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Ashford to Tenterden Cycle Route

A linear cycle route between Ashford and Tenterden
11.8 miles (19km) allow 1 hour 30 minutes

It is the perfect way to take in Kent's quintessential scenery running on small country lanes through the High Weald, a designated Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB).



This route is a section of the well signposted National Route 18.

How to get there -

By Car: Situated just 1 mile from M20 Junction 9. TN24 0PS.

Parking: Paid parking at Ashford International.

Train: Ashford International. National Rail
Enquiries: 03457 484950

Bus: Ashford International Railway Station (Stop R). Traveline: 0871 200 22 33

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⚡	Gates	0
⚡	Stiles	0
⚡	Steps	0
⚡	Terrain	The route features some hills
⚡	Views	Some great views
☕	Refreshments	At The Vine Inn pub

Points of interest on our close to the route

1. Victoria Park



Discover Ashford's largest central park where there is something for everyone, including a wealth of history, exciting play spaces, interesting ecology, and quiet spaces to relax. The Victoria Park and Watercress Fields Project is a £4.5m project being delivered by Ashford Borough Council and the National Lottery Heritage Fund to improve and protect Victoria Park for the local community. The project focuses on the natural, built and social heritage of Ashford's largest public park, and particularly aims to improve it for residents by updating the community facilities and play spaces.

2. Buxford Meadow

Buxford Meadow is a real hidden gem, tucked away on the outskirts of Ashford. A small but wildlife-rich site which has wet grassland with an impressive range of plants, insects and other species.

3. Ashford Community Woodland



This special green space on Singleton Hill is managed by local people. The 14 hectares of woodland and grassland are a haven for wildlife. Seasonal grazing is provided in late summer by highland cattle from Kent Wildlife Trust.

4. The Retreat Animal Rescue

The Retreat Animal Rescue is open to the public 12pm - 4pm Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, spring to autumn. The rescue centre offers much needed support to all animals, farmed, domestic and wild. Their aims are to educate the public that all animals need commitment, love and respect; also animals should be neutered to avoid more unwanted litters, and given the care that they need. By rehoming animals they can provide much needed space to rescue more abused animals. If a suitable home cannot be found they are never killed, they simply stay at the Retreat for the rest of their lives!

5. Biddenden Vineyard

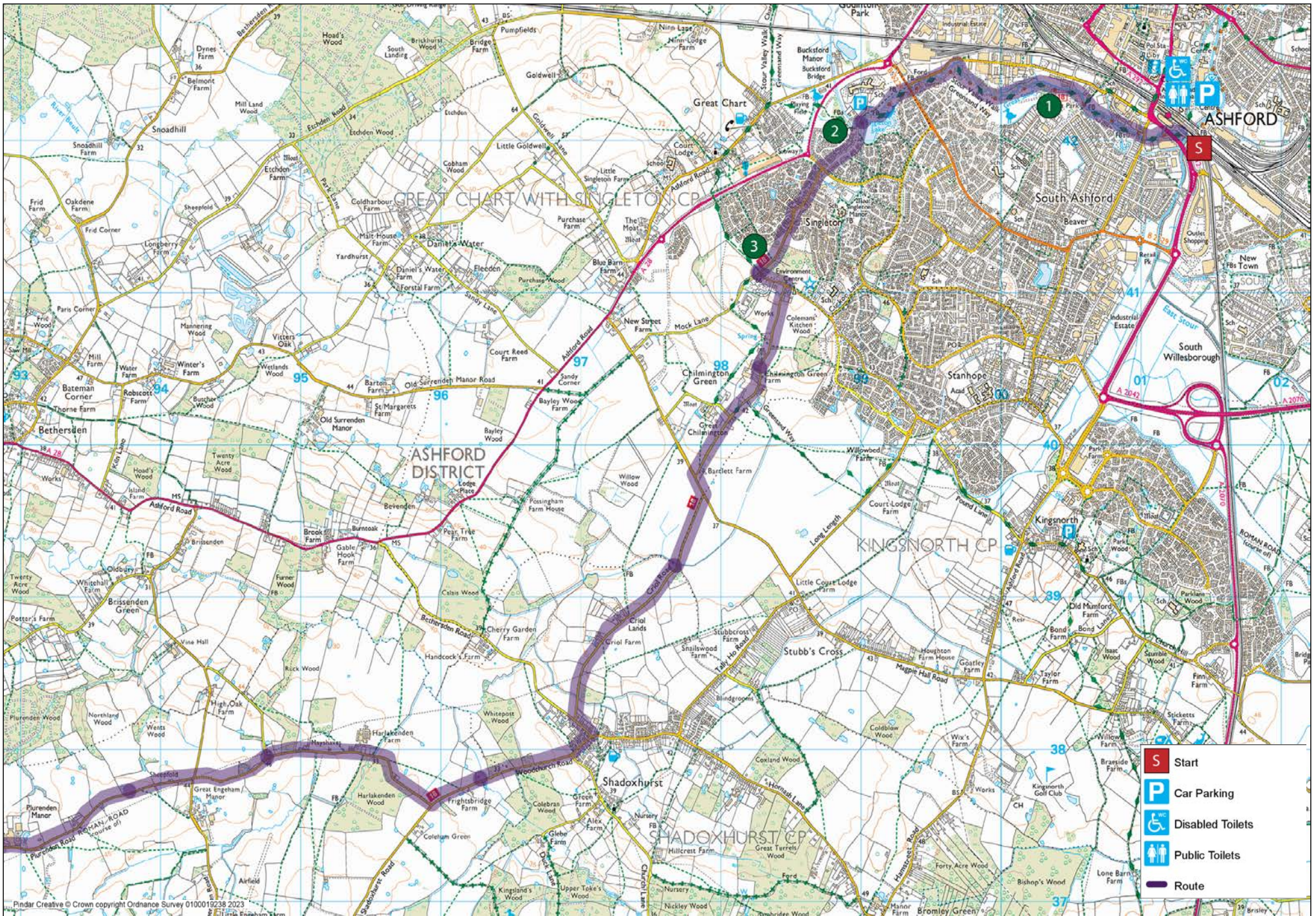


Biddenden Vineyards, the oldest vineyard in Kent produce fine English wines, Kentish ciders and apple juices. Free admission to 22 acres of vines and free sampling of their produce makes it well worth a visit!

6. Kent and East Sussex Railway



Take a magical steam train journey to Northiam and Bodiam. Bicycles can be carried in the Guards Van however booking is recommended.



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-  Car Parking
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-  Public Toilets
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