

## Nottingham Express Transit (NET) Tram Transcript

**MARKETING DESCRIPTION:** Video detailing the NET tram network around Nottingham and how to use the Tram.

**WEBSITE:** <https://www.thetram.net/>

Hi everyone, I'm Lucy. And I'm Hannah. And today we're going to be showing you how to use the NET tram service. We understand that it can be really daunting moving to a new city and not knowing how to get around, so that's the purpose of this video today.

NET trams have made it easier than ever to explore the city safely and without breaking the bank.

So here we are today outside the Portland building. If you turn left out of the Portland building and walk down East Drive bus bay and then turn right when you reach the lake, you'll eventually hit the University of Nottingham Tram Stop. We'll meet you there!

Here we are at the University of Nottingham tram stop. Before boarding the tram, you must either buy a ticket or validate your smartcard. You can either buy a ticket at one of the ticket machines on any of the platforms, or you can use the NETGO app on any smartphone.

A NET Tram season pass gives you unlimited travel across the network. Season passes range from a 1 month pass for £45 to a 12 month pass for £275. For those just in Nottingham during term time, they offer an Academic Pass which is valid from the 1st September to the 31st July for just £245.

Due to COVID-19, travelling on the tram is slightly different to normal. Please make sure you only sit in designated spots; and you must wear a face covering for the duration of your journey. We'll be boarding the tram shortly, so we'll meet you at our final destination – the Royal Centre.

For students heading to Broadgate Park, Dagfa House or Beeston from the University of Nottingham tram stop remember to head in the direction of Toton Lane whilst for the city centre get on a tram headed towards Hucknall.

We're arriving at Queen's Medical Centre. Get off here for the Medical School.

We're pulling into the train station. For those weekend trips to see your friends and family get off here. Tickets can also be purchased from here into the city centre as a short hop ticket for £1. This is also the best stop to get off for Ocean nightclub.

For a more convenient and paperless way to pay for your train ticket, the NETGo! app is offering a student promotion from the 14th September to the 25th October where a single ticket costs just £1 or £2 for the day. This can be downloaded on any smartphone.

Here we are at Royal Centre, the closest tram stop to Rock City and the Victoria Shopping Centre. You can continue along this line to other stops such as Nottingham Trent University, the Arboretum Park and the Forest Recreation Ground, where events, such as Goose Fair, are held all year round.

For more information about NET trams and the services they operate, come and visit the stall at the Discover Nottingham Fair during Welcome week on University Park campus. Or alternatively, you could visit the pop-up shop that NET trams have set up in the Portland building between the 21st

September and the 2nd October. Or for any other queries throughout the year, head here to the NET travel centre which is located on King Street.

We hope you enjoyed your trip into town with NET trams, and we wish you the very best time in Nottingham.