

Title.	Distance	Place	OS Map
Attenborough Nature Centre	1 –6 Miles 1 - 10 Km	Attenborough Nr. Beeston & Long Eaton	OS 129 Nottingham & Loughborough

The Nature Park and Reserve not visited yet.

Attenborough Nature Centre was opened by Sir. David Attenborough in March 2005 and was awarded the Gold Award in 2007 for one of the top ten eco destinations, and it seeks to engage and inspire peoples interest in the Nature walk.

Enjoy a day out walking around the Nature Reserve with the family, and view the bird life, fowl life and plant life.

- **Facilities** – Nature Centre with café, souvenir and gift shop – Conference / Classroom facilities [see website for layouts] - 3 Bird Hides – Cycling – Marked Trails – Music audio trails.

There is ample room in the car park with disabled parking which is 50 m from the Nature Centre.

- **Café** – The Café is in the Nature Centre and is wheelchair accessible and overlooks the lakes and has home made and organic fair trade produce. The staff are very helpful.

Attenborough Nature Centre and Cafe



- **Toilets** - Well-equipped toilets are situated in the Nature Centre.
- **Path** – The majority of the reserve is suitable for motorised wheelchairs but routes are only partly accessible for manual wheelchair users with a pusher and needs to be individually assessed.

Paths are generally flat but undulating and made up of a mixture of tarmac and rolled in crushed limestone and some are being resurfaced [Jan. 2013]. There are various circular routes well signposted in the reserve. There are also seats and benches on the trail.

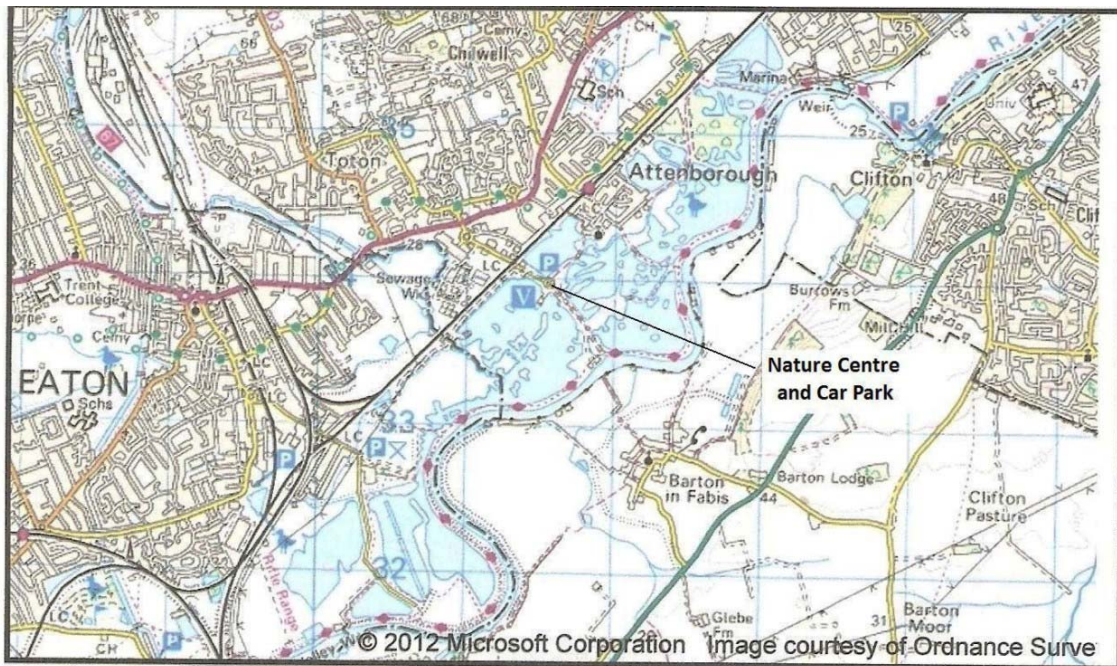
See gallery for Information – Nature Park not visited yet.

- **Information** – There is extensive information on the website of the reserve, facilities and photo galley – there is a full programme of organised walks and events throughout the year – see leaflet in information.

Tel. No. – Attenborough Nature Centre – 0115 9721777

- **Website**- Attenborough Nature Centre
Attenborough Nature Centre - www.attenboroughnaturecentre.co.uk
Accessibility - www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?...
Greenwood forest - www.greenwoodforest.org.uk/
- **Directions** – the Country Park is 6 miles from the centre of Nottingham with the Nature Centre and Reserve situated just off the A6005 between Beeston and Long Eaton. Turn onto Barton Lane at the traffic lights at Chilwell Retail Park [McDonalds and Porcelanosa]. Follow Barton Lane with the Village Hotel on your left, over the railway crossing and the car park is at the bottom. You can also follow the brown tourist signs from the A52 between the M1 exit at junction 25 and Bardill's Garden Centre.
- **Places to visit nearby** – Bestwood Country Park - Rushcliffe Country Park – Shipley Country Park - Colwick Country Park - Nottingham heritage transport centre is close by.

Attenborough Lake

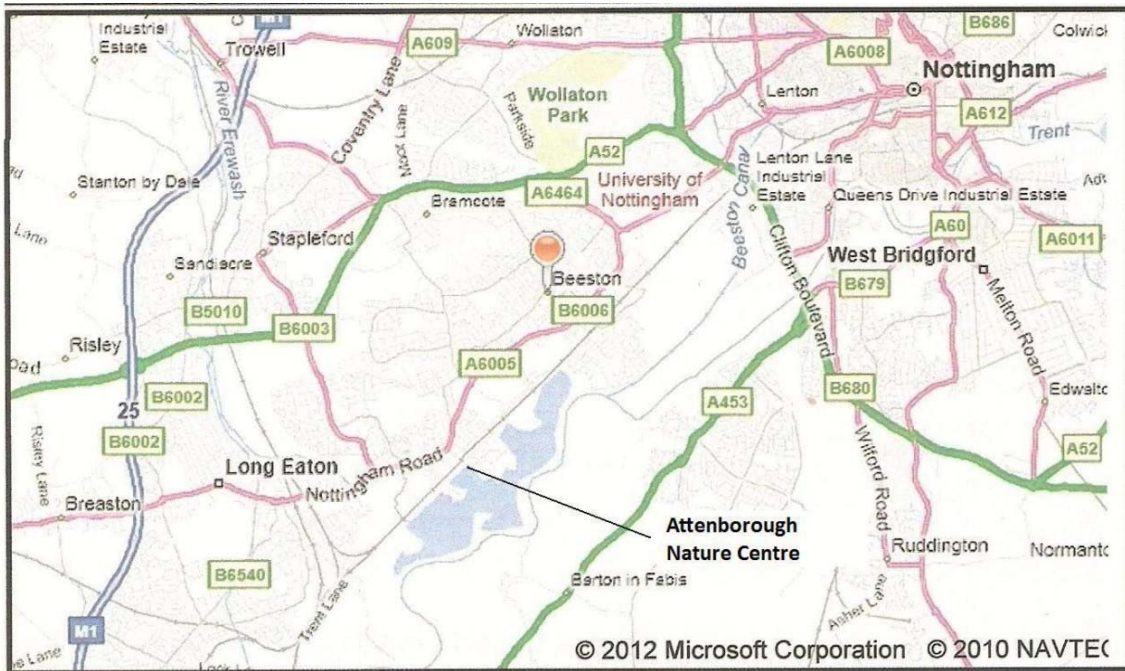


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Attenborough walk map



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