



A walk to Keswick from Kestrel Lodge Campsite via Skiddaw House

9.5 miles, 15.5km. 5hrs, 430m of ascent

There's a few routes you can take but this is our favourite. Head right on the Cumbria Way towards Peter House Farm and follow the track to Dash Falls. Continue straight on past Skiddaw House and down into the valley between Lonscale and Blease Fell. There's a junction which takes you down over a ford, don't follow this, instead stay high contouring round on the Cumbria Way over Lonscale Crags. From here you descend to the Car Park behind Latrigg, where you can follow the Cumbria Way round the base to Cross the A66 and into Keswick.

You can walk back, or why not spend some time in Keswick and get the bus back. The main bus stops are at Booths supermarket and your looking for the X4/X5 or 554 towards Workington/Wigton.

Please use this as an idea; timings, distances and routes are a guide only. Please plot your own routes and take a map with you. Remember to be prepared; charge your phone, check the weather, wear appropriate footwear, clothing, waterproofs, & don't forget your map, compass, food and drink.

