

Accrington, Lancashire

Weekly Footfall 80,000

The vibrant town of Accrington lies in Hyndburn in the heart of Pennine Lancashire. It is East Lancashire's best shopping district with fabulous independent boutiques, 21st century Arndale Shopping Centre and 19th century Victoria Market Hall, a grand Victorian building where market traders sell fresh Lancashire produce. Bargain hunters should pay a visit to nearby Oswaldtwistle Mills.

Interesting facts about Accrington...

Accrington was first mentioned in a document in 1194. It was first mentioned in an Act of Parliament in 1609.

The former host of TV's Bullseye programme, the comedian Jim Bowen, went to Accrington Grammar School and later taught in the town. He now hosts a daily programme on BBC Radio Lancashire.

Accrington's most famous product is bricks. Accrington's red bricks are very dense and hard wearing. This is because of the clay, called shale, which is dug out of quarries on the hills above the town.

1 Broadway Size: 6m x 6m

A great location in central Accrington with a busy footfall. A central street in Accrington Town Centre.

2 Marketway Size: 6m x 6m

Also central in Accrington Town Centre, a perfect spot for high footfall.

