

Building a timetable fit for the future

South Western Railway and Network Rail Wessex are embarking on a full refresh of the SWR network timetable.

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What is happening to the timetable?

We are reviewing every SWR service across the south and west of England.

This process allows us to design a refreshed timetable that makes best use of our network, infrastructure and people, and performs better for our customers and stakeholders.

Listening to your views is essential to delivering the best possible service for the communities we serve. That is why we are asking for feedback now.

This will help shape the design of the timetable in advance of the formal public consultation in Autumn 2026.

Why are we refreshing the timetable?

While we usually make incremental changes to our timetable twice a year to help improve the service, this full refresh will help us adapt to modern customer travel patterns, take advantage of the increased capacity of our new Arterio trains and support changes to how we operate the network.

It is part of a wider plan to transform our railway, which includes recruiting more drivers to improve the reliability of the service.

As the process continues, we will keep reviewing, refreshing and updating the timetable regularly, so our service continues to meet the needs of the communities we serve.

What does this mean for you?

This refresh will focus on our customer experience, while balancing our priorities of enhanced connectivity, improved journey times, increased reliability and – as a publicly-owned service – ensuring economic value to the taxpayer.



As this is a network-wide change, every decision made about the timetable will need careful consideration, for example weighing up more stops at some stations with faster journey times from others.

That is why your feedback matters.



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