

## Hiking Trails

There are four miles of hiking, mountain biking, snowshoeing, and cross-country skiing trails at Camp Timberledge.

Seven trails yellow, blue, orange, red, plum, white, gray, and green are clearly marked with colored trail tags on trees and signposts.

Hiking distances are round trip from the Lodge. One tenth of a mile is about 2 New York City blocks. Hiking times are approximate and assume a leisurely pace.

The yellow, orange, red, and white trails are all loops finishing at or near the area they began. After a storm, some trails may be blocked by fallen trees. The blue (Lake) trail and the green (Pond) trail are for hiking only.

### 1. Yellow Circle Hike

**(1.0 miles: yellow trail)**

**Begin walking into woods on the road next to the red cottage by the lake. You are now on the yellow trail. Continue .5 miles to the porcupine ledges and campsite. Continue forward .5 miles on the yellow trail which will complete the circle and bring you back to camp (40 minutes).**

### 2. Lake Hike

**(.8 miles: yellow and blue trails)**

This is simply a walk around the lake. Begin walking into the woods on the road next to the red cottage by the lake. You are now on the yellow trail. Take the yellow trail just .2 miles and then the blue trail along the lake .3 miles. Take the yellow trail at the lake dam .3 miles back to camp (35 minutes). Note: portions of trail are designed for hiking only.

### 3. Waterfall Hike

**(1.4 miles: yellow and plum trails)**

Begin at the pond dam footbridge near the boat house. Take the yellow trail .3 miles to the lake dam. Cross the dam and continue on the yellow trail to the plum trail .1 miles. Take the plum trail .3 miles to the waterfall and return the same way back to the camp (60 minutes).

### 4. Pioneer Stone House Hike

**(2.2 miles: yellow, plum and white trails)**

Go to the waterfalls .7 miles and cross the footbridge. Now take the white trail loop markers .3 miles to the Stone House. All that is left of the house is a portion of the walls which are being restored.

Now continue .5 miles on the white trail up the mountain to the top and eventually back down to the waterfall. Cross the bridge and take the plum and yellow trails .7 miles back to the camp (90 minutes).

### 5. Mountain Top Hike

**(2.0 miles: yellow and orange trails)**

Take the yellow trail described above in #1 to the porcupine ledges climbing area and campsite .5 miles. Now take the orange trail loop up over the mountain top .5 miles, continue on the red trail .5 miles to the yellow trail. Follow the yellow trail .5 miles back to the camp (90 minutes). Note: There is a short portion of the trail that is shared with the red trail.

### 6. Mountain Hike

**(2.3 miles: yellow and red trails)**

Take the yellow trail described above in #1 to the porcupine ledges climbing area and campsite, .5 miles. Now take the red trail loop 1.3 miles which circles the mountain and it will return you to the yellow trail. Follow the yellow trail .5 miles back to camp. (95 minutes). Note: There is a short portion of the trail that is shared with the orange trail.

### 7. Pond Walk

**(.1 miles: green trail)**

This is simply a walk around the pond. Start at the bridge at the pond dam, walk over the dam and follow the green trail markers (10 minutes).

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