

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Cycle Map



About this Cycle Map

This map has been produced in partnership with BCP Council and Beryl, our new Bike Hire operator. Our shared aim is to encourage more people to cycle more often. The Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole area is a beautiful place to cycle and by choosing this cheap, healthy and environmentally friendly form of transport you will be helping to reduce traffic congestion too.

We hope you find this map useful. It shows a network of routes recommended by cyclists, consisting of signed routes, quiet roads, traffic calmed areas and useful off-highway links.

The map also shows the locations of the preferred parking areas for Beryl's innovative new Bike Hire scheme. Beryl's distinctive emerald green bikes are a familiar sight on our streets and are available for instant hire via the Beryl App. New parking bays are being frequently added so please check the App for regular updates.

The Council continues to invest in facilities to help cyclists and there are over 250km of facilities across the BCP area. Many principal roads have features such as cycle lanes, advanced stop lines and 'Toucan' crossings, whilst cyclists can also use bus lanes.

The map also shows quieter routes recommended by cyclists as an alternative and these are marked in yellow. Green routes are traffic-free and are a mixture of shared-use paths, cycle tracks, riverside paths and official routes through parks. Note cycling on the promenade is permitted except between 10am-6pm in July and August.

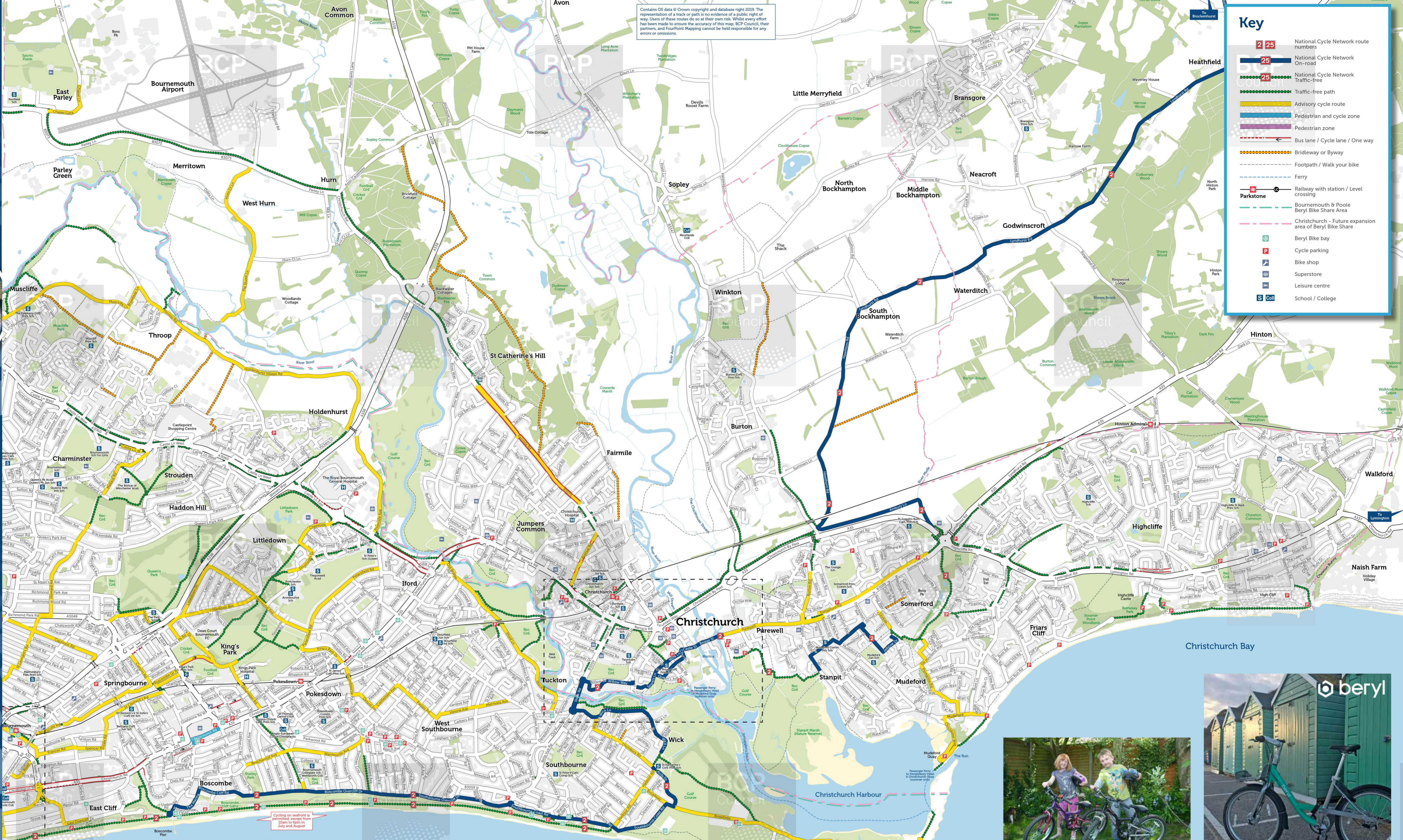
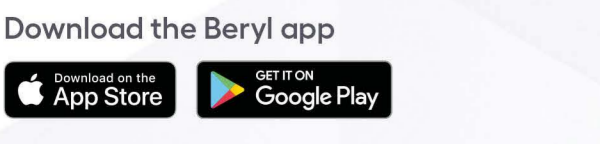
Happy Cycling!



- 1. Unlock**
Use our mobile app to unlock the bike.
- 2. Ride**
Have fun and be safe.
- 3. Park**
When possible, park in a Beryl Bay.
- 4. Lock**
Lock the bike to end your journey.

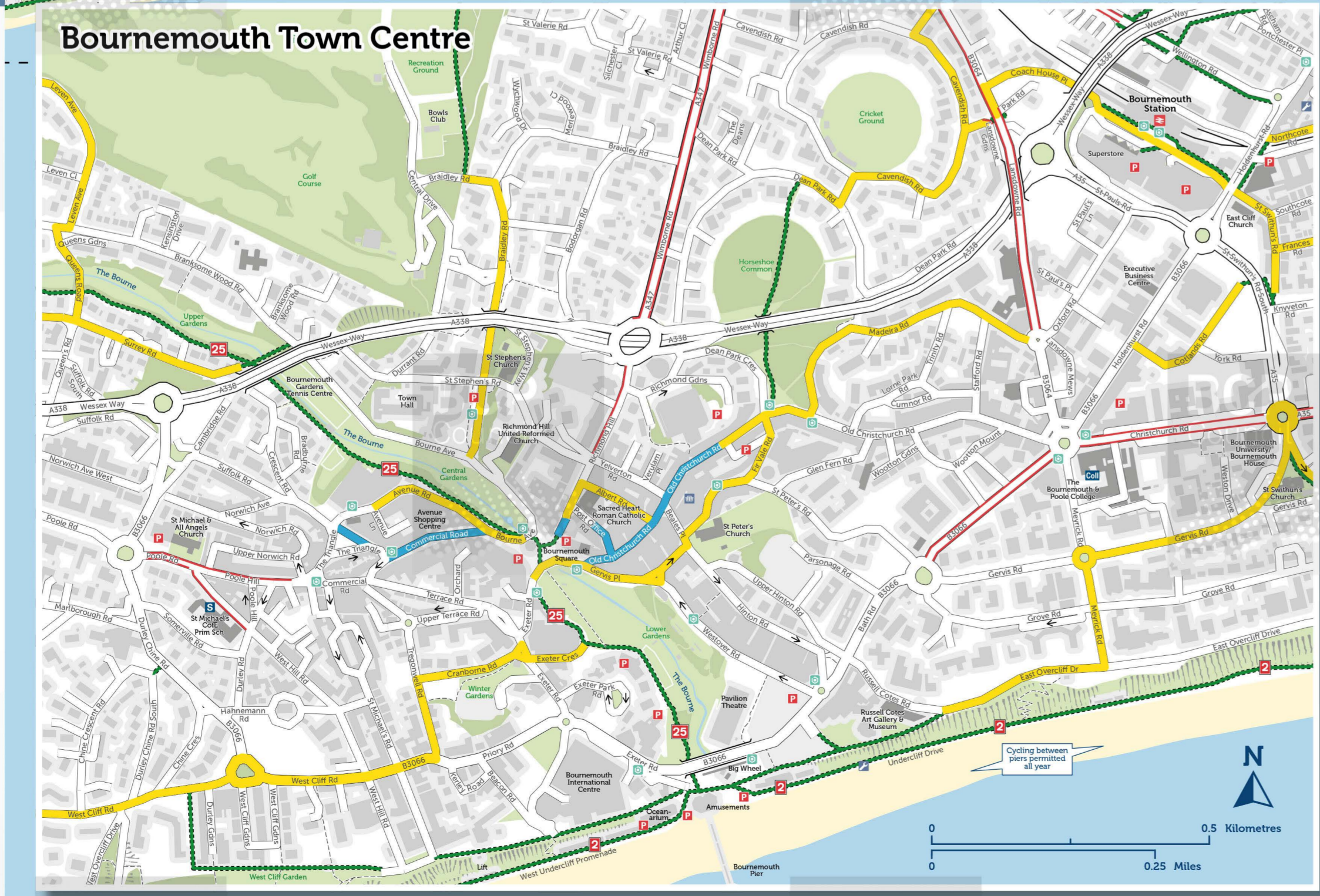
Choose how to pay for your rides: Pay-As-You-Ride, Minute Bundles, or with a Day Pass.

Want to find out more?
 Visit beryl.cc
 Look for the Beryl Bays on this map



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- Brideway or Byway
- Footpath / Walk your bike
- Ferry
- Railway with station / Level crossing
- Parkstone
- Bournemouth & Poole Beryl Bike Share Area
- Christchurch - Future expansion area of Beryl Bike Share
- Beryl Bike bay
- Cycle parking
- Bike shop
- Superstore
- Leisure centre
- School / College



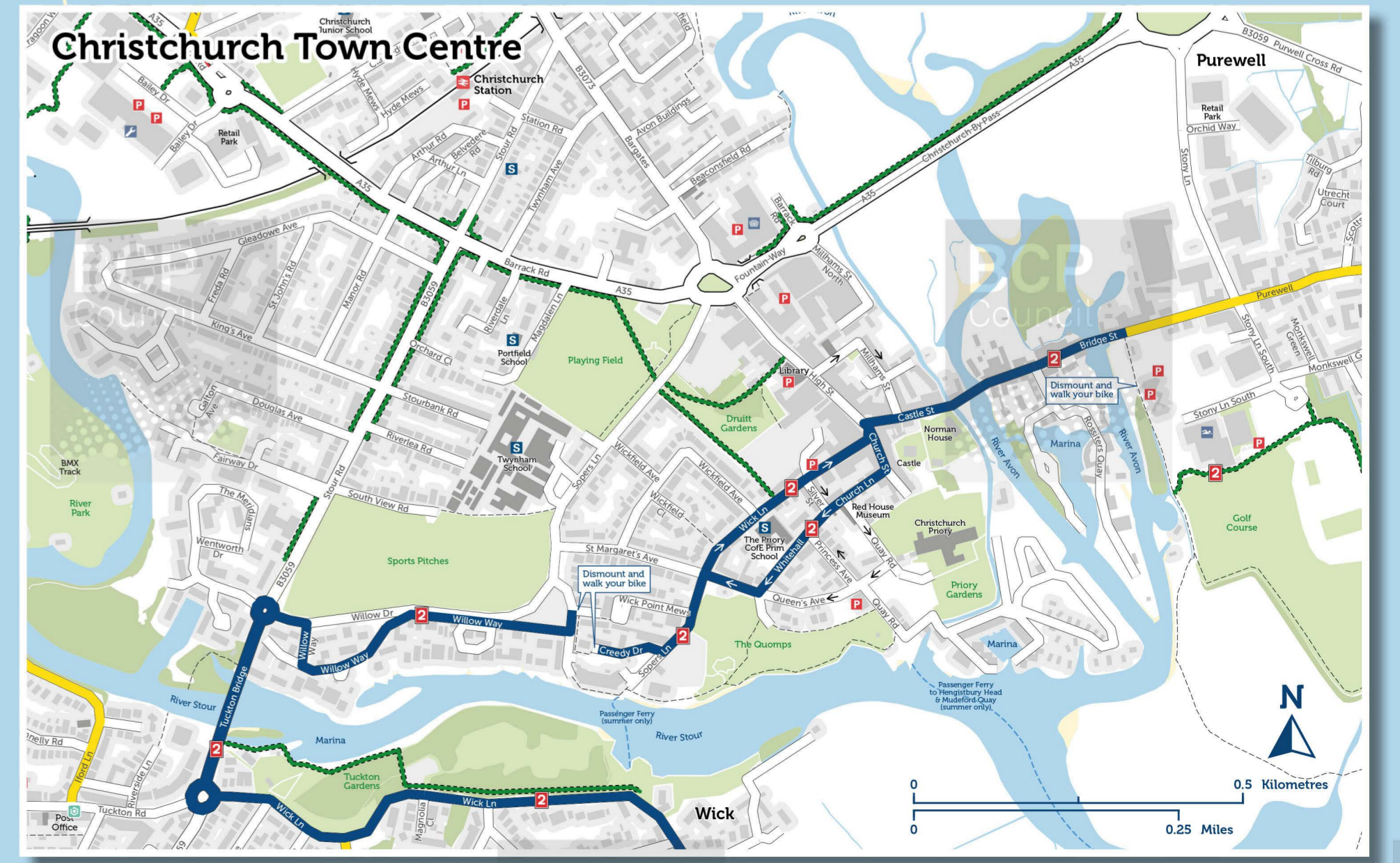
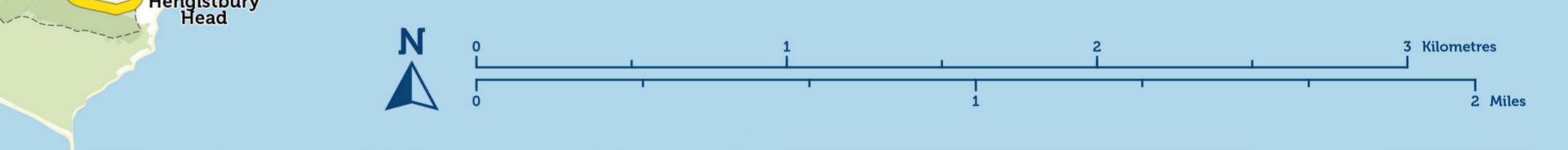
Free Bikeability courses for children

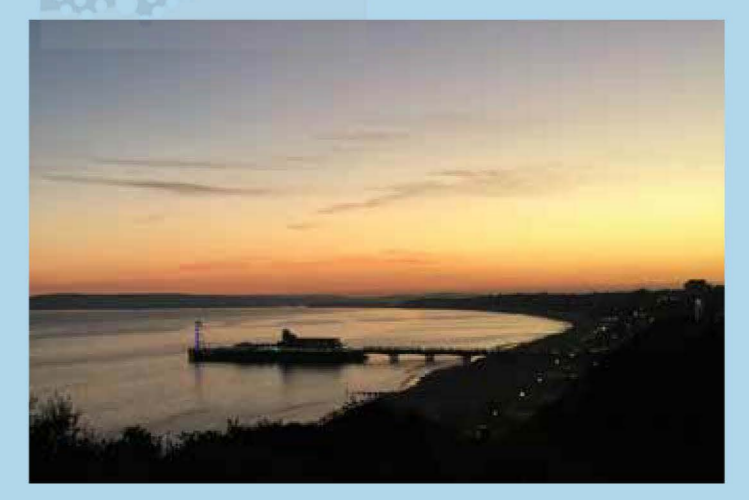
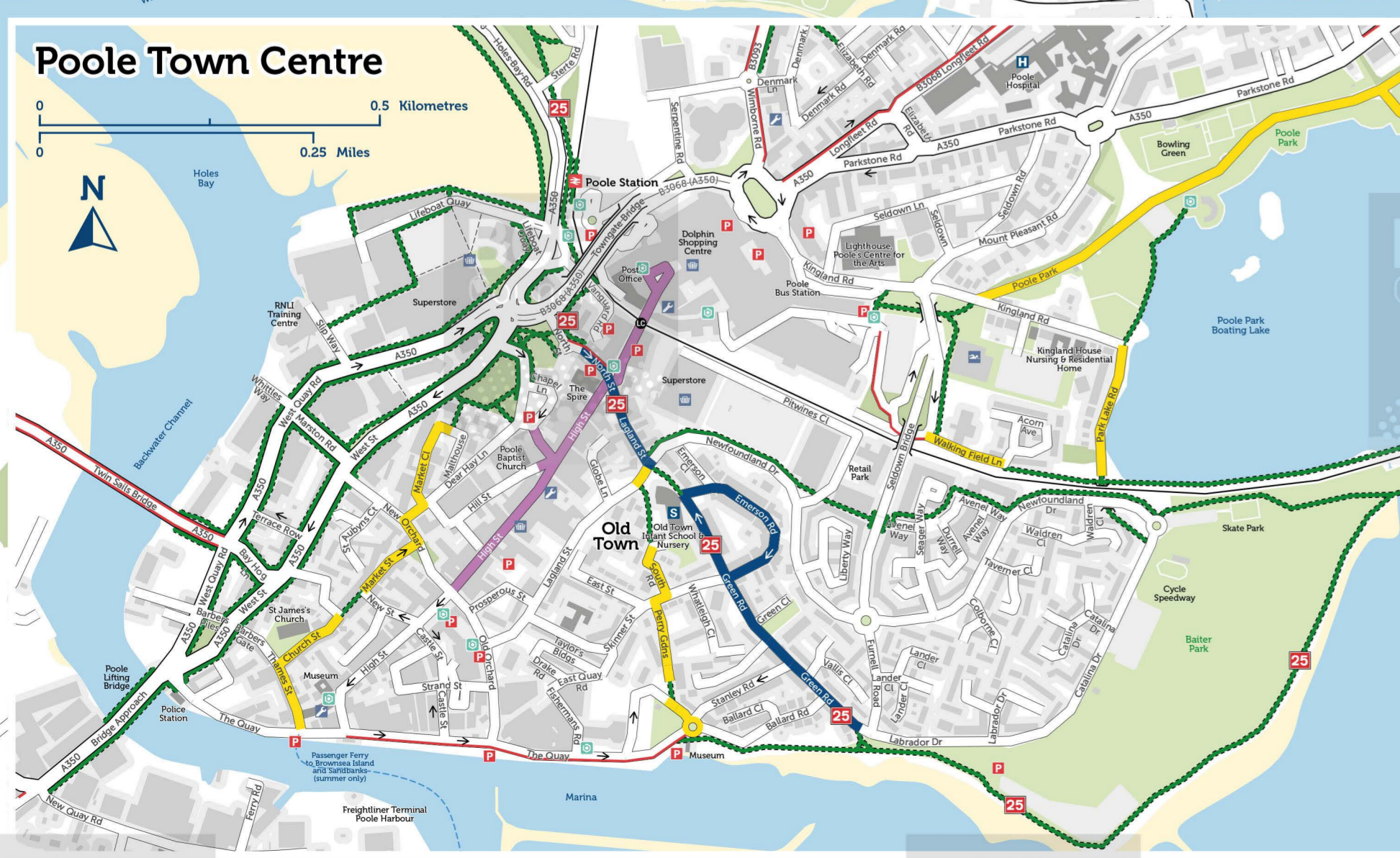
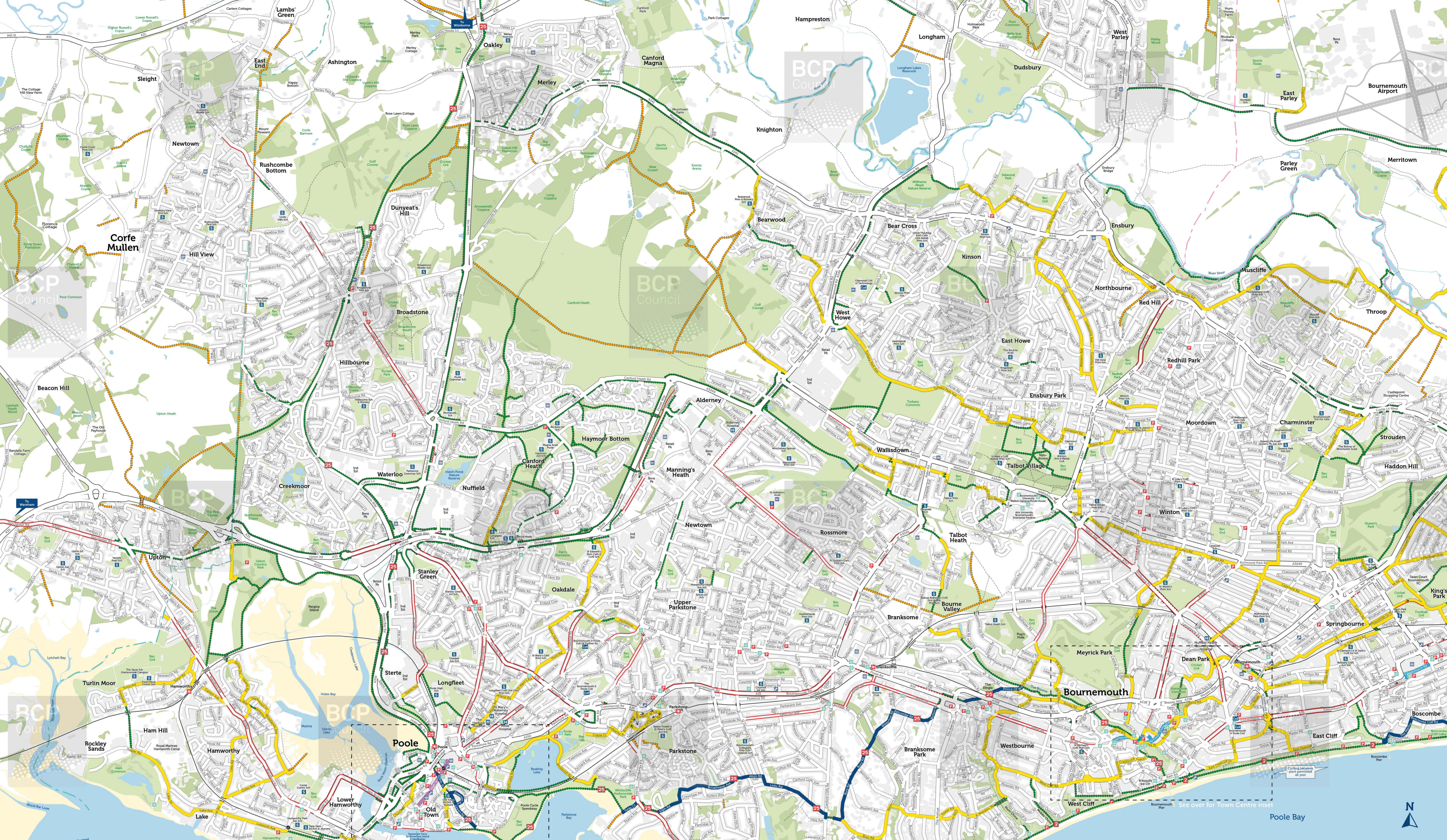
Cycling is brilliant for your kids – a fun and exciting way for them to get around! Rather than take the car, it makes the local journey to the park or the shops a real adventure (and helps them get the recommended 60 minutes of physical activity each day).

Bikeability training is cycling proficiency for the 21st Century. There are four levels of training designed to develop your child's skills with tuition provided by National Standard instructors. Training can begin from Reception with the levels designed to build the skills and confidence required so your teenager can cycle independently to Secondary School, their first job and beyond!

- Bikeability Balance** – helps children learn to ride a bike without stabilisers
- Level 1** – offers basic bike handling skills in a controlled environment away from roads
- Level 2** – teaches cycling on planned routes on minor roads offering real cycling experience
- Level 3** – ensures cyclists are able to manage all traffic conditions, including on more challenging busier roads.

For further information please visit bcpcouncil.gov.uk





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