

## Butterflies of Llanymynech Hill

FLIGHT TIMES	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Winter	Caterpillar Food Plants	Status	Habitat	
Dark Green Fritillary							█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Violet	Local	Unimproved damp grasslands
Silver-washed Fritillary							█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Common Dog Violet	Local	Ride & tracks, often on bramble flowe
Pearl-bordered Fritillary				█	█	█								Caterpillar	Violet	BAP Species - Very Local	Newly coppiced areas & ride
Small Pearl-bordered Fritillary				█	█	█	█							Caterpillar	Violet	BAP Species - Very Local	Damper, grassy meadows
Red Admiral	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	Butterfly	Common Nettle, Hop	Widespread	Flowery meadows & orchards
Comma			█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Butterfly	Common Nettle, Hop, Elms, Currants	Widespread	Woodland rides and glades
Painted Lady				█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Migrant	Thistles	Common Migrant	Sunny, open habitats with thistles
Peacock		█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█				Butterfly	Common Nettle	Widespread	Woodland rides and glades
Small Tortoiseshell			█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Butterfly	Nettle	Widespread	Open areas, often near nettles
Gatekeeper							█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Grasses	Widespread	Hedgerows, grassy areas, woodland
Meadow Brown						█	█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Grasses	Widespread	Flowery open grasslands & woodland rides
Grayling							█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Fine Grasses	BAP Species - Very Local	Quarries, screes and brownfield sites
Wall Brown					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Fine Grasses	BAP Species - Very Local	Quarries, screes and brownfield sites
Ringlet							█	█	█	█				Caterpillar	Coarse Grasses	Widespread	Field margins and scrub
Speckled Wood			█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Cat / Pupa	Grasses	Widespread	Dappled rides & glades
Small Heath					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Fine Grasses	Widespread	Open grassland and heathland areas
Dingy Skipper					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Common Bird's foot-trefoil	BAP Species	Brownfield sites with open swards
Grizzled Skipper					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Strawberry, Bramble, Cinquefoil	BAP Species	Sunny rides, short turf and bare
Small Skipper						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Grasses	Widespread	Grassy areas and meadows
Large Skipper						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Grasses	Widespread	Ride margins and scrub
Common Blue						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Common Bird's foot-trefoil, Clovers	Widespread	Unimproved grasslands
Holly Blue					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Holly	Widespread	Seen around bushes and small trees
Brown Argus						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Cranesbills, Common Stork's-bill	Rare at Llanymynech	Flowery meadows
Small Copper						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Caterpillar	Common Sorrel, Sheep's Sorrel, Dock	Widespread	Flowery pastures, heathlan
Green Hairstreak						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Gorse, Broom, Bird's foot-trefoil	Widespread	Scrubby areas, heathland, uplan
White-letter Hairstreak							█	█	█	█	█	█		Egg	Elms	BAP Underrecorded	Strongly associated with Elm trees
Large White					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Cruciferae	Widespread	Open clearings, flowery meadows
Small White				█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Cruciferae	Widespread	Open clearings, flowery meadows
Green-veined White					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Cruciferae	Widespread	Damp meadows, woodland rides
Orange-tip					█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Pupa	Cruciferae	Widespread	Damp meadows, woodland rides
Brimstone			█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Butterfly	Alder, Blackthorn	Rare at Llanymynech	Scrubby areas, ride edges
Clouded Yellow						█	█	█	█	█	█	█		Migrant	Legumes	Widespread	Flowery meadows