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Bus timetable

157 Rainford Station - Ashton-in-Makerfield

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Stagecoach Merseyside

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Route descriptions

Route 157 between Rainford and Ashton-in-Makerfield: from RAINFORD STATION via News Lane, Hydes Brow, Higher Lane, Cross Pit Lane, Church Road, Southern's Lane, Holly Crescent, Festival Road, Derby Drive, Rookery Lane, Higher Lane, Red Cat Lane, Pimbo Road, Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Crank Road, Red Cat Lane, Back Lane, Gore's Lane, Rainford Road, Main Street, Newton Road, Billinge Road, Smock Lane, Garswood Road, Station Road, Victoria Road, Billinge Grove, Birch Road, Leyland Green Road, Booth's Brow Road, Downall Green Road, Meadow Croft, Chantry Walk, Grange Road, Haseldine Street, Downall Green Road, Wigan Road, Gerard Street to ASHTON-IN-MAKERFIELD (GERARD STREET).

Route 157 between Ashton-in-Makerfield and Rainford: from ASHTON-IN-MAKERFIELD (GERARD STREET) via Gerard Street, Wigan Road, Downall Green Road, Grange Road, Chantry Walk, Meadow Croft, Downall Green Road, Brow Road, Leyland Green Road, Birch Grove, Billinge Road, Victoia Road, Station Road, Garswood Road, Smock Lane, Billinge Road, Newton Road, London Fields, Pingot Road, Main Street, Rainford Road, Gore's Lane, Back Lane, Red Cat Lane, Crank Road, Pimbo Road, Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Red Cat Lane, Higher Lane, Rookery Lane, Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent, Southern's Lane, Church Road, Ormskirk Road, Rainford By-Pass, Bushey Lane, News Lane to RAINFORD STATION.

Buses via St Helens Road:

1159 bus from RAINFORD STATION via News Lane, Hydes Brow, Higher Lane, Cross Pit Lane, Church Road, Southern's Lane, Holly Crescent, Festival Road, Derby Drive, Rookery Lane, Higher Lane, Mill Lane, St Helens Rd, Crank Rd, Crank Hill, Red Cat Lane, Pimbo Road, Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Crank Road, Red Cat Lane, Back Lane, Gore's Lane, Rainford Road, Main Street, Newton Road, Billinge Road, Smock Lane, Garswood Road, Station Road, Victoria Road, Billinge Grove, Birch Road, Leyland Green Road, Booth's Brow Road, Downall Green Road, Meadow Croft, Chantry Walk, Grange Road, Haseldine Street, Downall Green Road, Wigan Road, Gerard Street to ASHTON-IN-MAKERFIELD (GERARD STREET).

1000 bus from ASHTON-IN-MAKERFIELD (GERARD STREET) via Gerard Street, Wigan Road, Downall Green Road, Grange Road, Chantry Walk, Meadow Croft, Downall Green Road, Booths Brow Road, Leyland Green Road, Birch Grove, Billinge Road, Victoia Road, Station Road, Garswood, Road, Smock Lane, Billinge Road, Newton Road, London Fields, Pingot Road, Main Street, Rainford Road, Gore's Lane, Back Lane, Red Cat Lane, Crank Hill, Crank Road, St Helens Road, Mill Lane, Higher Lane, Crank Road, Pimbo Road, Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Red Cat Lane, Higher Lane, Rookery Lane, Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent, Southern's Lane, Church Road, Ormskirk Road, Rainford By-Pass, Bushey Lane, News Lane to RAINFORD STATION.

The 0806 bus from Garswood station to Rainford:

From GARSWOOD STATION via Station Road, Garswood, Road, Smock Lane, Billinge Road, Newton Road, London Fields, Pingot Road, Main Street, Rainford Road, Gore's Lane, Back Lane, Red Cat Lane, Crank Road, Pimbo Road, Fir Tree Close, Pimbo Road, Red Cat Lane, Higher Lane, Rookery Lane, Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent, Southern's Lane, Church Road, Cross Pit Lane, Higher Lane (for Rainford High School), Old Lane, Ormskirk Road, Rainford By-Pass, Bushey Lane, News Lane to RAINFORD STATION.



Mondays to Saturdays

| | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{N} | \mathbf{N} | \mathbf{Q} | \mathbf{W} | \mathbf{Q} |
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| Rainford railway station | 0907 | 1007 | 1107 | 1159 | 1307 | 1407 | 1507 | 1607 | 1711 | 1807 |
| Rainford High School Higher Lane | 0910 | 1010 | 1110 | 1202 | 1310 | 1410 | 1510 | 1610 | 1714 | 1810 |
| Church Road, Southern's Lane | 0913 | 1013 | 1113 | 1205 | 1313 | 1413 | 1513 | 1613 | 1717 | 1813 |
| Derby Drive, Rookery Lane | 0915 | 1015 | 1115 | 1207 | 1315 | 1415 | 1515 | 1615 | 1719 | 1815 |
| St Helens Road, Bottle & Glass Inn | \downarrow | \downarrow | \downarrow | 1212 | \downarrow | \downarrow | \downarrow | \downarrow | \downarrow | \downarrow |
| Crank The Red Cat | 0920 | 1020 | 1120 | 1220 | 1320 | 1420 | 1520 | 1620 | 1724 | 1820 |
| Kings Moss Fir Tree Close | 0924 | 1024 | 1124 | 1224 | 1324 | 1424 | 1524 | 1624 | 1728 | 1824 |
| Billinge Newton Road | 0933 | 1033 | 1133 | 1233 | 1333 | 1433 | 1533 | 1633 | 1737 | 1833 |
| Garswood Merseyrail station, Station Rd < | 0940 | 1040 | 1140 | 1240 | 1340 | 1440 | 1540 | 1640 | 1744 | - |
| North Ashton Booths Brow Road | 0946 | 1046 | 1146 | 1246 | 1346 | 1446 | 1546 | 1646 | 1750 | - |
| Bryn Cross Downall Green Road | 0952 | 1052 | 1152 | 1252 | 1352 | 1452 | 1552 | 1652 | 1756 | - |
| Ashton-in-Makerfield Gerard Street | 0957 | 1057 | 1157 | 1257 | 1357 | 1457 | 1557 | 1657 | 1801 | - |

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Sundays - No Service



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| Ashton-in-Makerfield Gerard Street | - | 0900 | 1000 | 1100 | 1200 | 1300 | 1400 | 1500 | 1616 | 1700 | 1802 |
| Bryn Cross Downall Green Road | - | 0905 | 1005 | 1105 | 1205 | 1305 | 1405 | 1505 | 1621 | 1705 | 1807 |
| North Ashton Booths Brow Road | - | 0911 | 1011 | 1111 | 1211 | 1311 | 1411 | 1511 | 1627 | 1711 | 1813 |
| Garswood Merseyrail station, Station Rd \rightleftharpoons | 0806 | 0917 | 1017 | 1117 | 1217 | 1317 | 1417 | 1517 | 1633 | 1717 | 1819 |
| Newton Road, London Fields | 0815 | 0924 | 1024 | 1124 | 1224 | 1324 | 1424 | 1524 | 1640 | 1724 | - |
| Kings Moss Fir Tree Close | 0822 | 0933 | 1033 | 1133 | 1233 | 1333 | 1433 | 1533 | 1649 | 1733 | - |
| Crank The Red Cat | 0826 | 0937 | 1037 | 1137 | 1237 | 1337 | 1437 | 1537 | 1653 | 1737 | - |
| St Helens Road, Bottle & Glass Inn | \downarrow | \downarrow | 1044 | \downarrow | - |
| Derby Drive, Rookery Lane | 0831 | 0942 | 1049 | 1142 | 1242 | 1342 | 1442 | 1542 | 1658 | 1742 | - |
| Rainford The Bridge public house, Ormskirk Rd | 0842 | 0949 | 1056 | 1149 | 1249 | 1349 | 1449 | 1549 | 1705 | 1749 | - |
| Rainford The Wheatsheaf | 0844 | 0952 | 1059 | 1152 | 1252 | 1352 | 1452 | 1552 | 1708 | 1752 | - |
| Rainford railway station 🗧 关 | 0847 | 0955 | 1102 | 1155 | 1255 | 1355 | 1455 | 1555 | 1711 | 1755 | - |

Code used on this page:

- means this bus runs via Church Road then Cross Pit Lane, Higher Lane (for Rainford High School at 0841), Old Lane, Ormskirk Road then normal route to Rainford.

- means this bus continues along Rookery Lane onto Church Road missing out Derby Drive, Festival Road, Holly Crescent and Southern's Lane. Subsequently this time refers to the stop on Rookery Lane by Carter Avenue.
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