

CYCLE 1 South East

Starting and finishing at Eastham Country Park, this cycle ride takes you to the unique village of Port Sunlight where you can enjoy a ride around the Village, taking in the architecture, museum and art gallery 'in the home of the Lord Leverhulme's famous soap factory'.

Start: Eastham Country Park, Ferry Road, Eastham

Distance: 8.4km (5.2miles) Total return route, not including cycling around the village.

The route is predominantly off road but you will need to use the relatively quiet roads to get around the village.

① From the car park join the cycle path and head left through the woods towards Port Sunlight. Follow the route for approximately 720m (0.4 mile) until you reach a small car park on your left.

② Continue straight ahead through the gate and follow the path for a further 390 metres (0.25miles) where the path will sweep around to the left to a roundabout that links Plantation Road (opposite you) and Riverview Road (to your left).

③ Make a right turn, following the signs to Port Sunlight, along the off road route that leads to Commercial Road.

④ At Commercial Road, make a left turn and follow the path for approximately 300 metres (0.18 miles) before crossing Commercial Road and continuing along the path that is now running parallel with Stadium Road.

PORT SUNLIGHT VILLAGE Map



KEY

- ① Port Sunlight Museum
- ② Lever Memorial
- ③ Lady Lever Art Gallery
- ④ The War Memorial
- ⑤ The Garden Centre
- ⑥ Hulme Hall
- ⑦ The Lyceum
- ⑧ The Village Tea Rooms
- ⑨ Gladstone Theatre
- ⑩ Lever House
- ⑪ Dell Bridge
- ⑫ The Bridge Inn
- ⑬ Christ Church
- ⑭ Church Drive School

⑤ The cyclepath continues along Stadium Road for approximately 390 metres (0.25 mile) where opposite, you will see the path sweeps around to the right, away from the road and down a slope, before it turns back on itself and under Stadium Road. Follow this path for 2 km (1.25 miles) until it brings you out at Port Sunlight Station where you can enjoy the village at your leisure. A Port Sunlight Village trail map is available from the Port Sunlight Museum & Garden Village gift shop for only £1.

⑥ Continue up towards Port Sunlight Station. Turn right into Bolton Road.

⑦ Follow Bolton Road across the roundabout at the suitable crossing points to Bolton Road East continue on to Port Sunlight River Park.

On return in Bolton Road East turn left into The Anzacs and follow the signs for the Wirral Circular Trail down A41 over River Dibbin, Pool Lane, Thermal Road, Station Road and continue on reverse route to Eastham Country Park.



Dell Bridge and The Lyceum