

# Whashton Wood



## About the wood...

Whashton Wood is based just outside the Yorkshire Dales National Park, around four miles from Richmond.

It is a native broadleaf woodland with panoramic views of Richmondshire, creating vital habitat for wildlife and interest in the landscape.

4,000 trees have been planted here including Sessile Oak, Alder, Bird Cherry, Rowan, Scots Pine, Hornbeam and Aspen.

It is part of YDMT's Plastic Free Woodlands project, supported by the European Outdoor Conservation Association, which aims to create woodlands free of plastic.

The woodland is protected by deer and rabbit fencing as well as recycled PVC vole guards.

## How to get there...

Whashton Wood is around four miles from Richmond in the picturesque village of Whashton.

The wood can be accessed from either of the two foot paths that head Northeast from the village.

Follow the route through the field until you come to the gate. The woodland has high deer fences.

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## Yorkshire Dales Millennium Trust

We are a small charity doing big things to support people, landscape and wildlife in the Yorkshire Dales and surrounding areas.

To date we have supported the planting of 1.5 million trees across this unique landscape.

Thanks to you, we are restoring part of the wonderful jigsaw of features that makes the Yorkshire Dales landscape so special.

**PLEASE NOTE:** As Whashton is a small hamlet there is very limited parking in the village. The woodland was planted over winter 2021 and the landowners ask that if visitors come to the wood, they stay on the public right of way through the site.

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We're passionate about restoring woodlands in the Yorkshire Dales.

With your help we're creating hundreds of natural woodlands which will absorb carbon dioxide, create vibrant wildlife habitats and enrich the landscape for people to enjoy.

Thank you for your vital support.



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