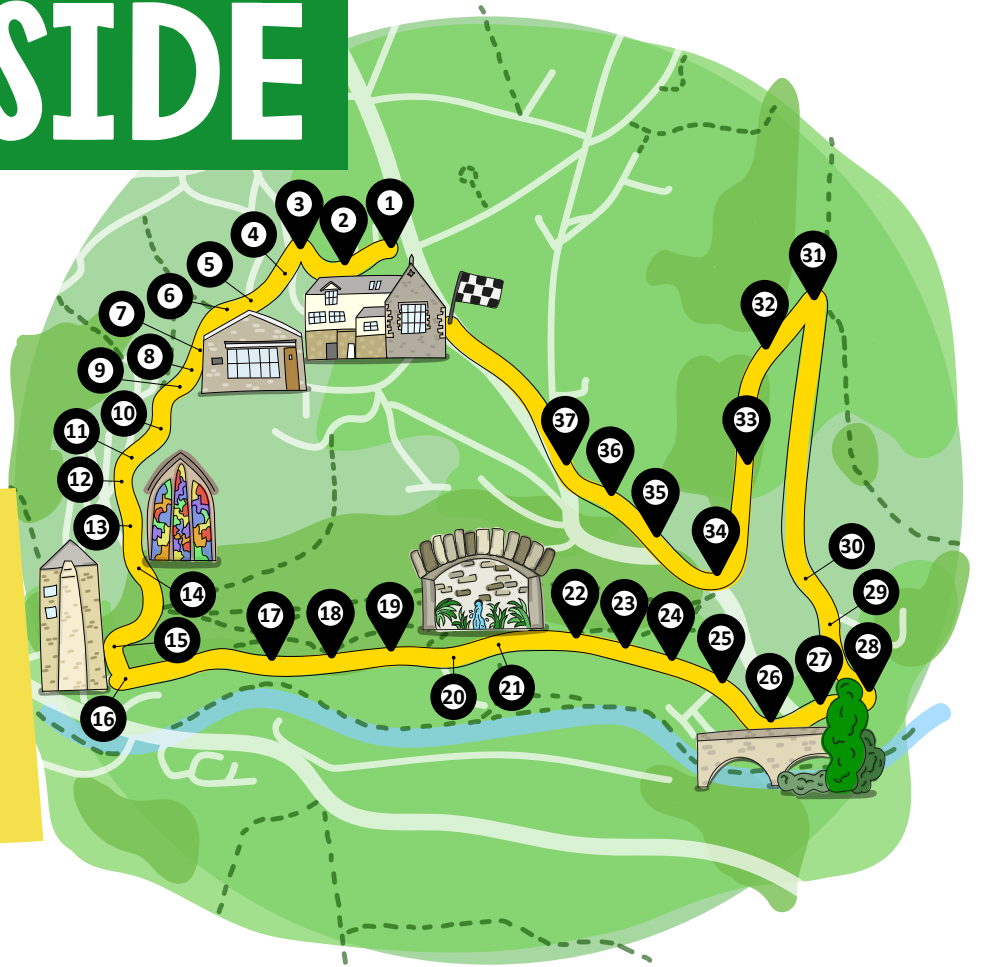


# GO OUTSIDE

Welcome to the GO Outside Chalford Hill Trail!  
Follow the directions and answer questions on your way around the village.



## Directions

## Puzzles and Facts

**1** Start with school behind you and the playground in front of you

What animals can you see on the school wall?

**2** Turn left and walk up the road until you get to Star cottage. Take the path to the left

**3** When you get to a crossroads turn left.

What flower is the cottage on the right named after?

**4** Keep walking down the lane

Can you see Laurel Cottage? There is something special in their garden tree- can you see what it is?

**5** Get to another cross roads

What did the building on the left used to be?  
How can you tell?

6

Walk straight over, down the hill alongside the stream.

Pass Milk Wood cottage on your right- be careful this road is quite steep!

What trees can you see on this path?

7

Keep walking along this path

There is a house named after a bird along here- can you find it?

8

Next, you will get to Fir tree cottage. Can you spot the fir tree it is named after?

Take a minute to appreciate the view and look over the valley. How many houses can you see from here?

9

Don't forget to look for different shaped windows throughout this walk! There might be one up high on the left shortly.

The round window is on Christmas Cottage- what is on their house sign?

10

Keep walking down the hill

Another animal themed house is on the left- can you find it?

11

Take the left-hand path along the railings passing a house called Woodlands on the left.

Can you tell what their house sign is made from? Also what can you spot on the side of the house?

12

Continue along the track heading slightly uphill

You will soon reach a bench on the right when was it put here?

13

Turn right after the bench, down some steps

How many steps are there?

14

Turn left downhill after you pass a house on the left-hand side

What do you think it used to be? How many colours can you count in the window?

15

Look across the valley to your left and you will see an old building with a tall chimney

Do you know what this used to be?

16

Keep going down the steps and turn left up the High Street

A house on the left has an unusual doorbell- what animal can you find on it?

17

Keep walking uphill, along the High Street towards the Red Lion pub

Although now houses you can still see the sign for the pub on the wall- what year was it established?

18

Walk to the left of the pub, past Chalford village shop.

What did this used to be, and when was it built?

19

Walk past a house on left with a pointed roof

Look carefully- what do you think this used to be?

20

Continue walking straight along this road

Don't forget to keep looking for different shaped windows!

21

Pass a spring on your left

This is Tankard spring, one of many natural waterways running through the village

22

Continue straight on, past Saratoga Cottage

Here is another animal doorbell- what it is this time?

23

Continue along the road

On the left is another animal themed house- what is this one?

24

Look for a fish themed house on the right-hand side

What type of fish is this? Can you count how many horseshoes are above the door?

25

Continue walking up the main road

What animal is climbing up the wall of Anchor House?

26

As you walk up hill you will see some stone arches built into the hill on the other side of the valley

What do you think these are?

27

Keep walking up the road towards the post box

Green Court on your right has been here for over 300 years. Previously it was 2 smaller houses, most likely used by weavers from the local Mill.

28

Walk down the hill and turn left at the corner cottage

There has been a house here since the 17th century although most were illegal until 1869.

29

Walk up the road with the stream on your left-hand side

30

Walk straight on along the footpath and into the wood

Can you see any ponies?  
What other wildlife can you find along this track?

31

When you get to a T in the path turn left, cross the stream and go through the gate

32

Turn left, walk up the slope and through the gate

What animal is on the Stroud rambling club emblem?

**33**

Continue through the trees

Can you name any of these trees?

**34**

When you reach the main road turn right

What type and colour flower is the cottage opposite named after?

**35**

Take the right-hand path after the church

What animal do you think used to use these tracks to travel around the village?

- A) Goat
- B) Donkey
- C) Horse

**36**

Turn left at the top of track, back onto the main road

Can you see any more different shaped windows from here?

**37**

Turn right up the hill, back towards school

There is a Monkey Puzzle tree in a garden along here- can you spot it?

**38**

Arrive back at the school, Well Done! You have completed the Go Outside Chalford Hill trail!

Go back through- how many animals were included in this walk?

Answers:

- 3) Daisy
- 4) A treehouse
- 5) The village shop- you can tell by the large curved window at the front (as well as the house name!)
- 7) Dove cottage
- 9) A Christmas tree of course!
- 10) Mole cottage
- 11) A Mill stone, used for grinding crops down to make flour, There is also a sun sculpture on the side of the house.
- 12) 2017
- 14) A Chapel
- 15) A Mill- this village was established by clothiers in the early Medieval times, so many mills and mill cottages are dotted around the village.
- 16) A Cockerel
- 17) 1742
- 18) An Advent hall- it was built in 1952.
- 19) The old red lion- you can see the sign still on the wall
- 22) A sheep
- 23) Mouse House
- 24) A trout
- 25) A Gecko
- 26) These support the railway track which runs along there.
- 32) A Ram
- 34) A white rose
- 35) Donkeys!