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RESIDENTS TRAVEL PACK

WORKING TOWARDS A GREENER PLANET



WELCOME TO YOUR NEW HOME!



Hive Homes would like to encourage you to travel sustainably to and from Roedeer Gardens residential development.

The location of your new home at Roedeer Gardens makes travelling sustainably much easier than you think, with many options on how to reach nearby areas and amenities!

This Residents Travel Information Pack has been produced to assist with sustainable travel and to inform you just how easy it is to leave your car at home!

Cutting down on car travel not only saves you money but has amazing environmental benefits. Why not do your bit for our planet!



RESIDENTS TRAVEL SURVEY



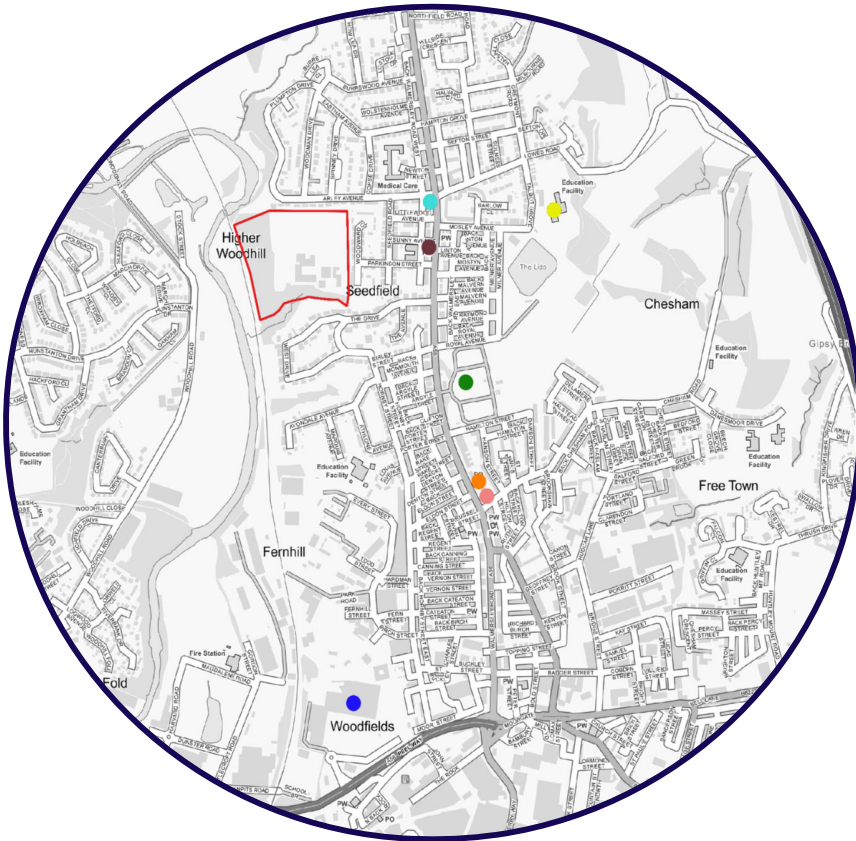
To better understand people's travel patterns, we are currently conducting a Residents Travel Survey for every house in Roedeer Gardens.

We would be grateful if one or more members of your household could complete this quick and easy survey to help us assist with your travel requirements.

The survey can be completed online at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NB8NNFG> or scan the QR code!

It will take roughly 5-minutes to complete, and all answers will be completely anonymous.

YOUR LOCAL AREA



- **Chesham Primary School**
Walking = 10 mins
Cycling = 2 mins
- **Nearest Bus Stops (Mosley Avenue)**
Walking = 4 mins
Cycling = 1 mins
- **Clarence Park**
Walking = 7 mins
Cycling = 3 mins
- **Morrisons Daily**
Walking = 6 mins
Cycling = 2 mins
- **Strachans Chemist**
Walking = 13 mins
Cycling = 4 mins
- **Chesham Post Office**
Walking = 14 mins
Cycling = 4 mins
- **Hazel Wood High School**
Walking = 36 mins
Cycling = 9 mins

AMENITIES



There is a local convenience store (Morrisons Daily) that is around a 6-minute walk from The Seedfield Centre



The nearest post office is located to south of The Seedfield Centre, being around a 14-minute walk



There is a bus stop located just a 4-minute walk away along the A56 which provide access around Bury.



The nearest Pharmacy to your new home is located to the south, being a 13-minute walk.



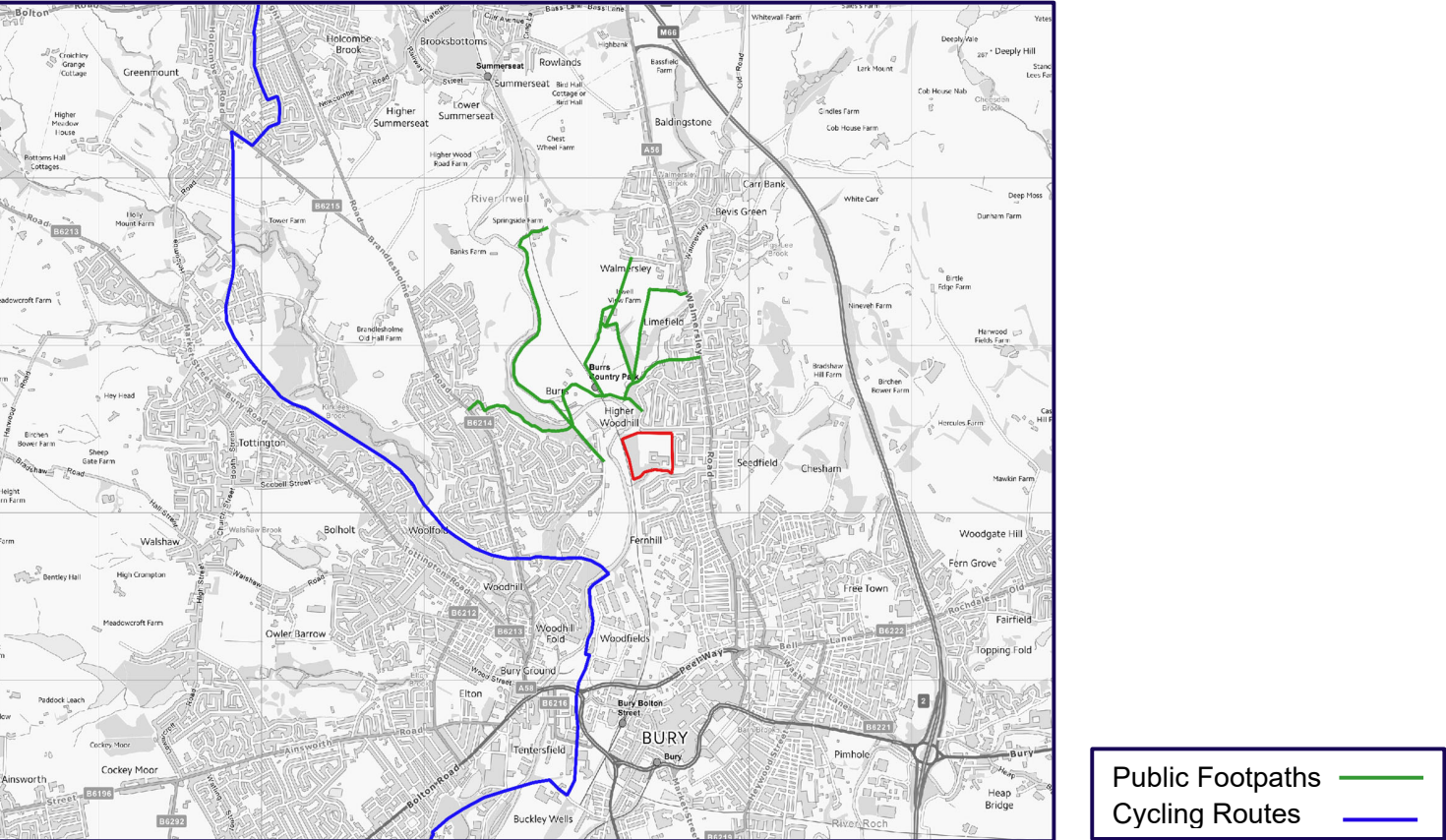
There is a gym located just a 15-minute walk away from The Seedfield Centre



The closest park to the site is located just a 7-minute walk north from your new home.

WALKING & CYCLING ROUTES

Below is a map of the cycle paths and Public Rights of Way surrounding your new home!



National Cycle Route 6 is shown in blue above and provides access from your home all the way to Manchester City Centre



Public Rights of Way are shown in green above and provide safe and convenient footpaths around the Bury area.

More information regarding nearby Public Footpaths and nearby Cycle Routes can be found on the Bury Council website.

CYCLEScheme

Cyclescheme is the UK's number one provider of tax-free bikes for the Government's Cycle to Work initiative. Either speak directly to your employer about this service, visit the Cycle Scheme website or contact your Travel Coordinator for more details.



GETTING TO SCHOOL

Your new home at Roedeer Gardens is located close to numerous schools and nurseries including The Chesham Primary School, St John with St Marks C of E Primary School, Tiddlywinks Nursery Walmersley and St Joseph & St Bede RC Primary School

Walking & cycling times to the nearest primary and secondary school can be found below:

Chesham Primary School

There are suitable walking routes to the nearest primary school, which is roughly a 10-minute walk.

Hazel Wood High School

There are suitable walking routes to the nearest secondary school, which is around a 36-minute walk or a 9-minute cycle.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Another alternative to driving is using public transport! This means a stress-free journey and a saving in petrol and parking costs.

Bus

The local bus services are available within a short walk of The Seedfield Centre on the A56. From here you catch the bus to Ramsbottom in 10-minutes, Edenfield in 15-minutes and to Burnley in 62-minutes. **Bus routes & timetables can be found in this pack!**

Tram

The nearest tram stop is Bury, located in Bury town centre. The stop can be accessed via a 11-minute bus journey on the 474 / 481 / 483 service or a 7-minute cycle journey. From Bury, trams run every 12-minutes to Manchester City Centre and Altrincham.

National Rail Contact Details

0345 6050600 (Textphone)

03457 484950 (24/7 except Christmas Day)

CAR SHARING

Car sharing is an effective means of reducing the number of cars on the road, especially for commuting trips to work.

One of the most popular services is Liftshare (more information can be found on their website)

Car sharers do not need to work for the same company or even be based in the same building. The car share scheme matches up car drivers and passengers who travel at similar times... and it's completely free!



ECO DRIVING

Although driving a car is the least sustainable choice of travel, sometimes it's a necessity, so here are 7 eco-driving tips that can really make a difference:

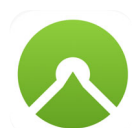
1. Service your car regularly to maintain engine efficiency.
2. Check your tyre pressures regularly (and before long journeys), under-inflated tyres use more fuel as they increase rolling resistance.
3. Lose any unnecessary baggage, extra weight means extra fuel.
4. Combine short trips, cold starts use more fuel, so it pays to combine your errands.
5. Drive Smoothly, accelerate gently and read the road ahead to avoid unnecessary braking.
6. Cut down on the air-con, air-conditioning increases fuel consumption at low speeds (the effects are less noticeable at higher speeds)
7. Stick to the speed limits, the faster you go the greater the fuel consumption (cruising at 70mph uses up to 9% more fuel than at 60mph and up to 15% more fuel than at 50mph)

APPS

Useful sustainable travel apps for smartphones and tablets



Bus Checker



Komoot



Bee Network





NATIONAL RAILCARDS

For £30* a year (£20 for a Disabled Persons Railcard), National Rail offer a variety of Railcards, giving discounts for train travel, including.

- **16-25 Railcard** – for 16–25-year-olds, or mature students (26+) and in full time education
- **Two Together Railcard** – for two names people travelling together
- **Family & Friends Railcard** – or those for those travelling with children aged 5-15 (up to 4 adults and 4 children can travel on one card)
- **Senior Railcard** – for those aged 60 and over; and
- **Disabled Persons Railcard** – for those who have a disability that makes travelling by train difficult could qualify for a Disabled Persons Railcard, giving the user 1/3 off rail fares for them and a friend.

More information can be found at the Railcard website.

*Price subject to change

BUS PASSES

There are also a selection of bus passes available.

- **National Free Bus Pass** – for those at the State Pension age, you're entitled to a bus pass that allows free off-peak travel on local buses anywhere in England.
- **Disabled Persons Free Travel Bus Pass** – eligible disabled people are entitled to free off-peak travel on local buses anywhere in England.

For more information visit the Cheshire West and Chester Council website.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you would like to discuss the Residents Travel Pack, any queries about the survey or for guidance on how to complete it, or just any Transport Planning queries please do not hesitate to contact the Eddisons Travel Plan Coordinator

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