

HAYTOR TO HOUNDTOR LINEAR WALK Approx 3 miles/1.5 hours

1. Start at Haytor Information Centre GR SX 765772, cross the road and head towards Haytor Quarry, keeping Haytor Rocks on your left.

2. Haytor Quarry GR SX 759774 - Go through the gate into Haytor Quarry and see evidence of Dartmoor's industrial past. Cross the stile and turn left as you emerge into the open and follow this path until you join the granite tramway.

3. Granite Tramway GR SX 757777 – Turn left and walk a short way along the stone railway tracks, then turn right and follow the grassy path towards Smallacombe Rocks, passing a pre-historic round house on the right.

4. Smallacombe Rocks and Becka Valley GR SX 753783 - Walk to right of the rocks and follow the steep and rocky path down into the valley. Follow the wooden signpost to Hound Tor Down. Cross the river by clapper bridge and climb the steep hill to the gate leading to Hound Tor Down. Go through the gate and follow the path and then bear right to the Houndtor Medieval Village.

5. Houndtor Medieval Village GR SX 747788 – explore Dartmoor's premier medieval longhouse, then walk uphill to the legendary Hound Tor Rocks GR SX 743790 – inspiration for "The Hound of the Baskervilles".

6. Go for a climb, or simply walk around the rocks and then head downhill to Houndtor Car Park where you can collect the Haytor Hoppa bus again.



