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Formal recreational activities on Haytor.

We get lots of people coming here for more organised recreational pursuits. Climbing, obviously, is very popular on the tor, and generally it doesn't need too much management but we do ask for organised groups, that's groups of six or more people, to book with the Authority, so we know when they're going to climb, and this isn't just for our benefit, but it does mean that if you've got three or four groups coming up at one point in time they're not clashing and its better managed. The other activity that's popular across Dartmoor is off road mountain biking and unfortunately there isn't any opportunity on Haytor Down specifically for that but obviously you can go up and down the roads and you get just as good a feel for the area on the road as you probably would off road.