

# Ashton Canal Cycleway



10km traffic-free canal-side route from Ashton-under-Lyne to Manchester city centre



40-minute cycle time\*



4km route from Guide Bridge and Audenshaw to Ashton town centre

Sections of newly resurfaced canal towpath

Improved link to Guide Bridge rail station through shared-use footway

New traffic-free route across Stelfox Park

6km of towpath with new solar-powered stud lighting

## Links



Manchester city centre

Ancoats

Etihad Stadium

National Cycling Centre

Clayton

Droylsden

Guide Bridge

Ashton-under-Lyne town centre and station

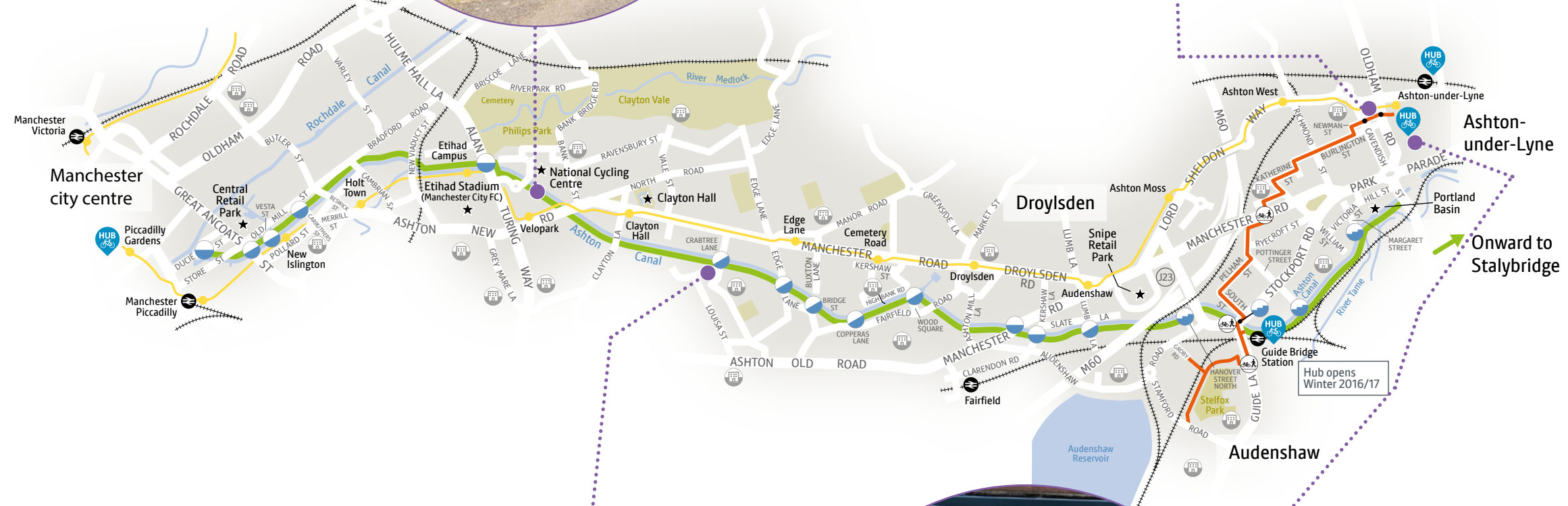
- Ashton Canal Cycleway
- New signed cycle link between Ashton-under-Lyne and Audenshaw
- Cycle Hub
- Pedestrian and cyclist crossing
- Access to canal (level)
- Access to canal (ramp)
- Access to canal (steps)
- Metrolink line and stop
- Railway and station
- Point of interest
- School
- River/canal



Links to the National Cycling Centre



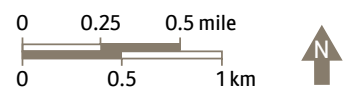
New traffic signals specifically for cyclists



6km of LED solar-powered lighting along the canal towpath



Secure bike parking



\* cycle time is based on 4 minutes per km travel rate (15kph) and rounded to nearest 5 minutes



# Ashton Canal Cycleway

Ashton Canal Cycleway is a traffic-free route that takes you along the recently upgraded Ashton Canal towpath between Ashton-under-Lyne town centre and Manchester city centre.

The cycleway is an ideal alternative route to Ashton New Road and Manchester Road, running past the Droylsden Academy, the National Cycling Centre and Etihad Stadium.

It has newly resurfaced sections and also incorporates new solar-powered stud lighting along 6km of towpath.

For more information visit [www.tfgm.com/cycleways](http://www.tfgm.com/cycleways)



# Greater Manchester Cycleways

Cycling is a quick and easy way to get around and, with six new cycleways to explore, there's never been a better time to get on your bike.

Whether you're on the daily commute, nipping to the shops or enjoying a family day out, Greater Manchester's Cycleways are an ideal way to travel.

The new routes give cyclists more space as some are separated from traffic and others are completely traffic-free, making it easier to get around Greater Manchester.

It's time to discover Greater Manchester by bike.

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Making travel by bike easier in Greater Manchester



# Cycle Hubs

- Park your bike with confidence at one of our Cycle Hubs, located at key public transport locations across the region.
- Cycle Hubs offer sheltered bike storage, with CCTV and swipe card entry.



# Training

- We can get you on your way with our FREE adult training sessions to help improve your confidence on two wheels.
- Great for everyone, from beginners to advanced cyclists, on off-road routes and in rush hour traffic.



# Cycle maps

- Our cycle maps show the cycle networks in each of the 10 Greater Manchester districts.
- The maps also include details of bike parking, nearby cycle shops and key points of interest.
- PDF versions of the cycle maps are available to download from our website. You can also request printed copies of the maps from the TfGM cycling team.
- The full Greater Manchester cycle map can also be viewed on our website.

Whether you want to join the Cycle Hub scheme, book a training session, check out our cycle maps, get in touch with the TfGM cycling team and more, visit [www.tfgm.com/cycling](http://www.tfgm.com/cycling).

More than 45km of new and improved cycleways delivered by our Cycle City programme



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