



Merseytravel

Specification

For the Provision of Subsidised Bus Services

Contact No: T4931
Service No(s): 140/153
Between: St Helens Town Centre
And: Bold Heath

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:

Period of Operation	Hours of Operation	Minimum Frequency	Minimum Capacity	Number of Vehicles
Mon-Sat	0802-1748		35+1	2
			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 Town Centre – Bold Heath via Parr & St Helens Junction

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St Helens Town Centre – Norley Drive Circular

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Mondays to Saturdays

Route No		140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140					
ST HELENS TOWN CENTRE		0841	0941	1041	1141	1241	1341	1441	1541	1641	1711				
Parr, Ashtons Green Drive		0851	0951	1051	1151	1251	1351	1451	1551	1651	1721				
Baxters Lane, Morrisons		0900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1730				
St Helens Junction Station		0904	1004	1104	1204	1304	1404	1504	1604	1704	1734				
Burnage Road, Four Acre Lane		0910	1010	1110	1210	1310	1410	1510	1610	1710	1740				
Clock Face Road, Bridge Road		0915	1015	1115	1215	1315	1415	1515	1615	1715	1745				
BOLD HEATH Warrington Road		0918	1018	1118	1218	1318	1418	1518	1618	1718	1748				

Route No	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140							
BOLD HEATH Warrington Road	0802	0923	1023	1123	1223	1323	1423	1523	1623						
Clock Face Road, Bridge Road	0805	0926	1026	1126	1226	1326	1426	1526	1626						
Burnage Road, Four Acre Lane	0810	0931	1031	1131	1231	1331	1431	1531	1631						
St Helens Junction Station	0816	0937	1037	1137	1237	1337	1437	1537	1637						
Baxters Lane, Morrisons	0820	0911	1041	1141	1241	1341	1441	1541	1641						
Parr, Ashtons Green Drive	0829	0950	1050	1150	1250	1350	1450	1550	1650						
ST HELENS TOWN CENTRE	0839	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700						

Mondays to Saturdays

Route No		153		153		153		153							
ST HELENS TOWN CENTRE		1007	-	1207	-	1407	-	1607							
Eccleston, Norley Drive		1018	-	1218	-	1418	-	1618							
ST HELENS TOWN CENTRE		1029	-	1229	-	1429	-	1629							

St Helens Town Centre – Bold Heath via Parr & St Helens Junction**140****St Helens Town Centre – Norley Drive Circular****153****Route Descriptions****Service 140**

From ST HELENS (BICKERSTAFFE STREET) via Bickerstaffe Street, Corporation Street, Parr Street, Ashcroft Street, Parr Stocks Road, Chancery Lane, Broad Oak Road, Ashtons Green Drive, Fleet Lane, Concourse Way, Berrys Lane, Watery Lane, Hoghton Road, Peckers Hill Road, Ellamsbridge Road, Worsley Brow, Sutton Road, Baxters Lane, Robins Lane, Station Road, St Helens Junction bus facility, Station Road, Helena Road, Reginald Road, Leach Lane, Clock Face Road, Four Acre Lane, Burnage Avenue, Bodden Street, Gartons Lane, Clock Face Road, Warrington Road to BOLD HEATH (WARRINGTON ROAD WESTBOUND).

From BOLD HEATH (WARRINGTON ROAD WESTBOUND) via Warrington Road, School Lane, Clock Face Road, Gartons Lane, Bodden Street, Burnage Avenue, Four Acre Lane, Clock Face Road, Leach Lane, Reginald Road, Helena Road, Station Road, St Helens Junction station bus facility, Station Road, Robins Lane, Baxters Lane, Sutton Road, Worsley Brow, Ellamsbridge Road, Peckers Hill Road, Hoghton Road, Watery Lane, Berry's Lane, Concourse Way, Fleet Lane, Ashtons Green Drive, Broad Oak Road, Chancery Lane, Parr Stocks Road, Ashcroft Street, Parr Street, Church Street, Hall Street, Bickerstaffe Street to ST HELENS BUS STATION (BICKERSTAFFE STREET).

Service 153

From ST HELENS BUS STATION via Bickerstaffe Street, Victoria Square, Cotham Street, Baldwin Street, Duke Street, Boundary Road, Knowsley Road, Millfields, Saleswood Avenue, Trapwood Close, Norley Drive, Pinfold Drive, The Avenue, Millfields, Knowsley Road, Boundary Road, Duke Street, Baldwin Street, Cotham Street, Victoria Square, Bickerstaffe Street to ST HELENS BUS STATION

Service Numbers & Destinations to be displayed**Bold Heath 140****Town Centre 140****Norley Drive 153****Town Centre 153**

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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	
140	St Helens Town Centre	Bold Heath		17743	11.026	10	10	0	0	27894.516	5733.260	0.000	0.000	33627.776
140	Bold Heath	St Helens Town Centre		15105	9.386	9	9	0	0	21372.484	4392.764	0.000	0.000	25765.248
153	St Helens Town Centre	St Helens Town Centre		8295	5.155	4	4	0	0	5216.367	1072.139	0.000	0.000	6288.506
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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
										54483	11198	0	0	
Total Annual Miles														65682