



**Merseytravel**

## **Specification**

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

**Contact No:** T4929  
**Service No(s):** 643/603  
**Between:** Pensby High School  
**And:** Eastham

**Start Date:** 28/04/2019  
**Termination Date:** 03/09/2023

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/Tue/Thu/Fri	1525-1652		85	1
Wed	1430-1652		per jny	
School Days Only				

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 journey(s) on this contract will operate on school days only, and it is the responsibility of the operator to ascertain the requirements of the school in that respect.
3. Service 603 should operate on a limited stop basis - after departing Upton Village the first stop should be Tranmere Rovers.

### 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.

**Pensby to Moreton Cross via Irby and Greasby****643**

Monday to Friday Schooldays only

Route No	643	643											
Code	WO	NW											
<b>Pensby High School</b>	14:30	15:25											
Mill Lane, Thorns Drive	14:40	15:35											
Greasby, Cortsway	14:45	15:40											
<b>Moreton Cross, Upton Road</b>	14:51	15:46											

Code: **WO**: Wednesday only **NW**: not Wednesdays**Route Description:**

From **Pensby High School (school bus bay)**, via Irby Road, Thurstaston Road, Manor Road, Mill Hill Road, Mill Lane, Greasby Road, Upton-by-pass, Arrowe Park Road, Moreton Road, Upton Road to **Moreton Cross, Upton Road**.

**Upton Village - Eastham via Prenton, Bebington and Bromborough****603**

Monday to Friday Schooldays Only

Route No	603												
Code													
<b>UPTON VILLAGE, Arrowe Park Road</b>	15:55												
Prenton Road West	16:09												
Borough Road, Mount Road	16:11												
Lower Bebington, The Village	16:18												
Spital Station	16:25												
Bromborough Cross	16:36												
Eastham Rake, Mill Park Drive	16:46												
<b>EASTHAM: Raeburn Avenue, Manor Road</b>	16:52												

NB 603 This is a limited stop service and a notice to this respect should be displayed on the vehicle. 1<sup>st</sup> alighting stop Prenton Road West ( Tranmere Rovers Football Ground )**Route Description:**

From **Upton Village, Arrowe Park Road**, via Arrowe Park Road, Woodchurch Road, Prenton Hall Road, Prenton Lane, Prenton Road West, Borough Road, Kings Lane, Teehey Lane, Heath Road, The Village, Church Road, Spital Road, Bromborough Village Road, The Rake, Allport Lane, Allport Road, Brookhurst Road, Brookhurst Avenue, Eastham Rake, (r) Mill Park Drive, (L) Eastham Rake, Plymyard Avenue, Heygarth Road, Raeburn Avenue, to **Eastham, Raeburn Avenue/Manor Road**

**Service Number & Destination to be displayed:****Moreton Cross 643****Eastham 603**

## Contract T4929

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	
643	Pensby	Moreton Cross	Greasby, Upton	8703	5.408	1	0	0	0	1027.528	0.000	0.000	0.000	1027.528
603	Upton Village	Eastham	Bebington	22312	13.865	1	0	0	0	2634.289	0.000	0.000	0.000	2634.289
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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
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										3662	0	0	0	
Total Annual Miles														<b>3662</b>