



Iron Trail

Iron Trail (North Canaan – Canaan/Falls Village)

Length: 2.4 miles

Lowest elevation: 1354 ft

Highest Elevation: 1592 ft

Surface: unimproved woods road

Difficulty: Difficult

Parking: Beckley Furnace in North Canaan and Wangum Road in Canaan/Falls Village.

The Blue-Blazed Iron Trail maintained by Connecticut Forest & Park Association ascends the north flank of Canaan Mountain into Housatonic State Forest and one of the largest, forested upland regions in the State. From the parking lot at the Historic Beckley Furnace in North Canaan, the trail crosses the Blackberry river and climbs the escarpment of the mountain to the broad plateau along an old cart trail. The terminus of the trail in Canaan/Falls Village is another Parking area on Wangum Rd, so those not wishing to return to Beckley Furnace have the option of leaving another car at this point.

[Manager Information](#)

[Trail Map](#)

