Walking Route-Whittlesea Station to March Station along the Hereward Way



12 miles, flat and grassy.

This route is mainly off road and alongside rivers, the grass can be long in summer and the route can be muddy in winter. In many places you will see signs for the Hereward Way.

Starting at Whittlesea Station walk out of town along Station Road for 0.4 miles.

Fork right along Turningtree Road and just before Turningtree Bridge, go through the gate on to the riverside path.

At 2 miles reach Benwick Road which you follow for 0.2 miles and cross Angle Bridge.

Turn left at the corner and rejoin the riverside path which is followed 1.3 miles (total 3.5 miles)

Pass under the railway bridge and follow the road (March Road) into Turves, reached after 5 miles.

Cross the first level crossing and go straight to follow Burnt House Road. Turn left on to Hake's Drove (at 5.2 miles).

Follow Hake's Drove which is very straight for 2.6 miles when you reach the River Nene (old course), after 7.8 miles.

Now follow the river into March, noting that you will need to leave the river at around 9 miles and follow the Whittlesey Road and then Marina Drive and then go around the outside of Fox's Boatyard.

When you reach the A141 do not cross the road, but walk on the path which is alongside it until you reach the river and then walk underneath the main road and join West End (after 10.3 miles). Do not attempt to cross the busy main road.

Now walk into March town centre (11.2 miles). Turn left on to High Street and at the traffic lights turn right for Station Road and walk along Station Road to March Station (12 miles).