

TRAINING PLAN Walk 21km hilly plan



	WALK 1	WALK 2	WALK 3	WALK 4
Week 1	25 minutes easy walking	30 minutes easy walking	45 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	No 4th Walk this week
Week 2	25 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking	1 hour easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 3	30 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking	1 hour 15 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking with 5 x 1 minute faster walking spread throughout
Week 4	30 minutes easy walking	25 minutes easy walking	45 minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 5	35 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking	1 hour 30 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking
Week 6	10 minutes easy walk warm up. 1 minute brisk walk up hill, easy walking back down x8. 10 minutes easy walk warm up.	35 minutes easy walking	1 hour 45 minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 7	40 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking	2 hours easy walking on a hilly route	30 minutes easy walking with 6 x 1 minute faster walking spread throughout
Week 8	30 minutes easy walking	30 minutes easy walking	50 minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 9	50 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking	2 hours 15 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking with 6 x 90 seconds faster walking spread throughout

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Week 10	10 minutes easy walk warm up. 1 minute brisk walk up hill, easy walking back down x10. 10 minutes easy walk warm up.	40 minutes easy walking	2 hours 30 minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 11	55 minutes easy walking on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking	2 hours 45 minutes easy walk- ing on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking with 6 x 2 minute faster walking spread throughout
Week 12	35 minutes easy walking	30 minutes easy walking	1 hour minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 13	1 hour easy walking on a hilly route	35 minutes easy walking	3 hours easy walking	40 minutes easy walking on a hilly route
Week 14	10 minutes easy walk warm up. 1 minute brisk walk up hill, easy walking back down x12. 10 minutes easy walk warm up.	40 minutes easy walking	3 hours 15 minute easy walking on a hilly route	No 4th Walk this week
Week 15	30 minutes easy walking	35 minutes easy walking	40 minutes easy walking	No 4th Walk this week
Week 16	30 minutes easy walking	20 minutes easy walking	Your Walk Event!	No 4th Walk this week

This plan starts from a base of being able to walk at a conversational pace for 30 minutes, if you aren't at that point yet try the first 5 weeks of the 5-6km plan first.

- Easy walking where you could chat away if you were walking alongside someone, a full sentence on every out breath
- Faster walking where you could only say 2-3 words on an out breath

- Try to have spread your walks out evenly across the week if you can
- If you miss one or two walks in a week, don't worry, just let them go and move on to the next walk
- If you can fit in two of the strength sessions each week that will really help your walking!
- Check the weather before each walk and practice wearing the kit and carrying what you'll need to for your event on the longer walks in the plan.
- Your event is hilly, so train on hilly routes where it suggests in the plan!

