

Will your journey be affected this weekend?

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There are no planned works on the Bakerloo, Central, Jubilee, Northern, Piccadilly, Victoria or Waterloo & City lines, Docklands Light Railway, London Trams or TfL Rail. However, the following lines will be affected by engineering and improvement works.

Circle line

Part closure

All weekend: no service between Edgware Road and Tower Hill (via King's Cross St. Pancras) owing to track replacement at Euston Square and Farringdon, line improvements at Barbican and Crossrail work at Liverpool Street. A Circle line service will run between Edgware Road and Barking (via Victoria). Use alternative bus and/or Tube services.

District line

Part closure

All weekend: no service between Edgware Road and High Street Kensington owing to line improvement work. Use the Circle line.

Saturday: no service between Earl's Court and Kensington (Olympia). Use the London Overground to/from Kensington (Olympia), or the replacement bus service between Earl's Court and Kensington (Olympia) between 8am and 7pm.

Sunday: no service between Turnham Green and Richmond. Replacement buses will call at: Turnham Green - Chiswick High Road (for Chiswick Park) - Gunnersbury - Kew Gardens - Richmond.

Hammersmith & City line

Part closure

All weekend: no service between Edgware Road and Barking owing to track replacement work at Euston Square and Farringdon, line improvements at Barbican and Crossrail work at Liverpool Street. Use alternative bus and/or Tube services.

Metropolitan line

Part closure

All weekend: no service between Baker Street and Aldgate owing to track replacement at Euston Square and Farringdon, line improvements at Barbican and Crossrail work at Liverpool Street. Use alternative bus and/or Tube services.

London Overground

Part closure

Sunday: no service between Richmond and Willesden Junction owing to Network Rail track work. Replacement buses will run.

Sunday: no service between Gospel Oak and Barking while preparatory works for electrification are carried out. Replacement bus services will run.

Sunday: trains to/from Chingford will not stop at Bethnal Green station until midnight owing to Network Rail track work. Customers should use Enfield Town/Cheshunt trains.

Go to tfl.gov.uk for full details.



Spending Review confirms continued transport investment

THE Chancellor has pledged his commitment to target vital investment for transport in the capital.

An £11bn funding settlement, to 2020/21, was confirmed in the Government's Spending Review. It will ensure TfL can continue the modernisation of the capital's road, rail and cycling networks, support thousands of jobs and new homes, and promote economic growth across the UK.

Crossrail 2 - a major new railway serving London and the wider South East - received a boost as the Chancellor confirmed that it would be eligible for funding from a new £300million Transport Development Fund for the next generation of transport infrastructure projects.

TfL also confirmed that from 2019 it will cover

all day-to-day running costs from non-Department for Transport grant sources of income - including fares, commercial revenues and the retention of business rates from non-domestic and commercial properties - an income stream expected to rise as the capital's economy continues to grow.

This means that London will be the only major European city transport network not to require an operational subsidy from central Government. This has been made possible through major improvements to capacity and reliability of the network which has meant significant reductions in maintenance costs and the implementation of a major savings and efficiencies programme, and an increase in commercial revenues.

Oxford Circus station during the festive period

WITH Christmas shopping and the party season in full swing, Oxford Circus Tube station is extremely busy.

It is particularly busy between 5pm and 7pm. If you are travelling to the West End in the next few weeks, it's advisable to avoid using Oxford Circus at these times. Where possible, try to use one of the following stations within walking distance:

- Bond Street (for the Central and Jubilee lines)
- Piccadilly Circus (for the Bakerloo and Piccadilly lines)
- Regent's Park (for the Bakerloo line)
- Tottenham Court Road (for the Northern line, and from early December the Central line)