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## **Finding Train Times**

using traintimes.org.uk

Find train times faster. Find cheaper fares.

**Traintimes.org.**uk is an online tool that makes it easy to **quickly** find train times and train fares.

You can **search for train times and fares straight from the address bar** of your web browser. With no need to fill in forms on a website and wait ages for results – you can find fares right away when in a meeting, making plans or on the phone.

You can **bookmark fares and journey details**, making it easy to send details of trains to a colleague, or to quickly see the next train for a journey you make often.

You can compare journeys with ease to find the cheapest possible fares.

## http://traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/10:00a/next-thursday/fares



## Try these addresses:

- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london</u> For the next trains from Leicester to London
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/11:00</u> For trains after 11am from Leicester to London
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/12:00a</u>
  For trains that arrive before 12 noon going from Leicester to London (the 'a' on the end of the time means 'arriving at')
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/12:00a/12thNovember</u>
  For trains that arrive before 12 noon going from Leicester to London on the 12<sup>th</sup> November.
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/12:00a/Next-Tuesday</u>
  For trains that arrive before 12 noon going from Leicester to London next Tuesday (you can literally type in things like 'Monday' and 'Next-Thursday' and traintimes.org.uk will work out when you meant)
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/12:00a/Next-Tuesday/fares</u> Add 'fares' onto the end to get a list of possible fares.
- <u>http://www.traintimes.org.uk/leicester/london/11:00/monday/17:00a/tuesday/fares</u>
  Add a second time and date (in any format, e.g. /11:00/5thDecember would be acceptable) to get return times and return ticket prices as well.

## Tips and tricks

Open a new window each time you enter an address to be able to compare times and fares. You will sometimes find that by **splitting a long journey into parts you can get tickets cheaper**. For example, a peak time journey from London to Newcastle costs £224, but by getting a ticket to from London to Peterborough and then Peterborough to Newcastle you only pay £144.90. Use traintimes.org.uk to check out other 'split-ticket-savers'.

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