

Your School and College Adventure along the Derwent Valley Line

The Derwent Valley Line offers fantastic opportunities for school and college trips to numerous great attractions, providing educational visits for schools. Travel at discounted group rates and visit Fascinating Museums, Historic Mills, Vast Caverns or discover the Natural World. All just a train ride away on the scenic Derwent Valley Line. This information explains how to book group travel for schools and colleges and highlights attractions along the route.

A Fantastic Journey

Travelling by train can be a great experience for children as part of their school trip, making it a real day to remember. Your children will enjoy a scenic train ride on the Derwent Valley Line, passing through a picturesque and historic landscape. Between Nottingham and Derby views over the Trent Valley can be enjoyed, whilst from Derby your journey takes you through the Derwent Valley Mills World Heritage Site, before travelling through the limestone gorge to Matlock Bath and Matlock.

School and College Groups Save 26%

Groups of 10 or more, travelling on the train between Nottingham, Derby and Matlock can benefit from a 26% discount on standard rail fares. Children aged 5 to 15 years inclusive qualify for child fare. These sample fares, from January 2019 are based on off peak travel (after 0859). Slightly higher fares apply on trains before 0900.

East Midlands Trains

Contact East Midlands Trains for a quote for your school travel. **Group bookings can be made by calling East Midlands Trains on 03457 125 678. Select option 2 'Ticket Sales', then option 2 'Groups'.** Group Travel desk is open 0830-1800 Monday to Friday. One of the dedicated group travel team will take your details and help organise your travel needs. Enquiries must be made at least a week in advance. eastmidlandstrains.co.uk

Off Peak Day Return Fares	Belper – Cromford	Derby - Belper	Derby - Matlock	Nottingham – Matlock Bath
Group Child Fare (5-15)	£1.60	£1.85	£2.45	£3.75
Group Adult Fare	£3.20	£3.70	£4.90	£7.50
2 Adults and 15 children	£30.40	£35.15	£46.55	£71.25
4 Adults and 30 children	£60.80	£70.30	£93.10	£142.50

Group fares are subject to availability.

Walking Time from the Nearest Station

Most attractions listed are within a 20 minute walk of their nearest station, with many even closer. The walking time is indicated in brackets after each attraction name
e.g. (10) = 10 minute walk.

Matlock Bath

Heights of Abraham (5)
01629 582365
heightsofabraham.com

Whistlestop Countryside Centre (1)
01629 580958
derbyshirewildlifetrust.org.uk

Peak District Mining Experience (10)
01629 583834
peakdistrictleadminingmuseum.co.uk

Duffield

Ecclesbourne Valley Railway (5)
01629 823076 e-v-r.com

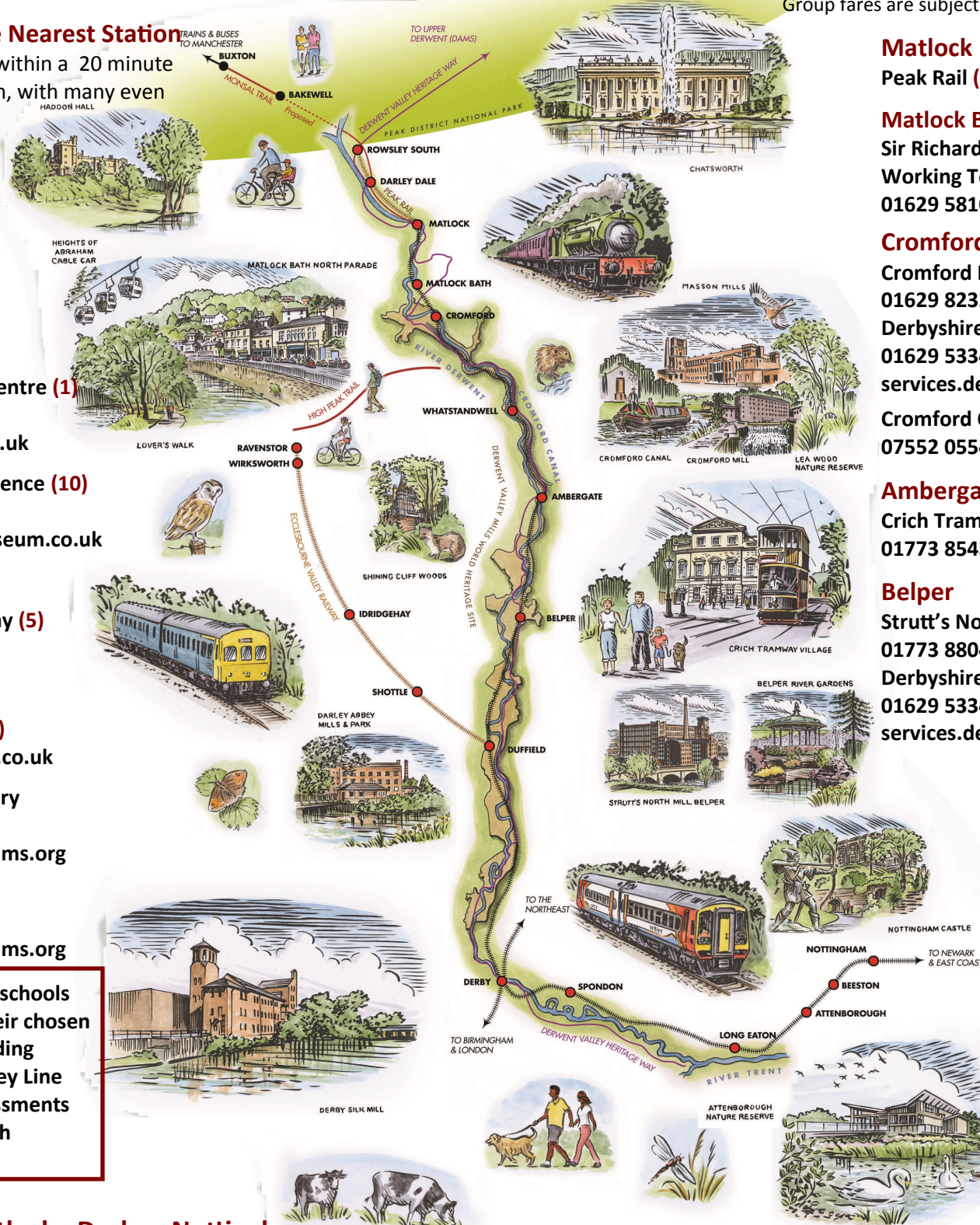
Derby

Derby Quad (20 or bus link)
01332 285444 derbyquad.co.uk

Derby Museum & Art Gallery (20 or bus link)
01332 641901 derbymuseums.org

Pickford's House Museum (20 or bus link)
01332 641901 derbymuseums.org

It is recommended that all schools undertake a pre-visit to their chosen educational provider including travel on the Derwent Valley Line and carry out full risk assessments prior to school visits to each location.



Matlock

Peak Rail (5) 01629 580381 peakrail.co.uk

Matlock Bath or Cromford

Sir Richard Arkwright's Masson Mills
Working Textile Museum (20)
01629 581001 massonmills.co.uk

Cromford

Cromford Mill and Village (10)
01629 823256 cromfordmills.org.uk
Derbyshire Environmental Studies
01629 533439
services.derbyshire.gov.uk/EnvStudies
Cromford Canal Narrowboat Cruises (10)
07552 055455 birdswood.org

Ambergate

Crich Tramway Village (bus link)
01773 854321 tramway.co.uk

Belper

Strutt's North Mill (10)
01773 880474 belpernorthmill.org.uk
Derbyshire Environmental Studies
01629 533439
services.derbyshire.gov.uk/EnvStudies

Nottingham

Galleries of Justice (10) 0115 952 0555 galleriesofjustice.org.uk
Nottingham Castle 0115 876 1400
nottinghamcity.gov.uk/castle (15)
Brewhouse Yard Museum (10)
0115 876 1400
nottinghamcity.gov.uk/castle
Nottingham Contemporary (10)
0115 948 9750
nottinghamcontemporary.org
City of Caves (10) 0115 988 1955
cityofcaves.com

Attenborough

Attenborough Nature Centre (10)
0115 972 1777
attenboroughnaturecentre.co.uk

Train Every Hour Matlock - Derby - Nottingham

East Midlands Trains operate an hourly Derwent Valley Line train service between Nottingham, Derby and Matlock. The following train services are most suitable for school and college group visits.

Group Travel to London

Call East Midlands Trains' Group Travel Team for details of discounted group tickets to London & other destinations.

National Rail Enquiries 03457 48 49 50 nationalrail.co.uk

Matlock - Belper - Derby - Nottingham

Matlock.....	0837	0937	1037	1137	1237	1337	1437
Matlock Bath.....	0839	0939	1039	1139	1239	1339	1439
Cromford.....	0842	0942	1042	1142	1242	1342	1442
Whatstandwell..	0847	0947	1047	1147	1247	1347	1447
Ambergate.....	0852	0952	1052	1152	1252	1352	1452
Belper.....	0859	0959	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459
Duffield.....	0903	1003	1103	1203	1303	1403	1503
Derby.....	0910	1010	1110	1210	1310	1410	1510
Long Eaton.....	0924	1022	1122	1221	1324	1421	1523
Attenborough	0932	1030	1129	1230	1332	1429	1531
Beeston	0935	1033	1132	1233	1335	1432	1534
Nottingham....	0941	1040	1139	1240	1341	1439	1540

Nottingham - Derby - Belper - Matlock

Nottingham....	0920	1020	1120	1220	1320	1420	1520
Beeston	0925	1025	1125	1225	1325	1425	1525
Attenborough	0929	1029	1129	1229	1329	1429	1529
Long Eaton.....	0937	1037	1137	1237	1337	1437	1537
Derby.....	0952	1052	1152	1252	1352	1452	1552
Duffield.....	0959	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459	1559
Belper.....	1004	1104	1204	1304	1404	1504	1604
Ambergate.....	1010	1110	1210	1310	1410	1510	1610
Whatstandwell..	1014	1114	1214	1314	1414	1514	1614
Cromford.....	1020	1120	1220	1320	1420	1520	1620
Matlock Bath....	1022	1122	1222	1322	1422	1522	1622
Matlock.....	1026	1126	1226	1326	1426	1526	1626

Derwent Valley Line Community Rail Partnership

Works to promote and develop the Derwent Valley Line. Partners are East Midlands Trains, CrossCountry Trains, local authorities, parish and town councils and other local organisations.



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Train Times valid on Weekdays until Friday 13 December 2019.