



Public Transport Accessible Walks from Brighton

Hove Park

Large open spaces, sports facilities, great for dog walks. Bus 5 or 5A from city centre.

St Ann's Well Gardens

Really scenic, pretty trees, an old well, children's play park, friendly café. Bus 7 from city centre.

Preston Park

It's almost exactly 1 mile to walk around the main path. On the way there's a pond which is filled with newts and frogs at this time of year, a shady under-tree walk, a wildflower meadow, a rose garden, a pair of ancient trees and even a secret walled garden in the corner. Bus 17 from city centre.

Hollingbury Hill Fort

From Mouslecomb train station off Lewes Road, head up through woods to the dew pond at the top of Wild Park, then head west onto the site of the Neolithic hill fort with views over the whole city and out to the sea. Cut through the golf course then head south into Hollingbury woods, emerging out onto Ditchling Road with a short walk down to the cafés at Fiveways. Bus 49 from city centre or train from Brighton station.

Woodvale and Race Hill

From near Sainsbury's on Lewes Road follow the pedestrian entrance into a beautiful Victorian burial grounds, rising through blossom-filled valleys up to views over the city from near Bear Road. Cut past the garden centre to Race Hill, and turn right to Whitehawk Hill, the site of another Neolithic fort. Follow the track south to join the main road in Kemp Town. Bus 49 from city centre.

Sheepcote Valley

From the junction of Warren Road and Wilson Avenue, head east and follow the path around the top of the valley, as far as Whitehawk Football Club. Head down hill and via the pond back to Wilson Avenue. Really great views and excellent for dogs. Bus 2 from city centre.

Undercliff Walk

Head to the Marina and keep going, next to the chalk cliffs beside Asda. Follow the promenade as far as you can go. It takes in quiet beaches, Saltdean lido, two cafes and ends where the wall meets the cliff just past Saltdean. Bus 7 from city centre. Bus 12 home.

Balsdean Loop

From the crossroads in Woodingdean, turn off Falmer road at the first car park on the right hand side. Follow the path round the valley in a loop, which goes through the centre of the spookily abandoned village of Balsdean. Turn back up a steep slope to rejoin the main path. Bus 2 from city centre.

Hove seafront

Head to the sea and turn right, passing the shops and amusements of Brighton seafront, the Peace statue and Hove Lawns, keeping going as long as you like! Bus 700 from city centre.

Devil's Dyke

Take the 'Breeze up to the Downs' bus to the pub at Devil's Dyke and follow the valley east to Saddlescombe Farm, where a lovely walled courtyard hosts the 'Wildflour Café' and lambing tours take place each weekend. Loop back around the valley to return to the pub. Bus 77 from city centre.

Stanmer Park

Take the 'Breeze up to the Downs' bus to Stanmer village and enjoy a leisurely stroll along the paths and woodland trails. You can even keep going through the woods and make it up to Ditchling Beacon on the South Downs from where you can catch the bus back. Bus 78 from city centre.

Ditchling Beacon

Take the 'Breeze up to the Downs' bus to the car park at Ditchling Beacon. Head east to Black Cap and back for wide views, or west to the Jack and Jill windmills for a shorter walk and a great scenic picnic spot. Bus 79 from city centre

Chattri Memorial

Cross the A27 on the footbridge to Braypool Lane from Patcham. Then head north on the signed footpath towards Chattri memorial and loop around, or extend your walk via farm tracks. Bus 5/5A from city centre.

Waterhall

Loop around playing fields at Waterhall onto the golf course and uphill for stunning views. Extend your walk along the Sussex Border Path, or loop back towards Patcham parallel to the A23. Bus 5/5A from city centre.

Monarch's Way

From Foredown tower head north on track to join Monarch's Way. Option to extend your walk via bridleway towards Devil's Dyke, or follow the dismantled railway south and new bridleway parallel to the A27 past West Hove golf club to arrive back in Hangleton. Bus 6 from city centre.

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