



Norman Bird Sanctuary

Directions to the Norman Bird Sanctuary

**583 Third Beach Road
Middletown, Rhode Island 02842
(401) 846-2577**

From Points North:

1. Take 128S/93S to 24S.
2. Follow 24S to Exit 1 (Newport Beaches), bear **Right** off the exit, and follow 138S through Portsmouth (about 7 miles).
3. After RI Nurseries on the right, take a **Left** onto 138A (Aquidneck Ave.) at the second set of lights. There is a Bank of America at this intersection.
4. Follow to first light (7-Eleven on right) and turn **Left** onto Green End Avenue.
5. Follow to four-way stop and turn **Right** onto Third Beach Road.
6. NBS entrance is .75 miles on the **Right**.

From Newport Bridge (138E):

1. Once over the bridge, follow the signs to Fall River and Cape Cod.
2. Take a **Left** at the end of the ramp that faces the Newport Grand Casino and proceed about 3 miles through 4 stop lights. (At the fourth stop light, there is a 7-Eleven). Continue **Straight** through the light.
3. At the four-way stop sign, take a **Right** onto Third Beach Road.
4. NBS entrance is .75 miles on the **Right**.

From Downtown Newport (Visitor's Center):

1. Follow America's Cup Ave. south to Memorial Blvd.
2. Continue East on Memorial Blvd., past Easton's Beach
3. After the beach, bear right before the traffic light (Purgatory Rd.)
4. When you see the ocean, bear **Right** towards Second Beach (Sachuest Rd.)
5. In less than a mile, bear **Left** at a wooden gazebo (Hanging Rock Rd.)
Note: if your students are taking a Geology program, make sure they get to see Hanging Rock from the bus window.
6. At the next stop sign, turn **Left** on Third Beach Rd.
7. You will see the Sanctuary in less than a half mile on your **Left**.