



Seasonal advice: Various factors could affect travel this Christmas and New Year



Travel advice over the festive period

MOST SERVICES WILL BE RUNNING THIS CHRISTMAS BUT CHECK BEFORE YOU TRAVEL

THERE are a number of planned works and service changes, as well as strike action over the Christmas and New Year period and throughout January.

Most TfL services, including the majority of the Tube, will continue to run. Customers are advised to plan ahead using tools such as TfL's Journey Planner or the TfL Go app.

Until tomorrow, there is a closure on the Bakerloo line between Queen's Park and Harrow & Wealdstone, and on the London Overground between Euston and Watford Junction. For more details, visit tfl.gov.uk/bakerloo-overground

From tomorrow until Monday 2 January 2023, there will be works on the London Overground and Elizabeth line, and service changes across the network for the Christmas and New Year period.

National rail strikes between December 24 and 27, and between January 3 and 7, are expected to affect the London Overground, Elizabeth line, Circle line and parts of the District and Bakerloo lines. There are also Abellio bus strikes planned to take place during December and January.

On Christmas Eve, services will finish earlier than normal. Some TfL services affected by national rail strike action will start to close from 11am. Night Tube and Night Overground services will not operate on Christmas Eve.

There will be no service on most public transport on Christmas Day and no services on parts of the network on Boxing Day. Victoria Coach Station, Santander Cycles, rental e-scooters, and taxi and private hire services will be available throughout the festive period, including Christmas Day.

The Mayor's annual New Year's Eve fireworks will return for the first time since 2019, with some services running all night, apart from planned closures. Customers are reminded that they will have to pay to travel on New Year's Eve.

Walking and cycling routes will be largely uninterrupted during this period, apart from New Year's Eve when some roads in central London will be closed, some Santander Cycles docking stations will be out of service, and some bridges will also be closed to pedestrians.

For a fun thing to do while enjoying the festive period, head to the IFS Cloud Cable Car, which is open throughout the festive period apart from on Christmas Day.

For more information on travelling this Christmas period, visit the website tfl.gov.uk/christmas-travel



Plan ahead: Customers are being advised to check before they travel

Travelling safely

WHILE London's public transport network provides a safe, affordable and sustainable way to travel around at night, TfL has relaunched its annual Safer Travel at Night campaign to remind Londoners of how to safely use taxis and minicabs.

If a minicab is not booked, it's illegal and unsafe. Booking a minicab through a licensed operator means that there is a record of the journey, driver and

vehicle used, so if there are any problems then the driver can be traced.

Over the next few weeks, TfL and the police will be stepping up their activity to crack down on unbooked minicabs and other illegal activity by targeting priority locations across the capital.

Customers are also advised to be aware of pickpockets' tactics this Christmas. Keep valuables safe by zipping them away after use and calling 999 in an emergency.

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