



Head outdoors and discover your District

Discover your District Te Rerenga Tunnel Trail, TECT Park

Difficulty

Mostly bush track with steps and some uneven ground. Some sections may be slippery and steep in places. Accessible for dogs on leads. The track follows the Te Rerenga Stream and includes walking through a 60m tunnel. A torch is recommended for the tunnel.

Distance

2.5km approx. 45min - 1.5hours

Start the walk from the main car park outside the Arrival Centre, following the yellow arrow for the Te Rerenga Tunnel Track. Follow the signs all the way round in an anticlockwise direction. Question numbers relate to the numbers on the map.

- 1. Look on the walls of the Arrival Centre to find how many litres of water do we use to wash our hands?
- 2. Follow the track signs along the track. Take a moment to listen. What sounds do you hear?
- 3. After walking down several sets of steps you will come to a bridge. How many triangle shapes can you see on the bridge?
- 4. Be careful walking along the stream, the rocks can be slippery! Just before you enter the Te Rerenga Tunnel, grab your torch and have a look at the marker at the start. What colour is it?
- 5. Have a look around Peterson's Camp. How far have you got to go now?
- 6. Stop for a moment and look around. What colours can you see?



7. As you pass **underneath** the bridge, you'll notice the murals on the walls. What animals do you see?

Turn left and up the hill, to return to the car park.

Finish: Hand your completed activity sheet into any Western Bay District Council Library and Service Centre to receive your medal. Completed activity sheets can also be emailed to events@westernbay.govt.nz along with your contact details and your medal will be sent to you. Please note medals are for children 12 years and under (limited number available).

Health and Safety: Please apply safe practices when you complete this walk, and wear suitable footwear and clothing. Western Bay of Plenty District Council will not be liable should an injury, loss or damage occur whilst undertaking this course.

