



Manchester city centre  
Droylsden and  
Tram services between

East Manchester line to Droylsden

For full details of all services across the Metrolink network:

Go online  
[www.metrolink.co.uk](http://www.metrolink.co.uk)

Call Metrolink Customer Services  
**0161 205 2000**

6am – 11pm Monday to Friday  
8am – 8pm Saturday and Sunday  
10am – 6pm public holidays

Visit your local Transport for Greater Manchester Travelshop  
**Ashton Bus Station, Ashton**  
**Shudehill Interchange, Manchester**  
**Piccadilly Gardens, Manchester**

For all information on public transport or to request this leaflet in other formats:

Call Traveline  
**0871 200 22 33**  
7am – 8pm Monday to Friday  
8am – 8pm Saturday, Sunday & public holidays  
Calls cost 10p a minute plus network extras.

All information in this leaflet is correct at time of going to press. If you have any comments about your new Metrolink service and how we can encourage you to use it, please send us your thoughts to [customerservices@metrolink.co.uk](mailto:customerservices@metrolink.co.uk)

### Choosing your ticket

Metrolink offers a range of ticket types to suit a wide variety of travel needs.

To make a journey between two specific stops on the network for one day only, choose **Single** or **Return** tickets. Remember that you must complete your outward journey within 90 minutes of buying your ticket.

### Regular benefits

If you use the tram regularly you can choose from a **Weekly**, **4-weekly**, **Quarterly** or **Annual Season** ticket which allows you unlimited travel on your specified route for the period covered by your ticket.

If your season ticket covers a journey into the City Zone, you get the added benefit of being able to use it for **unlimited travel within the City Zone** for the same period.

To purchase a 4-weekly, Quarterly or Annual Season ticket you first need to get a free Metrolink Travel Club ID Card, which are available from any Transport for Greater Manchester Travelshop or you can download an application form at [www.metrolink.co.uk](http://www.metrolink.co.uk)

### Greater freedom

If you want the freedom to travel anywhere on the network then a **Day Travelcard** offers great value for money.

Choose between a peak Day Travelcard, which is valid anytime, or an off-peak Day Travelcard which is valid after 9.30am Mondays to Fridays, and all day Saturday, Sunday and public holidays. You can make as many journeys as you like to different places on the network up to the last tram of the day.

### Better value for money

For those using the tram at weekends or as a family or group, you can get even better value.

As an individual, you can travel anywhere on the network from 6pm Friday to the last tram on Sunday for **just £5.50** with a **Weekend Travelcard**.

If you're travelling with the family, up to three children accompanied by one or two adults can travel anywhere on the network for a day with a **Family Day Travelcard** for **just £6.80**, or you can get the most out of a weekend with unlimited travel for **just £7.50** with a **Family Weekend Travelcard**.

Up to four adults travelling together outside peak hours can buy a **Group Day Travelcard** for travel anywhere on the network for **just £10.50**.

### Eligible for concessionary travel?

Children and concessionary pass holders can get great value travel options on Metrolink.

- Accompanied children under 5 travel free
- Children aged 5–15 inclusive can travel at child fares but proof of age (igo pass recommended) is required from age 11
- People with an over 60s NCTP\* can travel for free in off-peak hours
- People with a disabled NCTP\* can travel at concessionary rates in peak hours and for free in off-peak hours
- Greater Manchester Concession Plus pass holders can travel for free at all times.

\* NCTP – National Concessionary Travel Pass (issued by Transport for Greater Manchester/GMPTC only)

### Buying your ticket

Metrolink ticket machines are located on the stop platforms and are easy to use. Simply touch the screen and follow the on-screen instructions. If you aren't sure what you are looking for, just press the button marked **i** at any time to get more information.

You can buy any type of Metrolink ticket from our machines, but remember that you will need a valid **Metrolink Travel Club ID Card** to buy a 4-weekly, Quarterly or Annual Season ticket.

You can also use the ticket machines to buy **Combined Day Travelcard** tickets that allow you to travel on Metrolink and on rail and bus services too.

You can pay for your tickets by **credit** or **debit card**, or by **cash**. Metrolink ticket machines accept all bank notes and coins except for £50 notes, 2p and 1p coins.

 You can also buy season tickets at PayPoint agents where you see the PayPoint symbol, or at [www.metrolink.co.uk](http://www.metrolink.co.uk)

It's not possible to purchase tickets on board, so please make sure that you buy a ticket before you travel because **travelling without a ticket can cost you £100**.



### Travel Club ID and igo pass

A **Metrolink Travel Club ID Card** is required as proof of identity to purchase a 4-weekly, Quarterly or Annual Season ticket. You can get one from any of Transport for Greater Manchester's Travelshops or apply online at [www.metrolink.co.uk](http://www.metrolink.co.uk)

You will need to produce your Season ticket and Travel Club ID Cards together when asked to do so by a Metrolink Passenger Services Representative.

Young people aged 11–16 are eligible for an **igo pass** from Transport for Greater Manchester. It provides a readily accepted proof of eligibility on all public transport across Greater Manchester and is valid up to the 31 August following your 16th birthday.

### Ride your bike to the tram

To make it easier for you to get to your nearest Metrolink stop we have improved the facilities for bike storage. Look for the symbols on the line map overleaf to show you what type of **bike storage** is available at your nearest stop.

-  Bike stands
-  Bike lockers

For the safety and comfort of all our passengers, it is not permitted to take bikes on the tram, except for fully-covered, folding bikes.



## Welcome to your Metrolink service to Droylsden

Your Metrolink service provides quick and easy access to Manchester city centre and a range of other Greater Manchester destinations.



Our trams are running every **12 minutes\*** during the day, stopping at **Droylsden, Cemetery Road, Edge Lane, Clayton Hall, Velopark, Etihad Campus, Holt Town and New Islington**. The journey time to the city centre from Droylsden is just **20 minutes**, much less than the equivalent peak-time journey by road.



So here are a few good reasons to try the Metrolink service:

#### Save time

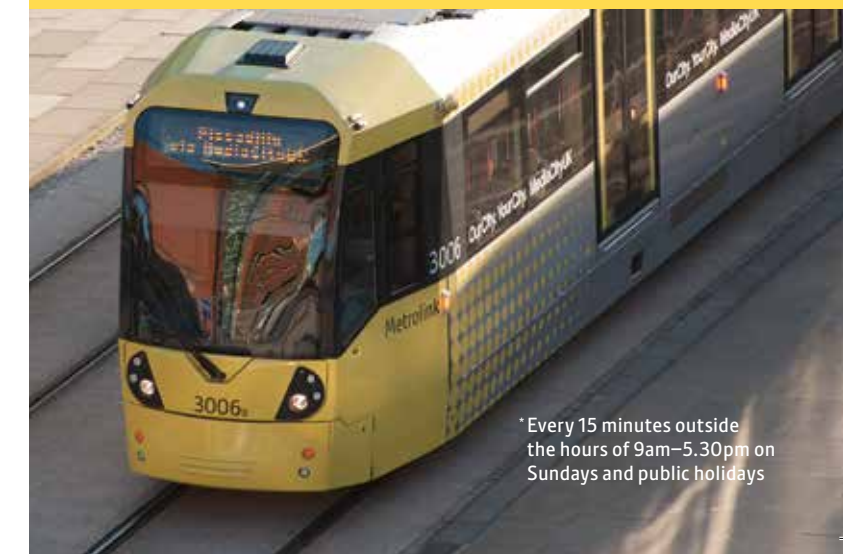
It takes much less time than the equivalent peak-time journey by road.

#### Save money

If you currently drive into the city centre you'll find that compared to the cost of fuel and parking, travelling by Metrolink represents great value.

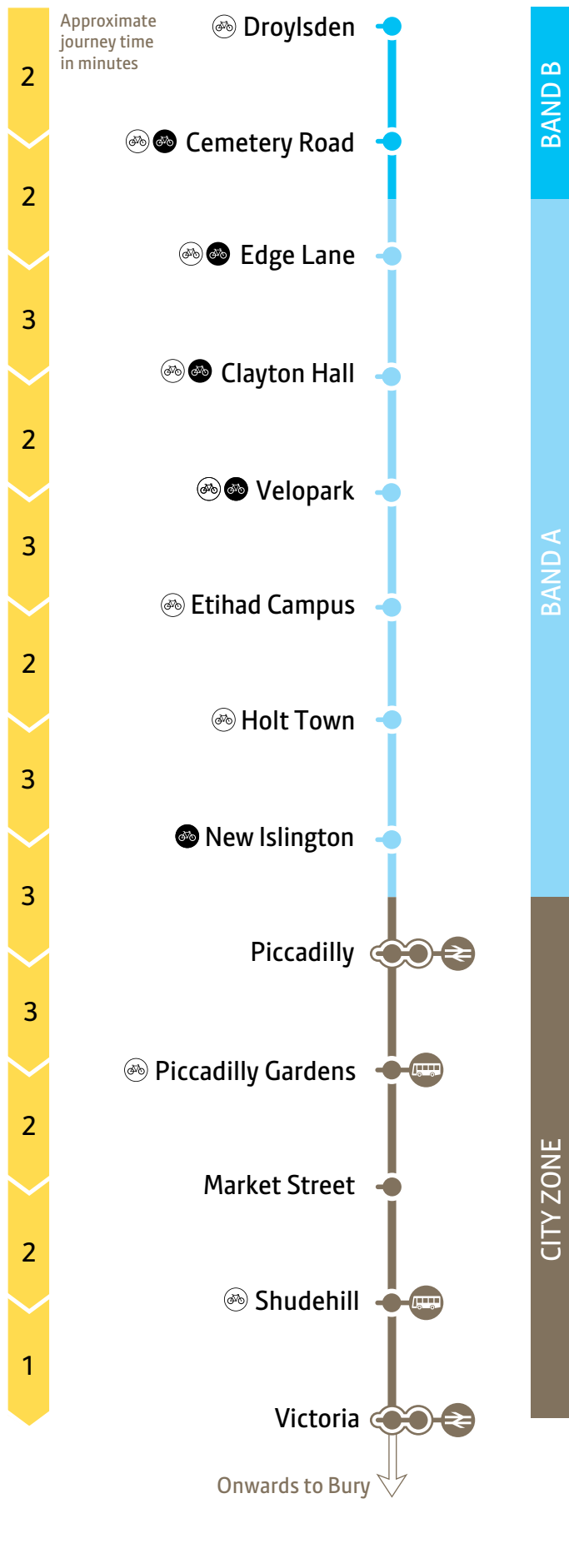
#### Save hassle

With services running every 12 minutes\* to and from the city centre, your next tram is never far away.



\*Every 15 minutes outside the hours of 9am–5.30pm on Sundays and public holidays





## Droylsden to City Zone

Ticket prices and service information from February 2013

### Example fares travelling to the City Zone

Peak hours are up to 9.30 in the morning, Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays)

ADULT	FROM BAND A	FROM BAND B
Single (peak)	£2.40	£3.40
Return (peak)	£3.70	£5.40
Return (off-peak)	£2.90	£3.80
Day Travelcard (peak)*	£6.70	£6.70
Day Travelcard (off-peak)*	£4.90	£4.90
Weekend Travelcard*	£5.50	£5.50
Weekly Season Ticket	£14.50	£21.00
4-weekly Season Ticket**	£53.00	£73.00
Quarterly Season Ticket**	£155.00	£225.00
Annual Season Ticket**	£545.00	£800.00

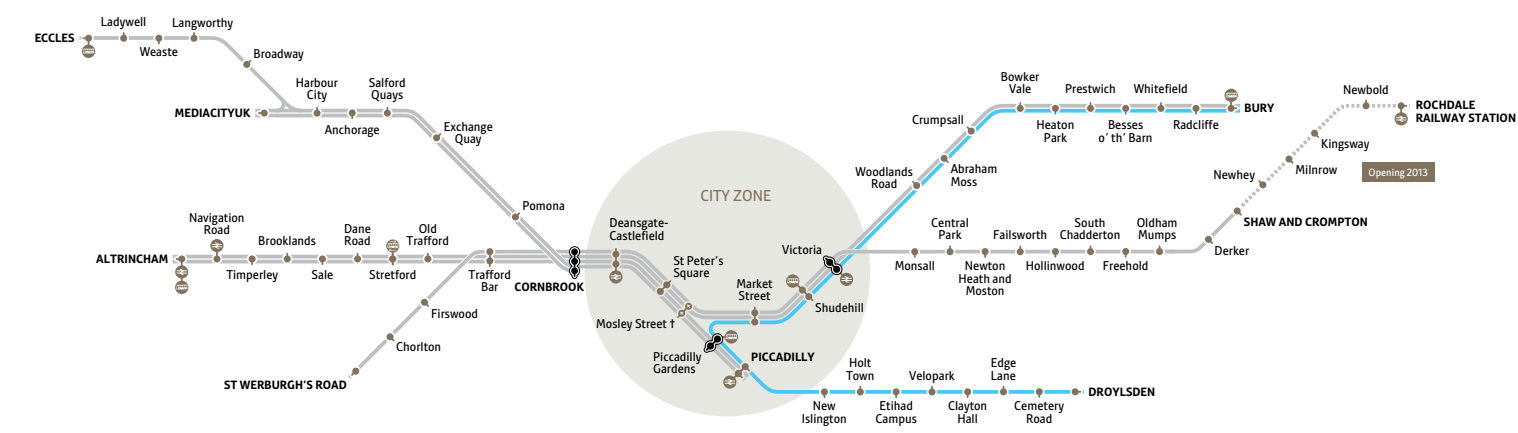
CHILD (proof of age required)	FROM BAND A	FROM BAND B
Single (peak)	£1.10	£1.50
Return (peak)	£1.70	£2.40
Return (off-peak)	£1.40	£1.70
Day Travelcard (peak)*	£2.60	£2.60
Day Travelcard (off-peak)*	£1.80	£1.80
Weekend Travelcard*	£2.50	£2.50
Weekly Season Ticket	£6.50	£9.50
4-weekly Season Ticket**	£25.00	£35.00

FAMILIES & GROUPS***	FROM BAND A	FROM BAND B
Family Return (off-peak)	£4.00	£5.50
Family Day Travelcard*	£6.80	£6.80
Family Weekend Travelcard*	£7.50	£7.50
Group Day Travelcard (off-peak)*	£10.50	£10.50

- \* Unlimited travel anywhere on Metrolink
- \*\* Metrolink Travel Club ID Card required
- \*\*\* Families are up to three children travelling with one or two adults. Groups are up to four adults travelling together

Please note that as the public transport body for the region, Transport for Greater Manchester evaluates the wider availability and circumstances of public transport provision in the different areas of the region when setting fares and discounts.

### Metrolink Network Map



- Metrolink stop
- Line interchange
- Rail/Bus interchange
- Park & ride
- Bike stands
- Bike lockers

### TRAM FREQUENCIES

Mon–Thu	Fri–Sat	Sun & Public Hols
Every 12 minutes	Every 12 minutes	Every 12 minutes from 09.00–17.30 Every 15 minutes at all other times

### TRAM TIMES

Mon–Thu	Friday	Saturday	Sun & Public Hols				
FIRST	LAST	FIRST	LAST	FIRST	LAST	FIRST	LAST
<b>Droylsden to Piccadilly</b>							
0550	2355	0550	0050	0550	0055	0659	2305
<b>Cemetery Road to Piccadilly</b>							
0552	2358	0552	0058	0552	0058	0701	2307
<b>Cemetery Road to Droylsden</b>							
0528	2349	0534	0049	0534	0049	0646	2301
<b>Edge Lane to Piccadilly</b>							
0554	0001	0554	0101	0554	0101	0703	2309
<b>Edge Lane to Droylsden</b>							
0525	2346	0531	0046	0531	0046	0643	2258
<b>Clayton Hall to Piccadilly</b>							
0557	0004	0557	0104	0557	0104	0706	2312
<b>Clayton Hall to Droylsden</b>							
0523	2344	0529	0044	0529	0044	0641	2256
<b>Velopark to Piccadilly</b>							
0559	0007	0559	0107	0559	0107	0708	2314
<b>Velopark to Droylsden</b>							
0520	2341	0526	0041	0526	0041	0638	2253
<b>Etihad Campus to Piccadilly</b>							
0602	0009	0602	0109	0602	0109	0711	2317
<b>Etihad Campus to Droylsden</b>							
0518	2339	0524	0039	0524	0039	0636	2251
<b>Holt Town to Piccadilly</b>							
0604	0012	0604	0112	0604	0112	0713	2319
<b>Holt Town to Droylsden</b>							
0515	2336	0521	0036	0521	0036	0633	2248
<b>New Islington to Piccadilly</b>							
0607	0014	0607	0114	0607	0114	0716	2322
<b>New Islington to Droylsden</b>							
0513	2334	0519	0034	0519	0034	0631	2246
<b>Piccadilly to Droylsden</b>							
0510	2331	0516	0031	0516	0031	0628	2243

## Getting the most out of your Metrolink service

Inside this leaflet you'll find lots of information to guide you on how to use your Metrolink service, from ticket prices and advice on the best value ticket to buy for your journey, to details of the first and last tram times and the time it takes to travel.

In the chart to the left you will find example fares for journeys into Manchester city centre, but remember that you can buy Single, Return and Season tickets to any destination on the Metrolink network. To find out the cost of your required journey, simply use our online ticket selector at [www.metrolink.co.uk](http://www.metrolink.co.uk)



### To Droylsden and beyond...

The Metrolink line to Droylsden is another stage in the development of Metrolink's East Manchester service which will be completed by the extension of the line to Ashton-under-Lyne.

