

Rail Network Rebuild

The Rail Network Rebuild is an upgrade of the entire Auckland rail network. Ageing rail foundations need an upgrade so they can accommodate more frequent trains and faster journeys. When a section of the rail network is being worked on, AT's trains will not run in that section – this is to ensure the safety of staff working in the rail corridor. AT's trains will continue running on all other parts of the network. Visit www.AT.govt.nz/RailRebuild for further information.

The Rail Network Rebuild will be delivered by KiwiRail in stages over the next three years.

KiwiRail is on schedule to complete RNR Stage 1 by Sunday 19 March 2023

From Monday 20 March 2023:

- Onehunga, Te Papapa, Penrose, Ellerslie, Greenlane and Remuera stations will reopen
- The Onehunga Line trains will start running again
- Southern Line trains will go back to their usual route, which is between Papakura and Britomart via Newmarket
- The four Rail Replacement Bus Services we are running for RNR Stage 1 – the RBS, RBSX, RBOC and RBOX will no longer run.

RNR Stage 2 is from 20 March 2023 until January 2024

- Sylvia Park, Panmure, Glen Innes, Meadowbank and Ōrākei stations will be closed
- Eastern Line trains will run between Manukau and Britomart at peak times using the Southern Line (via Newmarket). At off-peak times trains will run between Manukau and Ōtāhuhu only
- Onehunga Line trains will run between Onehunga and Penrose only at peak times. At off-peak times trains will run between Onehunga and Britomart.

Students who currently use the stations and trains impacted by RNR Stage 2 will need to temporarily change the way they get to school. Rail Replacement Bus Services and regularly scheduled public bus services will be provided. Buses can be slower than trains, so students may need to allow more time for their journey.

From 12 March students can use AT's Journey Planner (www.AT.govt.nz/JourneyPlanner) and AT Mobile app to plan their travel using the new Rail Replacement Bus Services.

The AT website www.AT.govt.nz/RailRebuild has information about RNR, Stage 2 and the alternative travel options, including Rail Replacement Bus timetables.