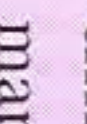


## Directions

The Polesworth Cycle Route is 24 miles in length and, where possible, uses quiet country roads. Extreme care, however, should be taken at all times, particularly at the points marked on the map . The route includes a number of steep climbs only suitable for regular cyclists. The route is not signposted, but is covered by Landranger Map 140.

**1** Turn left out of Abbey Green Park Car Park and follow the B5000 towards Atherstone. After four miles **turn right** at the crossroads taking the B4116 to Atherstone. Proceed into Atherstone and at the Market Place cycle junction under the archway. **Turn left** at the Ratcliffe Street junction and leave Atherstone following the signs to Ratcliffe Culey.

**2** At the T junction **turn right** and proceed through Ratcliffe Culey village. Continue until you reach the A444. **Turn left** and then **left** again heading to Sheepy Magna.

**3** At the T junction **turn left** into Sheepy Magna (B585), then **turn right** on to the B4116 to Twycross. Proceed into Twycross and **turn left** on to the A444. Just before the Curzon Arms Public House **turn left** to Orton-on-the-Hill.

**4** Upon reaching Orton-on-the-Hill **turn right** into Orton Lane and head towards Austrey.

**5** Proceed through Austrey following Main Road, which leads to the left and into Warton Lane. **Turn right** into Newton Lane. Proceed through Newton Regis and on to Shuttington.

**6** Proceed through Shuttington and at the bottom of the hill **turn left**, heading to Polesworth. **Turn right** (Station Road) towards Polesworth and proceed into the village. Continue over the River Anker bridge and **turn left** to Abbey Green Park.

