



Borth to Aberystwyth cliff trail



This is a beautiful stretch of coastline with exceptional views. On a clear day, you can see the Llŷn Peninsula to the north. Looking inland, the view up the Dyfi valley estuary is breathtaking. This walk is renowned for its special bird of Celtic legend – the chough or ‘fire crow’.

Directions to the start of the trail

This is a linear walk that can be completed in either direction. Here, we describe it from Borth to Aberystwyth. There are good rail and bus links to return you to your starting point – check rail and bus information before you leave. From Machynlleth, take the A487 to Aberystwyth and turn off onto the B4353, signposted for Borth. Once in Borth, head to the south end of the town and park in Cliff Road. Walk up this road to the coastal path at the top. The war memorial is visible ahead.

Look out for...



Red kite

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Trail information



Distance: 3.75 miles/6 km
Time: 4 hours
Grid reference (start): SN601 885
Explorer 213

Please allow four hours; there are steep hills and exposed cliff edges, and the going can be treacherous in poor weather.

Facilities

at beginning/end of trail



Photographs
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