

Recent feedback...

"We liked the fact that the Education Officer comes into school first, meets the students and does a lesson with them and then we all go out on the train. Made the students more settled and familiar with Maddy, a new person to them."

Teacher - Woodfield School



"Real life experience. Clear and detailed information and instructions. An excellent event which was at an appropriate level for our learners to understand. An enriching learning opportunity."

Teacher - Hazel Court Secondary School



"Demystified the whole experience. Appealed to the students interests and at their level. Lots of 'insider' knowledge that even the staff didn't know. We've all learned lots – thank you! Maddy's workshop and activities were well planned and delivered taking into account students' needs. **Teacher - The Castle School**



If your school's nearest station is on the North Downs Line we can offer you **free** Try a Train programmes.

Stations include:

Reading ♦ Wokingham

Crowthorne ♦ Sandhurst

Blackwater ♦ Farnborough North

North Camp ♦ Ash

Guildford ♦ Shalford

Chilworth ♦ Gomshall

Dorking West

Dorking Deepdene

Betchworth ♦ Reigate

To make a booking please contact the Education Team:

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Free Try a Train
for Year 7 - Year 13
SEND pupils

Provided by the
Southeast Communities Rail Partnership



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The Southeast Communities Rail Partnership has a vibrant and evolving Education Service on the North Downs Line running several different programmes.

Our 'Try a Train' experience provides an ideal opportunity for those who lack confidence when travelling by train, to visit our stations and to experience a train journey.

It also promotes sustainable and healthy travel.

See recent feedback on our website:



By the end of the trip your group will have experienced a complete journey that will encourage further travel with confidence, without any anxieties or concerns. Groups sizes are kept small, usually 5 to 12 participants, including any staff.

The Try a Train programme consists of two parts:



Workshop at your school

(1.5 hrs) - planning your journey using timetables, maps and tickets. Using

Passenger Assist. Staying safe when you travel, including the British Transport Police's text number 61016 and how to use the Help Points.



Station visit and train trip

(4 hrs) - we will meet your group at your local station. We

will show them around the station facilities, show them how to buy a ticket using the ticket machines and demonstrate how to use the Help Points. We will then travel to a local station, stop for coffee* and return back to your station.

* Students will need to pay for their own refreshments.

For more details about these workshops please go to:
www.southeastcrp.org/education



Design your own Activity Session

Have you an idea for an activity that you would like designed for your students? We can work with you to create a programme to suit your students' needs.

Please contact our Education Team!

All our programmes are **free of charge** and have been funded by Great Western Railway.

