

Train times 17

14 December 2025 - 16 May 2026

Manchester to Chester via Altrincham (Mid Cheshire Line)



This timetable shows the Northern train service on the Mid Cheshire Line between **Manchester and Chester via Altrincham**. Other trains run between **Chester and Manchester via Warrington**, and between **Stockport and Manchester**.

How to read this timetable

Look down the left hand column for your departure station. Read across until you find a suitable departure time. Read down the column to find the arrival time at your destination. Through services are shown in bold type (this means you won't have to change trains). Connecting services are shown in light type. If you travel on a connecting service, change at the next station shown in bold or if you arrive on a connecting service, change at the last station shown in bold, unless a footnote advises otherwise.

Minimum connection times

All stations have a minimum connection time of 5 minutes unless stated. Manchester Piccadilly 10 minutes.

Community Rail Partnerships and community groups

We support a number of active community rail partnerships (CRPs) across our network. CRPs bring together local communities and the rail industry to deliver benefits to both, and encourage use of the lines they represent.

Mid Cheshire Community Rail Partnership
www.midcheshirerail.org.uk

Some stations on this route are adopted by local community groups. For more information visit northernrailway.co.uk/community

Planning your journey

National Rail Enquiries

For full details of all train times, fares and rail travel information anywhere on the national rail network, call **03457 48 49 50**, or visit nationalrail.co.uk

TrainTracker™

For up to date travel information and live departures direct to your mobile, text your station **name** or **location code** to **8 49 50**.

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Email: assistance@northernrailway.co.uk

Improving our railway

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You can claim Delay Repay if one of our trains is late or cancelled and as a result you get to your destination station later than scheduled, whether it is our fault or not.

Visit northernrailway.co.uk/delayrepay for more information.

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Mondays to Saturdays

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Mondays to Saturdays

									SX	SO	SO
Chester	d	1356	1456	1556	1656	1756	1856	1956	2056	2056	2156
Mouldsworth		1407	1507	1607	1707	1807	1907	2007	2107	2107	2207
Delamere		1413	1513	1613	1713	1813	1913	2013	2113	2113	2213
Cuddington		1418	1518	1618	1718	1818	1918	2018	2118	2118	2218
Greenbank		1423	1523	1623	1723	1823	1923	2023	2123	2123	2223
Northwich		1428	1528	1628	1728	1828	1928	2028	2128	2128	2228
Lostock Gralam		1432	1532	1632	1732	1832	1932	2032	2132	2132	2232
Plumley		1435	1535	1635	1735	1835	1935	2035	2135	2135	2235
Knutsford		1441	1541	1641	1741	1841	1941	2041	2141	2141	2241
Mobberley		1446	1546	1646	1746	1846	1946	2046	2146	2146	2246
Ashley		1449	1549	1649	1749	1849	1949	2049	2149	2149	2249
Hale		1453	1553	1653	1753	1853	1953	2053	2153	2153	2253
Altrincham		1457	1557	1657	1757	1857	1957	2057	2157	2157	2257
Navigation Road		1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000	2100	2159	2200	2300
Stockport	a	1514	1614	1714	1814	1914	2014	2114	2214	2214	2314
Manchester Piccadilly	a	1525	1625	1726	1825	1925	2025	2125	2227	2226	2325

Mondays to Saturdays

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	Chester	d	2156	2253	2253	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Mouldsworth		2207	2304	2304	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Delamere		2213	2310	2310	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cuddington		2218	2315	2315	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Greenbank		2223	2320	2320	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Northwich		2228	2325	2325	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lostock Gralam		2232	2329	2329	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Plumley		2237	2332	2332	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Knutsford		2242	2338	2338	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Mobberley		2247	2343	2343	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ashley		2250	2346	2346	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hale		2254	2350	2350	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Altrincham		2258	2354	2354	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navigation Road		2300	2357	2357	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Stockport	a	2314	0011	0011	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Manchester Piccadilly	a	2324	0028	0021	-	-	-	-	-	-

Notes
SO Saturdays only.
SX Mondays to Fridays only.

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Sundays

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Useful contact details



Fares and service information

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Correspondence

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British Transport Police

call **0800 40 50 40** text **61016**

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