

## Walk in the Cotswolds: From Alderley to Tresham

Located near Wotton-under-Edge, the Alderley & Tresham walk explores two enchanting valleys and enjoys stunning views of the Cotswold Hills. This Cotswold walk starts at the quaint village of Alderley and takes you across rolling fields to the hamlet of Tresham.

**Location:** Alderley, Gloucestershire

**Walk difficulty:** Easy

**Time:** 1 ½ to 2 hours

**Distance:** 4 miles (6.4 km)

**Walk guide:** [Alderley to Tresham walk by adragonsescape.com](https://www.adragonsescape.com/aldерley-to-tresham-walk)



### Alderley to Tresham walk instructions

1. From the Cotswold Way in Alderley, walk along the road following the signposts for the Cotswold Way towards Wotton-under-Edge. At the junction, cross the road and veer left along a woodland path, following the signpost for the Cotswold Way.
2. Leaving the Cotswold Way behind, turn right and go through the kissing gate into a field. Cross the field diagonally, following the man-made path. Go through the next kissing gate and continue straight ahead. At the signpost, veer right towards the road and continue along the road and over the cattle grid.
3. When the road bends left, go through the kissing gate straight ahead into a field. Continue straight ahead up the hill, aiming to the right of a water trough and to the left of two lone trees. After the signpost, veer right across the hillside and towards a large wooden gate.
4. At the next signpost, turn left towards a small wooden gate. Go through the gate into the woods and follow the uphill path, keeping the fence to your right. Go through the orchard, cross over the stile into a field and veer slightly left up the hill, keeping the line of trees to your left.
5. At the top of the field, turn left, go through a gate and veer right along a steep path through the trees, keeping the fence to your right. Continue diagonally across the field, aiming for the steps and the stile. Cross over the stile and continue straight across the field.

6. Cross over the stile to the right of the barn, cross the road and continue straight ahead to the next stile. Cross over the stile and turn left onto the country road. Before the road bends sharply right, take the downhill path on your right, following the signposts for the Monarch's Way.
7. Following the signposts, go through the gate and keep to the pebbled lane. Go through the next two gates into fields and continue along the lane, then go through the following gate onto a country lane. Following the signposts for the Cotswold Way, turn right, go through the gate and continue along a woodland path.
8. Go through the gate and continue along the lane, then go through the next gate and continue straight ahead across the field, keeping the shrubs to your left. Go through the following three gates and continue along the lane, then go through another gate onto a road and turn right at the intersection and right again at the next intersection.

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**Walk GPX file:** [Alderley to Tresham walk on my.viewranger.com](https://www.viewranger.com/walks/aldersley-to-tresham-walk)

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**Ascent:** Somewhat steep

**Trail condition:** Good, but muddy in wet weather

**Accessibility:** Not suitable for pushchairs, wheelchairs or bikes

**Parking:** Cotswold Way in Alderley (GL12 7QT)

**Facilities:** Closest toilets, shops and pubs in Wotton-under-Edge and Hawkesbury Upton

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