

Fare Information

ZONES TRAVELED	ONE-WAY	ROUND TRIP+	10-RIDE	MONTHLY	INCREMENTAL
1 Zone	\$4.00	\$8.00	\$38.00	\$116.00	+\$1.00
2 Zones	\$4.25	\$8.50	\$40.50	\$123.25	+\$1.50
3 Zones	\$5.50	\$11.00	\$52.25	\$159.50	+\$2.00
4 Zones	\$6.25	\$12.50	\$59.50	\$181.25	+\$2.50
5 Zones	\$6.75	\$13.50	\$64.25	\$195.75	+\$3.00
6 Zones	\$7.25	\$14.50	\$69.00	\$210.25	+\$3.50
7 Zones	\$7.75	\$15.50	\$73.75	\$224.75	+\$4.00
8 Zones	\$8.25	\$16.50	\$78.50	\$239.25	+\$4.50
9 Zones	\$9.00	\$18.00	\$85.50	\$261.00	+\$5.00
10 Zones	\$9.50	\$19.00	\$90.25	\$275.50	-

Weekend Pass (unlimited rides, all lines, all zones, Sat and Sun) - \$10

Fares for all trains are available on the Ventra smartphone app, where riders can purchase one-way, 10-ride and monthly tickets or Round Trip Plus and \$10 Weekend Passes using a debit/credit card or stored transit value on a linked Ventra account. All tickets (except Round Trip Plus) are also available at ticket agents at downtown terminals and select suburban stations. At stations where a station agent is not on-duty, passengers can purchase cash one-way tickets from conductors. Round Trip Plus tickets are valid on all Metra train lines within the zone pair purchased on the day activated; \$10 Weekend Passes are valid on all Metra train lines in all fare zones for the entire weekend. Monthly tickets include full Weekend Passes.

Metra operates on a fare zone structure, with distance-based fares. Currently, there are ten fare zones system-wide, lettered Zone A to Zone J. Metra fares can be used interchangeably between Metra lines over conducted trips do not go beyond the listed zone pair on the ticket. For trips that do go beyond the listed zone pair, riders may wish to purchase an incremental ticket for the difference rather than purchasing a full-price one-way ticket. Transfers between Metra and the CTA or Pace are not included in ticket prices; a full fare is required to change to those buses and trains.

For frequent riders, Metra offers bulk discounts in the form of 10-ride tickets and monthly passes. A 10-ride ticket represents a 5% discount compared to ten one-way tickets; a monthly pass provides a discount for riders using Metra 30 times or more in a calendar month. Monthly passes also include Weekend Passes for that month. Discounted fares are also available for seniors, K-12 students (with a student I.D.), riders with disabilities, military personnel, and more; visit metrail.com for more information.

Passengers purchasing tickets from conductors when a ticket agent or ticket vending machine is available must pay an additional \$5 fee. There is no penalty to buy a ticket onboard trains using the Ventra smartphone app.

These are not official schedules/fare tables.

Schedules and fare information are accurate as of February 2020, but are subject to change. For official information, visit metrail.com or use the Ventra smartphone app.

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Service Information

Metra operates 11 lines serving 242 stations throughout the Chicago region. Service is most frequent during weekday rush periods, with only occasional service during weekday midday periods and minimal service on nights and weekends. On holidays, Metra operates on Sunday schedules.

This table shows 14 service patterns operated by Metra. Generally, "late night" service refers to service after 11:00pm; last trains leave downtown between 11:30pm and 1:00am, depending on the line. Overnight service is not offered. Check schedules for more information.

TRAIN LINE	SCHEDULED SERVICE	PEAK SERVICE	SERVICE NOTES
Ashland UNION PACIFIC NORTH at OGILVIE TRANS. CENTER	A to/from Waukegan Weekdays, every 60 min Saturdays, every 60-120 min Sundays, every 90-120 min	A to/from Kenosha Weekdays, peak and evenings only Saturdays, limited service Sundays, limited service	A most trains make limited stops during peak periods A extra local service to Winnetka B Ravinia Special extra outbound service on weekends for events at Ravinia Park only
North Western UNION PACIFIC NORTHWEST at OGILVIE TRANS. CENTER	C to/from Crystal Lake Weekdays, every 60 min Saturdays, every 60-120 min Sundays, every 120 min	C to/from Harvard Weekdays, every 120-180 min Saturdays, every 120-180 min Sundays, every 120-240 min	C extra local service to Des Plaines D express, stops Des Plaines-Harvard D express, stops Des Plaines-McHenry
Kate Shelley UNION PACIFIC WEST at OGILVIE TRANS. CENTER	E to/from Elburn Weekdays, every 60 min; every 120 min mid-morning Saturdays, every 60 min morning in/afternoon out; every 120 min all other times Sundays, every 120 min	E extra local service to Elmhurst E express, stops Elmhurst-Elburn	Trains generally stop at either Melrose Park or Maywood, but not both. No off-peak service to Kedzie.
Marquette MILWAUKEE NORTH at CHICAGO UNION STATION	G to/from Grayslake Weekdays, every 60 min (limited inbound service north of Deerfield during PM peak)	G to/from Fox Lake Weekdays, every 120 min Saturdays, every 120 min Sundays, every 120 min	E extra local service (Mon-Sat) F express, stops Glenview-Fox Lake H inbound evening service from Antioch
Laker NORTH CENTRAL SERVICE at CHICAGO UNION STATION	J to/from Antioch Weekdays, every 120-240 min	J no peak express service; 15-30 min headways	No weekend service
Arrow MILWAUKEE WEST at CHICAGO UNION STATION	K to/from Elgin Saturdays, every 60-120 min Sundays, every 120 min	K to/from Big Timber Rd Weekdays, every 60 min; every 120 min late night	K extra local service to Franklin Park L express, stops Franklin Park- Big Timber Rd
Western Star BNSF RAILWAY at CHICAGO UNION STATION	N to/from Aurora Weekdays, every 60 min; every 120 min midday Saturdays, every 60 min morning in/afternoon out; every 120 min all other times Sundays, every 120 min	N express, stops Main St-Aurora (Mon-Sat) N extra local service to Brookfield N express, Congress Park-Fairview Ave	No off-peak service to Halsted St, LaVergne, Congress Park, West Hinsdale, or Highlands. Some expresses run split consists.
Abraham HERITAGE CORRIDOR at CHICAGO UNION STATION	P to/from Joliet Weekdays, peak period only	P no peak express service; 40-60 min headways	No off-peak or weekend service
Blue Bird SOUTHWEST SERVICE at CHICAGO UNION STATION	Q to/from 179th Weekdays, every 90-120 min	Q to/from Manhattan Weekdays, peak period only Saturdays, limited service	Q no peak express service; 20-40 min headways
Rocket ROCK ISLAND at LaSALLE STREET STATION	R to/from Joliet Weekdays, peak period only Saturdays, every 120 min Sundays, every 120 min	RS to/from Joliet (via Suburban) Weekdays, off-peak, every 60-90 min Saturdays, early morning/late night only Sundays, early morning/late night only	R every 15-40 min
Suburban ROCK ISLAND at LaSALLE STREET STATION	S to/from Blue Island Weekdays, every 60 min; every 90-120 min evenings Saturdays, every 120 min Sundays, every 120 min	S every 15-40 min	Weekday off-peak and weekend early morning/late night trains continue to Joliet. All other times, transfer at Blue Island.
Panama METRA ELECTRIC at MILLENNIUM STATION	U express trains to/from University Park Weekdays, every 60 min Saturdays, every 60 min	UV local to/from University Park Weekday evenings, every 60-90 min Saturday evenings, every 60-75 min Sundays, every 120 min	U express, stops 115th-Harvey U express, stops Hazel Crest-Flossmoor U express, stops Olympia Fields-Univ Pk
Magnolia METRA ELECTRIC at MILLENNIUM STATION	V to/from 115th Weekdays, every 60 min Saturdays, every 60 min Sundays, every 120 min (as UV)	V to/from Blue Island Weekdays, every 120 min (no late nights) Saturdays, every 120 min (9a-6p only)	V 15-25 min headways; some trains may operate with flag stops or run express between 63rd-115th
Diamond METRA ELECTRIC at MILLENNIUM STATION	W to/from 93rd/South Chicago Weekdays, every 60 min; every 90-140 min evenings; no late night service Saturdays, every 60 min; every 120 min evening/late night Sundays, every 120 min	W no peak express service; every 20-40 min	With other Electric Line services, trains operate every 20-30 min between downtown and 63rd Mon-Sat midday/evenings

Transfers and Connections

For transfers between Metra lines, inform a conductor when your ticket is checked. Metra-to-Metra transfers are included in Weekend Passes. Transfers between Metra and the CTA, Pace, or the South Shore Line require a second full fare; Ventra app users can use stored CTA/Pace transit value to purchase Metra tickets. Link-Up passes to CTA and Pace are also available to monthly ticket holders.

Accessibility

At least one coach on each Metra train is fully ADA-compliant. All downtown terminals, most suburban stations, and some city stations are wheelchair-accessible, although a few may not meet full ADA standards. On off-peak trains, cyclists are permitted to bring bikes on trains; cyclists will need to secure their bike onboard. Bikes may not be accommodated on busy weekends.



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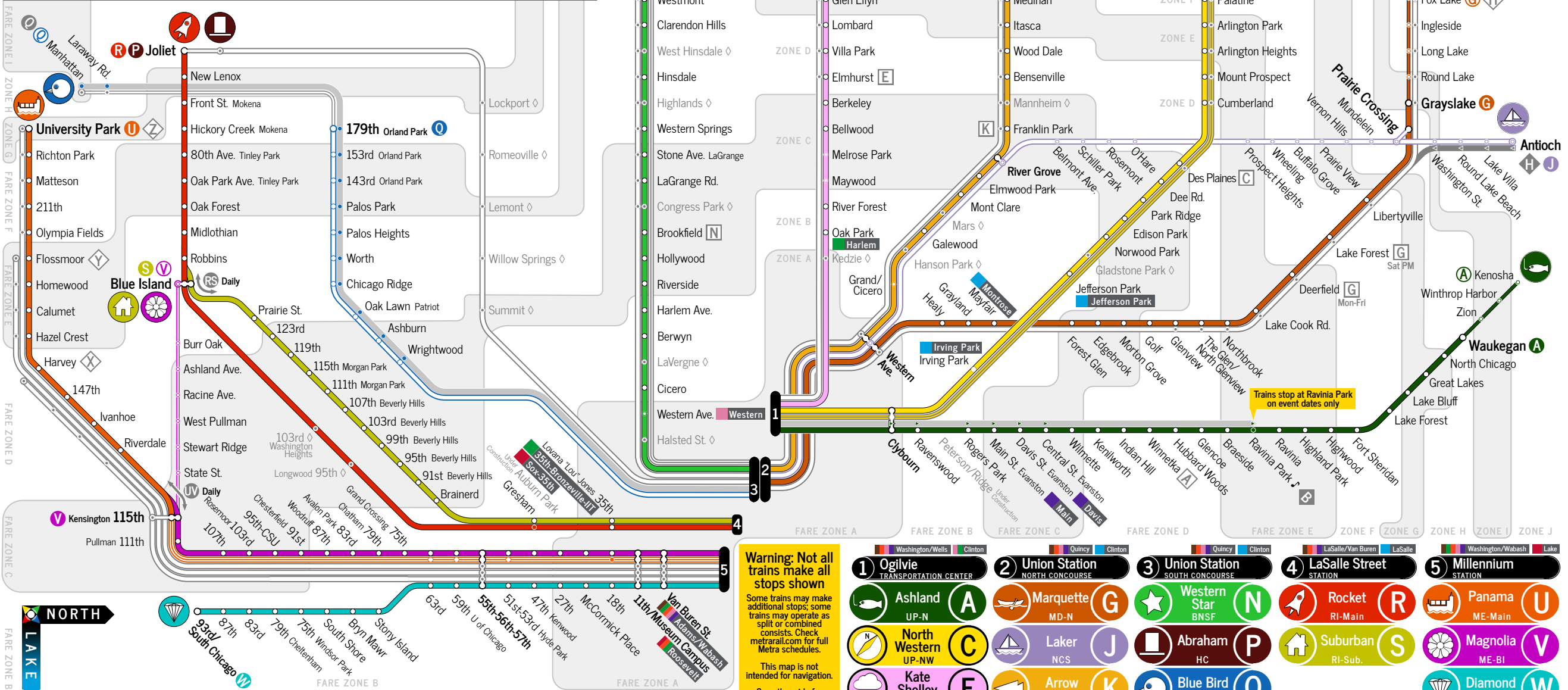
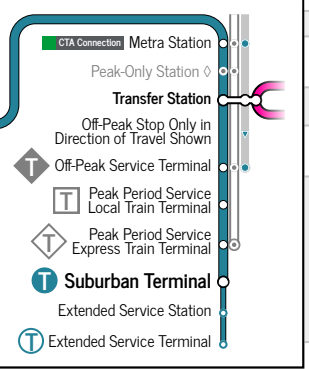
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Legend

LINES SERVICE TIMES	STATIONS SERVICE FREQUENCY			
	Core	Basic	Peak	Minimal
Every 2 Hours or Better	Every 2 Hours or Better	Infrequent Off-Peak Service	Service only during peak periods	Check schedules for times
Full Service, Daily	Full Service, Daily	Full Service, Daily	Full Service, Daily	Full Service, Daily
Full Service, Mon-Sat	Full Service, Mon-Sat	Full Service, Mon-Sat	Full Service, Mon-Sat	Full Service, Mon-Sat
Full Service, Mon-Fri	Full Service, Mon-Fri	Full Service, Mon-Fri	Full Service, Mon-Fri	Full Service, Mon-Fri
Peak-Only Service	Peak-Only Service	Peak-Only Service	Peak-Only Service	Peak-Only Service
Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday
Monday-Saturday	Monday-Saturday	Monday-Saturday	Monday-Saturday	Monday-Saturday
Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
Off-Peak-Only Service	Off-Peak-Only Service	Off-Peak-Only Service	Off-Peak-Only Service	Off-Peak-Only Service
Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday	Monday-Friday
Sat/special events only	Sat/special events only	Sat/special events only	Sat/special events only	Sat/special events only
Spring 2020	Spring 2020	Spring 2020	Spring 2020	Spring 2020



Warning: Not all trains make all stops shown
 Some trains may make additional stops; some trains may operate as split or combined consists. Check metrail.com for full Metra schedules.
 This map is not intended for navigation.
 See other side for more information.

1 Ogilvie TRANSPORTATION CENTER	2 Union Station NORTH CONCOURSE	3 Union Station SOUTH CONCOURSE	4 LaSalle Street STATION	5 Millennium STATION
Ashland UP-N	Marquette MD-N	Western Star BNSF	Rocket RI-Main	Panama ME-Main
North Western UP-NW	Laker NCS	Abraham HC	Suburban RI-Sub.	Magnolia ME-BI
Kate Shelley UP-W	Arrow MD-W	Blue Bird SWS		Diamond ME-SC

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