# The Unofficial Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them Location Guide

Step into the spellbinding world of Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them and embark on a magical journey through its enchanting filming locations. From the bustling streets of New York City to the mystical forests of England, discover the real-world settings that brought J.K. Rowling's wizarding world to life.



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### **New York City**

The vibrant city of New York served as a backdrop for many key scenes in Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them. Explore the locations where magic and mayhem unfolded:

- Jacob's apartment: Located at 264 Bowery in Manhattan, Jacob's humble apartment is where he first encounters Newt Scamander and the escaped magical creatures.
- Woolworth Building: The iconic Woolworth Building in the Financial District stands in for the exterior of MACUSA, the Magical Congress of the United States of America.
- MACUSA headquarters: The opulent interior of MACUSA headquarters was filmed at the Surrogate's Courthouse in Brooklyn, New York.
- St Paul's Cathedral: The grand facade of St Paul's Cathedral in Midtown Manhattan provides the backdrop for a pivotal confrontation between Newt and Percival Graves.
- Millennium Bridge: The Millennium Bridge over the River Thames connects the City of London to Southwark. In the film, it serves as a magical passageway between New York and London.

#### **England**

Beyond the bustling streets of New York, the magical world of Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them extends to the enchanting landscapes of England. Visit the locations that inspired J.K. Rowling's imagination:

- Highgate Cemetery: The atmospheric Highgate Cemetery in North London provides a suitably eerie setting for a scene involving the resurrection of a powerful dark wizard.
- The Old Royal Naval College: Located in Greenwich, London, the
  Old Royal Naval College serves as the exterior of the British Ministry of

Magic.

Ashridge House: Set in the picturesque Hertfordshire countryside,
 Ashridge House portrays the grand manor where Newt and his friends plan their daring mission to rescue the captured magical creatures.

#### Warner Bros. Studios, Leavesden

In addition to these real-world locations, many scenes from Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them were filmed at Warner Bros. Studios in Leavesden, England. The studio complex houses vast sets that recreate the magical world of the film, including:

- Diagon Alley: The bustling wizarding shopping street, complete with its cobblestone streets, quaint shops, and iconic Gringotts Bank.
- Knockturn Alley: The dark and sinister counterpart of Diagon Alley, home to shadowy shops and illicit activities.
- The Ministry of Magic: The vast and bureaucratic headquarters of the British wizarding government.
- The Hogwarts Express: The iconic steam locomotive that transports students to Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry.

The filming locations of Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them offer a captivating glimpse into the magical world created by J.K. Rowling. From the vibrant streets of New York City to the mystical landscapes of England, these locations transport us to a realm of wonder and adventure. Whether you're a seasoned Potterhead or simply a fan of enchanting storytelling, this location guide invites you to rediscover the magic of Fantastic Beasts And Where To Find Them.



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