

Cannock Chase

Many creatures live in the heather and undergrowth on Cannock Chase. It's very important to keep to the footpaths so that you don't disturb them.

Heathland is an important home to lots of wildlife. Did you know that heathland is rarer than rainforests? Cannock Chase has big areas of this fragile habitat and it needs to be protected. Can you find the heathland on the map?

During the Great War and Second World War, thousands of soldiers were trained on Cannock Chase. The military cemeteries here are a sad reminder that many people lose their lives in wars.

Dropping litter makes a mess, and harms the soil and wildlife. Always take your litter home with you!

Deer are a much loved emblem of Cannock Chase and if you are lucky, you might see some. Never feed the deer, because this can make them very ill.

Pollution from cars harms the Chase! When you visit, try to travel by train, bicycle, or on foot if you can.

Why not discover more about Cannock Chase by going to one of the Visitor Centres? You can work out where you'd like to go and find out about lots of cool things to see.

Castle Ring is the highest place on Cannock Chase (over 240 metres above sea level) and is over 2500 years old! It used to be a hill fort in Iron Age times.



	Heathland		Trainline
	Woodland		Train station
	Farmland		Long-distance Footpaths