



From 30 August

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We're making some changes to late night journeys, with buses running through the night on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

There will also be later evening journeys from Ashton and Manchester on Sundays and public holidays.

We're also adding an extra Monday to Friday morning journey at 0509 from Manchester.

Bus



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 Easy access on all buses

Ashton-under-Lyne

Audenshaw

Droylsden

Clayton

Ancoats

Manchester

Including Monday to Friday early morning/
early evening journeys to/from Stalybridge

From 30 August 2026

For public transport information
visit **beenetwork.com**

or phone **0161 244 1000**

7am – 8pm Mon to Fri

8am – 8pm Sat, Sun & public holidays



This timetable is also available at **beenetwork.com**

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Other formats

To ask for leaflets to be sent to you, or to request large print, Braille or recorded information phone **0161 244 1000** or visit **beenetwork.com**

Easy access on buses



All buses have no steps at the entrance, making getting on and off easier. Low floor buses have a ramp for access and a dedicated space for wheelchairs and pushchairs inside the bus. Ask the driver for any assistance you require.

Using this timetable

Timetables show the direction of travel, bus numbers and the days of the week. Main stops on the route are listed on the left. Where no time is shown against a particular stop, it means the bus does not stop there on that journey.

Check any letters which are shown in the timetable against the key at the bottom of the page.

Where to find information about service changes

Visit **beenetwork.com** or download the Bee Network app.

Check the service change posters displayed in the bus station or pick up a service change leaflet from your local library, town hall, shops, post office, community centre and lots of other places.

Lost property

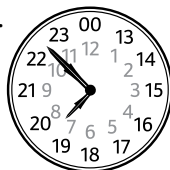
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Using the 24 hour clock

Times are shown in four figures. The first two are the hour and the last two are the minutes.

0753 is 53 minutes past 7am morning.

1953 is 53 minutes past 7pm evening.



Information and tickets

There's a range of tickets to use on buses and multi-modal tickets for buses, trams and trains. For more information on which is the best ticket for you, visit **beenetwork.com**, download the Bee Network app or call into one of our information and ticket offices in bus stations where the team will provide you with journey planning advice on buses, trams and trains.

Ashton-under-Lyne Interchange

Monday to Friday: 7am – 5.30pm
Saturday: 8.30am – 1.15pm and 2pm – 4pm
Sunday and public holidays: Closed

Manchester Shudehill Interchange

Monday to Saturday: 7am – 6pm
Sunday and public holidays: 8.30am – 4pm

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Ashton — Droylsden — Clayton — Manchester

Including some Monday to Friday early morning journeys from Stalybridge

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Mondays to Fridays

Stalybridge, Bus Station										0632					0659				
Ashton Interchange	0426	0446	0506	0526	0546	0556	0606	0616	0626	0634	0642	0649	0657	0705	0714	0724	0734	0744	0754
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0437	0457	0517	0537	0557	0607	0618	0628	0638	0646	0654	0701	0709	0721	0730	0740	0750	0800	0810
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	0447	0507	0529	0549	0609	0619	0630	0640	0650	0658	0706	0713	0721	0737	0746	0756	0806	0816	0826
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0457	0517	0539	0559	0620	0630	0641	0651	0701	0709	0719	0726	0734	0753	0802	0812	0822	0832	0842
Ashton Interchange	0804	0814	0824	0834	0844	0856	0908	0920	0931	and	1431	1442	1453	1504	1515	1525	1535	1545	
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0820	0830	0840	0849	0859	0911	0922	0934	0945	every	1445	1456	1507	1518	1529	1540	1550	1600	
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	0836	0846	0856	0905	0915	0923	0934	0946	0957	12 mins	1457	1508	1519	1530	1541	1552	1602	1612	
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0852	0902	0912	0919	0929	0937	0948	1000	1011	until	1511	1526	1537	1548	1559	1610	1620	1630	
Ashton Interchange	1555	1605	1615	1624	1633	1642	1651	1700	1710	1720	1730	1740	1750	1800	1811	1823	1835	1850	1905
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1610	1620	1630	1639	1648	1657	1706	1715	1725	1735	1745	1755	1805	1813	1824	1836	1846	1901	1915
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	1622	1632	1642	1651	1700	1709	1718	1727	1737	1747	1757	1807	1815	1823	1834	1846	1856	1911	1924
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1640	1650	1700	1709	1716	1725	1734	1743	1753	1803	1813	1823	1831	1839	1850	1902	1912	1923	1935
							ThF	ThF	ThF	ThF									
Ashton Interchange	1920	and		2205	2235	2335	0040	0140	0240	0340									
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1930	every		2215	2245	2345	0048	0148	0247	0348									
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	1939	15 mins		2224	2254	2354	0056	0156	0256	0356									
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1950	until		2235	2305	0005	0106	0206	0306	0406									

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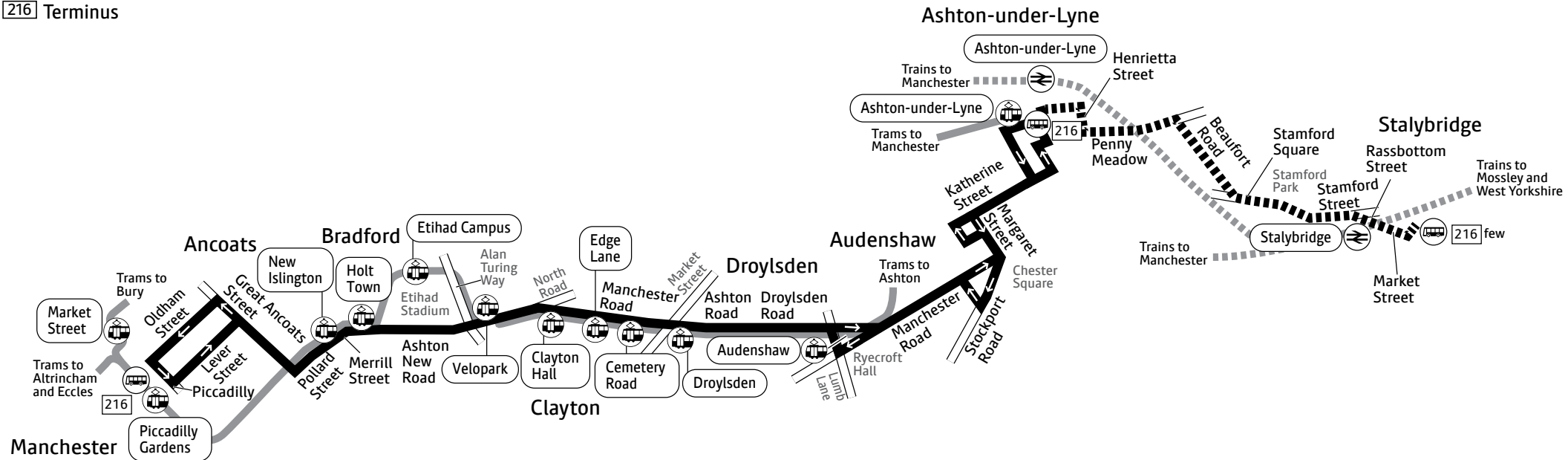
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Continues after route plan

- Key
- Bus route
 - Some Monday to Friday peak period journeys
 - Train line
 - Tram line
 - Direction of travel
 - Bus station/connection point
 - Train station
 - Metrolink stop
 - 216 Terminus



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Saturdays

Ashton Interchange	0435	0524	0554	0614	0634	0654	0709	0724	0738	0751	0805	0820	0835	0850	0905	0920	0934	0946	0958
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0446	0535	0605	0625	0645	0705	0720	0735	0749	0802	0819	0834	0849	0904	0919	0934	0948	1000	1012
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	0454	0545	0615	0635	0655	0715	0730	0745	0759	0812	0829	0844	0859	0914	0929	0944	0958	1010	1022
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0504	0555	0625	0645	0705	0725	0740	0755	0810	0823	0840	0855	0910	0925	0940	0955	1009	1021	1033

Ashton Interchange	1010	1022	1034	1046	and	1822	1835	1850	1905	and	2105	2135	2205	2235	2335	0040	0140
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1024	1036	1048	1100	every	1836	1846	1901	1916	every	2116	2146	2216	2246	2346	0048	0148
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	1034	1046	1058	1110	12 mins	1846	1856	1910	1925	15 mins	2125	2155	2225	2255	2355	0056	0156
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1045	1057	1109	1123	until	1859	1909	1923	1936	until	2136	2206	2236	2306	0006	0106	0206

Ashton Interchange	0240	0340
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0248	0348
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	0256	0356
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0306	0406

Sundays and public holidays (except Christmas and New Year period and Good Fridays)

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Ashton Interchange	0440	0534	0604	0634	0704	0734	0800	0820	0840	0900	0920	0940	1000	1013	1026	1039	and	1354
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0448	0545	0615	0645	0715	0745	0811	0831	0851	0912	0932	0952	1013	1026	1039	1052	every	1407
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	0456	0555	0625	0655	0725	0755	0821	0841	0901	0923	0943	1003	1024	1037	1050	1103	15 mins	1418
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0506	0605	0635	0705	0735	0805	0831	0851	0911	0934	0954	1014	1035	1048	1101	1118	until	1433

Ashton Interchange	1409	and	1709	1725	1740	1800	1820	1840	1905	and	2135	2205	2235	2335
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1421	every	1721	1737	1752	1810	1830	1850	1915	every	2145	2213	2243	2343
Ashton New Road/Alan Turing Way	1432	15 mins	1732	1748	1803	1821	1841	1901	1924	30 mins	2154	2221	2251	2351
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1447	until	1747	1803	1818	1835	1855	1912	1935	until	2205	2231	2301	0001

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Mondays to Fridays

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Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0410	0509	0529	0549	0609	0629	0639	0649	0659	0709	0719	0726	0733	0740	0747	0755	0803	0811	0820
Velopark Metrolink Stop	0418	0519	0539	0559	0619	0639	0649	0659	0709	0719	0731	0738	0745	0752	0759	0807	0815	0823	0832
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0426	0527	0547	0607	0627	0647	0657	0707	0720	0730	0742	0749	0756	0803	0810	0818	0826	0834	0843
Ashton Interchange	0436	0538	0558	0618	0638	0659	0709	0719	0732	0742	0754	0801	0808	0817	0824	0832	0840	0848	0857
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0829	0838	0847	0854	0902	0910	0918	0928	0937	0947	0957	1007	1017	1028	and		1352	1404	1416
Velopark Metrolink Stop	0841	0850	0859	0906	0913	0921	0929	0939	0948	0958	1008	1018	1028	1039	every		1403	1416	1428
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0852	0901	0910	0917	0924	0932	0940	0950	0959	1009	1019	1029	1039	1050	12 mins		1414	1427	1439
Ashton Interchange	0906	0915	0924	0931	0938	0946	0954	1004	1013	1023	1033	1043	1053	1104	until		1428	1441	1456
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1428	1440	1452	1504	1516	1528	1540	1552	1604	1617	1628	1638	1648	1658	1708	1718	1728	1738	1748
Velopark Metrolink Stop	1440	1452	1504	1519	1531	1543	1555	1607	1619	1632	1643	1653	1703	1713	1723	1733	1743	1753	1803
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1452	1504	1516	1531	1545	1557	1609	1621	1633	1646	1657	1707	1717	1727	1737	1745	1755	1805	1815
Ashton Interchange	1509	1521	1533	1548	1602	1614	1627	1639	1651	1704	1715	1725	1735	1745	1755	1803	1813	1822	1832
Stalybridge, Bus Station																			
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1758	1808	1818	1828	1838	1848	1858	1908	1918	1928	1940	1955	2010	2025	2040	2055	2110	2125	2140
Velopark Metrolink Stop	1813	1820	1830	1840	1850	1900	1910	1920	1928	1938	1950	2005	2020	2035	2050	2105	2120	2135	2150
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1825	1832	1841	1851	1901	1910	1920	1930	1938	1948	2000	2014	2029	2044	2059	2114	2129	2144	2159
Ashton Interchange	1842	1847	1856	1906	1914	1923	1933	1943	1951	2001	2013	2027	2042	2057	2112	2125	2140	2155	2210
Stalybridge, Bus Station	1854	1908																	
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Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	2155	2210	2225	2240	2310	0010	0110	0210	0310										
Velopark Metrolink Stop	2205	2220	2235	2250	2320	0020	0118	0218	0318										
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	2213	2228	2243	2258	2328	0028	0126	0226	0326										
Ashton Interchange	2224	2239	2254	2309	2339	0039	0136	0236	0336										

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Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0410	0509	0609	0630	0650	0710	0730	0745	0800	0815	0830	0845	0900	0915	0928	0940	0952	1004	1016
Velopark Metrolink Stop	0418	0519	0619	0640	0700	0720	0740	0755	0810	0825	0840	0855	0911	0926	0939	0951	1003	1015	1027
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0426	0527	0627	0648	0708	0728	0748	0803	0818	0833	0848	0903	0922	0937	0950	1002	1014	1026	1038
Ashton Interchange	0436	0538	0638	0659	0719	0739	0759	0815	0830	0845	0900	0915	0935	0950	1003	1015	1027	1039	1051

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1028	and		1828	1840	1852	1904	1916	1928	1941	1956	and		2126	2141	2211	2241	2311	0010
Velopark Metrolink Stop	1039	every		1839	1851	1903	1914	1926	1938	1951	2006	every		2136	2151	2221	2251	2321	0020
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1050	12 mins		1850	1902	1913	1924	1936	1948	2001	2016	15 mins		2146	2201	2231	2301	2331	0028
Ashton Interchange	1103	until		1903	1914	1925	1936	1948	2000	2013	2028	until		2158	2212	2242	2312	2342	0039

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0110	0210	0310
Velopark Metrolink Stop	0118	0218	0318
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0126	0226	0326
Ashton Interchange	0136	0236	0336

Sundays and public holidays (except Christmas and New Year period and Good Fridays)

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Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0410	0510	0610	0640	0710	0740	0810	0835	0855	0915	0935	0955	1010	1025	1040	1055	and		1725
Velopark Metrolink Stop	0418	0518	0620	0650	0720	0750	0820	0845	0905	0925	0945	1005	1021	1036	1051	1106	every		1736
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0426	0526	0628	0658	0728	0758	0828	0853	0915	0935	0955	1015	1031	1046	1101	1118	15 mins		1748
Ashton Interchange	0436	0536	0639	0709	0739	0809	0839	0904	0927	0947	1007	1027	1043	1058	1115	1132	until		1802

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1740	1755	1810	1825	1840	1900	1920	1940	2010	2040	2110	2140	2210	2240	2310	0010			
Velopark Metrolink Stop	1750	1805	1820	1835	1850	1910	1930	1950	2020	2050	2120	2150	2220	2250	2320	0018			
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1801	1816	1831	1846	1903	1920	1940	2000	2030	2100	2128	2158	2228	2258	2328	0026			
Ashton Interchange	1815	1830	1845	1900	1914	1931	1951	2011	2041	2111	2139	2209	2239	2309	2339	0036			

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