



## **Merseytravel**

### **Specification**

#### **For the Provision of Subsidised Bus Services**

**Contact No:** T4831C  
**Service No(s):** 141  
**Between:** St Helens Bus Station  
**And:** Earlestown

**Start Date:** 28/04/2019  
**Termination Date:** 23/01/2022

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:

<b>Period of Operation</b>	<b>Hours of Operation</b>	<b>Minimum Frequency</b>	<b>Minimum Capacity</b>	<b>Number of Vehicles</b>
Mon-Sat	1815-2341	60 mins	35+1	1
Sun & Bank Hols	0644-2341	60 mins	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. Service to be operated by low floor, wheelchair accessible vehicle(s). The vehicle(s) used on this contract should be suitable to operate the specified route(s).
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 4 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.

**St Helens Bus Station – Newton-le-Willows** via St Helens Junction, Burtonwood & Earlestown**141**

Mondays to Saturdays

Route No	141	141	141	141	141	141									
Code															
<b>ST HELENS BUS STATION</b>	1815	1915	2015	2115	2215	2315									
Baxters Lane, Morrisons	1821	1921	2021	2121	2221	2321									
St Helens Junction Station	1824	1924	2024	2124	2224	2324									
Burtonwood, Fairclough Street	1831	1931	2031	2131	2231	2331									
Collins Green, The Pair Tree	1835	1935	2035	2135	2235	2335									
<b>EARLESTOWN BUS STN</b>	1841	1941	2041	2141	2241	2341									

Route No	141	141	141	141	141										
Code															
<b>EARLESTOWN BUS STN</b>	1844	1944	2044	2144	2244										
Collins Green, The Pair Tree	1850	1950	2050	2150	2250										
Burtonwood, Fairclough Street	1854	1954	2054	2154	2254										
St Helens Junction Station	1901	2001	2101	2201	2301										
Baxters Lane, Morrisons	1904	2004	2104	2204	2304										
<b>ST HELENS BUS STATION</b>	1910	2010	2110	2210	2310										

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Sundays &amp; Bank/Public Holidays

Route No	141	141	141												
Code															
<b>ST HELENS BUS STATION</b>	0715	15		2315											
Baxters Lane, Morrisons	0721	21		2321											
St Helens Junction Station	0724	Then	24	Until	2324										
Burtonwood, Fairclough Street	0731	At	31		2331										
Collins Green, The Pair Tree	0735		35		2335										
<b>EARLESTOWN BUS STN</b>	0741		41		2341										

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Code															
<b>EARLESTOWN BUS STN</b>	0644	44		2244											
Collins Green, The Pair Tree	0650	50		2250											
Burtonwood, Fairclough Street	0657	Then	57	Until	2254										
St Helens Junction Station	0701	At	01		2301										
Baxters Lane, Morrisons	0704		04		2304										
<b>ST HELENS BUS STATION</b>	0710		10		2310										

**Route Description**

From **St Helens Bus Station** via Corporation Street, Parr Street, Jackson Street, Sutton Road, Worsley Brow, Ellamsbridge Road, Peckers Hill Road, Junction Lane, Helena Road, Bold Road, Travers Entry, The Pastures, Travers Entry, Neills Road, Gorsey Lane, Clay Lane, Chapel Lane, Fir Tree Lane, Lumber Lane, Collins Green Lane, Penkford Lane, Pennington Lane, Common Road, Wharf Road, Earle Street, Wellington Street, Legh Street to **Earlestown Bus Station**

From **Earlestown Bus Station**, Legh Street, Wellington Street, Earle Street, Wharf Road, Common Road, Pennington Lane, Penkford Lane, Collins Green Lane, Lumber Lane, Fir Tree Lane, Chapel Lane, Clay Lane, Gorsey Lane, Neils Road, Travers Entry, Bold Road, Helena Road, Station Road, ST HELENS JUNCTION MERSEYRAIL STATION BUS FACILITY, Station Road, Peckers Hill Road, Ellamsbridge Road, Worsley Brow, Sutton Road, Jackson Street, Parr Street, Corporation Street, Hall Street, Bickerstaffe Street, Library Street, Corporation Street to **St Helens Bus Station**

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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	
141	St Helens Bus Stn	Earlestown		13638	8.475	6	6	17	17	12864.524	2644.092	7491.593	1008.484	24008.693
141	Earlestown	St Helens Bus Stn		13633	8.472	5	5	17	17	10716.506	2202.602	7488.847	1008.114	21416.069
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					0.000	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
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					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
										23581	4847	14980	2017	
Total Annual Miles														45425