

## National Parks Tour

The National Parks are protected areas of the UK, chosen for their beautiful countryside, wildlife and cultural heritage. They are very popular with tourists, both from the UK and abroad.

In groups you are going to design a tour of the National Parks. Follow the instructions given to help you plan your tour. Once you are done prepare a presentation for your class. Make sure you are able to give reasons for all the decisions you made and include as much detail as possible about your tour.

This map shows where the 15 National Parks of the United Kingdom are located.

Your tour must visit at least 6 of the National Parks, with at least one park being in Scotland, one in Wales and one in England.

On the map draw arrows to show the rough route for your tour. You will need to finish your tour at the point that you started it.

Now use the mileage chart on the next page to work out the total distance your tour will cover. Key cities/towns in or near each National Park have been chosen as stop over points.

Think about the average speed you will be travelling between each park. Estimate how long your total journey time will be. You might want to think about the different speeds you would travel on different types of roads. Make sure to show all your calculations.

[Remember:  $\text{Speed} = \text{distance} \div \text{time}$ ]

You will want to stop over at each National Park to make sure you have time to see it properly. Plan your departure and arrival times for each day of your tour. Remember to include breaks during the journey if they will be needed.

Page 3 has information on:

- 1) Different vehicles
- 2) The cost of fuel

Use it, and any other information you look up on the internet, to plan how much you will charge per person for your tour for the transport.

If you have time estimate how much your tour will cost in total. What other expenses will there be?



Norfolk Broads (Norwich)	Peak District (Edale)	South Downs (Brighton)	New Forest (Southampton)	Exmoor (Minehead)	Dartmoor (Plymouth)	Pembrokeshire Coast (Newport)	Snowdonia (Caernarfon)	Yorkshire Dales (Skipton)	Lake District (Windermere)	North York Moors (Scarborough)	Northumberland (Newcastle-Upon-Tyne)	Loch Lomand & Trossachs (Glasgow)	Cairngorms (Aviemore)	
271	184	199	137	93	152	14	176	248	264	277	321	398	525	Brecon Beacons (Cardiff)
	163	173	201	301	359	259	315	197	280	195	253	376	504	Norfolk Broads (Norwich)
		238	215	214	272	172	123	74	109	118	149	243	370	Peak District (Edale)
			63	180	215	186	333	284	330	302	346	464	590	South Downs (Brighton)
				118	153	125	299	280	296	280	323	429	556	New Forest (Southampton)
					97	81	298	278	294	308	351	428	555	Exmoor (Minehead)
						139	356	337	353	366	410	486	613	Dartmoor (Plymouth)
							164	229	245	258	302	378	504	Pembrokeshire Coast (Newport)
								154	170	217	248	304	431	Snowdonia (Caernarfon)
									53	83	97	187	313	Yorkshire Dales (Skipton)
										140	103	151	277	Lake District (Windermere)
											92	238	328	North York Moors (Scarborough)
												152	238	Northumberland (Newcastle-Upon-Tyne)
													139	Loch Lomand & Trossachs (Glasgow)

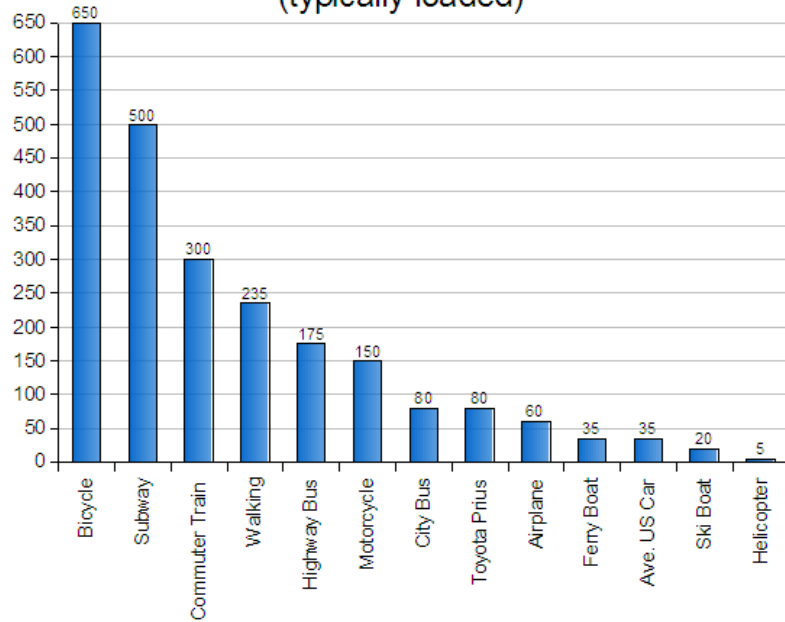
Mileage chart showing the distances between different National Parks

5 miles = 8 kilometres



## Additional Information

Passenger Miles per Gallon  
(typically loaded)



Conversion graph for gallons and litres

