

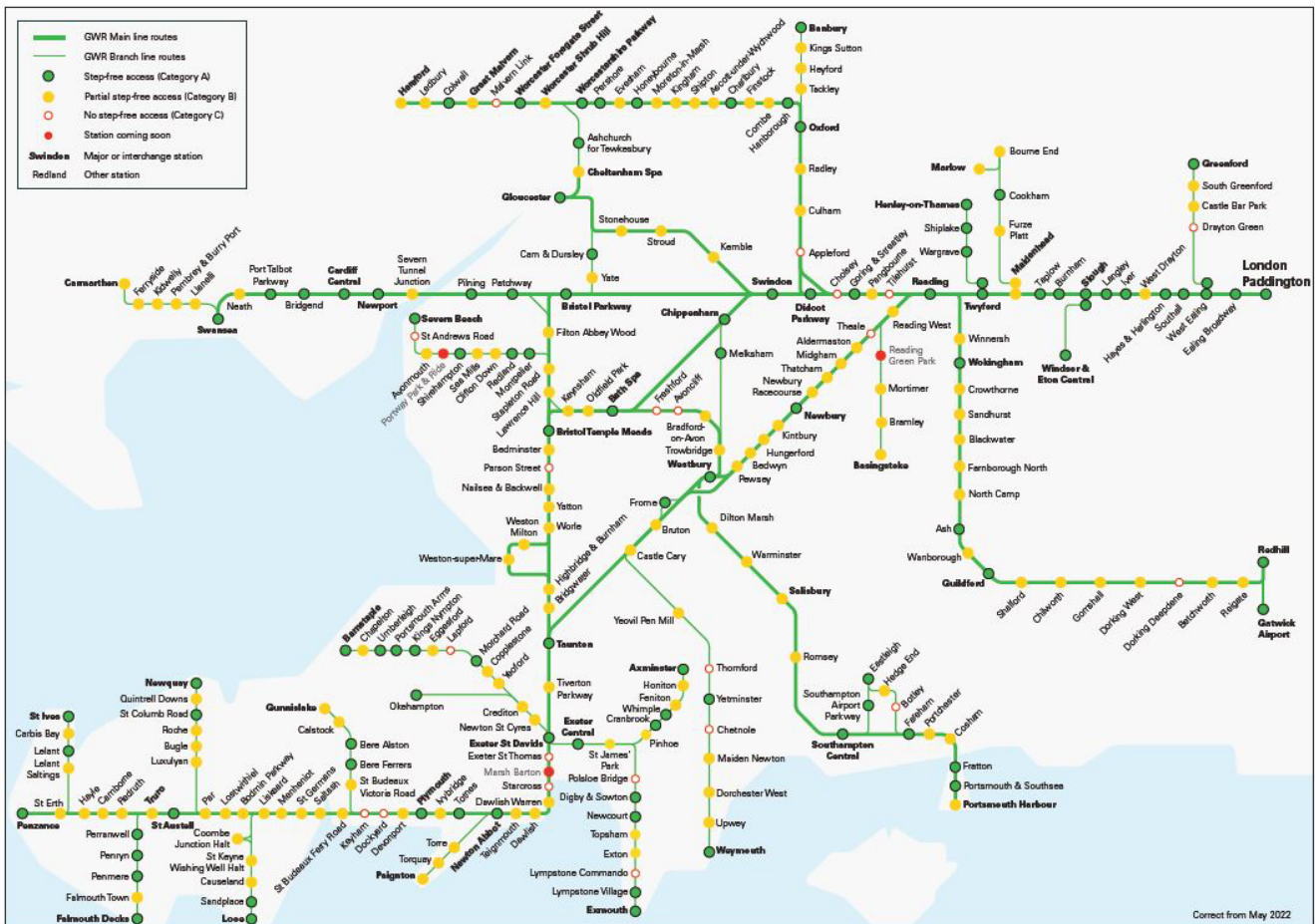


UNIVERSITY OF PLYMOUTH

GWR Conference Plymouth Discount Scheme

We have partnered with Great Western Railways (GWR) to offer delegates attending this conference discounted return train fares to Plymouth. These reduced rates can save you up to 80% on the cost of travel with the GWR Network Area ONLY. A Return journey from London Paddington to Plymouth can cost as little as £59.00!

Please see map below for GWR Network Stations or you can download an alternative larger version via the GWR Website.



How to use the GWR Conference Plymouth scheme:

Visit: <https://www.gwr.com/your-tickets/ways-to-save/business-travel/conferences-and-events>

(Please use the link above to obtain the Conference Plymouth fares – the standard GWR booking platform will not honour Conference Plymouth fares. Conference Plymouth fares are not available to purchase from stations).

Scroll down the page and click **Plymouth**. This will take you through to the booking page and the destination should be pre-populated with “**Plymouth Conference**”

Select your departure station which **MUST** be within the GWR Network and then select your journey dates and times. The available fares displayed will be at the reduced Conference Plymouth rate.

Continue to book your ticket as normal.

If your departure station is outside of the GWR Network – you would need to buy your tickets in 2 separate journeys to allow the scheme to work (please see Example 2 below).

Please note that you will need to provide evidence of your conference booking when travelling if you use the GWR Conference Plymouth scheme.

Examples:

A Return Journey within the GWR Network

A **Return Journey** from **London Paddington** to **Plymouth** arriving **before 10.00** on **Mon 13th March** with an Open Return:

Ticket Type	Standard Fare	Conference Plymouth
Standard Class Return	£310.40	£59.00
First Class Return	£404.00	£109.00

(All Prices correct 06/01/2023)

A Return Journey OUTSIDE the GWR Network

A **Return Journey** from **Birmingham New Street** to **Plymouth** arriving **before 10.00** on **Mon 13th March** with an Open Return:

Ticket Type	Standard Fare	Conference Plymouth
Birmingham New Street to Plymouth Return	£299.50	n/a – out of GWR area
Birmingham to Bristol Temple Meads Return	£133.20	n/a – out of GWR area
Bristol Temple Meads to Plymouth Return	£80.90	£29.00

(All Prices correct 06/01/2023)

As you will see from the example above – by paying for your journey in 2 halves and using the Conference Plymouth rate for the Bristol Temple Meads to Plymouth section of the journey – the total cost, using the cheapest option will be **£213.20** rather than the peak time return fare of £299.50 - **a total saving of £86.30.**

When using the Conference Plymouth scheme all fares will be the same price, no matter what time of day you travel.