



Purbeck Road Ride

A ride around the Isle of Purbeck from Swanage via Langton Matravers, Kingston, Corfe Castle and back via the B3351 between Corfe Castle and Studland. This ride can be combined with the Corfe and Arne Road Ride to create a 28 mile loop starting from Swanage or Corfe Castle.

Distance: 13 miles **Ascent:** 320m (approx)

Start Point: Main Beach Car Park, Victoria Avenue, Swanage, BH19 1PW

Coordinates: Latitude: 50.61191° N, Longitude: -1.96363° W **(OS)** SZ 02667 79104

Safety Tips: Stay on marked paths, especially near cliff edges. Wear suitable clothing and headwear, paths can be uneven and slippery. Keep children and dogs under close supervision near the cliffs. Check the weather forecast before your ride. Mobile phone coverage can be patchy along the coast.

Directions

1. Start Victoria Avenue Car Park

Lat, long: 50.61191, -1.96363 - OS: SZ 02669 79134

Exit the car park and turn left onto Victoria Avenue, follow road over railway bridge and continue along road until you come to a Y junction with signposts for Langton Matravers

2. Valley Road and Coombe Hill

Lat, long: 50.60940, -1.99069 - OS: SZ 00755 78854

At Y junction turn left and follow road up through the village of Langton Matravers and along the top of the hill which has views of Corfe Castle and Poole Harbour. Continue to Kingston village.

3. Kingston Hill and B3069

Lat, long: 50.61631, -2.06187 - OS: SY 95719 79624

At Kingston village follow road around right hand bend and down Kingston Hill until you reach next T junction at Corfe Castle.

4. East Street and Valley Road and B3069

Lat, long: 50.62957, -2.05159 - OS: SY 96447 81098

At junction turn left and follow road through the village of Corfe Castle, continue past right down and around the base of the castle.

5. A351 and B3351

Lat, long: 50.64135, -2.05798 - OS: SY 95996 82408

Turn right at second T junction (signpost Studland 5) and go under the railway bridge, follow road until you come to a T junction on your right with a sign for Swanage.

6. B3351 T junction

Lat, long: 50.63584, -1.98387 - OS: SZ 01237 81794

Turn right at T junction and follow steep road down to next Y junction.

7. Junction with Ulwell Road

Lat, long: 50.63066, -1.97574 - OS: SZ 01812 81219

Turn right onto Ulwell Road and follow road down to Swanage seafront

8. Shore Road and Victoria Avenue

Lat, long: 50.61198, -1.95793 - OS: SZ 03073 79141

At junction with Victoria Avenue turn right and follow Victoria Avenue back to start.

Route Map:

