

An introduction to School buses and concessionary fares for students in Greater Manchester

Passengers can pay a fare to the driver for each journey shown on this timetable. However, students will need to show an IGO pass to travel at the concessionary (reduced) fare. If students do not have an IGO pass, they will have to pay a higher fare.

Most of the journeys shown in this timetable are funded by Transport for Greater Manchester (TfGM). The majority of TfGM funded services charge a standard fare, although some journeys do have additional fare bands. Daily return tickets are available on many services. In some cases, the return ticket can also be used for travel on other journeys which serve similar areas – even if it is provided by a different operator.

If a daily return ticket is available on TfGM funded services, students can also buy a weekly scholars ticket, which costs £6.50. These are available from the bus driver on all services where they are applicable. To help the driver, please try to have the correct fare when buying your ticket.

A summary of fares and ticketing information on all school services included in this timetable can be found at http://www.tfgm.com/journey_planning/Pages/back-to-school.aspx

There are also a small number of TfGM funded services where the operator sets the fares. You will need to check with the operator what fares are available.

Yellow School Buses

This timetable also shows the journeys operated by Yellow School Buses.

Yellow School Bus journeys have special travel conditions and **can only be used by students who hold a Yellow School Bus pass** which is valid for that journey (in addition to an IGO pass). Students who wish to use a Yellow School Bus should go to <http://www.tfgm.com/buses/yellowschoolbus/Pages/default.aspx> for details on how to apply for a pass.

The IGO Pass

All students between the ages of 11 and 16 need an IGO pass if they wish to travel at the concessionary (reduced fare) rate on buses.

The IGO pass is like an ID card and proves that the student is aged 16 or under. It must be carried on all journeys and shown to the driver before paying the fare.

The IGO pass costs £5 and can only be bought by students who live, or go to school in Greater Manchester.

More information on IGO and an application form to get an IGO pass is on the TfGM website at <http://igo.tfgm.com> (Please note: students who are entitled to a free Scholars Travel Pass for journeys between home and school and students aged between 16 and 19 who have a Scholars Concessionary Pass, do not need an IGO Pass for these journeys)

TURTON HIGH SCHOOL & MEDIA ARTS COLLEGE (0850/1500), Bromley Cross

Effective 01/09/2016

ASTLEY BRIDGE – EGERTON – TURTON HIGH SCHOOL

Service 913

<i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>DMB</i> <i>913</i>	<i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>RDT</i> <i>913</i>
BLACKBURN ROAD/PROSPECT STREET	0754	TURTON HIGH SCHOOL (Grounds)	1510
Astley Bridge, Pineapple	0759	EGERTON, Cross Guns	1517
EGERTON, Cross Guns	0808	Dunscar, War Memorial	1520
TURTON HIGH SCHOOL	0820	ASTLEY BRIDGE, Pineapple	1528

SERVICE 913: From BLACKBURN ROAD/PROSPECT STREET via Blackburn Road to Egerton, Turning Circle then via Blackburn Road, Darwen Road, Bromley Cross Road to TURTON HIGH SCHOOL. **RETURNS** via the reverse of the above route to ASTLEY BRIDGE, Pineapple.

HARWOOD – TURTON HIGH SCHOOL

Service 926

<i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>RDT</i> <i>926</i>	<i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>OLY</i> <i>926</i>
HARWOOD, Stinch Mi Lane/South Drive	0814	TURTON HIGH SCHOOL (Grounds)	1510
HARWOOD, Stinch mi Lane			
HARWOOD, South Drive	---	Harwood, Precinct	1515
HARWOOD, Nab Gate	0819	Moorgate/Broadstone Road	---
Harwood, Precinct	0825	Hough Fold Way/South Drive	1525
TURTON HIGH SCHOOL	0835	HARWOOD, Nab Gate	---
		HARWOOD, Precinct	---
		HARWOOD, Winchester Way	1529

SERVICE 926: From HARWOOD Stinch Mi Lane/ South Drive, via South Drive, Hough Fold Way, Stinch Mi Lane, Hardy Mill Road, Longsight, Lee Gate, Bolton Rd, Turton Road, Darwen Rd, Bromley Cross Road to TURTON HIGH SCHOOL. **RETURNS** via Bromley Cross Road, Chapeltown Road, Turton Road, Bolton Rd, Lee Gate, Tottington Road, Broadstone Road, Seaford Road, Hulme Rd, Tottington Road, Longsight, Hardy Mill Rd, Nab Gate, Stinch Mi Lane, Hough Fold Way, South Drive, Stinch Mi Lane, New Lane, Blair Lane, Winchester Way.

BOLTON – BRADSHAW BROW – BROMLEY CROSS

Services 533/541

<i>GMPTE Contract No:</i> <i>Minimum Capacity:</i> <i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>*</i> <i>ARL</i> <i>541</i>	<i>GMPTE Contract No:</i> <i>Minimum Capacity:</i> <i>Operator:</i> <i>Service No:</i>	<i>FM</i> <i>533</i>
BOLTON, Moor Lane Bus Station	0805	Bromley Cross, Darwen Road	1525
Bradshaw Brow, Royal Oak	0822	Bromley Cross, Shady Lane	1526
Bromley Cross, Shady Lane	0824	Bradshaw Brow, Royal Oak	1529
BROMLEY CROSS, Rail Station	0825	BOLTON, Moor Lane Bus Station	1546

* Journey provided without the financial support of TFGM

SERVICE 533: From BROMLEY CROSS, Darwen Road via Darwen Road, Turton Road, Bradshaw Brow, Tonge Moor Road, Folds Road, Bow Street, Bridge Street, St George's Road, Knowsley Street, Deansgate, Black Horse Street to BOLTON, Bus Station.

SERVICE 541: From BOLTON, Bus Station via Black Horse Street, Deansgate, Knowsley Street, St George's Road, Bridge Street, Bow Street, Folds Road, Tonge Moor Road, Bradshaw Brow, Turton Road, Chapeltown Road, Bromley Cross Road (for Turton High School).