

HAZARD INFORMATION FOR TEACHERS CALLENDAR PARK: DITCH AND RAMPART

An impressive section of the ditch and rampart can be seen in Callendar Park, Falkirk. From Falkirk town centre follow signs for Callendar Park at the roundabout on Callendar Road. From Estate Avenue turn left into Seaton Place past high tower blocks. There is a small car park at the end of this road.

It is the responsibility of teachers and group leaders to complete a risk assessment prior to any site visit with a group. This is a requirement of most education authorities. The following information is intended as a preparatory tool and does not replace a teacher's or group leader's own risk assessment.

Please be aware that changes in weather may affect the risks inherent in an outdoor site. Pupils should dress for outdoors.



POTENTIAL HAZARDS AT CALLENDAR PARK

PEDESTRIAN ACCESS TO SITE

- Tarmac path can be puddly in wet weather.
- The park is used extensively for dog walking, so pupils should be prepared to meet dogs and keep an eye open for dog mess.
- Grassy path up to the wall and ditch can be slippery in wet weather.

EXTERNAL HAZARDS

- The ditch is high and steep-sided; pupils should keep clear.
- Edges to path are uneven; trip hazard.

