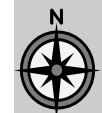




Circular Walk: Eynsham I – Pinkhill Lock – The Thames Path Approximately 4 miles (6.4km)

Please note —This walk can be waterlogged during the wetter seasons. It is best undertaken following dry weather between May and September.



TL= Turn Left	FL = Fork Left	BL = Bear Left
TR = Turn Right	FR = Fork Right	BR = Bear Right

1 **BL** from car entrance of car park into Clover Place. **TL** almost immediately down Wastie Lane (a narrow walled footpath) to Acre End Street. **TL**, then immediately **TR** into Station Rd.

2 After approximately 350m, **TL** onto right-hand branch of footpath and follow the brook into the playing field. Straight on, following right-hand field edge to a footbridge on the right. Go over the bridge and cross the bypass with care. Go through kissing gate into field.

3 **BL** across field to bridge in far left corner. Go diagonally right across next field to kissing gate. Bear diagonally left across third field to kissing gate, then follow brook on your left to gate onto Pink Hill Lane.

4 **TL**, over iron bridge along lane. Do not follow lane as it bends right but carry straight on through gap in hedge and cross large field lengthways heading for the far right corner near telegraph pole.

5 **TL** onto field edge path with hedge on your right. At waymark post, **TR** through wooded strip along stream. Go through a kissing gate and head straight across field to bridge. Cross bridge and **TR** along path to kissing gate. **BL** across field to bridge over Pinkhill weir.

8 Cross under bridge and **TR** up path up to road. **TR** with care over bridge to Eynsham. Continue to follow road to roundabout and go straight over into Eynsham. **BR** at road fork past St Leonard's church. Cross road into narrow enclosed footpath back to car park.

7 **TL** along the road for approximately 80m, passing the 40mph sign. **TL** again to the Caribbean Marina. At the bottom, **TR** along river bank and follow it to Swinford Toll Bridge.

6 Follow the Thames Path, left over the weir, go straight on through the trees and over Pinkhill Lock to gate. **TL** along the Thames Path riverside to a bridge, then follow brief diversion to the B4044 road.

