



(1) Kipling



(2) Islington



(3) Islington



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GREEN LINE (BLOOR-DANFORTH)

KIPLING

Go up Aukland Rd. to reach Dundas West, past the high-rise buildings surrounding this station. You'll find many restaurants at this intersection.

You'll just need to walk a few minutes westbound on Dundas Street West to get to a **Bowlerama** (1) (5429 Dundas, www.bowlerama.com) and **The Daily Planet**, a greasy spoon next door (416-231-3411). Across the street, visit **Wild Birds Unlimited** offering the biggest selection of bird feeders (5468 Dundas, www.wbu.com/toronto).

Check **McCall's**, biggest cake supply store ever, less than 10 minutes from Aukland (3810 Bloor St. W., walk east on Dundas to Kipling, go north to Bloor (www.mccalls-cakes.com)).

ISLINGTON

The **Clarica Shopping Centre** at this station offers a fancy food court.

Go west on Bloor, past the intriguing underpass (2) and take the stairs up to the new playground and impressive gazebo of **Michael Power Place** (3).

Go east of Islington and you'll find the Bloor entrance to gorgeous **Thomas Riley Park** (4) with playground and a river (see p. 324).

Walk north through the park for 15 minutes to reach the exit off Islington. Northbound is Dundas West. If you want to walk a few extra minutes east on Dundas, you'll reach **Montgomery Inn** (see p. 384); west on Dundas, you'll find the pretty indoor playground **Bona Party Place** (4945 Dundas East, www.bonapartyplace.com).

On the 10-minute walk southbound, back to the station from the park, check out the white horse sculpture (5) on Cordova Avenue east of Islington.

ROYAL YORK

This is a pretty stretch of Bloor. The station in front of a big **Swiss Chalet**. Go west on Bloor and north to 8 Brentwood to reach **All Fired Up** (6) ceramic studio (www.afu-ceramics.com, 416-233-5512). East on Bloor, there's **Mary's Playland** (see p. 193).

OLD MILL

Take Old Mill Trail north and turn east on Old Mill Rd. to reach (what else?) **Old Mill Inn**, a fabulous place for brunch buffets (www.oldmilltoronto.ca).

Across the bridge is the entrance to **Étienne Brûlé Park** (7) with paved trail along the **Humber River** (see p. 328).

JANE

Nothing special for kids.

RUNNYMEDE

The Bloor section east and west of this station is pretty. It includes the lovely **Runnymede Public Library** (see p. 90) and **Melonhead** kids' haircuts place (2100 Bloor, www.melonhead.ca).

HIGH PARK

Across the street is the Bloor entrance to **High Park** (see p. 286), leading to the smaller playground and wading pool.

KEELE

This station is a brisk 15-minute walk from **High Park's** amazing castle playground (off Parkdale, south of Bloor) but it is really worth walking the extra distance!