





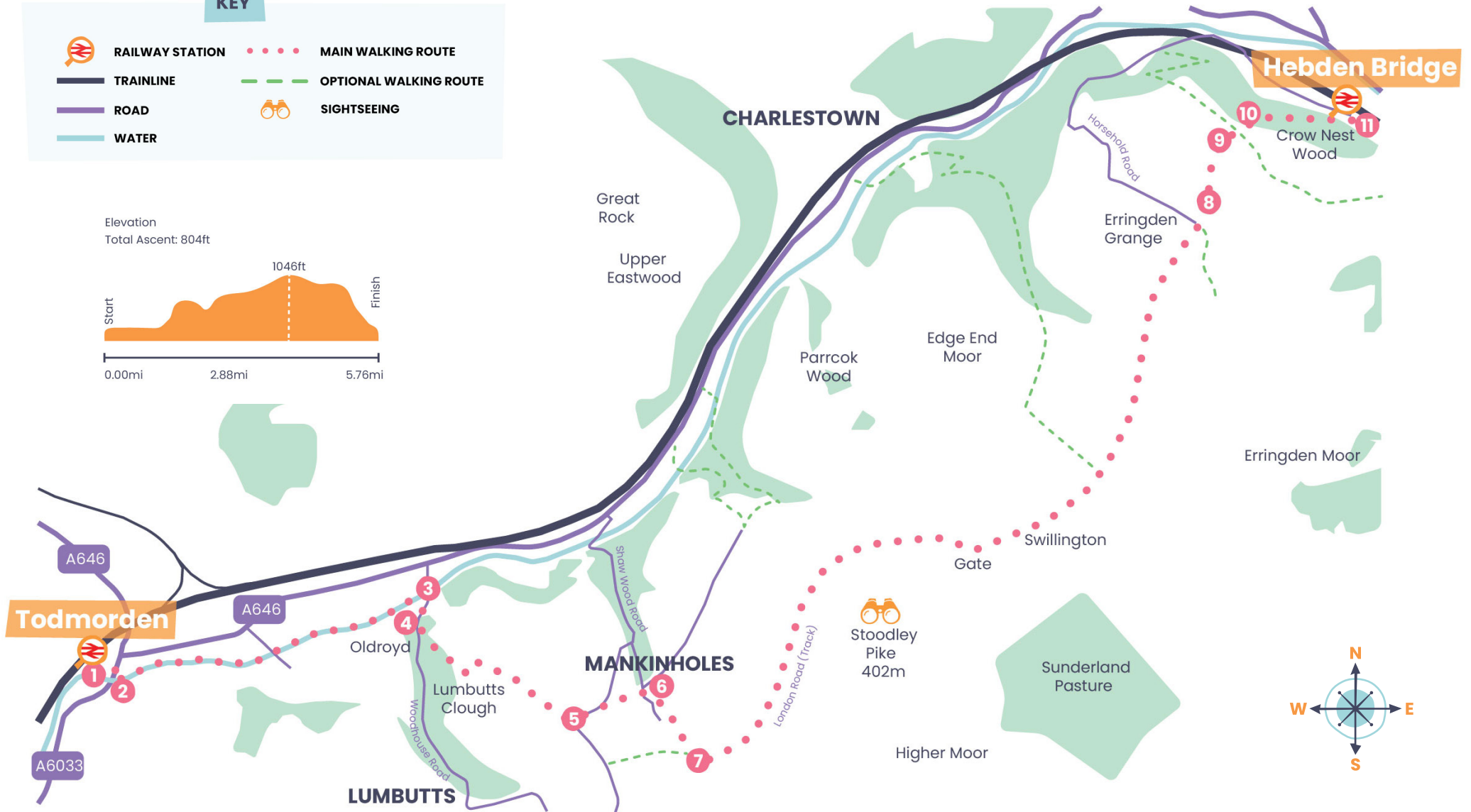
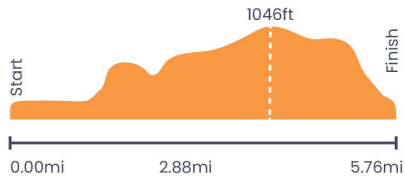


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KEY

-  RAILWAY STATION
-  TRAINLINE
-  ROAD
-  WATER
-  MAIN WALKING ROUTE
-  OPTIONAL WALKING ROUTE
-  SIGHTSEEING

Elevation
Total Ascent: 804ft



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A challenging walk that takes in the Rochdale Canal before heading to higher ground offering fantastic views of Stoodley Pike and the Calder Valley.

The route follows part of the Pennine Bridleway National Trail before descending through natural woodland to the town of Hebden Bridge.

- 1 Exit Todmorden Station and head east on Rise Lane to the A6033. Turn right and follow the pavement to the bridge and Guillotine Lock. Turn right onto the cobbled sets and then immediately left under the road through narrow historic tunnel.
- 2 Follow the canal towpath east for approx. 1 mile to Woodhouse Rd, head under the road bridge and look for the steep steps up to the road.
- 3 At the top of the steps turn left and follow Woodhouse Road for a short distance, look for the footpath forking left between the houses.
- 4 Take the footpath and follow for a short distance, look for a footpath that forks left and climbs up through the steep hillside traversing as it climbs. Stay on this footpath until it meets Cross Lane.
- 5 Follow Cross Lane for short distance heading east and remain in this direction taking the bridleway off the road. Follow the bridleway until it meets Shaw Wood Road/Lee Bottom Road.
- 6 Pass the junction entrance of Rossendale View and turn right onto bridleway. Follow the bridleway uphill to the gate.
- 7 Turn left on bridleway (London Road Track), follow track as it hugs the hillside for approx. 1 mile. Continue up the track to the second gate and continue for approx. 1.5 miles. After Horsehold Road look for the footpath to the left that will feel like a continuation of the same track.
- 8 Continuing straight take the narrow footpath downhill leading to a tunnel, head through the tunnel and into the woodland.
- 9 Follow the footpath until you reach an obvious stone edged footpath traveling east/west.
- 10 Turn right onto this footpath, views of Hebden Bridge should be visible. Continue downhill following the edge of the woodland.
- 11 At the junction with track turn left and follow the unmade road towards Hebden Bridge Station that will be visible at this point.