

A walk to find the swing in Sydenham Woods!



Enter the woods on Crescent Wood Road. Follow the path until you reach the yellow arrow. Turn left and walk down the bumpy steps. At the bottom of the steps you will see the bridge in the photo, if you look to the right. On the bridge you will see amazing artwork called graffiti art.



Follow the path and on your left you will see the rock in the picture. Play on it!
You will come to a crossroads in the path. Turn right and walk over the wooden planks. Follow the windy path ahead.



At the ancient woodland sign follow the small steps until you reach the ruin on your left.
How old do you think the ruin is?
What do you think it was?

Continue past these old ruins, keep to the path on the right and you will come to a clearing. Stop and have a picnic or a snack!



Walk straight ahead ignoring the path on your left, you will pass some tree stumps. You can pretend they are drums.



Come to what looks like a den, on the right. You can play in the den. Keep walking and follow the path. You will see a tree in the middle of the path. Take the path to the left and follow it down the hill. Climb over the fallen tree.



When you get to the bottom of the hill, turn right, then immediately left and cross the path that looks like a small bridge. See the picture above. You will see the yellow arrow, follow it.



Turn right and then left following the fence line. AT the bottom of the fence line you will find a den in front of you. Turn left at the den and stay to the side where you can see the golf course. If you would like you can lay in this den.



Eventually you will come to a log with a cut out seat in it. Have a rest if you like. Cross the board walk straight ahead, on the left you will see a pond. Walk ahead keeping the pond on the left hand side.



Come to a crossroad in the path. Take the path on the left until you reach the fence. Turn left at the fence



At the bridge don't cross it, turn right. Follow the path now on the other side of the fence.



Follow the path and you will see houses on the left through the trees. Continue along until eventually you see a large fallen tree.



You can play on this tree but be careful its very high!!
Walk around the fallen tree and keep going straight ahead.



When you see the den in the picture, you need to climb over the fallen tree and follow the path upwards.



You will see these tree roots on the floor. Follow them over the small hill.



Follow the log lined path. At the end of the path turn left.



Leave the woods now through this gate. Turn right onto the road.



Look for these bins in the picture above. You are nearly at the swing!!



Congratulations you finished the walk,
now you can have fun on the swings.