 5pm
Saturday	9am - 4pm

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Welcome to Bridlington Local Studies Library

Our experienced and knowledgeable staff can help you access the wealth of local studies material.

We hold a variety of materials to help you discover the history of the local area, your family or your home, or to help you with school or college projects.

We also have up to date information about what is happening in the area right now.

You do not need to be a member of the library to visit us.

Books and Pamphlets

We collect a wide range of books and pamphlets covering Bridlington and the historic East Riding of Yorkshire, and also Yorkshire and Humberside.

We also have a range of books to help you research your family history.



Newspapers

Historical newspapers available on microfilm include:

<i>Burlington and East Riding Advertiser</i>	1843 - 1859
<i>Bridlington and Quay Observer</i>	1859 - 1899
<i>Bridlington Free Press</i>	1859 - date
<i>Bridlington and Quay Gazette</i>	1874 - 1914

The 'Annals of Bridlington' 1867 - 1942 comprise an annual series of indexed newscuttings.

Current local and regional newspapers are also available.



Maps

We hold a collection of historical East Riding maps, including a selection of pre-enclosure maps.

Ordnance Survey maps covering Bridlington and District are available in the following series:

c1853, 1889, 1911, 1929, c1950 and c1980

(We cannot provide copies of maps for planning or business purposes).

GOAD maps produced biennially, from 1970 to date, give a birds eye view of the commercial and retail heart of the town.

Photographs and Postcards

An extensive collection of photographs and postcards including a selection from the early 20th century covering mainly Bridlington and surrounding area.

Journals

A variety of journals including family and local history magazines.

Ephemera

(items that were not intended to be retained or preserved)

A wide range of topics including:

Local Government Election Posters	c1900 - 1968
Theatre Bills / Programmes / Adverts	c1879 - c1960

Ephemera on various local towns and villages.

Events

Such as the Great Gale, the Peace Pageant, Yorkshire Day and the Battle of Flamborough Head.



The Battle of Flamborough Head

People

Lawrence of Arabia, Amy Johnson and William Kent.

Special Collections on a variety of topics

- Wartime scrapbooks
- Postcard collection
- Flamborough and Bridlington harbour
- Major philatelic collection for Bridlington
- Council minutes
- Parish magazines

We are always pleased to receive material of this nature.

Family History Resources

Census Returns - Bridlington and district 1841 - 1901.

E-genealogy resources - free access to Ancestry.com and other genealogical websites.

Monumental Inscriptions - detailing over 200 churchyards and cemeteries throughout the region including Bridlington Priory and Bridlington Cemetery.

Parish Registers for 23 towns - mainly West Yorkshire.

Poll Books for 1741, 1807 and 1868.

Registers of Electors (annual but with gaps) from 1899 to date.

Trade and Telephone Directories from 1811 - to date

International Genealogical Index

Other Services

- Photocopying
- PCs with Internet Access
- Microfiche / Microfilm Reader Printer

