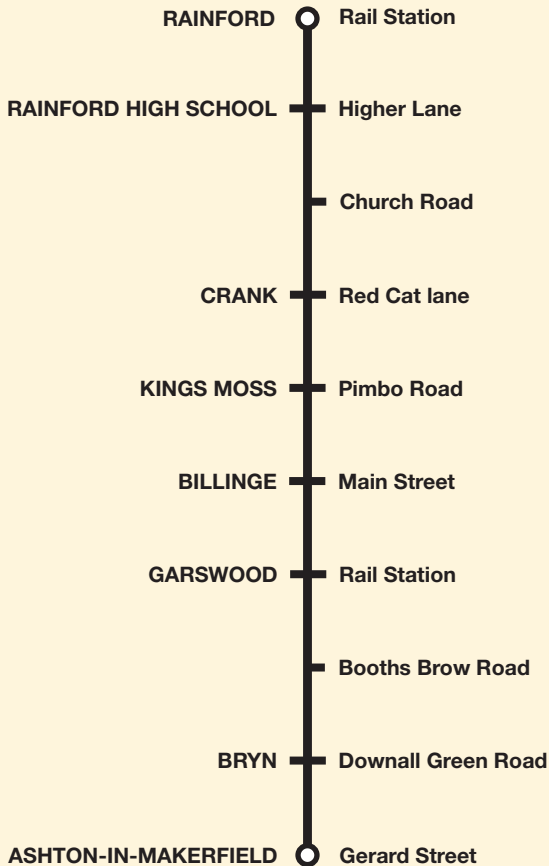




Valid from **6 September 2026**

Bus timetable

157 Rainford - Ashton-in-Makerfield





What's changed?

Times are changed.



Route descriptions

Route 157 between Rainford and Ashton: from RAINFORD STATION via News Lane, Hydes Brow, Higher Lane, Cross Pit Lane, Church Road, Southern's Lane, Derby Drive, Holly Crescent, Festival Road, Derby Drive, Rookery Lane, Higher Lane, Red Cat Lane, Pimbo Road, turn in Fir Tree Close, Crank Road, Pimbo Road, Red Cat Lane, Gores Lane, Rainford Road, Main Street, Newton Road, Billinge Road, *Smock Lane, Garswood Road, Station Road, Victoria Road, Billinge Road, *Birch Grove, *Leyland Green Road, Booths Brow Road, Downall Green Road, *Meadowcroft, *Chantry Walk, Grange Road, Haseldine Street, Downall Green Road, Bryn Street, Gerard Street to ASHTON TOWN CENTRE (GERARD STREET).

Route 157 between Ashton and Rainford: from ASHTON TOWN CENTRE (GERARD STREET) via Gerard Street, Wigan Road, Downall Green Road, Grange Road, Chantry Walk, Meadowcroft, Downall Green Road, Booths Brow Road, Leyland Green Road, Birch Grove, Billinge Road, Victoria Road, Station Road, Garswood Road, *Smock Lane, Billinge Road, Newton Road, London Fields, Pingot Road, Main Street, Rainford Road, Gores Lane, Back Lane, Red Cat Lane, Pimbo Road, turn in Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Red Cat Lane, Higher Lane, Rookery Lane, Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent, Derby Drive, Southern's Lane, Church Road, Ormskirk Road, Rainford Bypass, Bushey Lane and News Lane to RAINFORD STATION.

Note: The * symbol indicates the service will operate as 'Hail and Ride' along those roads.

**157****Rainford - Ashton****Mondays to Saturdays**

Rainford Rail Station	⇒	0907	1005	1107	1159	1307	1407	1507	1607	1711	1807
Rainford High School		0909	1007	1109	1201	1309	1409	1510	1609	1713	1809
Southern's Lane, Church Road		0911	1009	1112	1204	1312	1412	1512	1612	1716	1812
Rookery Lane, Rookery Drive		0914	1012	1114	1206	1314	1415	1515	1615	1718	1814
St Helens Road, Bottle and Glass		↓	↓	↓	1211□	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
Higher Lane, Red Cat Lane		0921	1021	1118	↓	1322	1423	1518	1618	1726	1817
Crank Hill, Higher Lane		↓	↓	↓	1217	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
Kings Moss		0924	1025	1121	1220	1325	1425	1521	1620	1729	1819
Newton Road, Windsor Road		0933	1035	1132	1232	1335	1435	1530	1632	1739	1829
Garswood Rail Station	⇒	0938	1040	1136	1237	1340	1440	1536	1636	1743	-
Booths Brow Road, Brocstedes Avenue		0945	1046	1143	1245	1346	1444	1543	1643	1749	-
Bryn Downall Green Road, Bryn Cross		0951	1053	1148	1249	1352	1451	1549	1652	1754	-
Ashton Gerard Street		0958	1058	1154	1256	1358	1457	1555	1659	1759	-

Code used on this page:

- - means this journey runs as normal to Higher Lane and then via Mill Lane, Rainford Bypass, St. Helens Road, Rainford Bypass, Crank Road, Crank Hill, Red Cat Lane then normal route to Rainford Station

Sundays - no service

**157****Ashton - Rainford****Mondays to Saturdays**

		M-F	SAT									M-F	SAT
Ashton Gerard Street	-	0900	0900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1616	1702	1802	1802
Bryn Downall Green Road, Bryn Cross	-	0904	0904	1004	1104	1204	1304	1404	1504	1620	1706	1806	1806
Booths Brow Road, Brocstedes Road	-	0909	0908	1009	1109	1210	1309	1409	1510	1626	1712	1810	1810
Garswood Rail Station	⇒	0806	0915	0914	1014	1116	1216	1315	1415	1516	1633	1717	1815
Newyon Road, Windsor Road		0811	0921	0920	1020	1120	1221	1320	1421	1522	1638	1722	-
Kings Moss		0819	0929	0928	1032	1131	1231	1330	1431	1532	1648	1732	-
Red Cat Lane, Higher Lane		0822	0933	0932	1035	1134	1236	1333	1434	1535	1650	1737	-
St Helens Road, Bottle and Glass	↓	↓	↓	1042	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	-
Derby Drive, Southern's Lane		0827	0937	0936	1048	1139	1240	1338	1438	1539	1654◆	1741	-
Rainford High School	0834□	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	-
Ormskirk Road, Lords Fold		0838	0945	0944	1053	1144	1246	1343	1446	1546	1701	1745	-
Bushey Lane, Red Delph Lane		0843	0950	0949	1058	1149	1251	1348	1451	1551	1706	1750	-
Rainford Rail Station	⇒	0846	0953	0952	1101	1152	1254	1351	1454	1554	1709	1752	-

Codes:**M-F** - means this journey runs on Mondays to Fridays only.**SAT** - means this journey runs on Saturdays only.

- - means this journey runs via Derby Drive then continues along onto Southern's Lane then via Church Road, Cross Pit Lane, Higher Lane (for Rainford High School), Old Lane, Ormskirk Road then normal route to Rainford Station
- ↓ - means this journey runs via Red Cat Lane, Crank Hill, Crank Road, Rainford Bypass, St Helens Road, Rainford Bypass, Mill Lane, Higher Lane then as normal route to Rainford Station,
- ◆ - means this journey continues along Rookery Lane onto Church Road missing out Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent and Southern's Lane. The time given is for the stop on Rookery Lane by Carter Avenue.

Sundays - no service

Route 157:

Rainford - Ashton

