

TOP 10 STUDENT SPOTS IN ELEPHANT AND CASTLE

Starting at London South Bank University this September? Get to know the top spots in Elephant and Castle that won't break the bank before you arrive!

1. The London Palace Superbowl



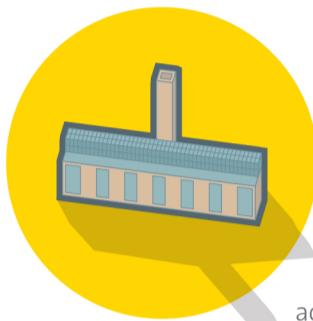
Though it means another trip through the neglected shopping centre of Elephant and Castle the Palace Superbowl offers cheap bowling thrills. Student night is every Monday and Tuesday - £2.95 per person per game and £7.90 for a student snack platter for four.

2. Borough Market



London's oldest market offers such a variety of food both locally and internationally that you'll struggle to decide what to taste. The bustling Borough Market is a great place to get some of the freshest produce around.

3. Tate Modern



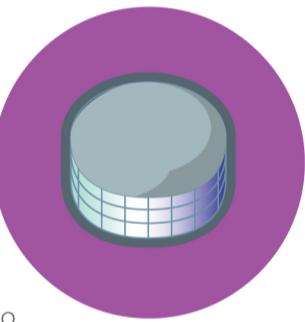
Release your inner Banksy at the home of art on the South Bank of the Thames. No two visits are the same at this vast metropolis of art. Special exhibitions and displays regularly feature making for a unique experience. On level three there is a café with great views across central London. Admission is free unless you're attending a special event.

4. The Old Red Lion



This is more than just your local watering hole; a traditionally decorated pub in a mock Tudor building that's serious about beer. The pub features two separate bars, a conservatory area and plenty of cosy corners for a relaxed evening out. They serve global beers from £3.95 and wine from £3.25 a glass.

5. BFI IMAX



This is the ultimate experience for lovers of the silver screen, immersing you completely in the latest movie blockbusters. The biggest screen in Britain is found in Waterloo and features 'all-nighter' events where films such as The Dark Knight Trilogy are played back to back overnight. Student tickets start at £12.50.

6. Mamuska!



A Polish kitchen and bar found in the heart of Elephant and Castle shopping centre serving Polish cuisine at low prices – 'Mama's lunch deal' is £6 and includes a drink. It's no Westfield, but the shopping centre can't be accused of lacking character and with hidden gems like Mamuska's, it's definitely worth a visit.

8. 'Comedy Virgins'



The Cavendish Arms, just a short walk from Stockwell station, plays host to a free comedy evening called 'Comedy Virgins' every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. This small venue makes for an intimate gig with some of the best local talents. If you see yourself as the next Jimmy Carr, give them a call to book a performance slot.

9. Imperial War Museum



A free museum telling the stories of modern warfare, with exhibitions including secret war; First World War galleries; witnesses to war and the Holocaust exhibition. With so much to see in such a large space it's recommended you give yourself extra time when visiting.

10. The Electric Elephant Café



Situated in a quiet residential street just a few minutes from the iconic Strata Tower, this homely café is the perfect place to stop for a cup of tea. If you're feeling peckish you can pick up an English breakfast for under a fiver (it's served all day!).