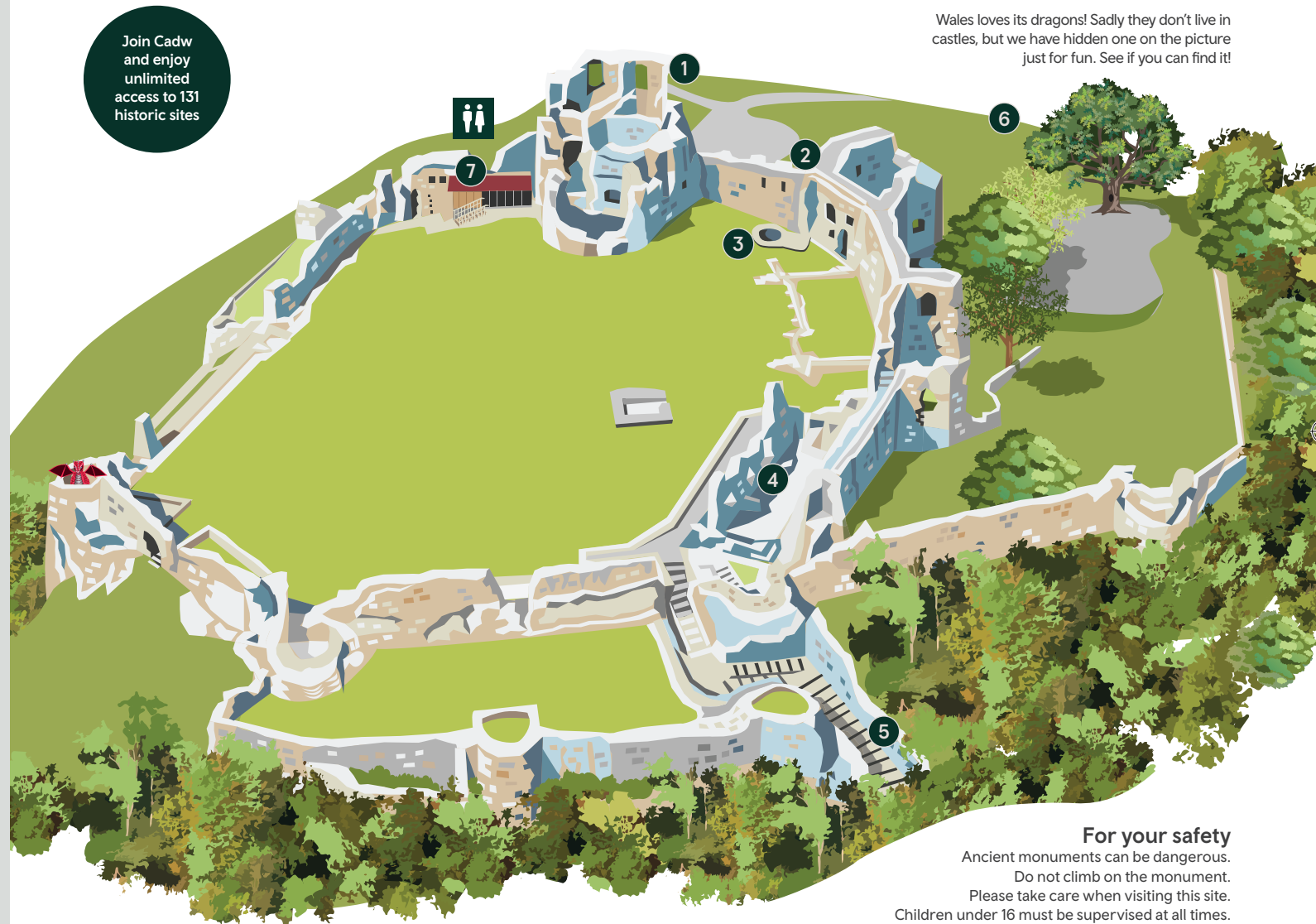


What to see at Denbigh Castle

- 1 Imagine battling your way into the triple-towered great gatehouse...over the well-defended drawbridge and through the impressive front door protected by 2 portcullises.
- 2 Take in stunning views of the Vale of Clwyd from the wall-walk. The princes of Gwynedd defended this hilltop site long before Englishman Henry de Lacy began building his castle in 1282.
- 3 Peer into the precious well; the castle's only water supply. But did this lifeline have deadly consequences? Henry de Lacy's eldest son, Edmund, is thought to have drowned in it.
- 4 Chill out in this cool basement, perfect for keeping wine and meat fresh. Decorative too, with stone carvings of an imp, a lion and a maiden.
- 5 Descend to the elaborate postern gate. The castle's second entrance, it was defended by a drawbridge and portcullis.
- 6 Explore Denbigh's historic town walls. It's a 1km walk with steep climbs, steps and fantastic views.
- 7 Entrance/shop.

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Wales loves its dragons! Sadly they don't live in castles, but we have hidden one on the picture just for fun. See if you can find it!

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