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# QUARRY TRAILS

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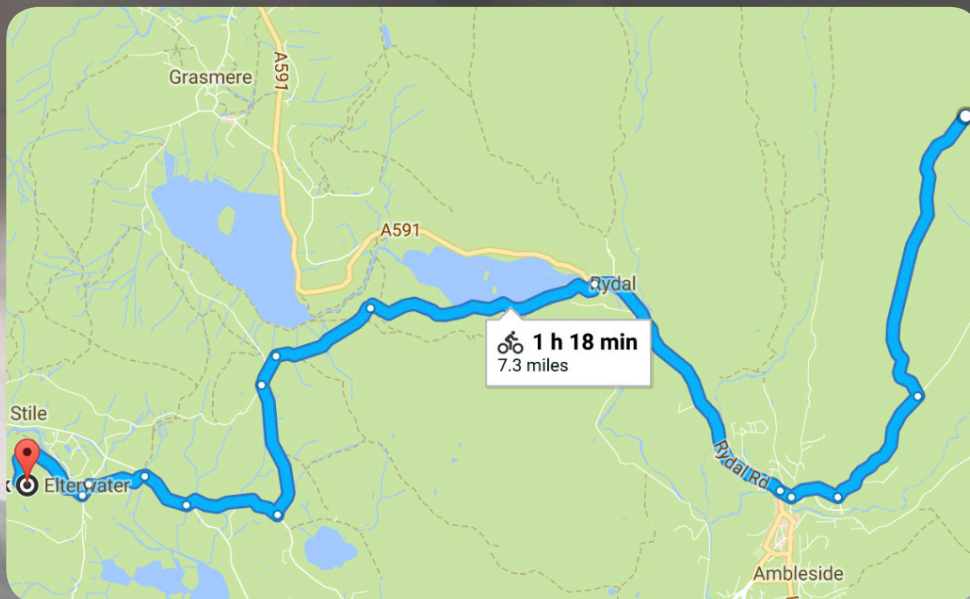




## FROM PETTS QUARRY TO ELTERWATER QUARRY

APPROXIMATE JOURNEY TIME: 1 HOURS 18 MINUTES

DISTANCE: 7.3 MILES



## QUARRIES FACT FILE:

### ADDRESS:

Skelwith Bridge, Ambleside, Cumbria, LA22 9NN  
(54.456517° -2.940871°)

### OPERATOR NAME:

Burlington Slate Ltd

### PLANNING REGION:

North West

### COMMODITY PRODUCE:

Slate

### LITHOSTRATIGRAPHY:

Seathwaite Fell Sandstone Formation

### AGE:

Ordovician

### ADDRESS:

Langdale, Cumbria  
(54.434278° -3.0442398°)

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## ROUTE PLANNER

### DISTANCE TO TRAVEL

### DIRECTIONS

0.0 mi	Start at Petts Quarry Skelwith Bridge, Ambleside, Cumbria, LA22 9NN (54.456517° -2.940871°)
1.4 mi	Head south-west towards Kirkstone Rd/The Struggle
0.6 mi	Turn right onto Kirkstone Rd/The Struggle
0.2 mi	Turn right to stay on Kirkstone Rd
305 ft	Turn right onto Smithy Brow
1.3 mi	Turn right onto Rydal Rd/A591
1.1 mi	Turn left
0.5 mi	Turn right
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Red Bank
0.6 mi	Slight left
0.4 mi	Turn right
0.2 mi	Turn right onto B5343
0.3 mi	Turn left
282 ft	Turn left
0.5 mi	Turn right
0.0 mi	Arrive at Elterwater Quarry Langdale, Cumbria (54.434278° -3.0442398°)





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## SAFETY ADVICE

**Please ensure you do not enter onto any quarry site.**

Ensure follow all road markings and are aware of your surroundings.

Wear appropriate clothing and be prepared for changing weather conditions.

Only undertake the route if it is within your cycling and fitness capability and ensure you schedule in refreshment breaks in along the way.

Check all of your equipment is in good condition.

Environmental conditions can change the nature of the trails within a short space of time, you should only continue if safe to do so.

It's also a good idea to ensure you have a basic first aid kit with you.

## ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD PRACTICE

We all have a responsibility to protect the countryside now and for future generations, so make sure you don't harm animals, birds, plants or trees and try to leave no trace of your visit.

Do not disturb wildlife, leave the environment as you find it and follow a path or track if there is one.

Leave gates and property as you find them.

Look after the places you visit and ensure all litter is taken home with you.

## DISCLAIMER

**We have taken great care to ensure the currency, accuracy and reliability of the information contained within the 'Quarry Trails'. We cannot accept responsibility for errors or omissions but where such are brought to our attention the information will be amended accordingly. Where possible we recommend the GPS co-ordinates be used for the trails as these will provide more accurate start and end locations.**