










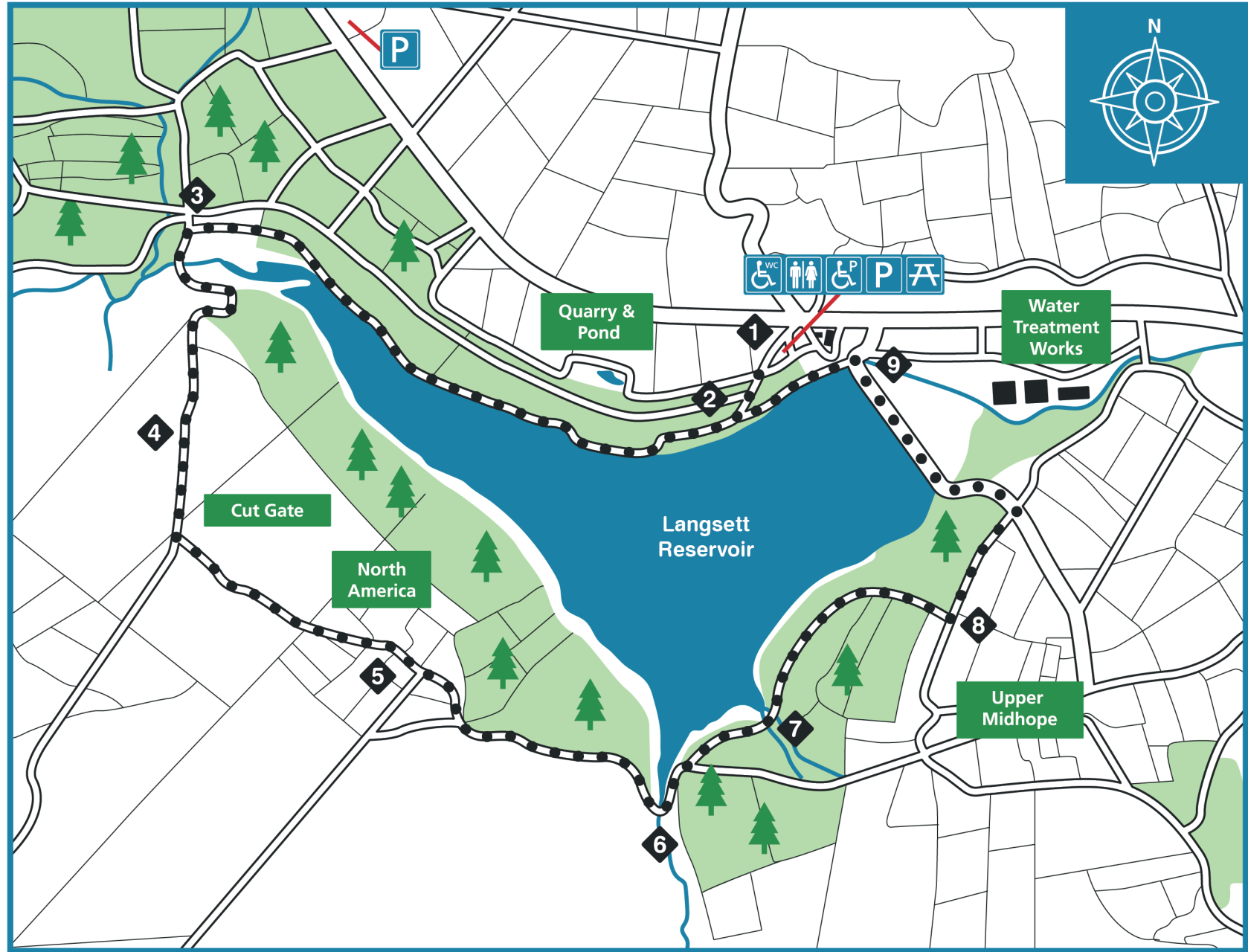







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Key:

- Road 
- Path 
- Route 
- River 
- Woodlands 
- Disabled toilets 
- Toilets 
- Disabled parking 
- Parking 
- Picnic area 
- Building 

200m



| Route Fact File | |
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| Location: | About 4 miles south west of Penistone |
| Difficulty: | Two boots |
| Route Length: | 3 Miles/4.8 Kilometres |
| Walking Time: | 3 Hours |
| Terrain & Gradient: | This route includes a mixture of surfaced tracks and paths, grassy, muddy paths, and uneven rocky terrain. Some sections involve steep climbs. There are some gates along the route and a set of steps leading up to point 9. |
| How To Get There: | <p>By car: You can use our free Langsett Barn car park (S36 4GY) just off the A616. Alternative parking is available at Langsett Flouch car park which is further west along the A616, approximately 250 metres before the Flouch roundabout. Please be aware that there is a height barrier at this car park.</p> <p>From Penistone, follow the A638. After about 3 miles, the main road curves to the right; here turn left along Fullshaw Lane, which then becomes Gilbert Hill. You will meet the A616 after about a mile; turn right and look out for the entrance to Langsett Barn car park on your left after less than 100m.</p> <p>By public transport: there is a bus stop 0.1 miles away opposite the Wagon and Horses pub and 1.3 miles away on Manchester Road.</p> <p><i>For up to date travel information from any location visit google maps to search directions.</i></p> |
| Facilities: |      |
| OS Map: | Explorer OL1 and Explorer 288 |

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 • This route meanders through woodland and
 • across open moor providing spectacular views
 • from higher ground, especially from the ruins
 • known as North America. There are some steep
 • climbs up rocky, muddy tracks so this walk will
 • appeal to the more adventurous walker. Sturdy
 • boots are recommended. The walk is 3 miles long.
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Route Description:

The walk starts in the south west corner of the car park at **point 1**. Once you have exited the car park through a gap in the fence, the path forks in 3 directions. Take the middle path keeping the stone wall on your left. Follow the path down to the reservoir edge at **point 2** which joins the main path round the reservoir. Follow the path ahead of you, keeping the water on your left for the rest of the length of the reservoir. Eventually, you will meet a T-Junction at **point 3** with a cobbled trail leading to a bridge. Follow this cobbled trail downhill to the left, cross the bridge and turn left through a gate.

Follow this path along the edge of a woodland out into open moorland at **point 4**. The path becomes a steep rocky trail which can be muddy and icy. After a quarter of a mile, look for a ruined wall on the left at an angle. Where this old wall crosses the path, turn left at the way marker post. Follow this path across the moor to the ruins of North America at **point 5**.

Pass the ruins and go through the gate in the wall. Follow the wide track downhill with a wood on your left and cross a bridge over an inlet to the reservoir at **point 6**. Continue on the wide track bearing right up to a metal gate at **point 7**. As the wide track begins to bear right take the unsurfaced path continuing straight ahead with a stone wall on your left. Follow the water's edge until you reach a way marker sending you uphill. Follow the trodden path, ascending a few steps. After the steps, keep the stone wall on your right until you meet a surfaced track at **point 8**.

Turn left down the track to the public road and turn left again. Follow the road (beware of traffic) which takes you over the reservoir dam along the pavement to **point 9**. Here, where the road curves to the right, turn left through a gate following the public bridleway sign. After a short distance, a path to the right leads back uphill to the car park (**point 1**).

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