## LONGTOWN THROUGH THE AGES

- Whilst enjoying this countryside walk, through the stunning fields of Longtown, why not take note of what wildlife you see? There are often daily sightings of deer, squirrels, heron and tawny owls.
- Longtown makes a great starting point for many walks along the River Esk and through surrounding countryside.
- Due to Longtown's close proximity to the River Esk many different species of wildlife can be found.
- The Solway Firth, also close by, is extremely popular with birdwatchers looking for wading birds and wildfowl.
- Historically the River Esk was one of the boundaries of the 'Debatable Lands' disputed between England and Scotland.
- The nearby Netherby Estate, owned by the Graham family for the past 400 years, provides pleasant woodland areas home to an abundance of wildlife. Please note this is private land and not open to the public.
- Roe Deer, Woodpeckers, Badgers, Hares, Tree Creepers and much more are often said to be found within the woodland areas of Longtown.



This walk can be accessed from Lovers Lane, Longtown. If travelling by car: on street parking is available on Lovers Lane, postcode CA6 5UW. You can also begin this walk from the town centre of Longtown.



Improve your Carbon Footprint: Longtown town centre offers regular buses running from Carlisle, Dumfries

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A series of local walks celebrating the history, nature and community of Longtown



