



# Devon Wildlife Trust

## New England Wood nature reserve

Just one of many beautiful places looked after by Devon Wildlife Trust



Badger

### Map of New England Wood



Bluebells

Walk through woodland beside the River Yealm in this beautiful wildlife haven



Great spotted woodpecker

River Yealm



Sulphur tuft

## How to get to New England Wood nature reserve

From A38 exit at Lee Mill junction, head south following sign to Yealmpton. After ½ mile at a sharp right hand bend, take the minor road on left. Soon after at a fork in road go left. Follow this road as it descends to Popple's Bridge over the River Yealm. The reserve entrance is immediately left after bridge. Space for car parking is very limited.

## Wildlife to watch for

New England Wood allows you to explore a classic Devon woodland. Its paths follow the course of the River Yealm as it winds its way beneath oak, beech and ash trees.

In spring you'll walk through the white flowers of ramsons (wild garlic) and the purple blooms of bluebells. In autumn you can kick through leaves and search for the many types of fungus which grow here.

Badgers use their well-worn paths to pass through the reserve, while birds including great spotted woodpeckers, tawny owls, treecreepers and spotted flycatchers move between the trees and through the woodland's canopy.

The future of New England Wood was secured in 2016 as a tranquil wildlife haven thanks to Viridor Credits Environmental Company and local people.

## About us

We are a charity and rely on your support – through membership, donations and gifts in Wills – to care for places like this.

## Want to find out more?

Go to [www.devonwildlifetrust.org](http://www.devonwildlifetrust.org) to learn about the work we do to protect Devon's amazing wildlife and to discover other wild places to explore.

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