



Green path through Badgers Estate.



Railway Walk.



Skateboard Park.



Circular Walk around Buckingham





Route of the Circular Walk



Welcome to the Buckingham Circular Walk, which incorporates some 2½ miles of pathways, including the existing Riverside Walk and the Old Railway Walk.

A An ideal starting point for the walk is, via the bridge, to the rear of the Cornwall's Meadow car park, in the Town Centre. Cross the bridge to the Heartlands public open space and follow the footpath to the left and bear left towards the river, where the footpaths fork.

B You then come to another bridge near to the Buckingham Athletic football ground; cross over here and turn right, continuing to Bourton Park. This is a large open recreational area, with bridleways, children's playgrounds and picnic areas. If you follow the footpath to the right of this area, you will reach a waterfall by an old mill, which is now Bourton Mill Health Club. Just before this club, turn right and cross over the river again, into Bourton Road.

C Turn right and cross over the road. Approximately 100 yards along you will see a footpath to your left just near to a children's play area. This becomes a "green path" (i.e. not tarmac); follow this to the end and turn right into London Road. (An alternative hard surface route to this section is via Badgers Way and Hare Close, taking the footpath into London Road).

D Cross the road and join the footpath alongside the school sports field (which is on your left, before you reach the Swan Leisure Centre), then turn right onto the Old Railway Walk, which takes you through a picturesque wooded conservation area.

E Follow the path until you reach the Buckingham University car Park, which is at the corner of Chandos Road and Station Road. At this point, the next section

includes steps. Cross over the junction of these roads and turn left going past the university building to your right and follow the slope downwards and just before the waterfall cross footbridge over the river and cross over University car park to a wooden bridge across the river, with steps, into Chandos Park.

(An alternative route to this section to avoid steps etc., is via Chandos Road. To follow this route, cross over from the car park at the junction of Station Road and Chandos Road and turn right, then follow Chandos Road; staying on your left until you reach the gate into Chandos Park on your left.)

F Follow the path alongside the river in Chandos Park and at the end turn right go along Ford Street to the junction with Bridge Street by the New Inn Public House. Cross Bridge Street at the pedestrian traffic lights and follow the footway on your right alongside the skateboard park, then follow the river until you come to the bridge where you started at Cornwall's Meadow car park to complete your walk.



- Circular Walk
- Purple lines on the map delineate the routes of other existing paths
- Dotted red line denotes alternative route
- Dotted Purple line denotes planned paths

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