

CHARD

Catchgate Lane



Distance: 2 ¼ miles



Target Time: 65 minutes



Description: Roads, public footpaths, fields. A Strenuous walk with a steep climb.



Start: Chard Museum

1. From the museum walk up the High Street away from the town centre. Continue until reaching Snowdon Cottage lane on your right. Turn right up the lane.
2. Continue straight ahead along the lane to arrive at the main road; continue ahead for approximately ¼ mile before turning left into Catchgate Lane.



3. Opposite Park Cottages turn left to climb up a country lane (take your time you should still be able to talk!!).

4. At the next junction veer left and continue up the road until you reach a sharp bend; on the left is a public footpath signposted Crimchard ½ mile. There are spectacular views here of Chard and beyond.
5. Pass through the gate dropping down the field keeping the hedge and fence on your right. Pass through another wooden gate now keeping the fence on your left dropping down past a farm and some houses until arriving back on the Crimchard Road.
6. Turn right and retrace your footsteps back to the museum via Snowdon Cottage Lane.

