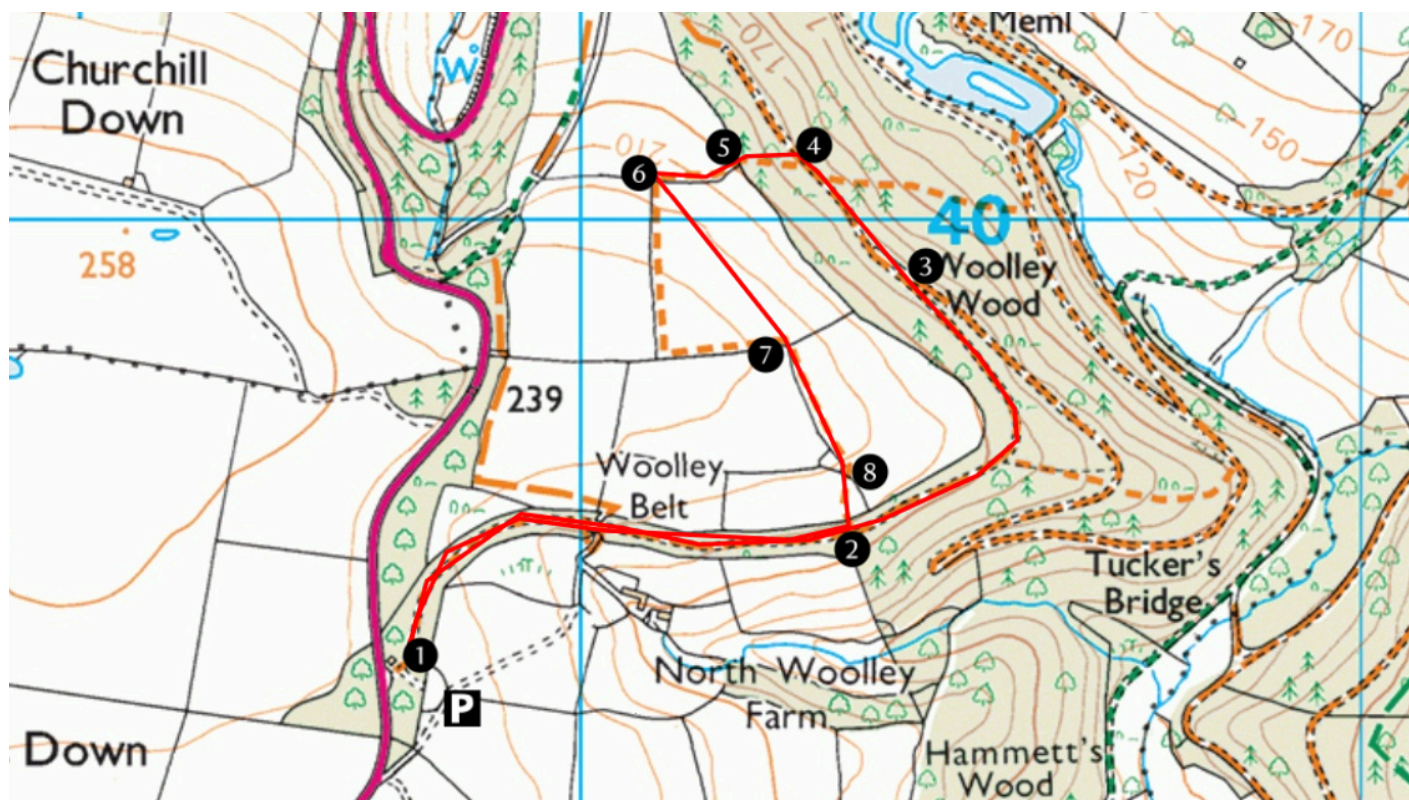


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Woolley Woods Ramble

Follow the historic carriage way through peaceful woodland before climbing to open countryside with panoramic views towards Churchill and East Down.



Information

Address: Woolley Woods EX31 4JZ

Activity: Walking

Moderate

Dog friendly

Full trail: Miles: 1.8 (km: 2.88)

Duration: 40 mins

Total stages: 8

Start point: Woolley Woods EX31 4JZ

1. Join the footpath to join the historic carriage drive and follow through the woods. Note: this carriage drive was the original route to the house at Arlington Court, you can still see the Lodge which was situated next to the entrance to the driveway.
2. Continue straight on. note: you'll see some historic gate posts here. These were introduced by Rosalie Chichester of Arlington Court when she installed an 8ft deer fence around her nature reserve on the estate to protect the wildlife within from the local hunt.
3. Continue straight on. Note: you'll be leaving the historic carriage drive which turns right at this point towards Arlington Court.
4. Branch off to the left and gradually climb up through the woods.
5. When you've reached the top of the footpath, go through the kissing gate. Follow the hedge line to walk up the field until you come to another gate on your left. Take a moment at the top of field to enjoy the panoramic view towards Churchill and East Down.
6. Turn left through the gateway and follow the path diagonally across the field to the next gate. If you walk too far to the right, you'll meet two gates. Don't go through these but continue alongside the hedge until you reach the gate with the fingerpost.
7. Go through the wooden gate with fingerpost and follow the hedge line straight ahead to cross the field. Don't go through the first gate, keep following the slope to the kissing gate and go through here.
8. Walk through the field to the next kissing gate at the bottom. Once through the gate, turn right to rejoin the historic carriage drive and walk back toward Woolley Woods.

End point: Woolley Woods EX31 4JZ