

Route Planning

The minimum hire time is one hour, however to fully explore the park you may want to hire for longer. If you cycle for longer than planned you only pay for the additional minutes taken upon your return!

In the route planner below you can see a number of suggested routes. Consider what park attractions you want to see; how long you want to cycle for. You can download the routes from the route plans from the website to your phone by scanning this QR code:



The typical ride times in the table below are based on a leisurely experience and allow for some short comfort stops, however if you are planning a longer refreshment stop you need to add time to your hire time to allow for this.

Route Planner								
Route Number	Easy/Leisurely			Light Effort			Moderate Effort	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Terrain	Flat	Undulating	Undulating	Undulating	Undulating	Hilly	Hilly	Hilly
Typical Ride Time <i>(excl. long stops)</i>	1hr	1hr 30	1hr 50	1hr 45	1hr 50	2hr 10	2hr 20	2hr 30
Distance km	5.5	7.8	9.9	9.4	9.9	11.5	12.5	13.3
Distance miles	3.4	4.9	6.2	5.9	6.2	7.2	7.8	8.3
Park Attractions								
Isabella Plantation				✓	✓		✓	
Pen Ponds	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
White Lodge <i>(Royal Ballet School)</i>	✓		✓		✓		✓	✓
Pembroke Lodge								
Visitor Centre		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pembroke Lodge Gardens		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ian Dury Bench/Poet's Corner		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
'The Way' Gates		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Viewpoints								
Sawyers Hill		✓	✓					
Pembroke Lodge		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
King Henry's Mound <i>(Telescope)</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Refreshments								
Pembroke Lodge Tea Rooms		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Roehampton Gate Café	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pen Ponds Kiosk	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Broomfield Hill Kiosk						✓		✓
Kingston Kiosk						✓	✓	✓
Ham Gate Kiosk						✓	✓	✓

Accidents & Emergencies

For emergency services call 999 or for non-emergency police call 101. Please inform the cycle hire shop 020 8878 2519.

Breakdowns

There is no recovery service; customers are responsible for the return of the bike to the Parkcycle unit. Call for advice only 020 8878 2519



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Richmond Park

**CYCLE
MAP &
GUIDE**

Welcome to Parkcycle

Richmond Park has many sights and attractions that you may want to visit. We have prepared a selection of routes to help you explore the parks many features and attractions. Select the route best suited to you and download it straight to your phone using the QR codes on the Route Planner table or the signage at the unit. If you end up cycling for longer than planned there is no need to worry as you will only pay for the extra time you used on your return.

Safety

Keep to speed limits and cycle with caution. Wear our free helmet. Children should wear helmets and be supervised at all times. Keep children secured with straps in trailers and baby seats. Be polite and alert other trail users of your presence. Be wary of free roaming deer, other wildlife and dogs.

Check the map for dangerous descents / Walk down Broomfield Hill.
Know how to brake safely/ change gear before you leave the car park!

Hire Conditions/Rules

Do not leave the park. Keep to designated cycle routes. **Strictly No cycling on the grass.** Do not skid bikes. Hirers should be over 18 yrs. and leave a valid photo ID, driving licence or passport at the units as security when hiring. Children over 1 years old only.

Important Hire Information

By signing the hire ticket, you accept all the terms and conditions of the hire and the rules of cycling of The Royal Parks and Parkcycle.



Additional Time If you return later than planned and your ride time exceeds the hire time you will only need to pay for the additional time used.



Test Ride You have 10 minutes to test and swap the bike(s) if you are unhappy. If the bike(s) is/are changed then the hire start time will be adjusted.



No Refund No refunds / credits are given for the EARLY return of bike(s).



No Skidding of Bikes Damage resulting from skidding or mistreatment of bikes will be charged for.

(see website for full terms and conditions)



KEY

Access		Warnings	
	Park Gates		Steep Hill
	Cycle Path		Risk of Falling
	Road		Caution Trailers & Tag-Alongs
Visitor Facilities		Points of Interest	
	Car Park		Visitor Information
	Toilets		Park Attraction
	Disabled Toilet		Viewpoint
	Café		
	Kiosk		

CONDUCT

- SHARED PATHS**
 Slow down, ring bell or say "excuse me" and say thanks when passing
SUPERVISE CHILDREN
- KEEP TO DESIGNATED CYCLE TRAILS AND ROADS**
 You may be fined £60 by the park's Police if you cycle off road/trail/on grass
- 10 MPH**
CYCLE RESPONSIBLY AT ALL TIMES
 Keep to speed limits (you may be fined)
- NO CYCLE ROUTE**
 (No route to Pen Ponds)
- DO NOT SKID BIKES**
 Damage will be charged

DO NOT CYCLE ON GRASS – KEEP TO DESIGNATED CYCLE ROUTES AND ROADS