

Quinta Arboretum Circular Walk

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Grade	Moderate
Distance	3km/1.8miles
Time	1-2 hours
Start	Car Park at Swettenham Arms PH (patrons only)
Map	OS Explorer 268
Terrain	The first part of the walk uses typical field paths and then tarmac roads/lanes. Towards the end of the walk the route passes over fields again and over boardwalks through the wetland area.
Barriers	14 field stiles, 2 wooden boardwalks with step stiles and footbridge also with step stiles at either end
Toilets	Picnic area, refreshments and toilet facilities available at the Swettenham Arms pub.
Contact	Cheshire East Council Tel: 01270 686029



Route Details

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For further information about Qunita Arboretum - including opening times - visit www.swettenhamarms.co.uk/family_outings.php

Directions

Park in the Swettenham Arms car park.

1. From the car park bear right to Davenport Park Lane.
2. Take the first public footpath opposite the church, cross the stile, remain on the line of the path and cross four fields.
3. Turn left onto Congleton Road.
4. Take next public footpath to your left, cross stile and continue along field edge.
5. Cross stile to your right and follow field edge.
6. Cross stile and continue through the farmyard.
7. Cross stile to your right and follow field edge crossing the next two fields.
8. Turn left along Restricted Byway.
9. Take next public footpath to your left, across Swettenham Meadows (CWT reserve).
10. Cross wooden footbridge and continue
11. Cross stile and turn right onto Davenport Park Lane
12. Turn right just before church by war memorial and back to car park