

Gregson Lane & Coupe Green Walk approx 3.6 miles

The majority of this walk takes place on good footpaths. However, extra care should be taken when covering the sections between Carver Brow & Hoghton Lane and Shuttingfields Lane & Bank Head Lane as these portions of the walk pass through woodland, contain inclines & sloped paths. If you are looking to complete this walk over the winter months you are strongly advised to wear waterproof clothing & footwear.

- The walk starts from Gregson Lane Community Centre.
- 1 From the Community Centre follow the footpath alongside the children's play area until you reach the large hedgerow beyond it. Turn left after the hedgerow and follow the path between the hedge and the houses.
- 2 Follow this path, crossing two stiles and a bridge over a stream until you reach a clearing in a wooded area. Proceed along the path to the right walking uphill until you reach a stile.
- 3 Go over the stile & proceed along the track across the field until you reach a tarmac path. Turn left and walk along this path till its end where you will pass through a gate and on to Hoghton Lane.
- 4 Cross over the road and proceed for approximately 20 metres until you reach a footpath on the right which you will take by crossing the stile. Continue along the path across the field until you reach a stile which you will cross over and turn left.
- 5 Continue along this path keep the hedgerow on your left until you reach a bridge over a small stream. Cross over the bridge continuing in the same direction with the hedgerow now on your right passing the house and a stile on a bridge, which you will cross bringing you out at Hey Barn Cattery & Kennels. Turn left on to Fox Lane and proceed along it until you reach the junction with Coupe Green.
- 6 Turn right and proceed along Coupe Green (which becomes Carver Brow), passing the school and playground. Keep on the path which becomes wooded and downhill until you reach a stile on your left which is sited just after Jolly's Cottage.
- 7 Cross over the stile and proceed along the footpath until you reach a further stile which you will also cross over. Walk up the hill ensuring that you keep the hedgerow and houses on your left. You will reach a further stile which you will also cross over following the footpath keeping the allotments on your right hand side.
- 8 When you reach a crossroads, take the left hand fork and continue along the path until you reach its end at Hoghton Lane.
- 9 Cross over Hoghton Lane and turn right. Proceed along the road for 1.1 km (0.6 m) until you reach the junction with Gregson Lane.
- 10 Proceed along Gregson Lane until you reach Shuttingfields Lane which is situated just past the bus stop on the right hand side of the road.
- 11 Proceed along Shuttingfields Lane until you reach a stile on the left where the road bends sharply.
- 12 Cross over the stile and follow the path making sure that the house is on your right hand side. Follow the path till its end, crossing five stiles.
- 13 At the end of this footpath you will reach Bank Head Lane where you will need to cross the road. Proceed left along Bank Head Lane until you reach Alma Row.
- 14 Proceed along Alma Road until you reach its end, at the junction of Gregson Lane cross the lane & turn left, walking past the shops until you reach the turning for the Community Centre where you will complete the walk.

EASTERN WALK 3

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(1 hour 15 mins)



Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear; keep to the paths and close gates. Please keep dogs under control and clean up after them. Do not leave any litter.

Every effort has been made to ensure accuracy in preparing the walks - the council cannot accept any liability and people using the route do so at their own risk.

