

GENERAL ROUTE DESCRIPTION

The site and car parks are managed by Anglian Water.

There is a linear route just over 3 km (2 miles) in length following the shore around the south eastern corner of the reservoir between Normanton and Sykes Lane, Empingham. The sites are also linked by a regular, wheelchair accessible bus service which could be used for the return journey.

For detailed information about the slopes and surfaces you will encounter and to see if the paths are suitable for you please see the map overleaf.



Opening times: Site closing times are advertised at car park entrances - typically between 9am and dusk. Opening hours are reduced over winter.

Location: Normanton Road, Edith Weston, Rutland

Grid reference: SK 929 056

Post Code: LE15 8HD

Parking: Hard surfaced car park (tarmac) with designated disabled parking (charges apply).

Public transport: Call the Traveline on 0871 2002233 or visit www.traveline.info

Accessible public toilets: On-site at Normanton and Sykes Lane car parks (Rutland Water).

Refreshments: Available at both the Normanton and Sykes Lane car parks during the summer.

Further information:

www.rutland.gov.uk/row

www.anglianwater.co.uk/leisure/what-to-see/water-parks/rutland

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When Rutland Water was created in the mid-1970s it became one of Europe's largest man-made lakes. As well as being a popular recreational facility offering opportunities for walking, cycling, fishing and a variety of water sports the reservoir is a site of special scientific interest. As a regular home to more than 20,000 wildfowl the nature reserve at the western end of the reservoir has been designated a European Special Protection Area and is internationally recognised as a globally important RAMSAR site.



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Map Scale
100 m



Only slopes with gradients over 1:25 and cross slopes over 1:33 are shown on the maps. Paths are at least 1 metre wide unless shown otherwise.

Guide to gradients and cross-slopes:

1:4	25%
1:12	8%
1:25	4%



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	Tarmac		Uphill section (1:10) Max gradient of slope (10m) Length of slope		Pedestrian gate (width 110 cm)
	Compacted stone path. Bumpy in places with some loose material		Downhill section (1:10) Max gradient of slope (10m) Length of slope		Pedestrian gate (width 140 cm)
	Route direction		Slope across path (1:16) Max gradient of slope (2m) Length of path with cross-slope		Benches
	Visitor centre				Information board
	Car park				Normanton Church
	Disabled parking area				Accessible toilet

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