







Discover both new and old parts of the town



New and old Abingdon

Wander through arches and alleyways and discover doors, windows, artwork and other quirky bits of the town that you didn't know were there. The blue walk explores some of the oldest and some of the newest parts of the town. Follow the route and tick the boxes of the features you find.





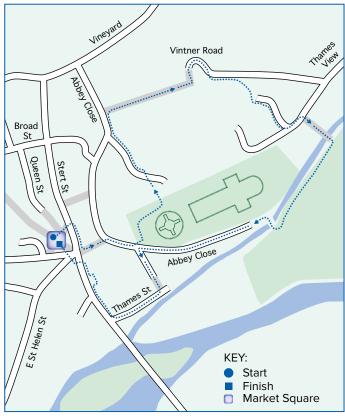




















- Start in the Market Square
- Go to the South East Corner and cross Stert Street on the pedestrian crossing
- Turn R to pass St Nicholas Church
- Turn L to go under Abbey Archway
- Cross Abbey Close, head R, then left through gateway into Abbey Gardens
- Follow path to L into the low opening in wall
- Turn to see position of the site of Abingdon Abbey
- Continue on path round to the gateway to the car park
- Walk through car park and straight along Abbey Close
- Turn R down the path behind Waitrose store
- · Follow path until L into Vintner Road
- Turn R under the road arch and R into Penlon Place
- Walk down to car park and cross bearing R
- Go under arch on path through Thames View
- Follow path to road and dogleg L then R down the pathway
- Cross the bridge over the Mill Stream, turn R and follow the path by the Mill Stream
- Cross the bridge back over the Mill Stream to Abbey Close car park
- Walk through car park up Abbey Close and turn L down Checker Walk
- Go straight on through the narrow passageway
- Turn R into Thames Street
- At end of Thames Street turn R up Bridge Street
- Follow the path round Roysse Court Garden and return to the Market Square

