

Blythe Bridge

Heritage Railway & Village

DISTANCE: 2 miles / 3.2 km

TIME: Allow up to 2 hours

Road side walk (pavements not always available).

WHEELCHAIR ACCESS : Suitable with care.

Blythe Bridge is a Staffordshire village built around the site of a stone bridge over the River Blithe (spelt differently from the name of the river).

- 1 From the station turn right and follow the route along Uttoxeter Road.
- 2 Cross over Uttoxeter Road at a safe point, making your way to the junction of Uttoxeter Road and Cheadle Road. Turn left along Cheadle Road.
- 3 Take time to look at the War Memorial and St. Peter's Church, then continue along Cheadle Road.
- 4 Follow the route walking along Cheadle Road and take a left turn along Caverswall Old Road.
- 5 Continue your walk along Caverswall Old Road. Heath House Farm is located on your right. Shortly after that you will reach the junction of Caverswall Old Road, Blythe Bridge Road and Caverswall Road. Pedestrians take care!
- 6 Turn right to visit Foxfield Light Railway (with limited opening hours). To continue the route you need to retrace your path along Blythe Bridge Road.
- 7 At the junction follow Caverswall Road to return to Blythe Bridge Station. (Take care whilst crossing the busy road.)

PLACES TO VISIT

The Foxfield Light Railway

The Foxfield is a heritage line offering visitors the chance to experience an exhilarating ride on a steam train. The beautiful station building is the perfect venue for refreshments.

Heath House Farm and Garden Centre

This renovated 19th century farmhouse site now contains a large garden centre, gift shop, conference venue and tea room. It's only a 5 minute walk from here to the Foxfield Railway so why not visit both in one day?

