

Sydney Metro Macquarie Park briefings May 2019





Goodbye Station Link











North West Services

- The Sydney Metro is Australia's first fully automated driverless passenger railway system
- No timetables just turn up and go:
 - 15 services an hour during peak
 - 37 minute trip between Tallawong and Chatswood Station
 - Opal enabled
 - Up to 1,100 people per train.





Travel Calculator

Travelling to Macquarie University Station from:

- Rouse Hill approx. 24min
- Kellyville approx. 22min
- Bella Vista approx. 19min
- Norwest approx. 17min
- Hills Showground approx. 15min
- Castle Hill approx. 13min
- Cherrybrook approx. 10min
- Epping approx. 4min

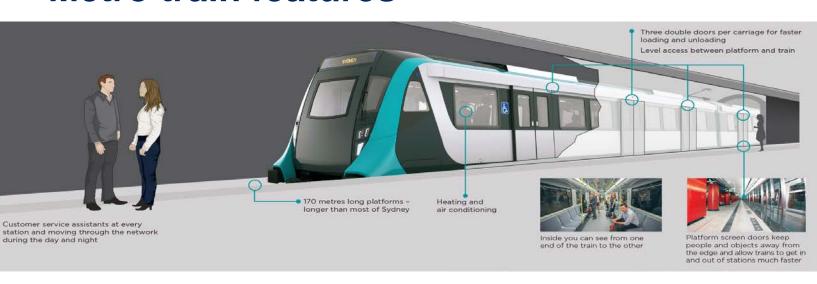
to Macquarie University

Tallawong





Metro train features



Two multi-purpose areas per train

for prams, luggage and bicycles



Wheelchair spaces, separate priority seating and emergency intercoms



Real time travel information and live electronic route maps



Sydney Metro – Accessibility

First accessible railway:

- Level access between platforms and trains
- Wider Opal gates
- Accessible toilets
- Multiple elevators at stations to platforms
- Kerb ramps and accessible Kiss and Ride drop-off /pick-up points
- Tactile flooring
- Braille on help points and audio service announcements.



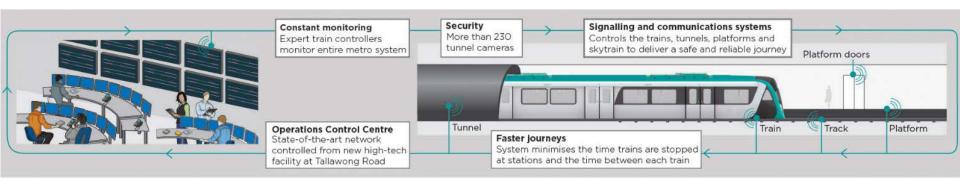








Sydney Metro safety and operations







Metro phasing period

- First 6 weeks, Metro trains will operate every 5 mins at peak
- To complete additional works we will replace metro services with North West Night Buses over the next 6 months. North West Night Buses will provide:
 - Turn up and go services
 - 10 min frequency
- North West Night Buses will commence in both directions between Tallawong and Chatswood after the last Metro service:
 - o Tallawong approx. 9:30pm
 - Chatswood approx. 10:00pm.





North West Night Buses frequency

Operating Sunday to Wednesday nights

Services operate frequently in both directions

Chatswood to Tallawong

All Stops



Chatswood to Tallawong

Limited Stops

To Tallawong

10:10pm to 12:50am

every 10 minutes

To Tallawong 10:15pm to 12:45am

every 10 minutes

To Chatswood

9:30pm to 12:10am

every 10 minutes

To Chatswood

9:25pm to 11:55pm

every 10 minutes

All times are approximate

North West Night Buses









North West Night Bus – Signage

North West Night Bus



Sunday to Wednesday nights. Limited hours only.

For the most up-to-date times check transportnsw.info













Teal Shirts

- Teal Shirts will be available across the network
- Providing assistance with general enquiries, wayfinding and trip planning to customers at metro stations, train stations and bus interchanges.





Rail network changes

From April 28

- T1 North Shore Line added capacity. Train every three minutes in morning peak between Gordon and City via Chatswood
- T1 Northern Line will be renamed T9 Northern Line
- T1 Western Line will have 30 additional services to accommodate changes to T1 North Shore Line
- Minor adjustments to:
 - T2 Inner West & Leppington Line
 - T5 Cumberland Line
 - Central Coast & Newcastle Line north of Gosford
 - Hunter Line providing better weekday connections.





Bus network changes

- From 26 May more than 1,500 additional weekly services added to the timetable
- Improvements have been made to the bus network in Sydney's north west so that customers can easily access the new metro stations
- M2 services will remain unchanged during this first stage
- Plan your trip at Transportnsw.info





On Demand public transport

Introduced in The Ponds and Norwest Precinct

- The Ponds:
 - Operated by Cooee Busways
 - Meeting point to hub
 - Schofields Trains Station, Tallawong and Rouse Hill Metro stations
- Norwest:
 - Operated by Metro Connect (Hillsbus)
 - Meeting point to hub
 - Connecting Bella Vista, Norwest and the Hills Showground Metro stations from surrounding area.

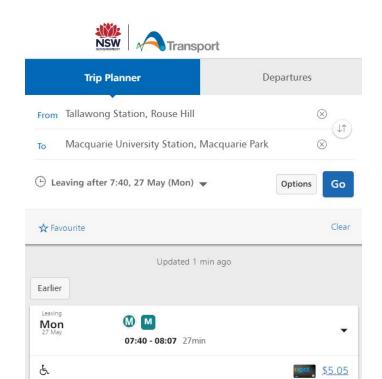






Trip planning

- North West Metro, North West Night Buses services and day one bus operations are now available in the trip planner at transportnsw.info
- Customers will be able to plan their trip before the Metro go live date.



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Opal

- North West Metro, North West Night buses and existing regular bus services are Opal enabled
- Customers can top up Opal card by:
 - Registering and setting up auto top up at https://transportnsw.info/opal
 - Opal Travel App
 - Opal retailers or Opal top up machines
- North West Night Bus is Opal only
 - Standard rail fare applies with 30% off-peak discount







Go Live operations

Monitoring operations to ensure the transport network across North West is operating efficiently. Operations team includes:

- Traffic Controllers
- Interchange and Precinct Managers
- Bus Marshalls
- Traffic Response Team
- Customer Journey Coordinators including Pink and Teal Shirts
- Sydney Trains Staff
- Motorcycle Response Police
- Joint Operations Centre (TMC and Metro)
- Traffic Phasing Adjustments





Bus Priority and Capacity Improvement program Stage 2

- Road and intersection upgrades will be carried out after North West Metro services commence
- Provides long-term improvements and ongoing support for:
 - Parramatta to Macquarie Park via Carlingford and Epping,
 - Hurstville to Macquarie Park via Burwood
- Upgrades to the road network will help address congestion and improve access for bus movements and all road users.







Active Transport











Key messages for businesses and staff

Five key messages have been updated to help prepare your staff and business for the transport changes in Macquarie Park when Sydney Metro services commence:

- Switch to Sydney Metro services
- Re-time car trips outside peak periods
- Reduce travel in peak periods by working from home for all or part of the day if possible.
- Use active transport for trips less than 2kms (walking) and 5kms (cycling) or a mix of public and active transport
- Plan ahead using travel planning apps to understand your public transport journey options.

Find our new Travel Planning Toolkit resource today at www.mysydney.nsw.gov.au/travelchoices/tdm

