

WALK

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MACCLESFIELD

Directory of other stores and locations en route

Treacle Tap
Coffee, wine, beer/ales, pies, hot food served all day
43 Sunderland Street,
Sun - Thu; 4-11pm
Fri - Sat; 12 - Midnight

SOMA Cafe Bar
Tapas, wine, craft beers
36 Sunderland Street
Tues - Sat; 5-10pm

MASH Guru
Live music, craft beers
5 Back Wallgate
Tues - Sun; 5pm - Late

Knight's Pool
An attractive lake in a built-up area close to the centre of the town of Macclesfield, providing a quiet and tranquil location for local residents to enjoy. Exclusive fishing rights for the Prince Albert Angling Club; there are numerous carp and pike in the body of water.

Windmill Park
Situating on Black Rd, there are picnic benches, a children's play area and a BMX track.

Black Road Stores
Homemade pies, soups, roasted meats, sandwiches, hot food
Mon - Fri; 9.30-6pm
Sat; 9.30-2pm
Sun; 9.30-12 midday

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Walking directions, beginning from the town hall

- ↑ From the town hall, head past St Michaels Church, down the hill. Take in the rooftop view across to the hills.
- ↑ ↗ Follow the cobble stone road until it forks and then head right up past the barbers.
- 📍 ↗ Lookout for the ever-changing wall mural next to MASH Bar on Back Wallgate. Then turn left down the hill again, as if walking towards the train station.
- ↗ ↑ Then take a right towards Waters Green Tavern and follow Boden St. Head across the carpark, stay to the left.
- ↗ ↗ Take a left onto Pickford St and keep an eye out for the Fent Shop, on your right.
- ↑ From the Fent Shop, head to the pedestrian crossing at Sunderland St. Cross over and then carry on straight ahead.

Step-free route

- ↑ Instead of turning left at the underpass, go straight across the junction and follow Waterside.
- 📍 The road begins to get a little steep. Look back for another rooftop view.
- ↗ ↑ Keep left, and take first left on to Knight St and simply follow this road all the way until it meets Bank St. Then take a right.

Step-free route then joins the main route

- 📍 Follow Bank St ahead and on your right you'll spot Knight's Pool. Take a moment, enjoy the grassy bank and picnic benches.
- ↑ Keep walking in the same direction, between the houses again. Then follow Bank St straight until the end.

- ↗ Turn right onto George St — you'll see different warehouses and old mill buildings.
- ↑ 📍 Follow the road. Can you spot the metallic duck sculpture?
- ↗ At the end of George St, turn left onto Brook St.
- ↗ After you cross over the River Bollin on a road bridge, take your first right onto Waterside walkway.
- ↑ ↗ Keep walking straight following the river until you come to the junction at the underpass, turn left onto Lower Bank Street.
- ↑ ↗ Follow the road up, past the antique dealers, past the diving club, and take the steps up.
- ↗ ↑ At the top of the steps turn right, and follow the footpath. Join Bank St and keep going straight.

- ↗ ↗ Turn left onto Black Road. At the top of the bridge numbered 38, take a right for access onto the canal path.
- ↑ 📍 ↗ Turn left on to the canal path and follow it until you see a small bridge numbered 40. Instead of going under it, take the path left up to the road and walk right over the bridge onto Windmill St.
- ↗ ✱ ↗ Take the first left onto Black Rd. Windmill Park & benches are on your right, Black Road Stores is on your left on the corner of Richmond Hill.
- 📍 Follow the road round at the end and you'll find Shuffiebotham & Son.

Now retrace your steps back into the centre of town

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- fabric suppliers/ haberdashers
- food/drink
- viewpoint - take a pic
- train station
- canal bridge

A Shufflebothams & Son Fabrics

8 Gunco Ln, SK11 7JX

Monday	9.30am-5.30pm
Tuesday	9.30am-5.30pm
Wednesday	9.30am-5.30pm
Thursday	9.30am-5.30pm
Friday	9.30am-5.30pm
Saturday	10am-1pm
Sunday	Closed

The Fent Shop
Haberdashery and fabrics

Pickford Street Mill, Pickford Street
SK11 6JE

Monday	9.30am-4.30pm
Tuesday	9.30am-4.30pm
Wednesday	9.30am-3.30pm
Thursday	9.30am-4.30pm
Friday	9.30am-3.30pm
Saturday	9am-3pm
Sunday	Closed

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