

165. Glasgow to Edinburgh

Distance **60.5 miles/97km**

Ascent **852 metres**

Start **Clydebank Station, G81 1RZ**

Finish **Edinburgh Waverley Station, EH1 1BB**

Turn R out of the station then L onto Argyll Road, heading north until you can turn R onto the canal tow path. Follow the canal path east on the southern side to the lochs near Maryhill (5.1 miles/8.3km). Cross at a loch and turn R to pick up the canal path east on the northern side of the canal. Continue on the path passing Possil Loch and heading out of Glasgow on the Forth and Clyde Canal. Run through Kirkintilloch at 12.5 miles/20km and under the M80 at 22.1 miles/35.6km. Turn R at 26.5 miles/42.7km past the Falkirk Wheel and up to the Union Canal. Turn L and follow this east on the northern bank. Run through Falkirk and past Linlithgow Station at 37.9 miles/61km. Pass the Ratho climbing centre at 50 miles/80.6km and run into Edinburgh. Follow the canal past Kingsknowe Station to its end in Lochrin. To reach the station turn L then R onto Fountainbridge Road and follow this onto West Port, which then becomes Grassmarket. Turn L onto Cowgate and then L onto Bank Street, L on North Bank Street and R onto Market Street, to Edinburgh Waverley Station.

Miles	Km	Directions
0.0	0.0	Turn right out of the station then left onto Argyll Road, heading north until you can turn right onto the canal tow path.
0.3	0.5	Follow the canal path east on the southern side to the lochs near Maryhill.
5.1	8.3	Cross at a loch and turn right following the canal path east on the northern side of the canal. Pass Possil Loch and head out of Glasgow to Kirkintilloch.
12.5	20	Pass under the M80.
22.1	35.6	Continue along the canal until you turn right past the Falkirk Wheel and up to the Union Canal.
26.9	43.3	Turn left and follow this east on the northern bank. Run through Falkirk to Linlithgow Station.
37.9	61	Continue past the Ratho climbing centre.
50	80.6	Follow the canal into Edinburgh. Follow the canal past Kingsknowe Station to its end in Lochrin.
58.8	94.6	To reach the station turn left then right onto Fountainbridge Road and follow this onto West Port, which then becomes Grassmarket. Turn left onto Cowgate and then left onto Bank Street, left on North Bank Street and right onto Market Street, to Edinburgh Waverley Station.