

Gordale Scar

Route type: For all. A short linear walk to Gordale Scar, part of the Craven Fault, a 22 mile geological fault line running from Cumbria into the Yorkshire Dales – OS Explorer Map OL2

Distance: 0.6km (each way)

Start point: SD913634

Turning point: SD915640

Facilities: The nearest public toilets, including RADAR facility toilets, are in the Malham National Park car park. There is informal, roadside parking at the start of the route. Please give consideration to where and how vehicles are parked so as not to cause inconvenience to others.

Getting there: Car: From Skipton take the A65 towards Kendal. At Gargrave, turn right, following the signs to Malham. Go past the National Park Centre on the left and then turn right at the village green and over the bridge. Carry on up Gordale Road for 1.5km and you will reach the footpath to Gordale Scar on the left hand side.

The Route

This 600m footpath runs from Gordale Bridge to Gordale Scar. The route is well surfaced and level and has a general width of 100cm.

Whilst walking the route, look out for peregrines and dippers.

