



Activity 8: Project

Compass bearings to find a colour

Location: Ups and Downs

Up and Downs

- ① From St John's Church, Southdown, look west across the green, and see the path to the right of the poster board featuring apple trees.
- ② Enter the woods at the path and follow the track on 240° N

Come to the cross-paths, where there is a horserider's marker post, and continue in the same direction.
- ③ You will come to another cross-paths. See a marker post about 100 metres away to the left. Keep going in the same direction and arrive at the first Up and Down with a hawthorn tree growing on its peak. [This is *Oils. Rabble. Resort*].
- ④ Stand at the hawthorn tree on the mound. Set bearing 140° N and go up and down the peaks for about 40 metres until you touch the brambles.
- ⑤ Reset the compass for 230° N and stop at the tree between the divided paths (see picture). [This is *Oven. Fake. Civil*].
- ⑥ Point your camera exactly North and take a picture to share. **Task 1**
- ⑦ Stand at the tree between the divided path. Set compass to 250° N and make for the edge of the woods.
- ⑧ See a bench seat and a green waste bin a few metres to the right.
- ⑨ Sit on the bench seat. The A1081 main road is ahead of you. What piece of road furniture do you see on a bearing of 295° N? **Task 2**
- ⑩ Walk NNE along the edge of the wood until you come to the next gap leading back into the Ups and Downs.
- ⑪ See the first peak: it has a dimpled top. Go there and stand in the dimple. What kind of tree are you under? (*It is the biggest tree of several*). **Task 3**
- ⑫ Still on the dimple, point your camera exactly North and take a picture of what you see. (*I.e. path, fence, old poster on fence with pic of a merry-go-round and the word 'FREE' in red.*)
- ⑬ What is the colour of the word FREE? **Task 4**
- ⑭ Keep going in the same direction for about 100 metres, then at a little mound change direction to 80 degrees. At the first peak, look in the direction of 50° N and see a path in the distance. Go to that path. See a few metres to the right the hawthorn tree that you met in step 3. From there retrace your path back to St John's church.



Well done!



You will need:
A compass and a camera