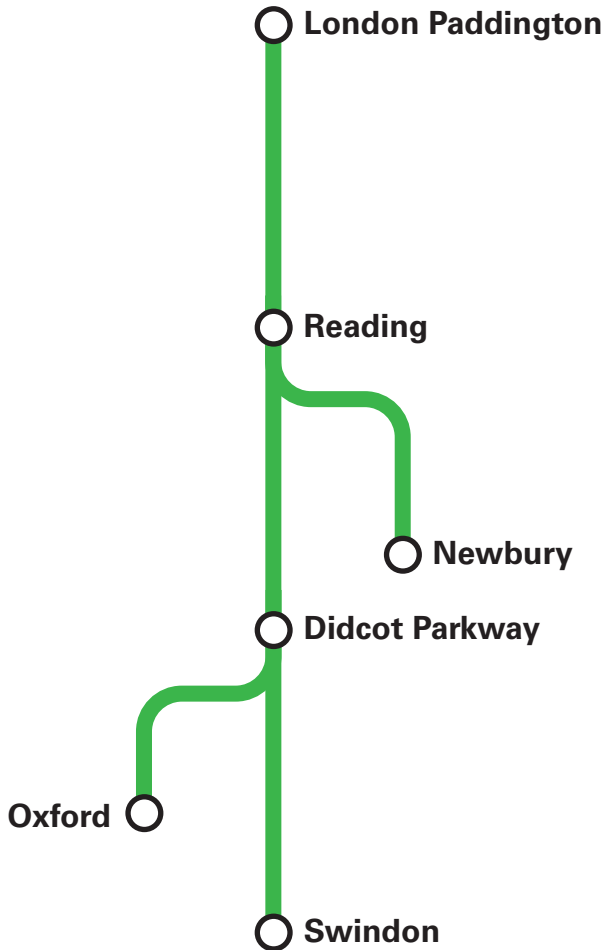




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Train Times

17 May to
12 December 2026

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This timetable shows the fastest trains from London Paddington to Reading, Newbury, Didcot Parkway, Swindon and Oxford.

All services in this timetable are operated by Great Western Railway

Changes to published times

Improvement works may affect services, especially at weekends. Services may also be different on public holidays. Always check your journey before you leave at [GWR.com/check](https://www.gwr.com/check)

Replacement buses

Animals[†], non-folding bikes, and large items of luggage can't be taken on our buses.

[†]Assistance dogs can be taken.



Penalty Fares

If you don't have a valid ticket you may have to pay a Penalty Fare.

Find out more at [GWR.com/revenueprotection](https://www.gwr.com/revenueprotection)

Transport Focus

The UK's independent watchdog for passengers and road users. Call **0300 123 2350*** or find out more at [transportfocus.org.uk](https://www.transportfocus.org.uk)

National Rail

Find out more about train times and fares.

Call **03457 48 49 50*** (24 hours, calls may be recorded) or go to [nationalrail.co.uk](https://www.nationalrail.co.uk)

You can also find the National Rail Conditions of Travel here.

Bags and Luggage

You can bring up to 3 pieces of luggage, with a maximum size of 30 x 70 x 90cm. Small and medium sized bags can be stored under your seats or in the overhead racks. Large items can be stored in the dedicated luggage areas. Surfboards can't be taken on our IET services. Look for GWR trains shown with a ■ symbol in our timetables.

Bikes

Reservations on our IET services are strongly recommended. Full details about bringing your bike onboard our services can be found at [GWR.com/Bikes](https://www.gwr.com/Bikes)

When travelling to or from London Paddington, all non-folding bikes without a reservation will not be permitted on services arriving between 0730 and 0930 or departing between 1600 and 1900 on Mondays to Fridays, excluding Public Holidays.

On all other GWR services, bikes are welcome on a first-come, first-served basis.

Short platforms

Some stations have short platforms. In some cases, you can only join or leave the train from certain carriages. Please listen for announcements.

Free Wi-Fi and plug sockets are available on most trains.

Delay Repay

You are entitled to compensation if your journey has been delayed for 15 minutes or more.

Find out more at [GWR.com/DelayRepay](https://www.gwr.com/DelayRepay)

Great Western Railway Customer Panel

Our panel is set up for you to tell us your thoughts and give us feedback on how we are doing.

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* Standard network charges apply. Calls from mobiles may be higher

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Passenger Assist

You can arrange help, check station accessibility, buy a ticket and reserve a seat by calling us on Freephone **0800 197 1329** or by text relay **18001 0800 197 1329** (open 24 hours a day except 25 and 26 December Christmas Day and Boxing Day).

You may book assistance by completing the online booking form available on our website.

Station accessibility

All of our stations are classified for their level of accessibility:

Category A: This station has step-free access to all platforms

Category B: This station has a degree of step-free access to the platform, which may be in both directions or in one direction only. Check details on our website

Category C: This station does not have step-free access to any platform

Full details can be found at [GWR.com/PassengerAssist](https://www.gwr.com/PassengerAssist)

Operator

GW Great Western Railway

NR Network Rail

For details of accessibility at any station, check [nationalrail.co.uk](https://www.nationalrail.co.uk)

Station	CRS	Operator	Access Category	Ticket office hours			Ticket machine	Toilets	Car Park	Bike Rack
				Weekdays	Saturdays	Sundays				
Didcot Parkway	DID	GW	A	0600-1940	0630-1940	0800-1940	●	●♿	●	●
London Paddington	PAD	NR	A	24 hours	24 hours	24 hours	●	●♿	●	●
Newbury	NBY	GW	A	0600-2000	0700-1900	0830-1730	●	●♿	●	●
Oxford	OXF	GW	A	0600-2000	0730-2000	0800-1900	●	●♿	●	●
Reading	RDG	NR	A	0615-2200	0615-2200	0715-2200	●	●♿	●	●
Swindon	SWI	GW	A	0630-2000	0630-1930	0800-2000	●	●♿	●	●

NOTES AND SYMBOLS

Bold	Through service
Light	Connecting service
Green	Runs on certain days only, or has differences at some stations. Please check notes for details
⌚	Minimum time, in minutes, you need to allow between connecting services (this is only shown at stations where this differs from the standard 5 minute allowance)
🚶	Interchange with London Underground
🚆	Heritage railway connection. Operating days vary
🚌	PlusBus available. For more details, visit plusbus.info
🚄	Intercity Express (IET) train. First Class accommodation and seat reservations are available
⚡	Electrostar Train
📅	Seat reservations are recommended
🍷	A trolley service of drinks and snacks is available for all or part of the journey
→	Continued in a later column
←	Continued from an earlier column
a	Arrival time
ae	Passengers may arrive earlier by travelling on a later train
d	Departure time
p	Previous night
s	Stops to set down passengers only

FO	Fridays only
FX	Not Fridays
MO	Mondays only
MX	Not Mondays

A	Runs until 11 September
B	Runs from 14 September
C	Until 12 September train continues to Penzance
D	Runs until 3 October
E	Runs from 10 October
F	Runs from 19 September
G	Runs until 12 September
H	Until 13 September train continues to Newquay
J	Runs from 20 September
K	Runs until 13 September
L	Runs until 2 October
M	Runs from 5 October
N	Runs until 27 September
P	Runs from 4 October
Q	Runs until 8 November
R	Runs from 15 November

BAN	Banbury
BDW	Bedwyn
BPW	Bristol Parkway
BRI	Bristol Temple Meads

CDF	Cardiff Central
CMN	Carmarthen
CNM	Cheltenham Spa
EXD	Exeter St Davids
FRO	Frome
GMV	Great Malvern
HFD	Hereford
NQY	Newquay
PAD	London Paddington
PGN	Paignton
PLY	Plymouth
PMD	Pembroke Dock
PNZ	Penzance
SWA	Swansea
TAU	Taunton
WOF	Worcester Foregate Street
WOP	Worcestershire Parkway
WOS	Worcester Shrub Hill
WSB	Westbury
WSM	Weston-super-Mare

Great Western Railway named trains

AC	The Atlantic Coast Express
AR	The Armada
BR	The Bristolian
CE	The Cathedrals Express
CU	The Cornishman
CR	The Cornish Riviera
CS	The Cheltenham Spa Express
CU	The Capitals United
CX	Cotswolds & Malvern Express
DX	The Devon Express
FC	The Flying Carolean
GH	The Golden Hind
MF	The Mayflower
PC	The Pembroke Coast Express
RD	The Royal Duchy
RE	The Red Dragon
SD	The Saint David
TE	The Torbay Express
YC	Y Cymro - The Welshman

OXFORD, SWINDON, DIDCOT PARKWAY, NEWBURY AND READING TO LONDON PADDINGTON (FAST TRAINS)

SUNDAYS

Notes	F		N	P	K		J	K		J	J	K	N	P
Facilities														
Oxford	d				0753				0902		0931	0931		
Swindon	d					0824	0824	0837	0854		0915		0939	
Didcot Parkway	d	2345p			0805	0818	0841	0841	0855	0909	0914	0932	0946	0946
Newbury	d													1019
Reading	d	0019	0620	0742	0742	0820	0841	0856	0856	0909	0926	0929	0946	1001
London Paddington	a	0114	0712	0822	0823	0851	0920	0922	0924	0937	0950	0957	1014	1027

Notes	Q		R		J		K	N	P
Facilities									
Oxford	d	1028				1056			1128
Swindon	d		1037	1040	1050			1119	
Didcot Parkway	d	1043		1057		1109		1112	1143
Newbury	d					1119			
Reading	d	1059	1104	1112	1117	1124	1135	1137	1146
London Paddington	a	1124	1127	1136	1141	1152	1159	1222ae	1209

Notes	N		P	N		P	N	P	J	K	N	P	K	J
Facilities														
Oxford	d	1256				1327	1327			1356			1428	1428
Swindon	d				1319				1330	1340	1340		1419	
Didcot Parkway	d	1308		1312	1312		1343	1343		1347	1356	1356	1409	1412
Newbury	d												1442	
Reading	d	1326	1332	1337	1337	1346	1356	1356	1400	1400	1404	1411	1411	1424
London Paddington	a	1354	1407	1420ae	1423ae	1409	1421	1424	1424	1425	1429	1435	1437	1450

Notes	N		P	N		P	N	P	J	K	N	P	N	P	K	J
Facilities																
Oxford	d					1528			1556				1628	1628		1656
Swindon	d		1509			1519			1530	1540		1606			1630	1640
Didcot Parkway	d			1512	1512			1543	1548	1556	1609		1612	1612		1648
Newbury	d															1709
Reading	d	1525	1535	1537	1537	1546	1558	1559	1605	1611	1624	1634	1637	1637	1646	1659
London Paddington	a	1554	1559	1620ae	1621ae	1609	1623	1627	1629	1635	1650	1701	1719ae	1721ae	1709	1722

Notes	J		K	K		J	J		K	N	P	K	J
Facilities													
Oxford	d					1728			1756				1828
Swindon	d	1703				1719			1740	1750		1807	1807
Didcot Parkway	d		1712					1743	1756	1807	1809		1812
Newbury	d			1721	1721								
Reading	d	1731	1734	1737	1740	1740	1745	1759	1759	1759	1812	1822	1825
London Paddington	a	1757	1759	1822ae	1806	1807	1809	1824	1826	1826	1836	1850	1852

Notes	N		P	J		K	J	K	K		J	P	N
Facilities													
Oxford	d	1856				1928	1928			1956			2028
Swindon	d				1919				1950				2010
Didcot Parkway	d	1909	1912	1912				1945	1945	2007	2009		2027
Newbury	d			1925									
Reading	d	1925	1937	1937	1942	1946	1958	1958	1959	1959	2022	2025	2041
London Paddington	a	1954	2020ae	2021ae	2005	2009	2024	2025	2027	2029	2051	2054	2107

Facilities	N		P	J		K
Oxford	d		2224			
Swindon	d	2219		2308		
Didcot Parkway	d	2236		2237	2326	2352
Newbury	d		2236			
Reading	d	2250	2253	2254	2340	0016
London Paddington	a	2327	2334	2340	0015	0106

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Travelling after midnight?

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