



Merseytravel

Specification

For the Provision of Subsidised Bus Services

Contact No: T4989
Service No(s): 217
Between: Halewood
And: Huyton

Start Date: 19/01/2020
Termination Date: 24/01/2021

This schedule contains the specification and plans (if any) which set out Merseytravel's minimum requirements under the Contract concerning the route and stopping places, timing and capacity, vehicle features and passenger facilities, fare levels and fare stages and other such details as may be prescribed.

1. Route and Timetable

(a) Specified route(s)
The specified route(s) is (are) as set out below:-

(b) Stopping Places
The Stopping Places are set out below:-

All designated Stopping places must be observed.

2. Timing and Capacity

The Service operated by the Bus Operator shall meet the following minimum requirements concerning the period of operation, hours of operation, frequency and capacity:

Period of Operation	Hours of Operation	Minimum Frequency	Minimum Capacity	Number of Vehicles
Mon - Fri	0630 - 0657	1 jny	20+1	2
Sat	0614 - 0757	2 jnys	W/chair	
			per	
			jny	

Intermediate timing points will be the timed locations as shown in the timetable unless otherwise agreed after the tender stage. Fare stages may also be agreed after the tender stage.

Relevant fare tables will be forwarded to the successful Bus Operator on award.

3. **Christmas, New Year, Bank and Public Holidays**

The current Service levels required by Merseytravel under this Contract are:

Christmas Eve	Normal service until 2030 hours
Christmas Day (Public Holiday)	No service
Boxing Day (Bank Holiday)	Sunday service from 1000 hours
New Year's Eve	Normal service until 2030 hours
New Year's Day	Sunday service from 1000 hours
All other Bank/Public Holidays	Normal Sunday Service

Unless a lesser specification is already defined in paragraph 2 above.

Merseytravel may wish to negotiate changes to the public holiday specifications during the life of the Contract.

4. **Other Requirements / Special Conditions**

1. The vehicle(s) used on this contract must be suitable for the route(s) specified in the attached route description.
2. The use of Merseytravel Bus Stations is subject to the Operating Agreement.

5. **Vehicle Engine**

The engine(s) of the vehicle(s) used on this Contract must be of Euro 5 standard as a minimum and not as set out in the Conditions of Contract.

6. **Fare Levels**

The fares to be charged should not exceed Merseytravel's maximum scale as specified by the Supervising Officer.

Children

One child under five years may travel free with a fare-paying passenger, pass-holders being deemed to be a fare-paying passenger.

Young persons aged 5 to 18 years inclusive shall be carried at a charge of no more than half the adult fare (after allowing for rounding to the nearest penny) payable for journeys wholly within the area bounded by Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Knowsley and Wirral MBCs at any time.

The maximum fare scale may be varied from time to time by Merseytravel in accordance with the Conditions of Contract.

7. **Ticket Machines**

Operators must have ETMs capable of supporting the following technologies:

- ITSO 2.1.4 (or any subsequent version of the specification) certified – supporting as a minimum:
 - ITSO card media
 - Acceptance of ENCTS concessionary cards
 - TYP16 and TYP22 product acceptance
 - HOPS transaction messaging
 - Processing of hotlists and actionlists including support for POST sets
 - Collection of ITSO products via ATT15
- Contactless EMV (cEMV) certification
- Mobile data connectivity (3G) for provision of real time data feed
- Location awareness via built-in GPS
- Paper ticket printer
- Schedule Adherence
- Traffic Light Priority

Service 217 Halewood – Huyton/Kirkby via Belle Vale, Huyton & Page Moss

Mondays to Saturdays

Route No Code	217 SO	217 NS	217 SO	217 SO											
Halewood Shopping Centre		06:30	06:30	07:30											
Macketts Lane, Higher Road		06:37	06:37	07:37											
Belle Vale Shopping Centre	06:14	06:44	06:44	07:44											
Huyton Bus Station	06:27	06:57	06:57	07:57											
Page Moss	06:37	-	-	-											
Knowsley Village	06:45	-	-	-											
Knowsley Industrial Park	06:51	-	-	-											
Northwood, Old Rough Lane	06:57	-	-	-											
Kirkby Civic Centre	07:01	-	-	-											
KIRKBY MERSEYRAIL STN	07:03	-	-	-											

CODES: NS – Journey does not operate on Saturdays SO – Journey operates on Saturdays only**Route Description:**

From **HALEWOOD Shopping Centre Bus Facility**, Hillingden Avenue, Leathers Lane, Higher Road, Macketts Lane, Halewood Road, Belle Vale Road, Besford Road, Hedgefield Road, Belle Vale Shopping Centre bus facility, Hedgefield Road, Childwall Valley Road, Naylors Road, Naylorsfield Drive, Naylors Road, Wheathill Road, St Johns Road, Huyton Hey Road, to **Huyton Bus Station**.

From **Belle Vale Shopping Centre Bus Facility**, Hedgefield Road, Childwall Valley Road, Naylors Road, Naylorsfield Drive, Naylors Road, Wheathill Road, St Johns Road, Huyton Hey Road, Huyton Bus Station, Lathom Road, Archway Road, Rupert Road, Kingsway, Liverpool Road, Stockbridge Lane, Heath Road, Woolfall Heath Avenue, Terminus Road, Stockbridge Lane, Knowsley Lane, Ormskirk Road, Coopers Lane, South Boundary Road, County Road, Simonswood Lane, Quarryside Drive, Bigdale Drive, Old Rough Lane, Hall Lane, Cherryfield Drive, Kirkby Civic Centre, Cherryfield Drive, Kirkby Row, Whitefield Drive to **KIRKBY MERSEYRAIL STATION**

Service Numbers & Destinations to be displayed:**Kirkby Rail Station 217****Huyton Bus Station 217**

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Mileage Table

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Mileage provided by DIVA																		
No.	From	To	Via	Single jny mtrs	Single jny mls	Number of Journeys					Annual miles by day					Annual Mileage		
						Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun	BH		Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun	BH				
217	Halewood Shopping ctr	Huyton Bus Stn		10946	6.802	1	2	0	0		1720.867	707.392	0.000	0.000		2428.258		
217	Belle Vale	Kirkby Rail Stn		20079	12.477	0	1	0	0		0.000	648.809	0.000	0.000		648.809		
					0.000	0	0	0	0		0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		0.000		
					0.000	0	0	0	0		0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		0.000		
					0.000	0	0	0	0		0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		0.000		
					0.000	0	0	0	0		0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		0.000		
											1721	1356	0	0				
											Total Annual Miles					3077		