

Number walk

This observational activity is all centred around mathematical activity.

Along the route there are many **lamp posts**. Make a tally to calculate how many you pass.



Look at the street numbers along **Annesley Road**.

Are there any patterns?

Do the numbers go up or down? Does this change on different streets?



Abberbury Road is a tree-lined street. Take time to collect a selection of leaves (approximately 10).

Try to group them in different ways (e.g. size, colour, texture, rough/smooth etc). Tell someone about your groupings. How many in each group?

Looking at any numbers along your way, what is the **highest** number you find?

Can you find any **Roman** numerals? Where?



There are also a number of benches along the route. How many can you spot?

Self-guided walks

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A walk from Rose Hill to Iffley.

This circular walk is approximately 3 miles (although can be extended) and takes around one hour at a steady pace.



This circular walk starts and ends at the

Rose Hill Community Centre, Carole's Way, Rose Hill, Oxford, OX4 4HF

The Number 3 bus travels from the city centre to Rose Hill.

**** Be aware that this walk does involve crossing roads ****

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1. Start at the **Rose Hill Community Centre**, bear right into the Recreation Ground. Follow the path past the playground and follow the path right into the next field.

2. At the end of the path, bear right and exit the recreation ground onto **Spencer Crescent**. Turn left and follow the pavement

3. Take the next left down **Rowney Place**. At the end cross the road and stick to the pavement down **Annesley Road**.

4. At the end of the road, turn right following the footpath sign. Continue through the footpath until you reach the main road. Be aware of the road, the pavement is wide and there is a barrier to protect pedestrians.

5. Turn left and follow the footpath down past **Rose Hill Methodist Church** (established in 1833).

6. Continue along the pavement, crossing over two road entrances. ***Be careful crossing the road***. Look for the bridleway sign on the left and follow the path up the hill and turn right at the end.

7. Follow the road a short distance, and then turn left along the **West View** path.

8. Walk along the path and bear right at the top. The path leads between two houses and into a cul-de-sac. Walk across the cul-de-sac and bear left after spotting the **Bears Hedge** sign. Walk up the path and at the end turn right.

9. Follow the pavement down **Abberbury Road**. Turn left onto **Church Way**. Walk along **Church Way** and take time to visit **Iffley Glebe** on your left.

10. At the end of the road you will notice **St Mary's Church, Iffley**. Extend your walk to Iffley lock, by bearing right at the church. To continue this walk take the left path alongside the Church wall.

11. At the end of the path, continue straight through **Court Place** gates. Bear left and then left again, across some grass and towards metal railings. Exit via the open gateway in the railings and turn right onto **Rivermead Road**.

12. On your right is the entrance to **Rivermead Nature Park**, follow the circular route around the nature park. *** Follow the family nature trail*** Exit the nature park through the same gate and turn right following the pavement back along Rivermead Road.

13. At the top of the road turn left onto **Nowell Road**. After 10m, turn right onto a footpath (accessed beside a metal gate). At the end of this path, turn right and then immediately left following another footpath (adjacent to a building site).

14. Cross a road and follow the path across **The Oval**. Cross another road and follow the footpath back along **Ashurst Way** back to the Community Centre on your left.

