



The Alum Works

Present day Ravenscar

n avenscar isn't just a reminder of the past; it's a very important site for other reasons too. Take some binoculars with you and look out to sea, you're likely to get a glimpse of fulmars, herring gulls, cormorants, gannets and probably the odd seal too, all taking advantage of this quiet coastal stretch.

The National Trust Coastal Centre at Ravenscar is a great place to find out more about the area. Interpretation at the centre focuses on the story of alum production and the ambitious plans to develop a new town.

Ravenscar is situated in the North York Moors National Park, where you'll find some of the most beautiful scenery in Britain. Ravenscar is also part of the North Yorkshire and Cleveland Heritage Coast – an area of outstanding natural beauty and wildlife, with traditional fishing villages and magnificent historical sites.

The 109 mile (176km) long Cleveland Way National Trail (www.clevelandway.gov.uk) passes through Ravenscar. The village is also on the route of the North Sea Trail, an international network of footpaths around the spectacular scenery of the North Sea Coast.





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