



Alternatively, GMPTE Travelshops are located at most bus stations in Greater Manchester. They offer independent advice on the best choice of buses, trains and trams, and tickets for your journey. You'll find Travelshops in Manchester City Centre at Piccadilly Gardens and Shudehill Interchange.

Buying the right ticket

With more than 50 bus operators, three train companies and a tram network to travel on, it is important to purchase the most cost-effective and useful tickets.

System One Travelcards are accepted by all the bus companies in Greater Manchester. These offer an unlimited number of journeys for the period they are valid (day, week, 28 days or year).

System One Travel's DaySaver Travelcard range includes a bus DaySaver and tickets for travelling by combinations of bus, train and Metrolink services, or all three, at certain times of the day.

A range of tickets and advice can be found at GMPTE Travelshops and online.

Tel. 0871 200 22 33 | www.systemonetravelcards.co.uk
www.paypoint.com/locator

Tickets for Business

GMPTE can also provide System One Travelcards for business use and help firms interested in initiating company ticket schemes. Staff enjoy substantial savings and all the convenience of an annual travel card. For more information, email ticketsservices@gmpte.gov.uk.

Park and Ride

Parking is free at most local rail stations and Metrolink tram stops in Greater Manchester so the only cost is the fare. A complete list of Park and Ride facilities in Greater Manchester can be found online at www.gmpte.com.

Cycling

Cycle parking facilities are available at a number of Metrolink stops, where bikes can be stored safely. Some 15 stops have stands, and 10 of these have lockers. The Bike Locker Users Club (BLUC) is a members-only scheme.

For more information, email bluc@gmpte.gov.uk.

Accessible transport

All Metrolink trams and stops are easy to access and each tram has space allocated near to its middle doors for wheelchairs, pushchairs and prams. Around a fifth of buses in Greater Manchester are low-floor services.

GMPTE

Greater Manchester Passenger Transport Executive (GMPTE) aims to provide high quality facilities and information that will encourage people to travel by bus, train and tram. GMPTE implements the policies of Greater Manchester Passenger Transport Authority. The Authority is responsible for overseeing the provision of public transport in the county and is made up of 33 councillors from the ten councils in Greater Manchester.

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