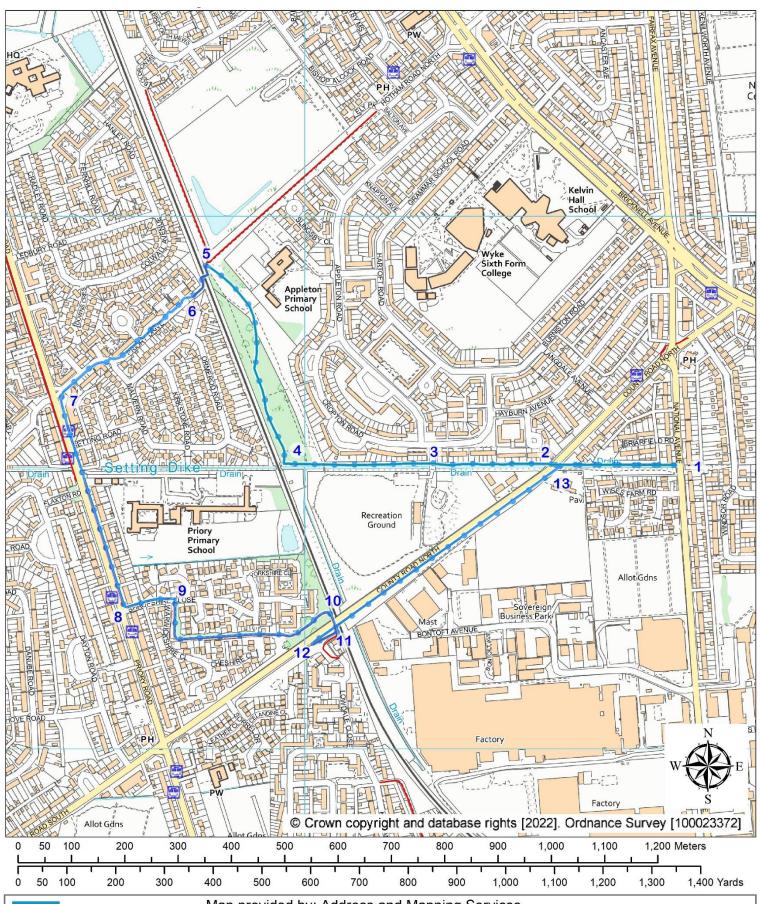
# **Cottingham Branchline**





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A walk that starts in an urban setting, taking in nature on the way.

#### **WALK DETAILS & DISTANCE**

Circular Walk: Yes

Grade: Easy, Moderate

Walk Type: Easy Walks, Healthy Walks, From your Doorstep Walks.

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Public Transport: For up-to-date bus timetable information visit <a href="https://www.stagecoachbus.com/">https://www.stagecoachbus.com/</a> or

https://www.eastyorkshirebuses.co.uk/

Refreshments: For information about what is available nearby, visit our website www.visithull.org. You are advised to

confirm opening times and availability of local pubs, restaurants and cafes before setting off.

Public Conveniences: Check the location of nearby public toilets at <a href="https://www.toiletmap.org.uk/">https://www.toiletmap.org.uk/</a>. If you plan to use toilets

at an attraction or eatery, you are advised to check opening times and availability before setting off.

Distance: 3.35 KM / 2.08 MILES

Location:

Start: National Avenue (HU5 4HP)
Finish: National Avenue (HU5 4HP)

#### **ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION**

• This route has no stiles but does include other structures i.e. steps, gates, boardwalks or bridges.

- This route includes one or more busy road crossings or a section of road walking.
- This route includes sections of difficult terrain i.e. rough ground, boggy grass or scree.
- This route lies within remote areas, away from settlements. You are advised to carry a mobile phone and advise someone
  of your planned route before setting off.
- Please don't drop litter, use a litter bin or take it home with you.
- Please pick up after your dog. Use a litter bin to dispose of the waste or take it home with you.

### **DESCRIPTION**

- 1. Starting your walk at the junction of National Avenue and Setting Dike footpath, between Briarfield Road and Wises Farm Road, take the grassed footpath on the right / north side of Setting Dike Drain and follow the footpath west.
- 2. On reaching County Road North, cross the busy road, and continue along the public footpath.
- 3. Cross the service road between Cropton Road and Bricknell Playing Fields & continue on the footpath.
- 4. Near the Hull to Scarborough railway line you will need to turn right and follow the public footpath through the woodland.
- 5. Coming out of the woodland, at the fork where you join a shared use footway and cycle track, take the footbridge on the left and cross the railway line to join Priory Drive.
- 6. Continuing walking along Priory Drive to the junction with Hotham Road South & Priory Road.
- 7. Turn left into Priory Road and carry on until you come to Shropshire Close.
- 8. Turn left into Shropshire Close walking forward until you reach Warwickshire Close.
- 9. Just past the entrance to Warwickshire Close there is a treelined footpath and cycle track on the right. Follow this path as it bears left.
- 10. Continue walking straight, following this track until you pass under County Road North flyover.
- 11. Walk up the ramp, on your right to join County Road North.
- 12. At the top of the ramp turn right onto County Road North, continue walking until you reach the footpath on the far side Setting Dyke drain.
- 13. Turn right at Setting Dike drain and continue to walk along the public footpath until you reach National Avenue, which was your starting point and where you now finish your circular walk.

## **FEATURES OF INTEREST**

• An early drainage scheme was initiated in 1172 and Setting Dyke, and the Hundolf Channel (where Princes' Avenue is now) were dug to drain what is now the area of Newlands.