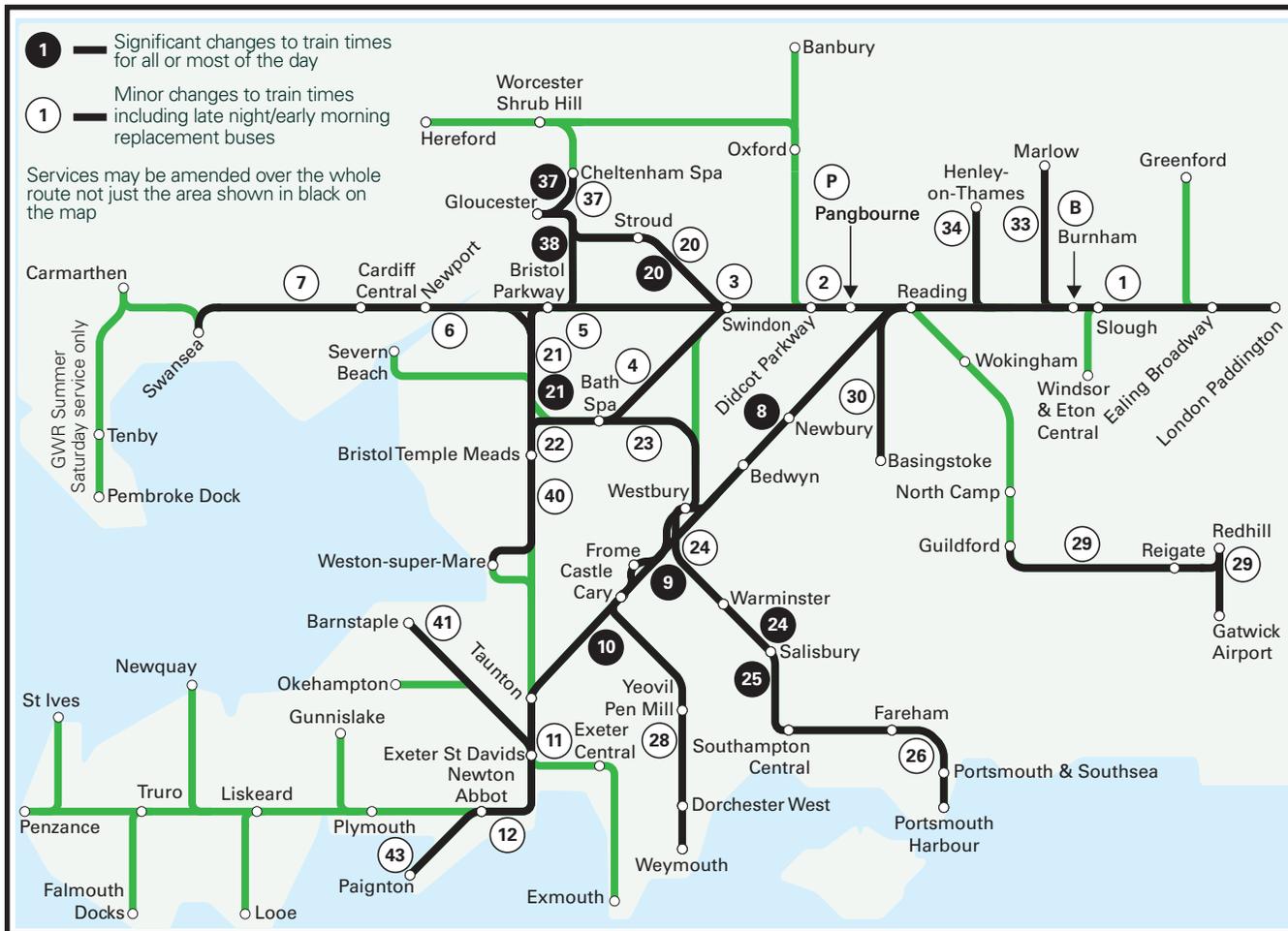


Summary of timetable changes

Saturday 18 to Friday 24 April 2026

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This map shows a summary of planned improvement work taking place across our network.

Full details of this work can be found on the next pages.

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- By calling National Rail Enquiries on **03457 48 49 50**. (Calls may be recorded)

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Cycles, prams and items of bulky luggage cannot be carried on replacement buses during improvement works.

All information correct at time of publication. Errors and omissions excepted.

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Saturday - The 2345 Didcot Parkway to London Paddington will finish its journey at Ealing Broadway. TfL Central line connections will be available to central London, on which valid GWR tickets will be accepted.

Sunday - The 0638 London Paddington to Reading will not run. Passengers should travel on the next available service. The 0620 Reading to London Paddington will run later throughout.

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Sunday - All day, most High Speed services from London Paddington will be retimed, in most cases departing EARLIER than usual. Most trains to London Paddington will arrive a few minutes later than usual. Most local stopping services between London Paddington, Reading and Didcot Parkway will only run between Reading and Didcot Parkway. Slough, Maidenhead and Twyford will be served by additional stops in services running between London Paddington and Swindon (sometimes beyond). **Passengers are strongly advised to check their journeys before travelling.**

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Sunday - All day, trains between London Paddington / Reading and the West of England will be revised. Some trains will be diverted between Reading and Taunton, not calling at Newbury, Hungerford, Pewsey, Westbury or Castle Cary. Other trains will not run at all. Replacement buses will run between Pewsey and Swindon (connecting at Swindon with diverted trains which will call there additionally), between Westbury and Frome (connecting with limited rail services between Frome and Castle Cary) and between Castle Cary and Taunton. **Passengers are strongly advised to check their journeys before travelling.**

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Saturday and Sunday - Due to engineering work taking place elsewhere on the network, the 0846 (**Saturday**) Cheltenham Spa to Bristol Temple Meads (via Swindon) and the 1053 (**Sunday**) Swindon to Bristol Temple Meads will not run. Passengers should use alternative earlier or later services.

Sunday - The 2333 London Paddington to Bristol Temple Meads will be diverted after Reading, not calling at Didcot Parkway, Swindon or Chippenham. A replacement bus will run from Reading to Swindon and Chippenham. Passengers travelling to Didcot Parkway should change at Reading for an alternative local connecting service.

Monday to Thursday - The 2228 (**Monday to Wednesday**) & the 2332 London Paddington to Bristol Temple Meads will both be diverted after Swindon to run non-stop to Bristol Temple Meads. Replacement buses will serve Chippenham and Bath Spa.

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Saturday - The 1923 Portsmouth Harbour (starting 2041 from Salisbury) to Cardiff Central will finish its journey at Newport. An alternative rail connection, operated by TfW, will be available from Newport to Cardiff Central, on which valid GWR tickets will be accepted.

Wednesday and Thursday - The 2249 London Paddington to Swansea will run approximately 5 minutes later from Newport onwards.

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Sunday - The 0806 Reading to Newbury will not run and the 0833 Reading to Bedwyn will start from Newbury and run slightly later throughout. A replacement bus will run EARLIER from Reading to Newbury.

Monday to Thursday - The 2230 London Paddington to Bedwyn will start from Reading and will be slightly retimed. An alternative rail connection will be available from London Paddington to Reading.

Tuesday to Friday - The 0531 Bedwyn to London Paddington will be slightly retimed and will finish its journey at Reading. An alternative rail connection will be available from Reading to London Paddington.

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Saturday - The 2215 & 2306 Bristol Temple Meads to Frome will both finish their journeys at Westbury. 2316 Frome to Westbury will not run. Replacement buses will run between Westbury and Frome.

Sunday - All day, buses will replace trains between Westbury, Frome and (until approximately 1000), Castle Cary. A few trains will not run, or will only run for part of their journey and some trains will be retimed. **Passengers are strongly advised to check their journeys before travelling.**

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Monday to Thursday - The 2306 Bristol Temple Meads to Westbury will finish its journey at Bath Spa. A replacement bus will run from Bath Spa to Westbury. The 2345 Bristol Temple Meads to Frome will not run. Replacement buses will run from Bristol Temple Meads to Westbury and Frome. The 2123 Portsmouth Harbour to Bristol Temple Meads will finish its journey at Westbury. A replacement bus will run from Westbury to Bristol Temple Meads.

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Saturday - All day, buses will replace trains between Stroud and Gloucester. Trains between Swindon and Stroud will be retimed. Passengers should use other scheduled rail services to travel between Gloucester and Cheltenham Spa.

20 37 Sunday - All day, buses will replace trains between Swindon and Gloucester. Passengers should use other scheduled rail services to travel between Gloucester and Cheltenham Spa.

Monday - The 0511 Gloucester to Southampton Central will start from Swindon. Passengers should travel on the next available service.

Monday and Tuesday - The 2131 London Paddington to Cheltenham Spa will finish its journey at Gloucester. A replacement bus will run from Gloucester to Cheltenham Spa.

20 37 Monday to Thursday - The 2342 Swindon to Cheltenham Spa will be diverted to run non-stop to, and finish its journey at, Gloucester. A replacement bus will serve intermediate stations via Stroud.

21 38 Saturday and Sunday - All weekend, buses will replace trains between Bristol Parkway and Gloucester. Some trains between Bristol Temple Meads and Bristol Parkway will be revised.

21 Monday and Tuesday - The 2330 Cardiff Central to Bristol Temple Meads will run 5 minutes later from Patchway onwards.

24 24 Saturday and Sunday - All weekend, buses will replace trains between Warminster (**Sunday only**), Salisbury and Southampton Central. Romsey will only be served by SWR replacement buses (to / from Salisbury) or rail services (to / from Southampton Central). Some other trains will either not run or will only run for part of their journey. **Passengers are strongly advised to check their journeys before travelling.**

25 26 Saturday - The 2335 Reading to Gatwick Airport will finish its journey at Redhill. An alternative rail connection, operated by Southern, will be available from Redhill to Gatwick Airport, on which valid GWR tickets will be accepted.

Sunday - Some trains between Reading and Gatwick Airport will only run between Reading and Redhill. Alternative rail connections, operated by Southern / Thameslink, will be available between Redhill and Gatwick Airport, on which valid GWR tickets will be accepted.

29 Monday to Thursday - The 2333 Reading to Gatwick Airport will finish its journey at Guildford. A replacement bus will run from Guildford to Gatwick Airport. The 2322 Gatwick Airport to Reading will finish its journey at Redhill and restart from Guildford. A replacement bus will run from Redhill to Guildford. Both buses will call at Dorking instead of Dorking (Deepdene), which is approximately 5 minutes walk away.

Tuesday to Friday - The 0432 Reading to Gatwick Airport will run later from Guildford and finish its journey at Redhill. The 0559 Gatwick Airport to Reading will start from Redhill. In both cases, alternative rail connections, operated by Southern, will be available between Redhill and Gatwick Airport, on which valid GWR tickets will be accepted.

30 Sunday - The 0837 Reading to Basingstoke will not run. A replacement bus will run EARLIER, calling at all stations except Reading West. Passengers travelling to / from Reading West should use an alternative service.

33 Sunday - The 0007 Marlow to Maidenhead will finish its journey at Bourne End. A replacement bus will run from Bourne End to Maidenhead.

34 Tuesday to Thursday - The 0018 Henley-on-Thames to Reading will finish its journey at Twyford. An alternative rail connection will be available from Twyford to Reading.

40 Sunday - Due to engineering work taking place elsewhere on the network, the 1030 London Paddington to Weston-super-Mare will finish its journey at Bristol Temple Meads. The 1328 Weston-super-Mare to London Paddington will start from Bristol Temple Meads. Passengers travelling to stations beyond Bristol Temple Meads should use alternative earlier or later services.

41 Monday to Wednesday - The 2054 Exmouth (2129 Exeter St Davids) to Barnstaple will finish its journey at Crediton. A replacement bus will run from Crediton to Barnstaple and a separate taxi service from Crediton to Yeoford. The 2241 Barnstaple to Exeter St Davids will not run. A replacement bus will run from Barnstaple to Exeter St Davids. Yeoford will be served by a separate taxi service to / from Crediton.

43 Sunday - Direct trains between London Paddington and Paignton will not run. Passengers should use alternative services, changing en-route where necessary to complete their journey.

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The following GWR trains will not call at Burnham or Taplow:

Saturday - 2345 Didcot Parkway to Ealing Broadway;

Sunday - 0034 London Paddington to Reading;

Tuesday to Thursday - 0002 & 0045 London Paddington to Reading and 0019 Reading to London Paddington;

ⓑ **Friday** - 0045 London Paddington to Reading;

In all cases, replacement buses will run between Slough, Burnham and Taplow.

The following GWR trains will not call at Burnham:

Sunday - 0640 Reading to London Paddington and 2350 Didcot Parkway to London Paddington.

Replacement buses will run between Slough and Burnham.

The following trains will not call at Pangbourne:

Sunday - 0738, 2233 & 2331 London Paddington to Didcot Parkway and 0818 & 2352 Didcot Parkway to London Paddington;

Ⓟ **Tuesday and Friday** - 2337 London Paddington to Didcot Parkway;

Wednesday - 0355 Oxford to Reading (no replacement transport provided - passengers should use the next available service);

In all cases, unless otherwise stated, replacement buses will run between Pangbourne and Tilehurst.
