

Bulk Journey Planner

Create personalised journey plans for tens, hundreds or thousands of individuals using the new Traveline Scotland Bulk Journey Planner.

What does it do?

The Bulk Journey Planner uses the Traveline Scotland database of public transport journeys to create individual personal journey plans from any Scottish postcode to any other Scottish postcode.

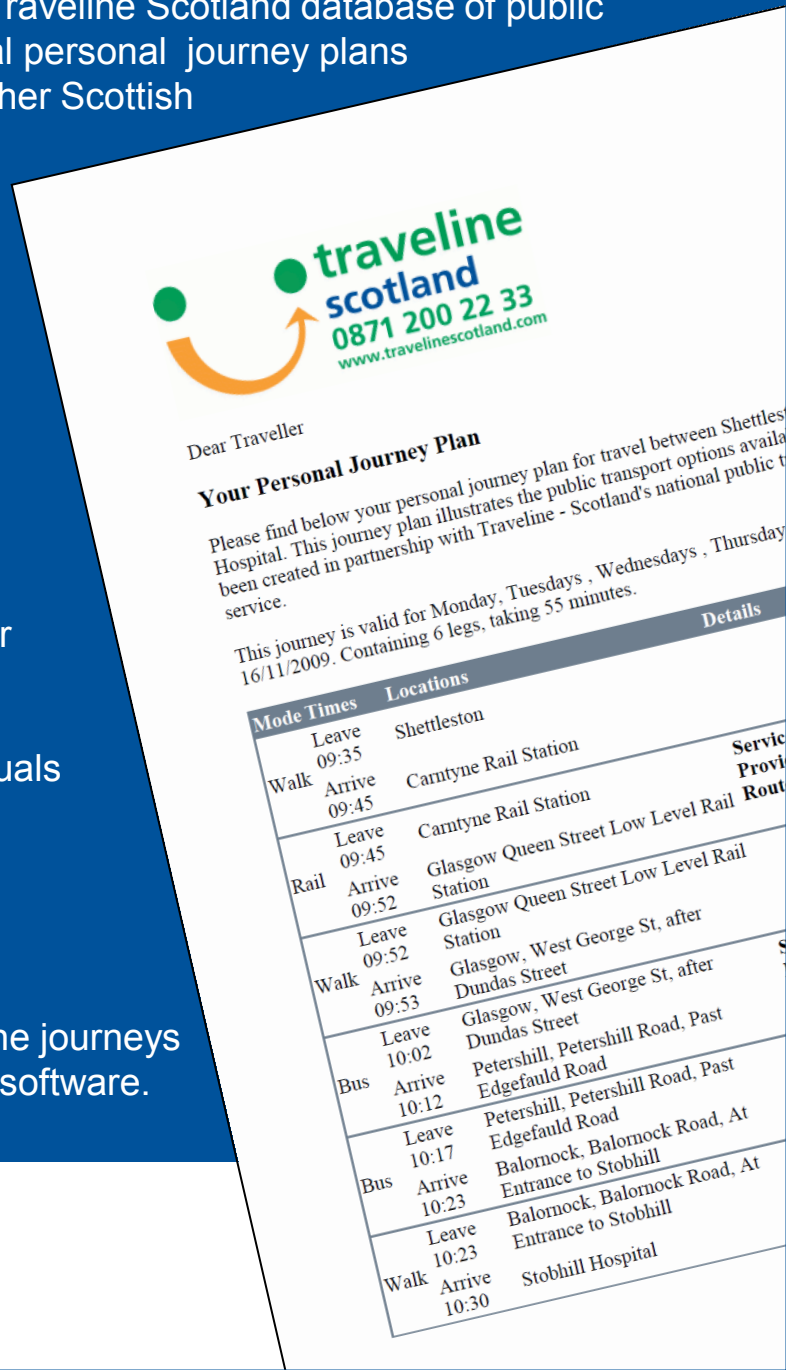
The journey plans can include travel options by bus, rail, coach and ferry, or which ever of these modes of transport you want to choose.

The Bulk Journey Planner is a fully-automated, self-service system.

Request your journey plans using our dedicated website and then collect them electronically - or have them delivered automatically to the individuals in your organisation by e-mail.

You can even customise the journey plans to include your own logo.

Expert users may choose to obtain the journeys in XML format for use with specialist software.



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What sort of organisations use the Bulk Journey Planner?

Any organisation or business that requires a significant number of individuals to travel to and from its premises (including across multiple sites) can benefit from providing those individuals with personal public transport journey plans.

Examples include:

- Employees at a factory or manufacturing plant
- Workers travelling to/from major office buildings
- Staff and support workers at hospital sites
- Students and staff attending college/university campuses
- Visitors to a one-off large scale event, such as a major conference
- and more...

Businesses may want to include personalised travel planning in bulk as part of an existing company-wide travel plan, or as part of a corporate social responsibility programme.

What could Bulk Journey Planning achieve for my organisation?

By providing a practical 'action plan' for each employee, student or visitor, journey planning in bulk helps encourage modal shift amongst the travellers to and from your premises.

Modal shift away from the car and towards public transport results in a variety of positive benefits. These include reduced carbon emissions, less traffic congestion near your premises, less of a requirement to provide and maintain staff parking, improved air quality and even better health of employees/visitors.

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How does it work?

Using the Bulk Journey Planner is simple.

1. A new user registers online at www.travelinescotland.com/bjp
2. The user downloads a spreadsheet template and fills in all travellers details. This includes postcodes (or other location data), dates and times of travel etc.
3. The user sends their file to the journey planning server using the secure upload facility.
4. The user is notified by email when their journey plans are available to download from our secure server, or plans can be emailed directly to travellers as Adobe PDF attachments.

Users can create up to 1,000 journey plans at any one time. Once a batch of journey plans has been produced, they can then upload further templates of traveller details as required to produce the rest of their journey plans.

How much does it cost?

The Bulk Journey Planner is **FREE** to all end users.

You must agree to the Terms of Use when you register for the service.

Try it now!

Visit www.travelinescotland.com/bjp to register, download the User Guide, and try the Bulk Journey Planning system for yourself.

The Traveline Scotland Bulk Journey Planner was developed in conjunction with Transport Scotland, South East of Scotland Transport Partnership (SEStran), and Strathclyde Partnership for Transport (SPT).

