

Title.	Distance	Place	OS Map
5 Weirs Walk Sheffield	4.8 Miles 7.5 Km	Sheffield	OS 111 Sheffield & Doncaster

The walk follows the River Don from the centre of Sheffield through the industrial steel works of the past to the Meadowhall Shopping Centre one of the largest in England – and goes past 5 Weirs and various industries and new facilities – it has information boards on route letting you know of all the interests & steel industries that were based around the river – it is well away from the traffic and goes through avenues of trees.

- **Facilities** – The walking route has many facilities close by – Public Houses – Cafés – Shops in Sheffield Centre, the Meadowhall Centre.

There are car parks in Sheffield and on different roads on the route depending on where you walk from. Also running close by the walk runs the Sheffield Supertram, which is suitable for wheelchairs users, with 2 stops on the walk,

- **Café** – On route there are plenty of Cafés and Public Houses, and at the Meadowhall shopping complex.



Meadowhall Eating Centre 'Oasis'

- **Toilets** – Are available in the various cafes, public houses and at Meadowhall Shopping centre on the route.
- **Path** - The path is made up of a mixture of surfaces, mostly of well-made tarmac, but also crushed stone and slabs, with a few small gradients on the route – and you have to cross a few roads. The path is a good surface for wheelchairs — it is suitable for all wheelchairs and manual wheelchairs, but you will need a push up some of the inclines.
You can do the walk in sections, choose your route to start, and then return on the same path or you can also use the Supertram to get back, see the Supertram route.



Tarmac Path

See the Gallery for more photos

- **Information** – There is an excellent leaflet and map route, which can be obtained from the Sheffield Tourist Information Office.
Information on the website describes the walk route, photos and history.

Tel. No. – Sheffield Tourist Information Office – 0114 2211900

- **Website**- 5 Weirs Walk Sheffield
5 Weirs Walk - www.fiveweirs.co.uk
Tourist Information Office - www.sheffield.gov.uk/out--about/tourist-information
Supertram - www.thetrams.co.uk/supertram

- **Directions** – Sheffield Centre is near the M1 junction 34 – there are plenty of parking areas in Sheffield or at Meadowhall Shopping Centre – the 5 Weirs Walk is near the Centre of Sheffield and starts near Lady’s Bridge near the Castle Market and ends near Meadowhall Shopping Centre.
- **Places to visit nearby** – Sheffield Centre attractions – Botanical Gardens – Kelham Island – Abbeydale Industrial Hamlet.



5 Weirs Walk Map



Walk Mills Weir



Archway



Path near Meadowhall



Hadfields Weir



Offices near Sheffield