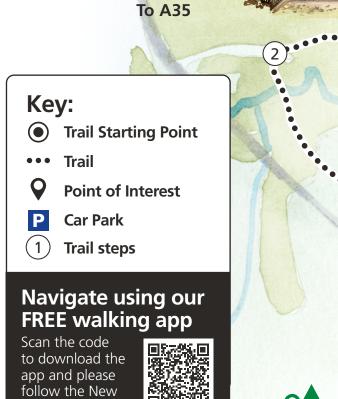
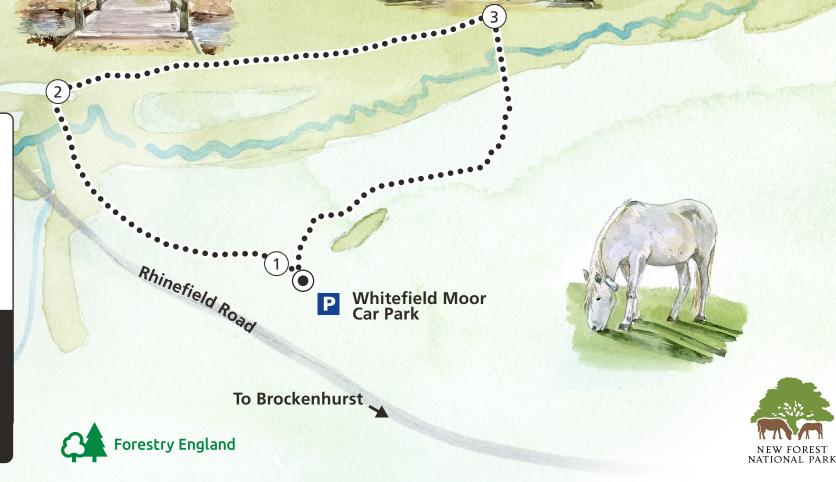
New FOREST WALKING GUIDES Whitefield Moor Accessible Trail

This 1 mile riverside walk uses gravel paths.



Forest Code



Whitefield Moor Accessible Trail

Whitefield Moor is a great spot to look out for many of the birds, animals and plants of the New Forest, including kingfishers perching beside the forest stream.

The walk also gives you a chance to look for red deer on the heath and woodpeckers in the woodland – keep your eyes peeled!



Trail Overview

Start/finish:

Whitefield Moor car park. Grid reference SU 274 026 what3words.com/solicitor.indoors.radiated

Ordnance Survey map:

Explorer OL 22 New Forest.

Distance:

1 mile (1.6km) – Under 1 hour.

Local facilities:

Whitefield Moor car park has five accessible parking bays, toilets and disabled toilets.

Directions Whitefield Moor

At the car park look out for the tall wooden trail head with the information board. From the trail head follow the signs down a gravel

track towards woodland. Cross a wooden bridge then head right, past puttles bridge car park and continue along into woodland with the river on your right

2 Riverside walk

Follow the river through the woodland, looking out for the waymarkers which help you avoid the muddiest parts of the trail. The woods open out slightly as you come across the first river crossing. Turn right and go across the wooden bridge following the path onto heather covered heathland

3 Heathlands and Lawns

Follow the path across the heathland heading towards a tree line. Once past the tree line you enter the flat grassy areas known as 'lawns'. Head right at the marker post and follow the lawn back to the car park soon visible on the horizon.

Accessibility: A moderate gradient leads down to, and then back up from, the river with limited resting places. There are no gates along the trails but there are three bridges which can develop small lips when the surface becomes eroded.



