Staindrop & Cleatlam - Staindrop is a long and straggly village featuring several splendid buildings and a series of interconnected greens. Its history is very much bound up with that of Raby Castle, the seat of Lord Barnard. Commencing from the South Green, Staindrop (DL2 3LD), this 6-mile (with 345ft of ascent) ORANGE walk offers an opportunity to explore the village, and enjoy the gentle agricultural countryside all around it. The circuit closes with a walk alongside the tall boundary wall of Raby Park. If Raby Castle is open to visitors, then a tour may be included after the walk Distant views, particularly from around Cleatlam, extend across county Durham from the plains of the North Pennines.







