

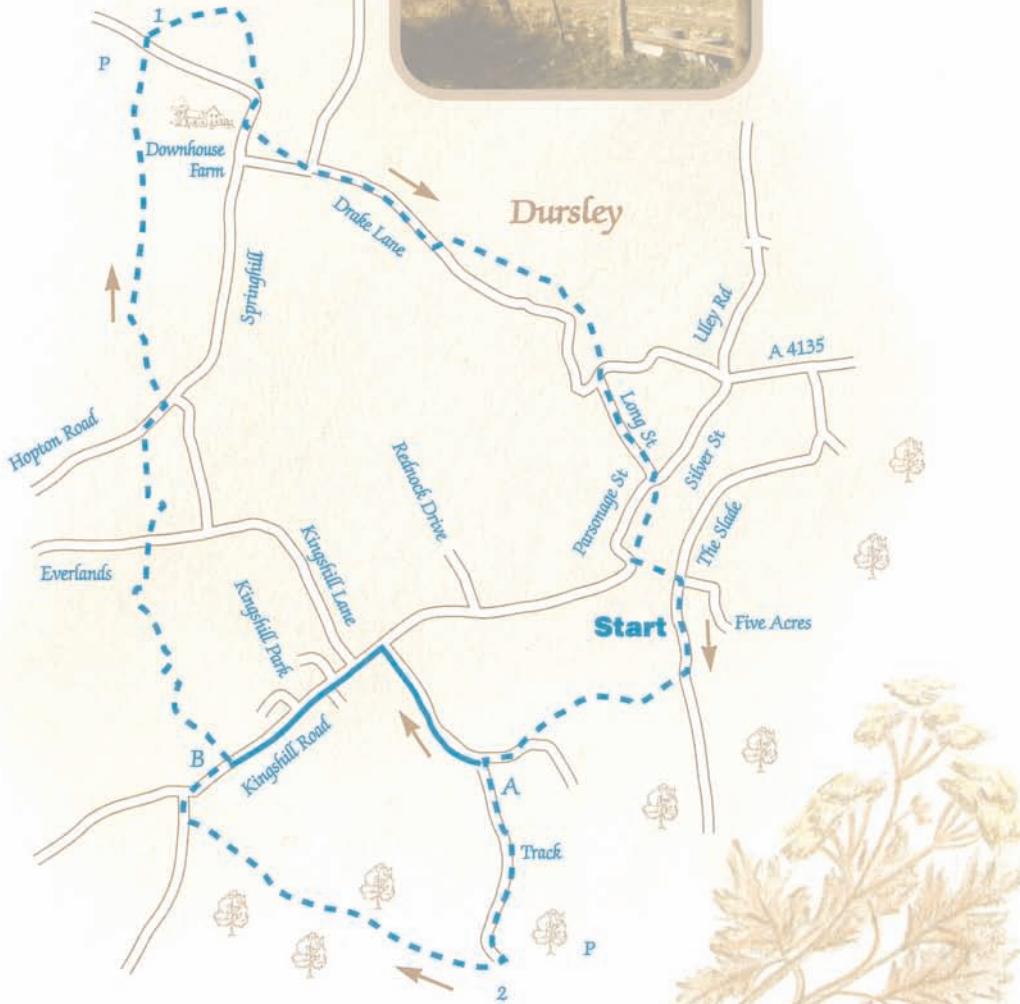
## Sheep Path Wood, Cam and Cam Peak

4.5 miles 7.2km

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### **Start . . . Car Park, Hill Road, Dursley**

**A walk taking in many aspects of the area, town, village, woodland glade and high open view points. The undulations of this walk can at times be very steep**

Proceed up Hill Road to bend in road and enter woodland sign posted Stinchcombe Hill. Take immediate footpath to right descending by steps, cross stile into field across small valley and re-enter wood turning right to follow waymarks through wood until path meets deep gully. Turn right into gully then almost immediately turn left and take left hand path to ascend through wood to open area at very top. Take path just inside woodland edge, bear right across open areas with views of Dursley. Small path takes you back into woodland. Take right hand fork which leads you back down the hill. Cross a wide track and continue straight down a steep path crossing further track leading down narrow track to road. Turn right to junction then right again pass Magistrates Court. Leave main road turning left adjacent to Dursley road sign to follow path between fences until reaching seat on left. Turn right across waste ground to foot bridge at rear of houses. Cross and turn left, then right up alley into housing estate. Turn left and keep straight on and ignoring Maple Close, cross over at small letter box and turn off right at far side of small parking lots. Follow path to descend half right and then turn left between iron squeeze stile. This path leads down to the road. Cross over road and through gate next to foot bridge, straight across field to iron stile over small stream. This path leads out to a cul-de-sac. Bear left and then second right which is also part of a cul-de-sac. In right hand corner there is an alley way leading to the Churchyard. Go straight through the iron gate at far end to road, cross road and turn right to take footpath left between houses just before Hopton Road sign. Over stile with signpost to Coaley and follow right hand boundary fence to next stile. Over stile and around clump of hedging to find further stile on right (do not cross first right hand stile). Keeping the boundary fence on left continue to corner and then straight ahead across next stile. Cross the next two fields slightly diagonally through wood to meet main road.

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Cross the road and straight over cattle grid. Heading slightly right make for the top of Coaley Peak (the less energetic could walk around but views from the top make it well worthwhile). On reaching top turn right and follow path leading down, straight across drive continuing on down to gate on to road. Turn left then leave the road by a stile on left opposite Down House Farm. Cross field slightly diagonally right and over stile into road. Turn right and at junction turn left to Dursley. Leave this road left approx 91m after Cam House School. After next stile follow right hand boundary edge of field and from now on follow Cotswold Way signs (white circle). After next stile take right stile short way along right hand boundary fence, crossing this field straight ahead pass through iron kissing gate and down steps to further iron kissing gate at bottom. Turn right then left up Long Street to follow Parsonage Street to traffic lights, there turning left into May Lane leading to Hill Road.

Alternative route - At point 'A' carry straight on down gully to enter Twin Berrow Lane and Kings Hill road, turn left and continue to point 'B' turning right by Dursley Road sign.

- **Points of interest -**
  1. Cam Peak.
  2. Stinchcombe Hill.
- **Alternative starting point -**  
Stinchcombe Common.
- **Places to eat -**  
Dursley offers a good selection of public houses, cafes and take-away outlets.
- Off road parking is available in Hill Road, Dursley and at Cam Peak.

**Follow arrows with yellow dot. Sometimes plastic arrows with black centre dot may be used.**

