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St. John's College and Museums Skywalk (YR-1472)

10 k and 5 k Walk Directions

This walk is at an elevation of ~7000 feet, and thus is above 3500 feet –

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There are lots of streets with no sidewalks on this walk. Please walk on the left, facing traffic. Don't forget to bring water during the summer months, especially. Beware of snow/ice/mud in the winter months.

Start Point Location: 491 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, NM 87505

1. Left a few feet from the door of the Visitor's Center (S/F), then turn right under the covered walkway, keeping the fountain to your right.
2. Left on the path next to the wall, exiting the patio.
3. Right on the dirt path just before reaching the sidewalk into the area in front of the San Miguel Chapel, the oldest church in the US and the home of a beautiful staircase. Exit to down the steps to Old Santa Fe Trail, and turn right.
4. Immediately turn right on DeVargas Street, passing the side of Upper Crust Pizza. Continue along DeVargas to the end of the white picket fence OYL.
5. Left on dirt pathway, with the El Castillo retirement community on your right.
6. Right on the intersecting pathway just before the pedestrian bridge over the Santa Fe River. Continue along the river side, crossing the entrance to El Castillo, keeping the Santa Fe River OYL.
7. At Paseo de Peralta, jog left, and cross the street at the light, continuing 1 block to Delgado Street. Santa Fe River OYR.
8. Right 3 blocks on Delgado, passing Canyon, Calle Corvo to Acequia Madre.
9. Left 9 blocks on Acequia Madre to a stop sign, walking on the dirt path on the right side of the street. This is the historic mother ditch, fed by the Santa Fe River. For 400 years, water rights owners along its course have used its waters for irrigation.
10. Cross Abeyta, continuing past the "wrong way" signs to the right curve, turning left about ½ block on Camino del Poniente.
11. Right 5 blocks on Camino del Monte Sol, passing El Caminito and Camino de Santander.
- 12. Upon reaching Garcia Street, if doing the 5 k turn right on Garcia Street, and resume directions at Number 35. If doing 10k continue past Callecita Mera, and Camino San Acacio.**
13. Left 4 blocks on Camino Cruz Blanca, passing Santa Fe Prep School. As the road curves to the right near the college, carefully cross over to the paved sidewalk on the right, and continue to the next intersection.
14. Right on Camino Cruz Blanco, then right at the Welcome to St. John's College sign at the entrance road in the direction of the visitor parking lot. Proceed toward the Petersen Student Center, passing the handicapped parking area, turn right on the sidewalk and head up the stairs towards the flagpole.
- 15. CP #1: What is the year listed on the plaque in front of the flagpole?**
16. Right at the top of the stairs, then curve right again past the shrubbery to a curved path heading back down towards a fountain. Levan Hall should be on your left, then turn right towards the fountain/pond heading back out the way you came into St. John's.

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17. As you approach the entrance, turn left on the driveway, proceed through the parking lot, then turn left on the dirt path towards the tennis court and playing fields. Bear to the right on the path where you see the picnic tables. Once at the picnic tables, turn right and walk w. the tennis courts to your right towards Camino Cruz Blanco.
18. Turn left on Camino Cruz Blanco. When you are opposite the entrance to Santa Fe Prep, turn left ducking under the vehicle gate towards the Carmelite Monastery compound, keeping the buildings on your left as you transit the gravel parking lot.
19. Left ½ block on Mount Carmel Road towards the historic ornate chapel w. beautiful tile work on its exterior.
20. Turn around and proceed on Mount Carmel Road towards the exit of the compound through the main entrance to Camino del Monte Sol (unmarked).
21. Turn left on Camino del Monte Sol for 1 block. Cross Old Santa Fe Trail.
22. Turn Right for 1 block on Old Santa Fe Trail. You will see the historic National Park Service Building designed by Cecil Doty and constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) out of adobe bricks in the 1930's on your left.
23. Turn left on Camino Lejo, passing the Santa Fe Trail sculpture on your right depicting a covered wagon.
24. Proceed through the gate of the Spanish Colonial Arts Museum, then turn right on the pathway with signs indicating a path to the other museums in the complex. (beige railings) . Cross the unmarked driveway. There will be sculptures along your route.
25. Once in the parking proceed left towards the entrance to the museum complex and take the stairs up to Milner Plaza.
26. Left along the plaza to the Museum of Indian Arts and Culture, passing the Museum Café on your left. Reverse direction, and proceed towards the Museum of International Folk Art, at the opposite end of the plaza. There is a labyrinth on your left w. an acoustical surprise at the center if you wish (distance not included in volksmarch).
27. Turn left just before the entrance of the Folk Art museum, and descend the stairs to the parking lot.
28. Turn right on the entrance road, leaving the parking lot, and follow as it curves to the right. About half way through the curve at the crosswalk, turn left, passing bleachers towards the Wainwright Museum of the American Indian. The museum was founded in 1937 by Mary Cabot Wheelwright to study and preserve the Navajo culture, and now includes exhibits relating to other Southwestern Pueblos as well.
29. Turn right and take the unpaved museum entrance back to the unmarked Camino Lejo. Turn left for ½ block.
30. Cross and then turn right on Camino Corrales, crossing Camino Lejo, passing Camino Pinones, Armenta and East Barcelona.
31. Cross Old Santa Fe Trail towards Amelia White Park, turning left diagonally and proceed through the rose arbor, passing benches w. famous quotations
32. At the end of the park, head back to and cross Old Santa Fe Trail.
33. Turn right and walk about 3 blocks to the Y intersection with Old Pecos Trail.
34. Cross Old Santa Fe Trail at intersection, and proceed about 7 ½ blocks back to the start point crossing Buena Vista, and Paseo de Peralta, returning to the Visitor Center.
- 35. 5k ONLY: Turn Right on Garcia and continue to intersection with Acequia Madre.**
- 36. Turn Left on Acequia Madre.**
- 37. Turn Right on Old Santa Fe Trail, crossing Paseo to Peralta to return to the Visitor Center.**

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