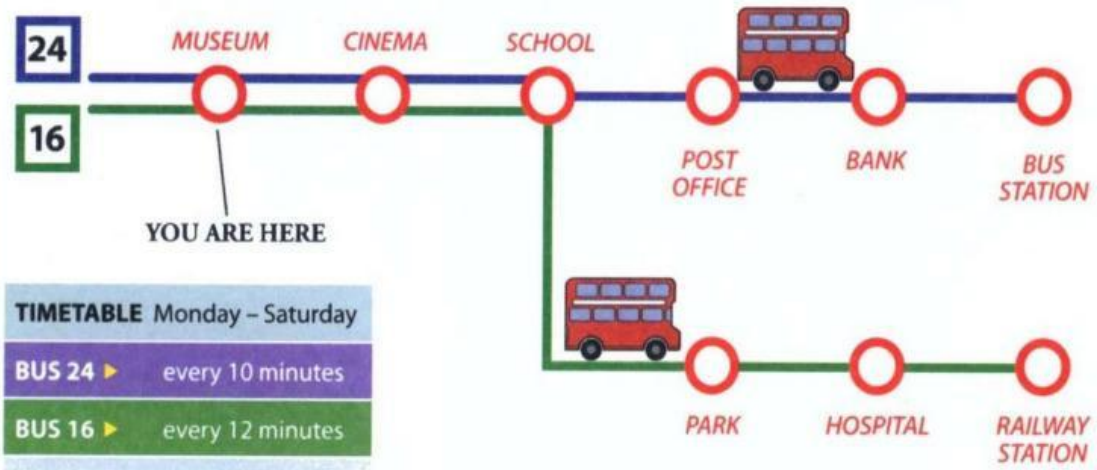
52 Buses

BUS ROUTES 24 and 16



TIMETABLE Monday – Saturday

BUS 24 ▸ every 10 minutes

BUS 16 ▸ every 12 minutes

3 minutes from stop to stop

Questions	Answers
Excuse me, which bus do I **get** to the park?	The 16.
Does the 24 **go** to the railway station?	No, it doesn't.
Does the 24 stop **near** the bank?	Yes, it does.
Does the 16 stop **outside** the park?	Yes, it does.
How often does the 16 **run**?	**Every** 12 minutes.
How many **stops** is it to the park?	Three.
Which is the **last stop** for the 24?	The bus station.
Where do I **get off** for the cinema?	At the **next stop**.
How long does it take to the bus station?	**It takes** about 15 minutes.

GLOSSARY

route	the way you take to go somewhere. A **bus route** is the way a bus usually takes.
timetable	a list of times when sth happens: ***a bus/train timetable***
excuse me	We say **excuse me** when we start talking to sb we don't know, especially in the street to ask a question.
get a train, bus, etc.	travel on a bus, train, etc. ALSO **take a train, bus,** etc.
go	travel to a place
near the bank	**outside** the bank




run	take passengers on a bus, train, etc.
every (12 minutes)	e.g. 9.00, 9.12, 9.24, etc.
(bus) stop	the place where you get on or off a bus
last stop	the bus stop at the end of the route
get off	leave the bus OPP **get on**
next stop	the first stop after now

SPOTLIGHT *How long does it take?*

How long? = how much time? (NOT ~~*how long time*~~?)

- ***How long does it take*** *(to get) to the station?*
  - ~ ***It takes*** *about 10 minutes.*
  - ~ ***It takes a long time.***
  - ~ ***It doesn't take long.*** = It takes a short time.

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1 **Match a word or phrase from group A to a word or phrase from group B to make a new phrase or sentence.**

A	▶bus ✓	get off	How long	the next	It doesn't	Excuse
B	the bus	stop	me	take long	route ✓	does it take?

▶ bus route .....

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2 **Write the words in the correct order to make questions.**

▶ near / bank / stop / does / the 24 / the Does the 24 stop near the bank ?

1 post office / the 24 / does / outside / stop / the .....?

2 off / do / get / I / where / cinema / for / the .....?

3 park / the 24 / does / to / go / the .....?

4 often / run / does / the 24 / how .....?

5 which / stop / last / is / for / the 16 .....?

6 stops / many / to / how / it / railway station / is / the .....?

7 school / me / bus / which / excuse / get / I / to / do / the .....?

8 take / the / long / how / does / to / railway station / it .....?

3 **Answer the questions in Exercise 2, using the bus information on page 104. Remember, you are at the museum.**

▶ Yes, it does.

1 .....

2 .....

3 .....

4 ..... minutes.

5 .....

6 .....

7 .....

8 ..... minutes.

4 **Complete the text, using the bus map information on page 104.**

If you ▶ get a bus from the museum, there are two bus **(1)** ..... you can take: the 24 and the 16. For the 24, the first **(2)** ..... is the museum, and the **(3)** ..... stop is the cinema. The **(4)** ..... stop is the bus station, where everybody has to **(5)** ..... the bus. The 16 starts at the museum too, but it **(6)** ..... to the railway station. The **(7)** ..... tells you how often the buses **(8)** ..... . The 24 route is very frequent: it runs **(9)** ..... ten minutes. It only **(10)** ..... two or three minutes to get from the school to the park, and it stops **(11)** ..... the park. After that, it goes to the hospital. And it doesn't take **(12)** ..... – only another three or four minutes.



5 ABOUT YOU **Write your answers, or ask another student.**

1 Is there a bus stop near your house? If so, where is it? .....

2 Which bus routes stop there? .....

3 Where do they go? .....

4 How often do they run? .....

5 Do you often get the bus? If so, where to? .....

6 How many stops is it? .....

7 How long does it take? .....

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