



### Overview

Wendover Woods is a 325-hectare woodland managed by Forestry England on the edge of the Chilterns escarpment. It's ideal for family days out, offering a play trail, café, adventure playground, fitness trail, and cycling routes for all abilities. For thrill-seekers, there's the Go Ape high-wire course (not suitable for those with mobility issues or fear of heights).

The woods are beautiful year-round: spring bluebells, summer picnics, autumn colours, and crisp winter walks. Wildlife enthusiasts can spot woodland birds like the rare Firecrest and, occasionally, deer. The site also features Boddington hill fort and the highest point in the Chilterns at 267m.

Whether you want a full day of activities or a quick bite in scenic surroundings, Wendover Woods delivers.

Accessible options include the Play Trail and a short path around the café.

### Access & Facilities

Paths: Long (1km) and short (600m) access path via Play Trail

Toilets: 2 accessible next to café, with changing places toilet behind information booth (open 9-4 daily)

Café: Yes, open 8.30-16.00 daily

Other: Accessible trail via Play Trail, and short easy walk around café. Accessible cycling routes too.

Tramper All Terrain Scooter: 2

More information: [www.forestryengland.uk/wendover-woods/access-information](http://www.forestryengland.uk/wendover-woods/access-information)



### Location

📍 Upper Icknield Way, Aston Clinton, Aylesbury, HP22 5NQ

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Main entrance: [///scavenger.multiply.testing](https://scavenger.multiply.testing)

Car Park: [///encounter.trend.texts](https://encounter.trend.texts)

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### Parking

Blue Badge Bays: 25, parking charges apply. Payment machines next to information booth.

### Contact & Info

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## Walk Description

Start Point: Marked as “Play Trail” – follow green signs on path

### Route:

- Short route: cuts out the steeper inclines, great for first time visitors
- Long route: includes lots to do for children, slightly more difficult for those with mobility issues

### Terrain:

- Miles Without Stiles Rating: Access for Many
- Inclines: 1 in 17, 1 in 13 (to Red Kite Lookout), 1 in 19, 1 in 9, 1 in 16 (short route cut through)
- Benches: Seating throughout site, including accessible picnic benches next to café and barbecue area
- Path surfaces: 1.2m width mostly smooth; crushed granite, some looser areas

## Key to symbols

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| Accessible parking                               | Access walk start point  |
| Tramper and wheelchair hire (must be pre-booked) | Access walk (play trail) |
| Information/Visitor Centre                       | Path incline             |
| Café   | Picnic area              |
| Viewpoint  |                          |
| Accessible toilets                               |                          |

