



Hazard Information for teachers

Dundrennan Abbey

Dundrennan Abbey is situated in the village of Dundrennan, 6.5 miles south-east of Kirkcudbright on the A711. The abbey is largely ruinous and is set within a graveyard. Pupils should dress for outdoors.

It is the responsibility of teachers and group leaders to complete a risk assessment prior to any site visit with a group. This is a requirement of most education authorities. The following information is intended as a preparatory tool and does not replace a teacher's or group leader's own risk assessment.

Please be aware that changes in weather may affect the risks inherent in an outdoor site.

For more information about hazards at Dundrennan, or to arrange a free pre-visit, please contact the monument manager on **01557 500262**.



Potential hazards at Dundrennan Abbey

Pedestrian access to site

- Risk from slow-moving traffic in car park.

External Hazards

- Ground is grassy and undulating; slippery in wet weather.
- Many large and small grave slabs embedded in the grass around the abbey; care must be taken when moving among them.
- Viewing platform with barrier reached by wooden steps with anti-slip treads.

Internal Hazards

- Displays of carved stones in cloister area; some low ceilings.