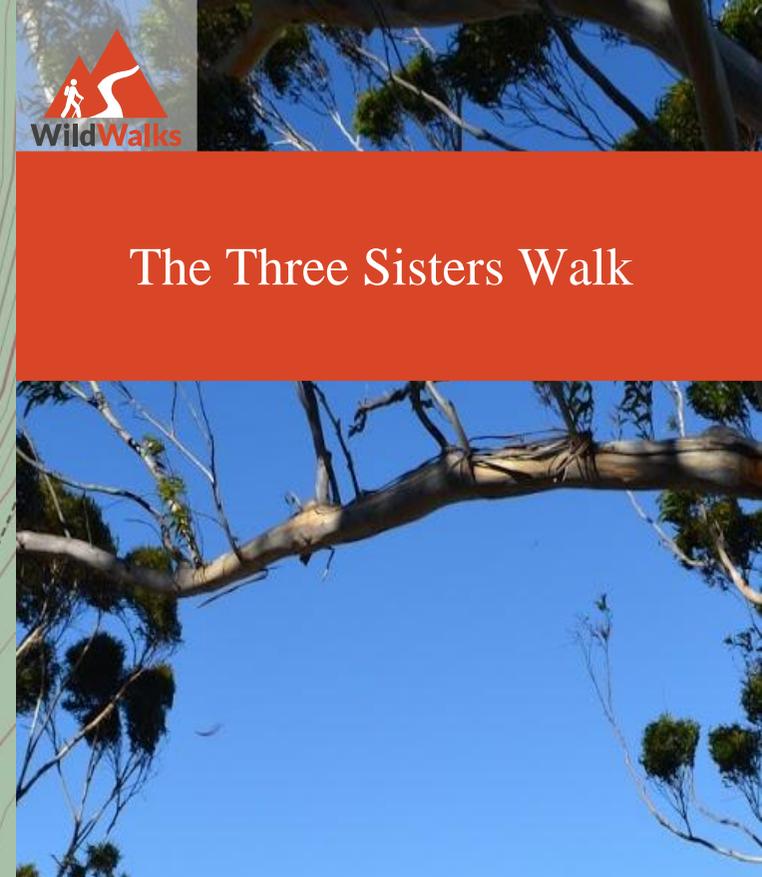


## The Three Sisters Walk



**30 mins**

**Easy track**

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**872 m Return**

**48m**

This walk leads from the information center at Echo Point down through the Blue Mountains National Park to Oreades Lookout. It is a popular walk and follows a smooth concreted path the whole way.

There are no steps but sections do get steep in places. The short side trip to Spooners lookout is well worth the extra effort. A lovely walk suitable for the whole family.

932m

955m

Blue Mountains National Park

### Are you ready to have fun?

Please ensure you and your group are well prepared and equipped for all possible hazards and delays. Check park closures, weather information and Fire Danger Rating before setting out. Optional side trips and alternate routes noted are not included in this walks overall grade, length or time estimate. Please allow extra time for resting and exploring areas of interest. The authors, staff and owners of wildwalks take care in preparing this information but will not accept responsibility for any inconvenience, loss or injury you may experience. Please take care, have fun - Happy Walking.

**Getting there** You can get to Echo Point Information Center (gps: -33.7321, 150.3124) by car or bus. Car: Parking fees apply in the area. This is a return walk, so you will finish back at the start.

Find up to date and more information including; travel directions, weather, park closures and walker feedback at <http://wild.tl/tsw>

#### 0 | Echo Point Information Centre

This modern building at Echo Point is a great source of information. It is open daily from 9am-5pm (except Christmas Day). There is a large range of books, maps and information about the area (and ice creams). There are toilets opposite the entrance, and mobility parking opposite. For more information, phone 1300 653 408. [More info.](#)

#### 0 | Optional sidetrip to Echo Point

*(90 m 4 mins)* From the front of the Echo Point Visitor Center and mobility car parking area, this walk heads downhill following the 'Echo point' sign across the wide open concrete area. After about 30m the walk leads past a large concrete seat (on the left) then passes a similar seat after another 20m. Continue gently downhill towards the view for another 30m to the stunning views at the formal Echo Point lookout.

#### 0 | Echo Point

Echo Point is the Blue Mountains' most famous and popular lookout, home to one of the best photo opportunities for the Three Sisters. Visited by over two million tourists each year, this popular spot also serves as the starting point for many great walks in the area. The lookout is well fenced, has information signs and stunning views across the valley to the Three Sisters and Mount Solitary. There are mounted binoculars and seats nearby.

#### 0 | Echo Point Information Center

*(130 m 3 mins)* Turn sharp left: From the front of the visitor center, this walk heads gently uphill, following the 'Three Sister walk' sign. The walk soon passes the toilet block and veers right to pass under the stone archway and come to an intersection with a path (on the right) just past the 'Blue Mountains National Park' sign.

Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk heads along the 'Three Sisters walkway' footpath, initially keeping the metal fence to the right. The smooth concrete path leads up and over a rise then leads gently downhill for about 80m to a signposted three-way intersection.

#### 0.13 | Optional sidetrip to Spooners Lookout

*(110 m 4 mins)* Turn sharp right: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Spooners Lookout' sign down along the concrete path, initially keeping the fence to the left. The path leads gently downhill to

a signposted three-way intersection.

Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Spooners Lookout' arrow gently downhill along concrete path. The path leads towards the view for just over 50m to come to the fenced Spooners Lookout platform. At the end of this side trip, retrace your steps back to the main walk then Continue straight.

#### 0.13 | Spooners Lookout

Spooners Lookout in the Blue Mountains National Park provides stunning views over the Jamison Valley to Mt Solitary and the Three Sisters. The lookout has a large seat, is well fenced, and provides filtered views for people sitting in a wheelchair

#### 0.13 | Int of the Three Sisters Pathway and Spooners Look

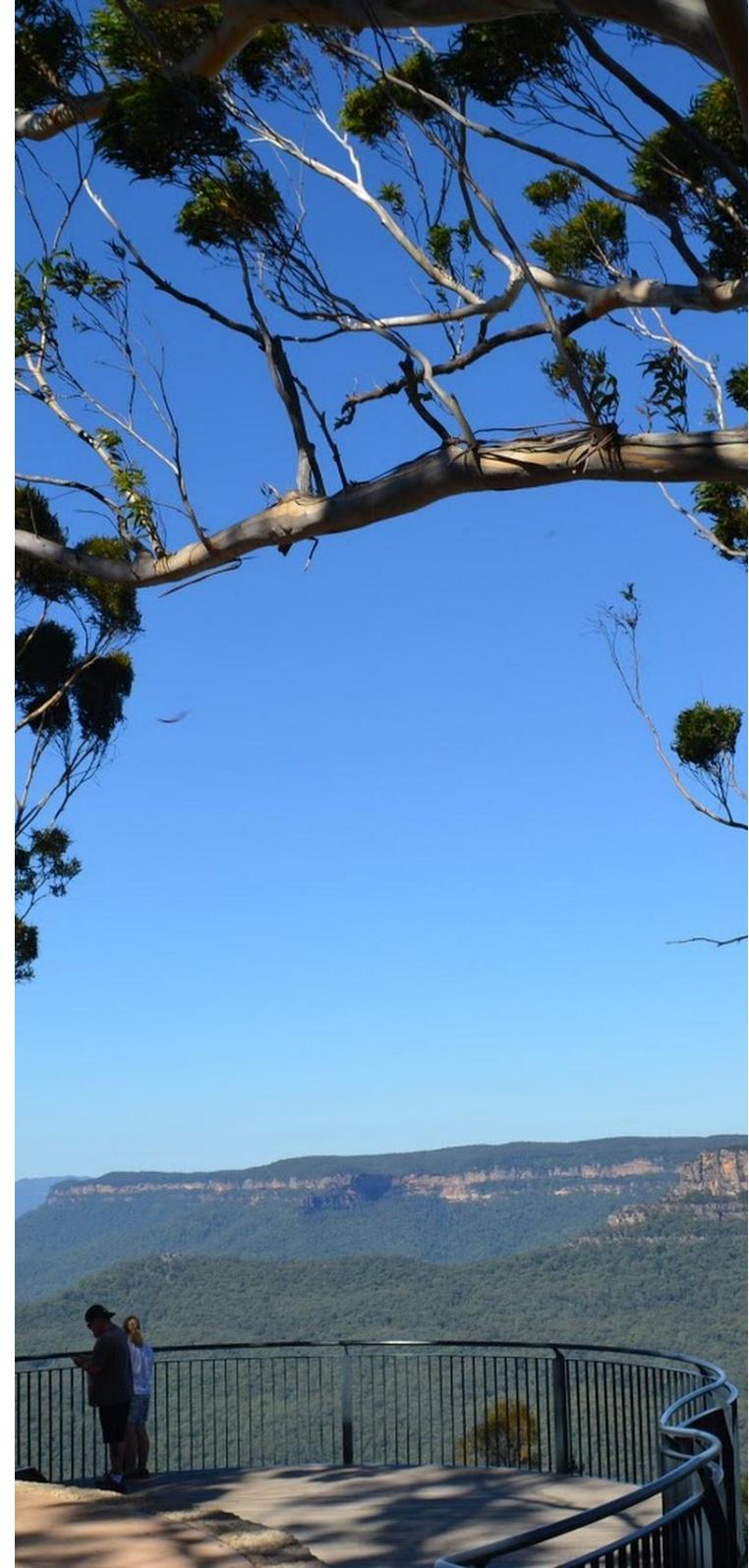
*(200 m 5 mins)* Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Three Sisters 400m' arrow downhill along the concrete path, keeping the valley to the right. After about 15m the walk leads past a stone seat (on the left), with a blue tongue lizard sculpture. The walk continues gently downhill for another 60m to pass another sandstone seat (on the left). From here the path winds gently downhill for another 70m to find yet another sandstone seat (on the left). The path continues downhill for another 45m to find a clear intersection marked with a large 'Three Sisters Walk' sign. On the right is a small flat loose gravel area with two seats.

#### 0.33 | Int of Prince Henry Cliff Track and the Three Sist

*(110 m 3 mins)* Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Three Sisters, Giant Stairway' sign moderately steeply downhill along the smooth concrete path. After about about 90m this path leads past stone seat (on the left) in a small sandstone overhang. Check the miniature cicada sculptures above the overhang. From here this walk continues downhill along the path for about 30m to find the fenced Oreades Lookout (on the right).

#### 0.44 | Oreades Lookout

Oreades Lookout is a fenced timber platform lookout beside the Three Sisters walk. There are great views of Mount Solitary and the Jamison Valley. There are filtered views to the Three Sisters, if you are sitting in a wheelchair, or if shorter than the handrails the views are limited.





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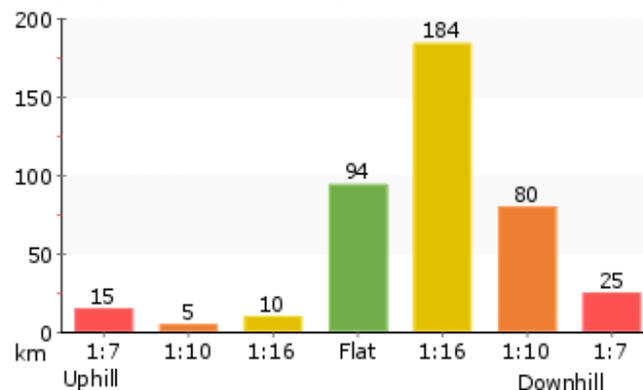
**Parking:** There are 1 designated accessible parking areas on this walk.

**Toilets:** There are 1 toilets on this walk.

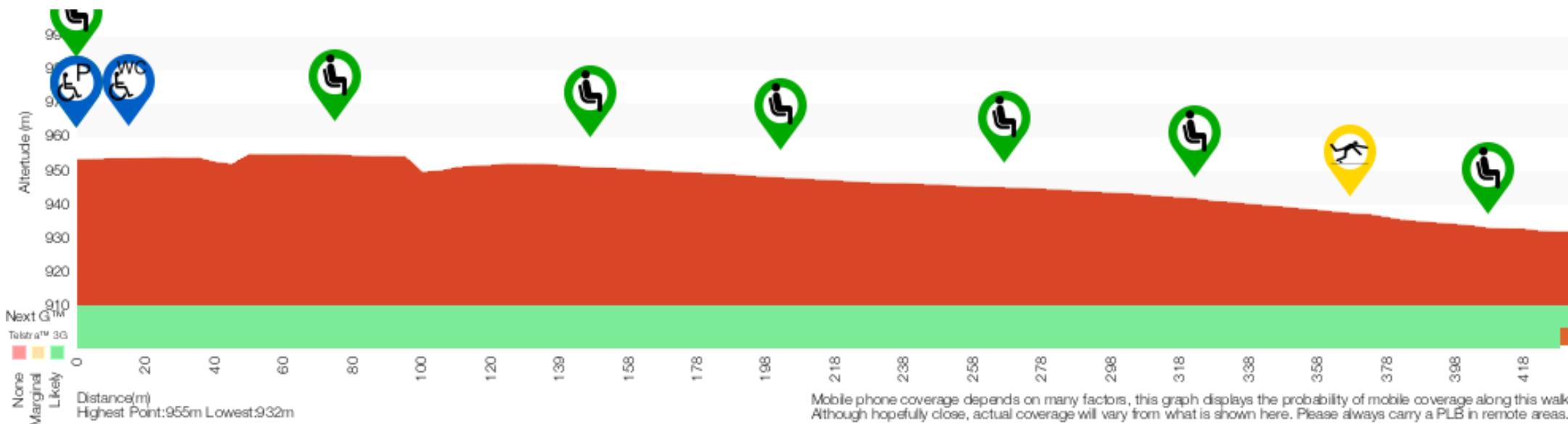
**Seats:** There are 5 seats on this walk. They are on average 100m apart, with a maximum gap of 150m.

**Surface**  
Smooth & hard surface the whole way,

**Steepness**  
Mostly gentle slopes down to lookout with one notable 25m section steeper than 1:12. This graph shows how steep the track is.



2		Grade 2/6 Easy track	
<b>Length</b>	872 m Return		
<b>Time</b>	30 mins		
<b>Quality of track</b>	Smooth and hardened path (1/6)		
<b>Signs</b>	Clearly signposted (1/6)		
<b>Experience Required</b>	No experience required (1/6)		
<b>Weather</b>	Weather generally has little impact on safety (1/6)		
<b>Infrastructure</b>	Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (1/6)		





**1 Seat (0m)**  
 Large concrete seat, no backrest. The seat is 40cm high, 1.5m deep and about 5.5m long. The height and depth vary slightly along the length.



**2 Seat (0m)**  
 Large concrete seat, no backrest. The seat is 40cm high, 1.5m deep and about 5.5m long. The height and depth vary slightly along the length.



**3 Parking Accessible (0m)**  
 There are three signposted mobility parking spaces. They are 3.8m wide and 5.5 deep. Smooth gentle ramp access from the parking area nearby facilities.



**4 Toilet Accessible (20m)**  
 Accessible unisex toilet and parents change room. MLAK key access, although gate may be locked after hours. Toilet has hand rails, there is a basin with soap and running water, mirror and baby change table.



**5 Seat (70m)**  
 An oval shaped seat on lookout platform. The seat has no backrest and is 46cm high, 1.3m deep and about 2.7m long. The seat is made of timber slats with concrete ends.



**6 Seat (150m)**  
 A curved sandstone seat beside the walking track. It has no backrest and it is 40cm high, 52cm deep and about 3.7m long. The seat has a rough chiselled sandstone finish. There is a small statue of a lizard on the end of the seat.



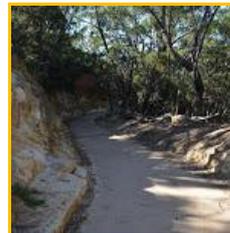
**7 Seat (200m)**  
 A curved sandstone seat beside the walking track. It has no backrest and it is 55cm high, 42cm deep and about 1.9m long. The seat has a slightly rough chiselled sandstone finish.



**8 Seat (270m)**  
 A curved sandstone seat beside the walking track. It has no backrest and it is 55cm high, 75cm deep and about 2.1m long. The seat has a slightly rough chiselled sandstone finish.



**9 Seat (320m)**  
 Two seats opposite a signposted intersection on a flat loose gravel platform. They have no backrest and are 53cm high, 47cm deep and about 1.5m long. The seats have a rough chiselled sandstone finish.



**10 Trip Hazard (370m)**  
 A particularly steep section of path greater than 6% (less than 1:12) approximately 25m long.



**11 Seat (410m)**  
 A curved seat below a small sandstone overhang/cave. The seat has no backrest and is 49cm high, 42cm deep and about 2m long. The seats have a chiselled sandstone finish.