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Woodland Walk

This sunny area between the woods is a nice place to stop and admire the view over the estuary. This is also a good place to look for butterflies such as those below.

Common Blue Butterfly

This is a strikingly beautiful butterfly which can be seen in some of the open grassland areas in May, June, August and September. The male is larger and the female may have an orange fringe to her wings. The larvae feed only on the yellow-flowered birds-foot trefoil.



Peacock Butterfly

This is one of our commonest butterflies but arguably the most beautiful. This species will allow quite close examination of its multi-coloured eye-spots and luxuriant uppersides which contrast with its dull undersides. The males of this species are territorial and the stinging nettle is the only foodplant for this species.



Information Map

