

Explore Haydon Bridge by following this short walk, with eight questions to answer along the way. Also includes six ideas for fun activities to do as you go.

**WALKS AROUND HAYDON BRIDGE A Family Quiz Trail**

**Welcome to Haydon Bridge!**

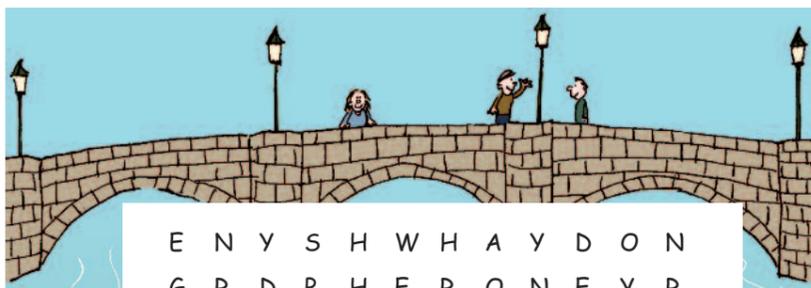
We hope this leaflet will help you enjoy your visit. On the other side is a special Quiz Trail, which takes you on a short walk around the village. There are questions to answer along the way as well as some fun suggestions of things to do.

**Spot the difference - with a difference!**

Look at these two views of Ratcliffe Road taken from the same position, but over 70 years apart! How many differences you can see? what other changes might there be in another 70 years?



**Wordsearch**



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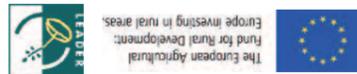
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| ANCHOR   | HAYDON | TYNE     | ROMANWALL |
| WELL     | HERON  | RAILWAY  | RIVER     |

**Try topiary!**

This man is putting the finishing touches to a bird. Draw your own topiary designs below.



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**Getting to Haydon Bridge**  
 By road A69 from A1 at Newcastle 28 miles A69 from M6 at Carlisle 31 miles  
 By rail Newcastle – Carlisle service [www.northernrail.org](http://www.northernrail.org)  
 By bus 685 service Newcastle – Carlisle [www.arrivabus.co.uk](http://www.arrivabus.co.uk)  
 By air from Newcastle Airport

[www.northumberlandnationalpark.org.uk](http://www.northumberlandnationalpark.org.uk)

[www.haydon-bridge.co.uk](http://www.haydon-bridge.co.uk)

**For more information:**

This Community Library, Visitor Information Centre and Internet Café is on Church Street next to the railway station. As well as providing library services and a focal point for the local community, it offers visitors friendly advice and a range of leaflets and information on local tourist attractions and facilities.



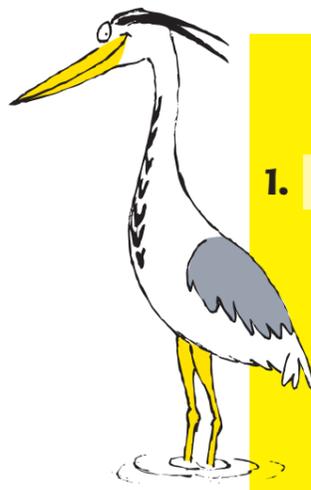
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# The Haydon Bridge Quiz Trail

Here's what to do. Use the map and the **directions** to find your way on this short walk around the village. Along the way are questions **?** about things you can see.

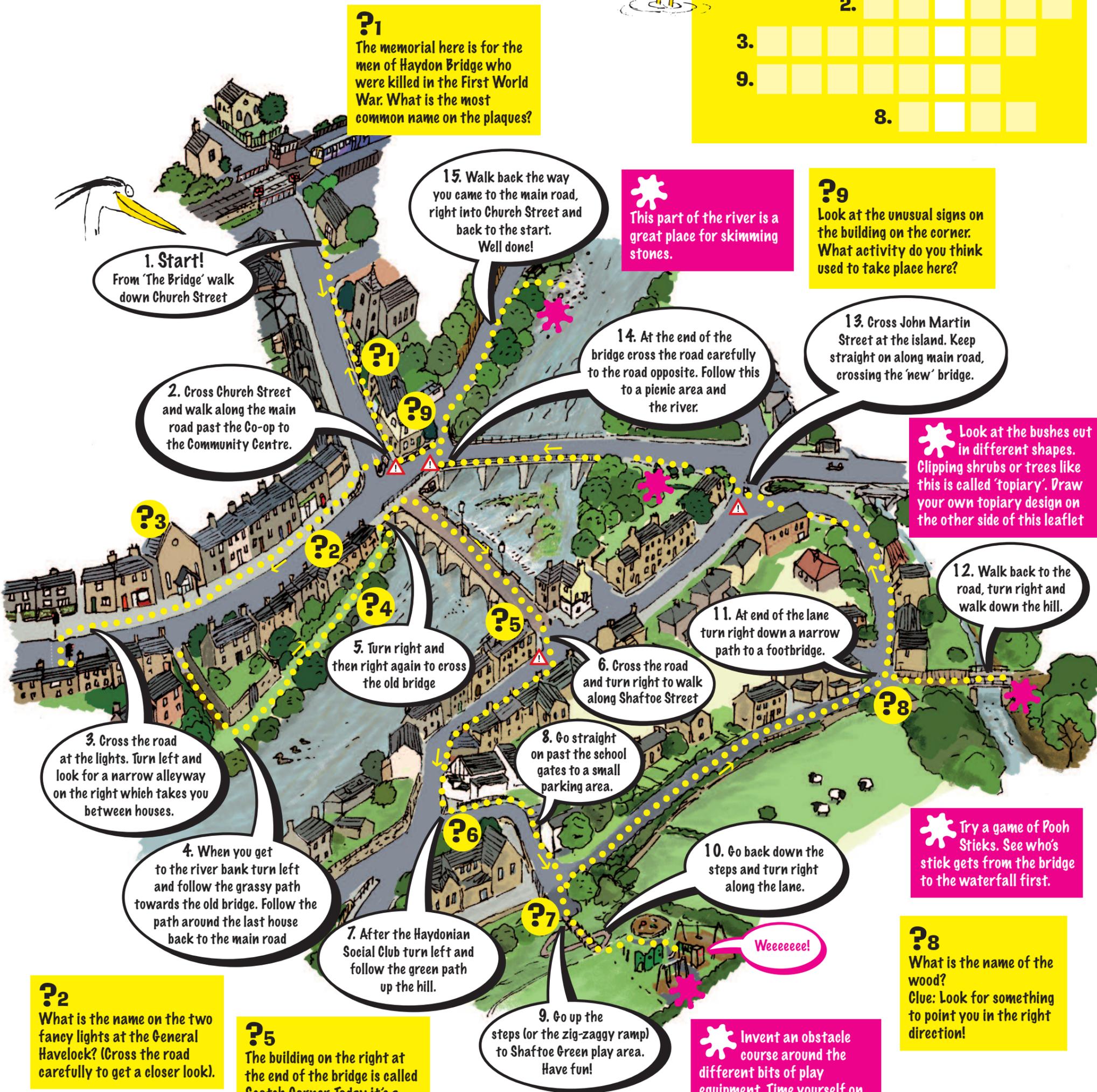
Write your answer next to the correct number in the grid **☞**. The white boxes should give you the name of the river that flows through the village.

Also, look out for the pink blobs **✿**. These are ideas for other things you can do along the way. **⚠** Take care when crossing the road!



Fill in your answers here

1.									



**?1**  
The memorial here is for the men of Haydon Bridge who were killed in the First World War. What is the most common name on the plaques?

**✿**  
This part of the river is a great place for skimming stones.

**?9**  
Look at the unusual signs on the building on the corner. What activity do you think used to take place here?

**✿**  
Look at the bushes cut in different shapes. Clipping shrubs or trees like this is called 'topiary'. Draw your own topiary design on the other side of this leaflet

**✿**  
Try a game of Pooch Sticks. See who's stick gets from the bridge to the waterfall first.

**?8**  
What is the name of the wood?  
Clue: Look for something to point you in the right direction!

**✿**  
Invent an obstacle course around the different bits of play equipment. Time yourself on a circuit and see if you can beat your own time.

**?7**  
Look for a panel which tells you a bit about the history of Shaftoe School. Who went to school here between 1794 and 1803? You just need the surname for your answer!

**1. Start!**  
From 'The Bridge' walk down Church Street

**2.** Cross Church Street and walk along the main road past the Co-op to the Community Centre.

**3.** Cross the road at the lights. Turn left and look for a narrow alleyway on the right which takes you between houses.

**4.** When you get to the river bank turn left and follow the grassy path towards the old bridge. Follow the path around the last house back to the main road

**5.** Turn right and then right again to cross the old bridge

**7.** After the Haydonian Social Club turn left and follow the green path up the hill.

**9.** Go up the steps (or the zig-zaggy ramp) to Shaftoe Green play area. Have fun!

**8.** Go straight on past the school gates to a small parking area.

**6.** Cross the road and turn right to walk along Shaftoe Street

**11.** At end of the lane turn right down a narrow path to a footbridge.

**12.** Walk back to the road, turn right and walk down the hill.

**14.** At the end of the bridge cross the road carefully to the road opposite. Follow this to a picnic area and the river.

**13.** Cross John Martin Street at the island. Keep straight on along main road, crossing the 'new' bridge.

**15.** Walk back the way you came to the main road, right into Church Street and back to the start. Well done!

**?2**  
What is the name on the two fancy lights at the General Havelock? (Cross the road carefully to get a closer look).

**?3**  
What type of chapel did the Community Centre used to be? Clue: You need to look up!

**?4**  
You have a good view of the old bridge from here. How many arches does it have?

**?5**  
The building on the right at the end of the bridge is called Scotch Corner. Today it's a holiday cottage. What do you think it used to be? Clue: what might have hung from the metal bracket high up on the end wall?

**?6**  
Where is the green path going to?