



Accessibility in the Kiama Local Government Area - Gerringong

Your guide to accessibility in your community

Your council, your community





How to use this guide

We made this guide to help you work out places in the Kiama Local Government Area that are **accessible**.

When something is accessible, it means you can enter a place or building. Or, you can use a service or get information.

We have worked out how accessible places are and put them in different groups.

These groups are:



- easy – accessible



- medium – you might need help from someone else



- hard – you will need help from someone else



- not accessible.

You might find some places easier or harder to get to than what this guide says. Not all places will be fully accessible. This guide will help you decide if a place is accessible to you.

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Wheelchairs for the beach



- There are 2 places where you can get a wheelchair to use on the beach in Kiama. There is:
 - 1 wheelchair at Seven Mile Beach Holiday Park
 - 1 wheelchair at Surf Beach Life Saving Club.
- If you need a wheelchair to get onto Seven Mile Beach, you can ask staff at the holiday park office.
- If you need a wheelchair to get onto Surf Beach, you can ask:
 - a lifesaver
 - someone at the kiosk.





Defibrillators



A defibrillator is a machine that helps people who are having problems with their heart.

It uses electricity to:

- fix a person's heartbeat if it is too slow or too fast
- start a person's heart again if it has stopped.

On the right is a list of places where you can find a defibrillator if you need one.



Summer Site Location	Winter Site Location
Kendall's Beach Life Guards	Kendall's Holiday Park Office
Jones Beach Life Guards	Life Guards Jet Ski
East Beach Life Guards	Kiama Harbour Cabins Office
Bombo Beach Life Guards	Surf Beach Holiday Park Office
Seven Mile Beach Life Guards	Seven Mile Holiday Park Office
Life Guard Vehicle	Life Guards Vehicle
Surf Beach Life Guard	Surf Beach Life Guard Office
Werri Beach Life Guards	Werri Beach Holiday Park Office
Old Council Chambers Building	Old Council Chambers Building
Kiama Council Administration Building	Kiama Council Administration Building
Kiama Community Centre	Kiama Community Centre
Jamberoo Pool	Kiama Leisure Centre
Kiama Showground Pavilion	Kiama Showground Pavilion
Kiama Library	Kiama Library
Kiama Council Depot Stores	Kiama Council Depot Stores
Minnamurra Waste & Recycling Depot	Minnamurra Waste & Recycling Depot
Kiama Leisure Centre	Kiama Leisure Centre



Holiday parks



We have put together some information about holidays parks in Kiama. This includes photos and information about their accessibility.

For more information, please visit www.kiamacoast.com.au

Kiama Harbour Cabins

Cabin 9 is in the medium accessible group. It has:



1 accessible car parking space outside the cabin



A ramp to get into the cabin



Outside barbecue area



Lounge room

Kiama Harbour Cabins



The kitchen is not accessible



Dining area



Bedroom



The shower has a:

- seat
- grab-rail



The bathroom sink has
a twist tap



There is a grab-rail:

- next to the toilet
- behind the toilet



Bunkbeds



Ramps at the doorways



Kendalls on the Beach Holiday Park

There are 2 cabins in the medium accessible group. The photos below are of Cabin 7.



There is parking for Cabin 7



There is a ramp to the cabin



Outside barbecue area



Lounge and dining area



The kitchen is not accessible



There is a grab-rail next to toilet



The shower has a:

- seat
- grab-rail



The bathroom sink has a push tap



Surf Beach Holiday Park

Surf beach has one easy accessible cabin, although not accessibility approved many other cabins have accessibility features.



Accessible ramp to cabin



Accessible kitchen sink



Bench seat in shower
Grab-rails in both shower and toilet areas
Removable shower head



Dining and kitchen area



Outdoor balcony area



Lions Cottage

Lions Cottage is on Shoalhaven Street in Kiama. It is managed by the Lions Clubs of Kiama, Gerringong and Minnamurra.

You can find out more by emailing hello@lionscottage.com.au



A ramp from the car park to the cottage



Bedroom



There is a grab-rail:

- next to the toilet
- behind the toilet



The shower has a grab-rail

There are lots of other accommodation providers in Kiama that have accessible options.

You can contact the Kiama Visitor Information Centre for more information – **1300 654 262**.



Cemeteries



We have put together some information about cemeteries in the Kiama area. This includes photos and information about their accessibility.

Bombo Cemetery

[You can get a map of the Bombo Cemetery here.](#)



There is no accessible parking



The road is also used as a path



Some of the road and all of the path to the accessible toilet has a gravel surface



There is a grab-rail:

- next to toilet
- behind toilet



There is a button under the sink that you have to push to use the water

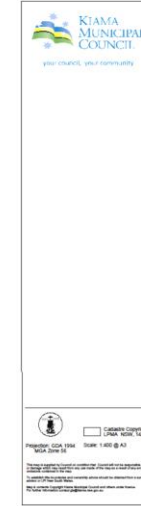
Jamberoo Cemetery



There is no parking at Jamberoo cemetery



The accessible path doesn't go all the way around the cemetery



This is a photo of Jamberoo Cemetery from the sky

Gerringong Cemetery



[You can get a map of Gerringong Cemetery here.](#)



There is 1 accessible car parking space



There are some accessible paths outside the cemetery



Inside the cemetery it is steep and there is no accessible path



There is an accessible path to the flagpole



Paths where you can cycle





Gerringong





About this section

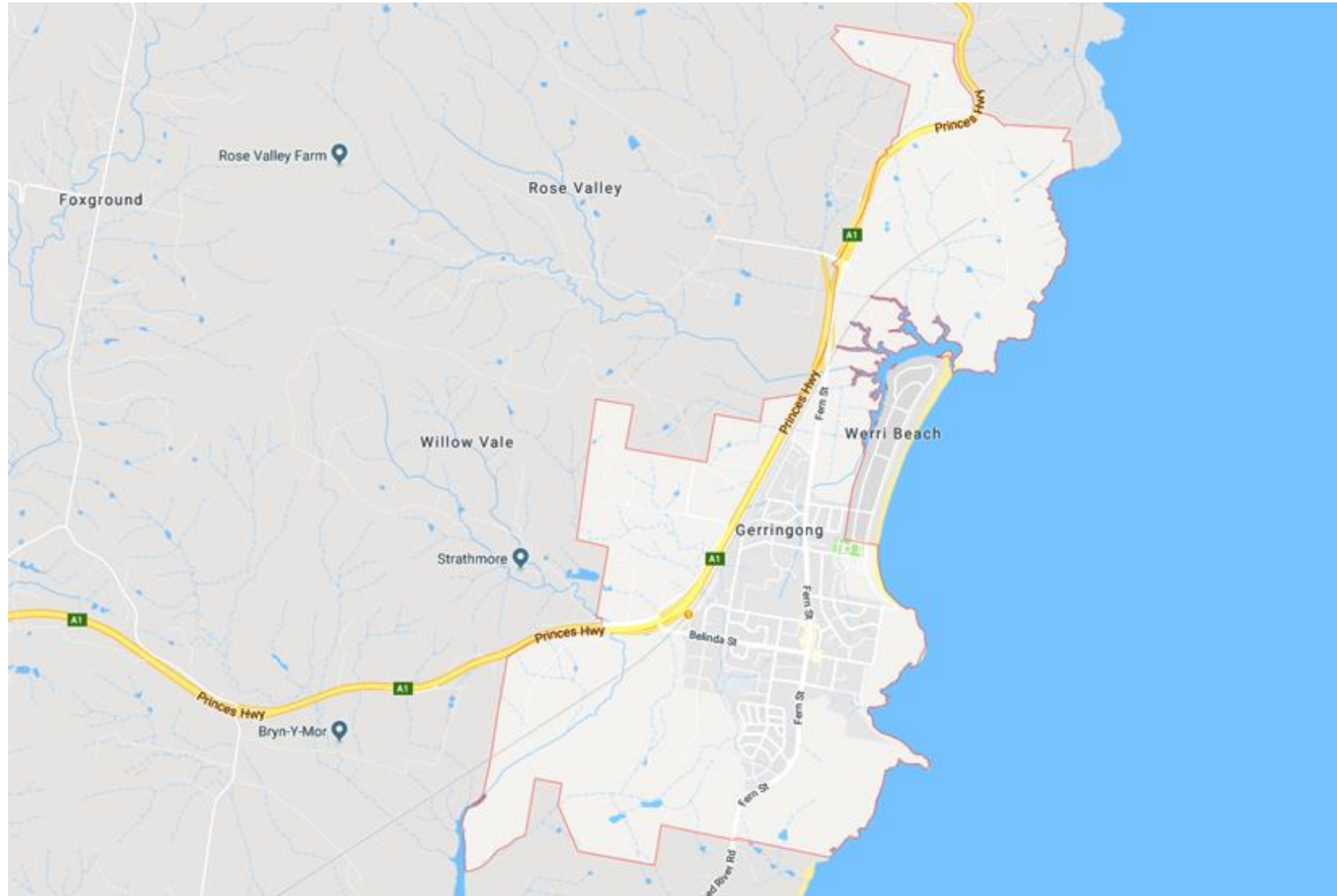


We have put together some information about accessibility in Gerringong. This includes photos and information about:

- accessible parking
- transport
- general services, like shopping centres
- ATMs
- medical services, like chemists
- sport and recreation places, like Boxsell Oval
- pubs and clubs
- public toilets
- popular places to visit in Gerringong, like Cooke Park.



Gerringong map





Accessible parking



Accessible car parking
spaces around Gerringong's
main shopping area



Transport



Gerringong Train Station

[Find out about accessible toilets at the station here.](#)

[Get a map of Gerringong Train Station here.](#)

Gerringong Train Station has:

- direct support from 5.30 am to 9.30 am
- a guard on the train
- toilets open from 5.30 am to 9.30 am
- no accessible toilet
- a hearing loop system
- 2 accessible car parking spaces
- a boarding ramp
- colour-contrasted tactile indicators
- a ramp with a handrail
- places to rest.



2 accessible car parking spaces



A ramp to the train platform



Colour-contrasted tactile indicators on the train platform



General services



Khan's SUPA IGA

[Get a map of Khan's SUPA IGA here.](#)



1 accessible
car parking space



Accessible path from the
parking to the entry



Automatic doors



Accessible toilets



newXpress Gerringong

[Get a map of newXpress Gerringong here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



The path to the newXpress is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



Push door

Australia Post Office

[Get a map of the Australia Post Office here.](#)



There is:

- no accessible car parking space
- a barrier kerb at the parking



Push door





Gerringong Town Hall

[Get a map of Gerringong Town Hall here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space behind the Town Hall



Accessible path to the front of the Town Hall



A path with a handrail on 1 side



A path with a handrail on 1 side



Pull door



Accessible path to the public toilet



Accessible toilet



ATMs



rediATM



1 accessible car parking space at Fern Street



The path in front of the rediATM is a little bit steep

Medical services



Gerringong Family Medical Practice

[Get a map of Gerringong Family Medical Practice here.](#)



Car parking for people visiting the Gerringong Family Medical Practice



The path from the carpark is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



The entry has a:

- push door
- flat surface



Gerringong Pharmacy

[Get a map of Gerringong Pharmacy here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space at
Fern Street



The path to the pharmacy is a little bit
steep – you might need help using it



The entry has a:

- slide door
- flat surface



Town Centre Medical practice and Lavery Pathology

[Get a map of Town Centre Medical practice and Lavery Pathology here.](#)



Push door



1 accessible car parking space
across the road



Enter down the side of the building

There is a slight ramp from the
footpath to the front of the building



Sports and recreation



Boxsell Oval (cricket fields)

[Get a map of Boxsell Oval here.](#)



There are no accessible car parking spaces



Accessible path



There is an accessible path to the toilet, but there are no accessible toilets



Michael Cronin Oval (Rugby League)

[Get a map of Michael Cronin Oval here.](#)



There are no accessible car parking spaces



There is a bit of a bend in the path



A ramp to the oval with a handrail on 1 side



A ramp to the oval with a handrail on 1 side



The path to the oval is not flat



Seating area



Playground



Gerringong Netball Court

[Get a map of Gerringong Netball Court here.](#)



There are no accessible car parking spaces



Stairs to get to the netball court



There is a bit of a bend in the path to get to the netball court



The surface of the path is not flat and the path to the netball court is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



Netball court



There is not a path that goes all the way around the netball courts





Gerringong Tennis Court

[Get a map of Gerringong Tennis Court here.](#)



Accessible parking at the bowling club



Parking at the tennis court



The surface of the path is not flat



There is a ramp to get to the Club House



The path to the tennis court is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



Gerry Emery Reserve (soccer and cricket fields)

[Get a map of Gerry Emery Reserve here.](#)



There are no accessible car parking spaces



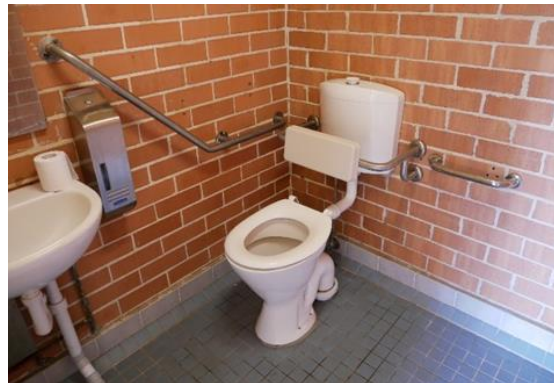
Accessible path from the parking to the Club House



There is not a path that goes all the way to the fields

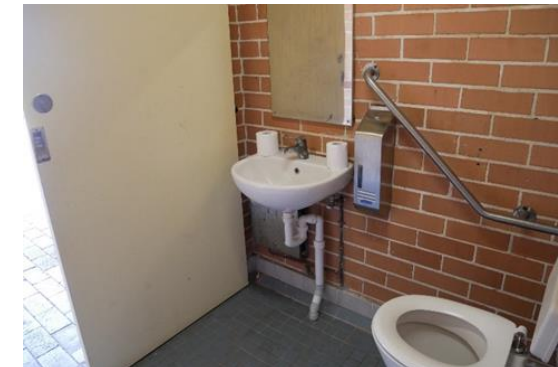


Seating



There is a grab-rail:

- next to the toilet
- behind the toilet



The bathroom sink has a push tap



Dorothy Baily Oval (hockey fields)



There are no accessible
car parking spaces



Oval



There is a steep path to the
Club House and it leads onto grass

There is no path from the oval
to the Club House



Pubs and clubs



Cronin's Hotel

[Get a map of Cronin's Hotel here.](#)



2 accessible car parking spaces



There is a grab-rail:

- next to the toilet
- behind the toilet



Pull door



The bathroom sink has a push tap



Gerringong Bowling Club

[Get a map of Gerringong Bowling Club here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



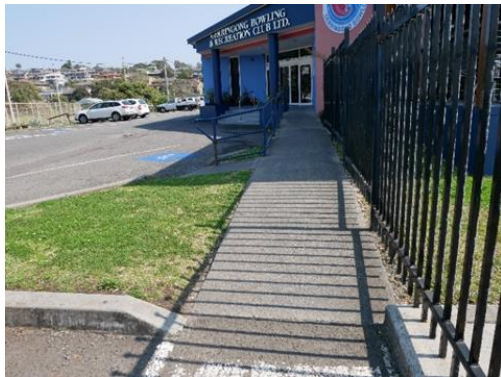
1 accessible car parking space



1 accessible car parking space



1 accessible car parking space



A ramp to the bowling club with 1 handrail



Automatic doors



Grab-rail next to the toilet



The bathroom sink has a twist tap



Public toilets



Gerringong Surf Life Saving Club toilets

Gerringong Surf Life Saving Club public toilets are open 24 hours a day.

[Find out more about the accessible toilets at South Werri Beach Reserve here.](#)

[Get a map of Gerringong Surf Life Saving Club here.](#)



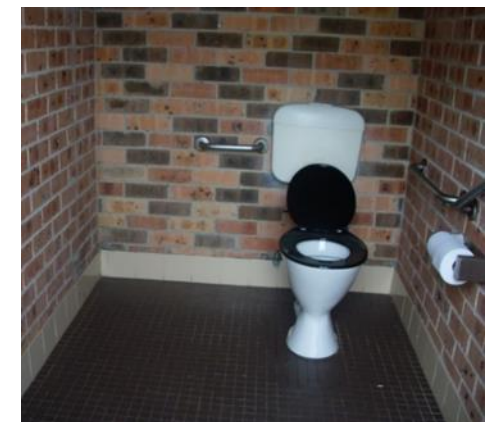
2 accessible
car parking spaces



Accessible path
from the parking



Accessible path and a bollard



There is a grab-rail:
• next to the toilet
• behind the toilet



Cooke Park (Boat Harbour) toilets

The Cooke Park (Boat Harbour) public toilets are open from 6.00 am to 9.30 pm.

[Find out more about how accessible Cooke Park \(Boat Harbour\) is here.](#)

[Get a map of Cooke Park \(Boat Harbour\) here.](#)



1 accessible
car parking space



There is no accessible
path to get to the toilet



Push door for the toilet



There is a grab rail:

- next to the toilet
- behind the toilet



Accessible toilets



Seat in front of the toilet



There is a button under the
sink you have to push for water



Gerringong Town Hall toilets

The Gerringong Town Hall toilets are open from 6.00 am to 9.30 pm.

[Find out more about how accessible Gerringong Town Hall is here.](#)

[Get a map of Gerringong Town Hall here.](#)



Accessible path



Grab-rail next to the toilet



The bathroom sink has a twist tap



South Werri Beach toilets

South Werri Beach public toilets are open 24 hours a day. There are no accessible toilets.

[Find out more about how accessible Werri Beach Rock Pool is here.](#)

[Get a map of South Werri Beach here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



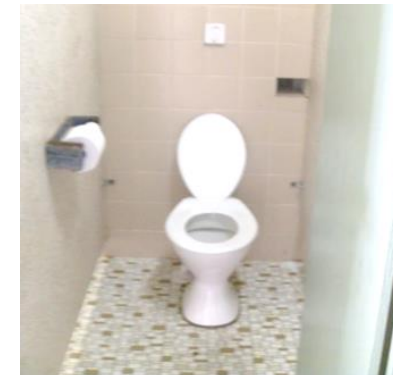
The path to the toilet is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



There is a corner in the path to get into the toilets



The bathroom sink has a twist tap



Toilet



Lloyd Rees Reserve and North Werri Beach toilets

Lloyd Rees Reserve and North Werri Beach public toilets are open 24 hours a day. There are no accessible toilets.

[Find out more about how accessible Lloyd Reese Reserve and North Werri Beach are here.](#)

[Get a map of Lloyd Rees Reserve and North Werri Beach here.](#)



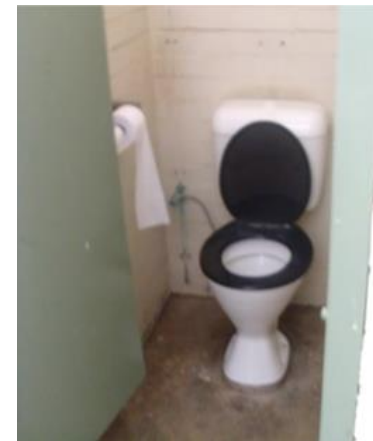
There is an accessible path from the parking to the toilets, but it is not flat all the way



The bathroom sink has a twist tap



Accessible path to the toilets



Toilet



Gerringong Train Station toilets

Gerringong Train Station public toilets are open from 5.30 am to 9.30 am. There are no accessible toilets.

[Find out more about how accessible the Gerringong Train Station is here.](#)

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1 accessible car parking space

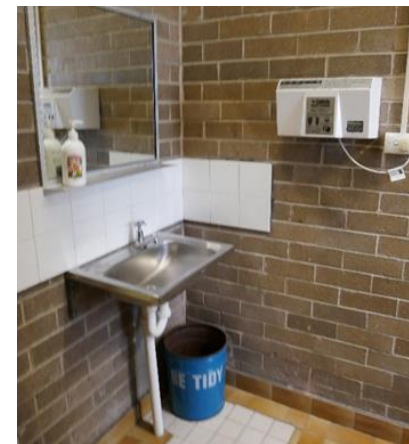


Toilet



A ramp to the train station with:

- handrails on both sides
- colour-contrasted tactile indicators

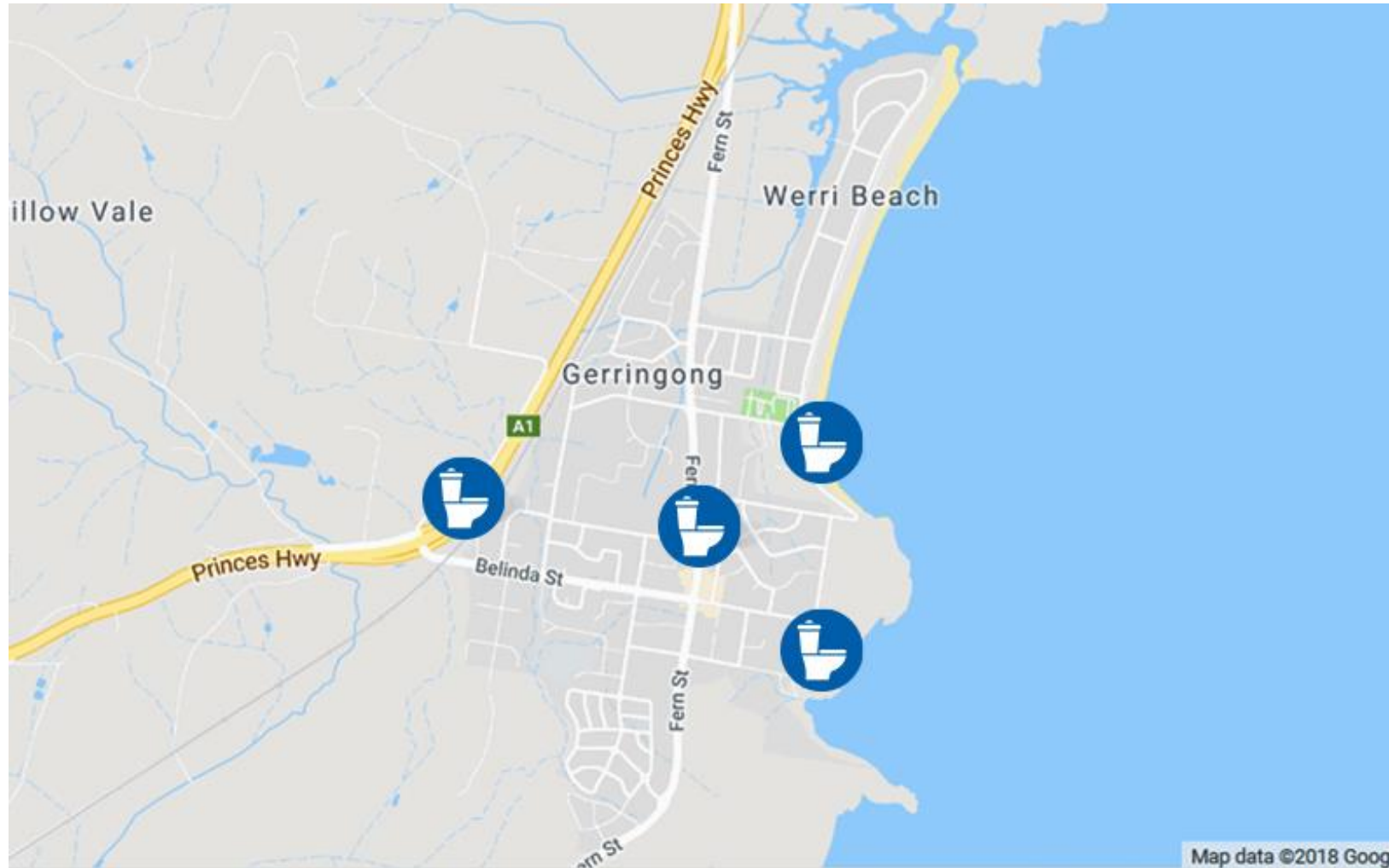


The bathroom sink has a twist tap



A map of accessible toilets in Gerringong

For more information, go to the [National Public Toilet Map website](#).





Popular places to visit



Accessible fitness equipment at South Werri Beach Reserve

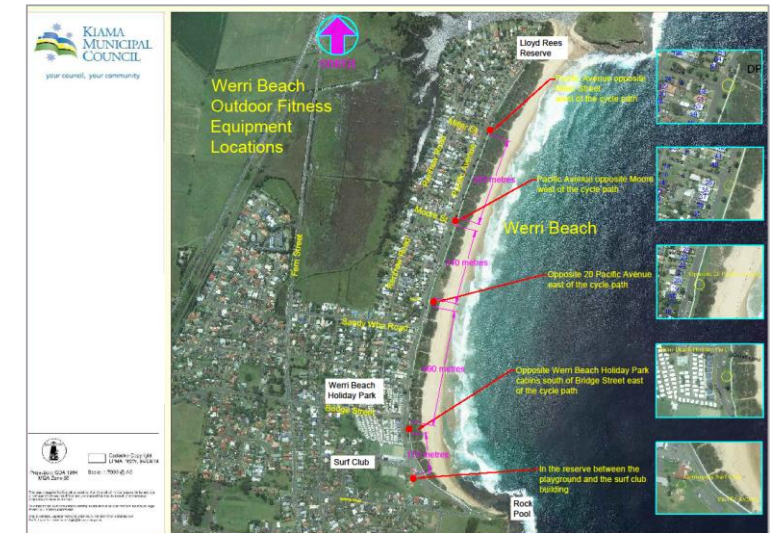
Not all outdoor fitness equipment is accessible.



Shoulder press machine



Lateral pull-down machine



A map of the accessible fitness equipment at South Werri Beach Reserve



Cooke Park (Boat Harbour)

[Find out more about the accessible toilets at Cooke Park here.](#)

[Get a map of Cooke Park here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



Accessible path



Accessible path to the seat



Corner in the path to get to the shower



The path is not flat



The path can get slippery



There is 1 step to get into the pool



No accessible path to get to the barbecue and picnic areas



Old School Park

The closest toilets are at Gerringong Town Hall. [Find out more about the accessible toilets at Gerringong Town Hall here.](#)

[Find out more about Old School Park here.](#)

[Get a map of Old School Park here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space at Noble Street



Accessible path at the parking



Stairs with a handrail at the Fern Street entry



Accessible path



Accessible path to the picnic table



Accessible path to the seat



The playground is connected to the path



Drinking station



Ourie Pool, South Werri Beach

[Find out more about the accessible toilets at South Werri Beach here.](#)

[Get a map of South Werri Beach here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



The path to the pool is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



There are stairs to get to the pool



The accessible path doesn't go all the way to the pool



The path to the pool can go underwater



The path to the pool is:

- slippery
- not flat



Stairs into the pool



Stairs into the pool



South Werri Beach Reserve

[Find out more about the accessible toilets at Gerringong Surf Life Saving Club here.](#)



2 accessible car parking spaces



Accessible path from the parking to the surf club



There are barriers around reserve



Playground



Picnic table



Drinking station



Barbecue



The left path goes to the beach
The right path goes to the carpark



Birralee Reserve, Elambra Estate

[Find out more about Birralee Reserve here.](#)

[Get a map of Birralee Reserve here.](#)



There is street parking available around
Birralee Reserve



The playground is connected to the path



Playground



Gerringong Headland and the whale watching platform

The closest toilets are at Gerringong Town Hall. [Find out more about the accessible toilets at Gerringong Town Hall here.](#)

[Get a map of Gerringong Headland and the whale watching platform here.](#)



1 accessible car parking space



To get to the path, you need to go:

- down a kerb
- onto the road



The path to the flagpole is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



The accessible path doesn't go all the way to the whale watching platform



There is a corner in the path to get to the whale watching platform



Lloyd Rees Reserve (North Warri Beach)

[Find out more about the accessible toilets at Lloyd Reese Reserve here.](#)

[Get a map of Lloyd Reese Reserve here.](#)



There are no accessible car parking spaces



The path to the reserve is a little bit steep – you might need help using it



No accessible path to the shower and drinking stations



No accessible path to the beach



There are no accessible car parking spaces



Path to the lookout



Stairs to get to the lookout



★ More information about accessibility in Gerringong

- Gerringong Town Centre has 7 accessible parking spaces.
- Fern Street has places where you can cross the road. There is only 1 pedestrian crossing.
- Fern Street can be busy as people come in and out of the parking.
- The path on Fern Street is slippery when it is wet.



Accessible parking



The path on Fern Street is a little bit steep

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