



Ord Hill | Cnoc an Ùird

Part of the Forests of Inverness

Facilities



Parking



Orienteering



Viewpoint



Ancient Monument

There is a charge to park at some of our sites please refer to our website for details. There are toilets and places to eat in Inverness.

Trail Information



Ord Hill Circular ●●●

A wonderful circuit of Ord Hill with spectacular views over Inverness and the Moray Firth.

Mostly wide, firm gravel surface. Long moderate slopes with some steeper sections. Section of uneven earth and gravel path with some steps and exposed tree roots up to viewpoint.



moderate

2¼ miles / 3.8 km
Allow 1½ hours



Fort Trail ●●●

Walk up through the rich, mossy forest to reach the jumbled rocks of the Iron Age fort on top of Ord Hill.

Uneven earth and gravel paths, with some narrow, rocky and muddy sections. Long fairly steep slopes and some steps.



strenuous

1½ miles / 2.5 km
Allow 1 hour

Location

Nearest postcode: IV1 3ZG

How to get here

Coming from Inverness, cross the Kessock Bridge northbound on the A9 and take the second exit, signposted for Kilmuir and Drumsmittal. Follow signs for Kilmuir and Drumsmittal through the roundabout, under the A9 and onto a single track road. After ¼ mile (400 metres) turn right at the signpost for Kilmuir. The car park entrance is signposted to the right off this road.

There is another car park, run by Highland Council, off the southbound carriageway of the A9 just north of the Kessock Bridge. Access to the forest from here is on steep, rough paths.

The map for these trails can be found on page 2



Map of Ord Hill

