

Highgate Walk Scoresheet



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Become a PastWalker by 'bagging' these plaques

Bagging is an old sporting term given new life by walkers and climbers in the Scottish Highlands who indulge in 'Munro Bagging' to claim each mountain ascent. This unique London village walk includes a list of plaques which can be 'bagged' by the intrepid walker. However, in order to keep this 'sport' under some sort of control we have set up some rules and guidance.

Scoring

Old RSA or early LCC plaques	3 points each.
LCC or English Heritage Blue plaques	2 points each.
Local Authority plaques	2 points each.
Society and Friends plaques	1 point each.
Other plaques	1 point each.

Only plaques approved by heritage.london will count towards your score.

Proposals for inclusion in the listing are welcome but our decision is final.

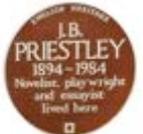
Monuments are not normally included but there are some exceptions,

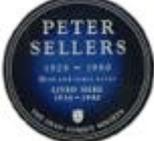
such as Mozart's charming statue near Sloane Square

and Dick Whittington's cat on Highgate Hill.

Planning Your Walk

If possible, walk with a friend
Tell someone where you are going
Take care when walking at night
Wear sensible clothes and footwear
Take a bottle of water to avoid de-hydration
Don't try to do too much in one visit
Check the opening times of all Museums and Galleries online
Don't forget to take your camera with batteries fully charged

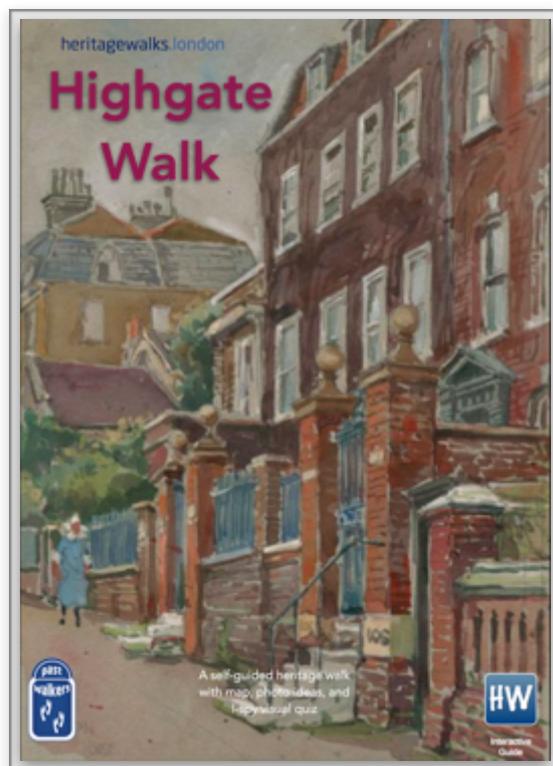
PLAQUE	LOCATION & DESCRIPTION	SCORE	
	In front of the Whittington Hospital, there is a statue in honour of Dick Whittington's legendary cat on the site where, in the story, the Bow Bells call young Dick back to claim his fortune.	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	The Whittington Stone Sir Richard Whittington Thrice Lord Mayor of London 1397 Richard II, 1406 Henry IV 1420 Henry V Sheriff 1393	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Vinayak Damodar Savarkar Indian patriot and philosopher lived here 65 Cromwell Avenue, N6 5HS	(1883 - 1966) 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	"Four feet below this spot is the stone step, formerly the entrance to the cottage in which lived Andrew Marvell , poet, wit and satirist. Colleague with John Milton in the foreign or Latin secretaryship during the Commonwealth; and for about twenty years MP for Hull. Born at Winstead Yorkshire, 31st March 1621. Died in London, 18th August 1678 and buried in the Church of St Giles-In-The-Fields. This memorial is placed here by the London County Council , December 1898.	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	This tree was planted by Sir Yehudi Menuhin KBE to celebrate twenty years of the Highgate Society of which he was first President and then Patron November 1986 Pond Square	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Site of The Old Fox and Crown Holly Terrace Highgate West Hill, N6 6LS	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sir John Betjeman. Poet lived here 1908 - 1917 31 Highgate West Hill, N6 6NP	(1906 - 1984) 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	J. B. Priestley Novelist, playwright and essayist lived here 3 The Grove, N6 6JU	(1894 - 1984) 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Samuel Taylor Coleridge Poet and Critic Lived in Highgate Village for nineteen years And in this house from 1823 until his death in 1834 - St Pancras Borough Council 3 The Grove, N6 6JU	3	<input type="checkbox"/>

	The Old Gatehouse Parish Boundary marker 1 North Road, N6 4BD			1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mary Kingsley Traveller and ethnologist Lived here as a child 22 Southwood Lane, N6 5TB	(1862 - 1900)		2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sir John Betjeman Poet Laureate attended school here, 12 North Road, London, N6 4BE	(1906 - 1984)		1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	A. E. Houseman Poet and Scholar wrote "A Shropshire Lad" While living here Byron Cottage, 17 North Road, N6 4BD	(1859 - 1936)		2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Charles Dickens Author Stayed here in 1832 92 North Road, N6 4AA	(1812 - 1870)		1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Arthur Waley Poet, Translator and Orientalist Lived and died here 50 Southwood Lane, N6 5EB	(1889 - 1966)		2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Peter Sellers Goon and comic actor Lived here 1926 - 1940 Muswell Hill Road, N6 5UG	(1925 - 1980)		1	<input type="checkbox"/>

Congratulations!

TOTAL SCORE

25



This score sheet was designed to be used only with the Highgate Walk Interactive Guide.

If you have downloaded this walk and submit a score claim by email, (shown below), you will be notified of your inclusion as a PastWalker by return and your score will be listed and published online.

The plaques included in our 'bagging' scheme are rated by their age, distinctiveness and rarity. If you have a comment or think that another plaque should be added (or removed) please contact:

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