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# Streetwise London Underground Map - The Tube - Laminated London Metro Map - Folding Pocket Size Subway Map For Travel



## Synopsis

Streetwise London Underground Map - The Tube - Laminated London Metro Map - Folding pocket size subway map for travel This map includes the following: London Tube Map with station index on the back. Travel gracefully throughout London with the STREETWISE London Underground Map. The entire London Underground is depicted on this easy to use, easy to carry map. Move through Mayfair, streak under SOHO, or pulse past Piccadilly with incredible agility, confident that you know where to go and how to get there using STREETWISE London Underground Map. Like all STREETWISE maps, this map of the London Underground is laminated to last and formatted to fit conveniently in your shirt pocket or purse. Parks and tourist attractions are also shown which is unique for a map of this type. Whether you're on your first trip to Great Britain, you're a frequent visitor, or you're luckily enough to live here, this map is invaluable. The STREETWISE London Underground map is one of hundreds of detailed and easy-to-read maps designed and published by STREETWISE. For a larger selection of our detailed travel maps simply type STREETWISE MAPS into the search bar. And don't forget to check out our regular STREETWISE London map. It's the number 1 best selling London travel map on .com

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## Customer Reviews

'Don't leave home without STREETWISE.' --The New York Times  
'STREETWISE is an absolute travel essential.' --Travel + Leisure Magazine

Very handy to use for getting around on the Tube. The print is small though, so if you are a baby

boomer, use your readers. Laminated and of good quality. Holds up to use and the expected London showers. Travel tip: Check the London Tube website for information on what lines will have shutdowns on the weekends. They are doing extensive refits and repairs on certain lines for the upcoming 2012 Olympics. The information changes weekly. AND: Buy an Oyster Card for very much reduced fares on the Tube, as well as all buses and some trains. You can easily buy them at the airport and local Tube stations, newsstands, and money change stands. Just put a certain amount of money on it and recharge it as needed. No need to buy in advance. I kept mine in the corner of an outside pocket of my crossbody travel purse and just held the purse up to the reader and did not have to constantly take it out and put it back. Learn the bus routes from around your hotel, online, before you go and just keep some notes with you! The site is full of route maps you can print also. Every stop has a bus spider map and tells you clearly the routes that those buses take. The drivers are very helpful, as well. It is very easy to use and you get to see everything as you go. Loved it! We traveled even at peak hours and had no issues. MAKE VERY sure that you touch the card to the exit reader on the TUBE as it will drain your card if you don't. On buses, just get off; you do NOT use the reader as it will just charge you for that route.

Excellent, accurate, thorough, and easy to read. What more could you ask for? Love that it's laminated so you can pull it out in the rain. It's small so you can easily pocket it, and surreptitiously pull it out, therefore not giving away that you are a tourist. I also recommend the Streetwise London Map - Laminated City Center Street Map of London, England for a comprehensive guide to walking (which I strongly preferred). Also laminated, equally awesome. Warning: unlike Harry Potter's marauder map of Hogwarts, this has no magical powers and will not predict the tube breaking down, stopping unexpectedly, etc.

I guess the point of a map you can carry in your purse or backpack is portability, so this map delivers in that category. But this product was useless to me without reading glasses. I ended up leaving it at home when we took our trip to London last year. Anyone of a certain age or poor vision should avoid this OR purchase a travel magnifying glass to go with it. If your vision is perfect, by all means buy the map.

The most important thing you'll buy for your trip to London. Even though the tube system is online and the Underground has a wonderful website and even an app, this was very handy to have when my phone couldn't get a good signal or if I was away from the actual subway. It is small enough to

carry in a purse or pocket and is sturdy. If there is a change in the service or you end up in a different part of the city after a tour or sight seeing, this map is very handy to get you back on track. I used it more than the street map. I was in London for 5 days and used this and a pay as you go Oyster card to see quite a bit of Central London.

Ordered this map for multiple travelers on our London trip because it is (1) laminated (indestructible) and (2) offered "hot spots" as opposed to the publicly available tube maps which make no reference to landmarks. I was not disappointed on those two points. However, I was a little confused when I bought it that the ~ 8" x 3" size was folded, and that it was going to be roughly the size of a sheet of paper. It is not! That is the FULL SIZE of the map. Fold it in threes and it is the size of a credit card. So it is TINY by map standards, and that makes it difficult to read for older eyes. Otherwise, couldn't be happier with the purchase.

It should be obvious that the London Underground map includes only major streets and if that's okay for you, then it's a good map. Realize too that it is a bit bulky and it's a little awkward to carry around with you and use on the run. The free advertising detailed paper maps (available at any hotel's front desk or rack) worked much better as they could be highlighted, notes added, and folded up multiple ways and put in about any pocket (back pocket for jeans and coats). Still it was very useful for planning the next day's activities and routes to get there. After that we relied on the free paper maps totally.

This map is exactly what you would want when navigating the Tube in London. Nicely laminated to carry. Here is the thing I didn't realize (Sad Face moment), these maps are absolutely everywhere for free on the Internet, London visitor web sites and of course in London at any rail station, tube station, and airport.

This tiny friend folds up in your pocket and has all the details you need. Londoners were also very friendly helping with transfer advice. In addition to this, check the tube's website for closures - there were tons during our stay. For example, The Piccadilly line usually stopped at my hotels stop, but while I was there, it was under construction, so I needed to make 1 change from the airport to get there. Londoners were quick with advice on which platforms offered a direct cross platform transfer with our bug bags, versus those that would require stairs.

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