



Rydon

## 12. Rydon, Devon

Well away from the holiday hoi polloi, this 15th-century barn conversion sits at the top of its own one-mile drive in the Haldon Hills between Dartmoor and Exeter. Beautifully restored, the contemporary three-bedroom cottage is a blend of vaulted beams and flagstone floors, chunky wooden tables and exposed stone walls. A snug with a huge fireplace is the star turn upstairs. Outside is a large, mature garden, where a pool house (the water is heated) has fireside views over the Teign Valley.

**Details** Seven nights' self-catering for six from £1,250 ([uniquehomestays.com](https://www.uniquehomestays.com))