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Route Guide & Hazard Awareness

***ELEPHANT & CASTLE - WALWORTH - CAMBERWELL
PECKHAM - BROCKLEY RISE - CATFORD GARAGE***



THINGS TO REMEMBER

MAKE NOTES ALONG THE WAY!

CHANGEOVER | NEW CROSS GARAGE

Changeovers will take place outside New Cross Garage.

Always communicate in advance with iBus if you are late for any reason.



Route 171 is a high frequency route. Headway is a measurement of the distance or time between buses. You can tell that you are on the correct Headway by using the iBus Headway indicator in the cab.

IMPORTANT: You must keep your bus as close to the middle of the indicator as possible. Take action and drop back if you are closing in to the bus in front.

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ROUTE 171 MAP

ELEPHANT & CASTLE AND CAMBERWELL



ROUTE 171 MAP

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THIS GUIDE IS
DESIGNED TO
ASSIST YOU ON
ROUTE 171.
ENJOY!

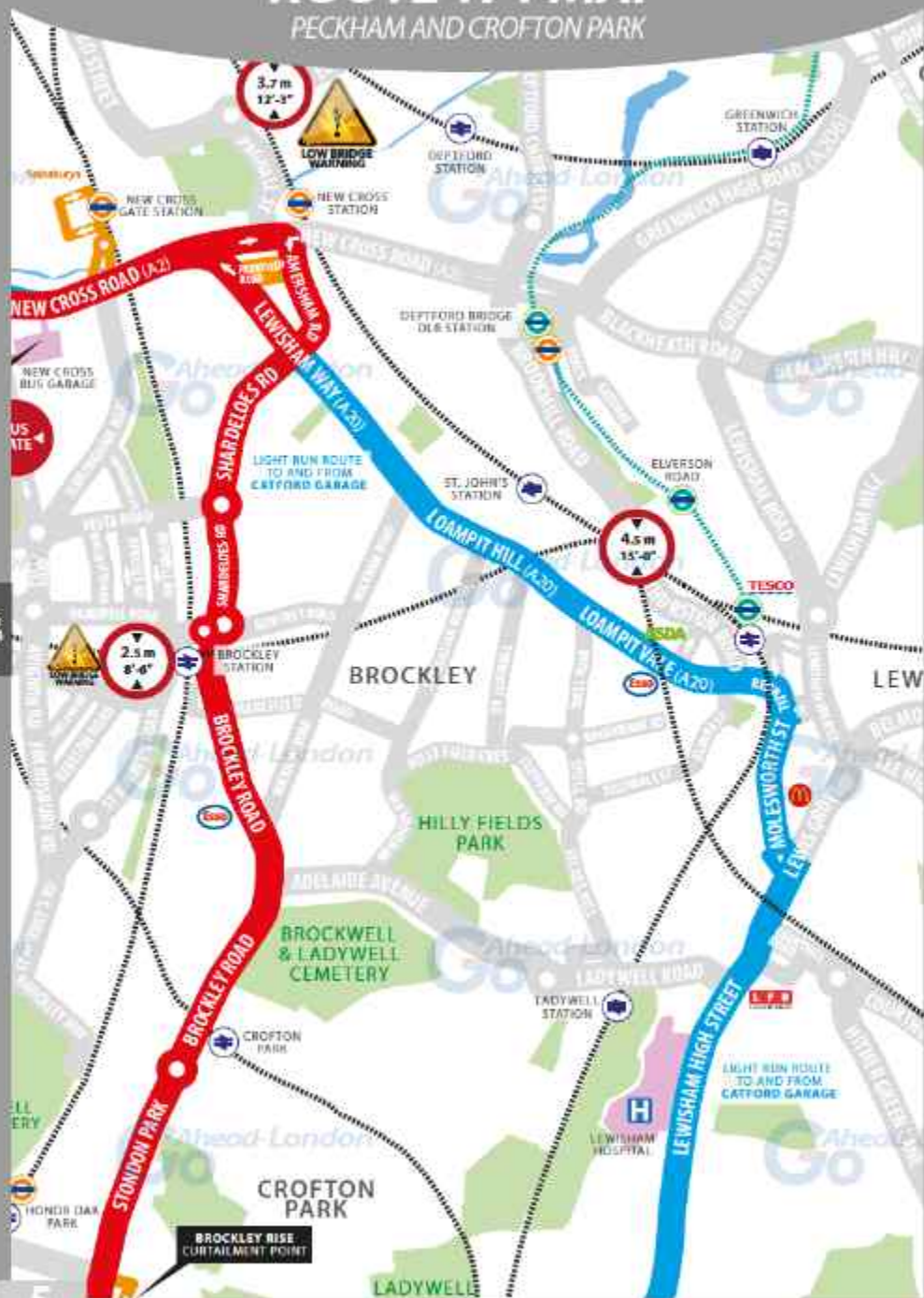


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RUNNING LIGHT

RUNNING OUT OF SERVICE

IMPORTANT
LOG OFF IBUS
IMMEDIATELY
IF RUNNING
LIGHT

TO ELEPHANT & CASTLE LAMBETH ROAD

- At **New Cross Garage**, turn left onto New Cross Road **A2**
- Follow the road towards the right onto New Cross Road **A2**
- At traffic light, continue ahead onto Old Kent Road **A2**
- Continue ahead onto Old Kent Road (*past McDonald's on left*) **A2**
- At one-way system, take (*1st exit*) onto New Kent Road **A201**
- Follow road towards the right at roundabout and stay on the right lane **A201**
- At traffic light, turn right onto London Road (*contraflow bus lane*) **A201**
- Turn left onto Lambeth Road **to stand** (*on left*)

FROM ELEPHANT & CASTLE LAMBETH ROAD

- At **stand**, continue ahead on Lambeth Road
- At traffic light, turn right onto St George's Road **A302**
- Keep right and at traffic light, turn right onto Westminster Bridge Road **A3202**
- Follow one-way system at St George's Circus onto London Road **A301**
- At traffic light, turn left and follow road onto New Kent Road **A201**
- At one-way system, take (*3rd exit*) onto New Kent Road **A2**
- Continue ahead on New Kent Road (*over Bricklayers Arm flyover*) **A2**
- Continue ahead onto Old Kent Road and New Cross Road **A2**
- Enter bus garage via Sainsbury's Access Road, New Cross Road and Pepys Rd.



EDWARD STREET
CLEARANCE HEIGHT

DOUBLE DECK VEHICLES MUST
NOT BE USED ON THIS ROAD

North of New Cross Road in New Cross

RUNNING LIGHT

RUNNING OUT OF SERVICE

BLINDS:
NOT IN SERVICE
LOG OFF IBUS
IF RUNNING
LIGHT

TO CATFORD BUS GARAGE

- At **New Cross Garage**, turn right onto New Cross Road **A2**
- Continue ahead onto one-way system and turn right onto Amersham Road
- At traffic light, turn left onto Lewisham Way **A20**
- Continue ahead onto Loampit Hill and Loampit Vale (*under railway bridges*) **A20**
- At traffic light, turn right onto Molesworth Street via Rennell Street **A21**
- At junction, turn right onto Lewisham High Street **A21**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham High Street (*under railway bridge*) **A21**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham High Street (*past Lewisham Hospital on right*)
- Continue ahead onto Rushey Green (*contraflow bus lane*) **A21**
- Continue ahead onto Bromley Road (*Catford Town Hall on right*) **A21**
- Continue ahead onto Bromley Road **A21**
- Turn right onto Old Bromley Road (*junction of McDonald's*)
- Follow road right onto Downham Way (*one-way system*)
- At traffic light, turn left onto Bromley Road to Catford Garage to **stand**

TO NEW CROSS GARAGE

- At **last stop**, continue ahead onto Bromley Road **A21**
- Turn right onto Old Bromley Road (*junction of McDonald's*)
- Follow road right onto Downham Way (*one-way system*)
- At traffic light, turn left onto Bromley Road to Catford Garage
- Continue ahead onto Bromley Road (*Catford Town Hall on left*) **A21**
- Continue ahead onto Rushey Green (*contraflow bus lane*) **A21**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham High Street (*past Lewisham Hospital on left*)
- Continue ahead on Lewisham High Street (*Fire Station on right*) **A21**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham High Street (*under railway bridge*) **A21**
- Follow the road left onto Molesworth Street **A21**
- At junction, turn left onto Rennell Street **A20**
- Continue ahead onto Loampit Vale and Loampit Hill (*under railway bridges*) **A20**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham Way (*under railway bridge*) **A20**
- Continue ahead on Lewisham Way (*under railway bridge*) **A20**
- At junction, turn left onto New Cross Road (*past New Cross Gate station*) **A2**
- Turn left onto Pepys Road
- Turn left into New Cross Bus Garage to **stand**

ROUTE DIRECTIONS

RUNNING IN SERVICE

NEVER
DIVERT OFF
LINE OF ROUTE
UNLESS ADVISED
BY BUS

TO CATFORD BUS GARAGE

- At stand, continue ahead on Lambeth Road
- At traffic light, turn right onto St George's Road **A302**
- Keep right and at traffic light, turn right onto Westminster Bridge Road **A3202**
- Follow one-way system at St George's Circus onto London Road **A301**
- At traffic light, turn right and follow road onto Newington Butts **A3**
- At traffic light, turn left onto Walworth Road (*under railway bridge*) **A3**
- Continue ahead onto Walworth Road and onto Camberwell Road **A215**
- At traffic light, turn left onto Camberwell New Road (*Camberwell Green*) **A202**
- Continue ahead onto Peckham Road (*past Peckham Bus Station on right*) **A202**
- Continue ahead onto Peckham High Street (*past Queen's Rd Peckham stn*) **A202**
- Continue ahead onto Queen's Road to traffic light junction of New Cross Rd **A202**
- Continue ahead onto New Cross Road (*past New Cross Garage on right*) **A2**
- Continue ahead onto one-way system and turn right onto Amersham Road
- At traffic light, continue ahead onto Shardeloes Road
- At mini-roundabout, continue ahead onto Shardeloes Road
- At roundabout, take 2nd exit onto Brockley Cross **B218**
- At roundabout, take 1st exit onto Brockley Road
- Continue ahead onto Stondon Park (*Crofton Park station on left*)
- At traffic light, turn left onto Stanstead Road **A205**
- Continue ahead on Stanstead Road **A205**
- At traffic light, continue ahead onto Catford Road (*under railway bridge*) **A205**
- At traffic light, turn left onto Rushey Green **A21**
- At traffic light, turn right onto Rushey Green (*one-way system*) **A205**
- At traffic light, turn right onto Plassy Road (*one-way system*) **A205**
- Follow one-way system to the right onto Sangley Road **A205**
- At traffic light, turn left onto Bromley Road to Catford Garage to **last stop**
- After serving last stop, continue ahead onto Bromley Road **A21**
- Turn right onto Old Bromley Road (*junction of McDonald's*)
- Follow road right onto Downham Way (*one-way system*)
- At traffic light, turn left onto Bromley Road to Catford Garage to **stand**

ROUTE DIRECTIONS

RUNNING IN SERVICE

IMPORTANT
PLEASE ENSURE
YOU USE YOUR
RIBAS KEY ON
EVERY TRIP

TO ELEPHANT & CASTLE

- At **Catford Garage** stand, continue ahead on Bromley Road **A21**
- Continue ahead onto Bromley Road (*Catford Town Hall on left*) **A21**
- Turn left onto Catford Road (*Catford and Catford Bridge station on the right*) **A205**
- Continue ahead under railway bridge and at traffic light, turn right **A205**
- Continue ahead on Stanstead Road and onto Cranston Road **A205**
- At traffic light, turn right onto Brockley Rise **B218**
- Continue ahead onto Stondon Park and Brockley Rd (*Crofton Park station on left*)
- At roundabout, take 2nd exit onto Brockley Cross **B218**
- At roundabout, take 1st exit onto Shardeloes Road
- At mini-roundabout, continue ahead onto Shardeloes Road
- At traffic light, turn left onto Lewisham Way (*one-way system*) **A20**
- At traffic light, follow the road left onto New Cross Road **A2**
- Continue ahead on New Cross Road (*past New Cross Garage on left*) **A2**
- At traffic light, keep left on Queen's Road (*past Queen's Rd Peckham stn*) **A202**
- Continue ahead onto Peckham High Street **A202**
- Turn left onto Clayton Road (*Peckham Police Station on right*)
- At roundabout, take (*2nd exit*) onto Hanover Park
- At traffic light, turn right onto Rye Lane
- At traffic light, turn left onto Peckham High Street and Peckham Road **A202**
- Continue ahead onto Camberwell Church Street and Camberwell New Road
- At traffic light, turn right onto Camberwell Road **A215**
- Continue ahead onto Walworth Road **A215**
- At traffic light, turn right onto Newington Butts **A3**
- After traffic light, turn left (*2nd exit*) onto London Road (*contra-flow bus lane*) **A201**
- Turn left onto Lambeth Road to **stand** (*on left*)



MANTLE ROAD
CLEARANCE HEIGHT

DOUBLE DECK VEHICLES MUST
NOT BE USED ON THIS ROAD

West of Brockley Cross in Brockley

ELEPHANT & CASTLE

TERMINUS POINT

SWITCH THE
ENGINE OFF
WHILST AT THE
STAND

From Catford. Proceed from Lambeth Road direct to stand.

Set down on Lambeth Road at **BUS STOP V**.

Towards Catford. Depart via Lambeth Road, St George's Road, Westminster Bridge Road and St George's Circus to London Road.

Pick up on London Road at **BUS STOP D**.

Public stand for 7 buses on south side of Lambeth Road.

Blind display: **ELEPHANT & CASTLE**.

LAMBETH
ROAD



CAMBERWELL GREEN

CURTAILMENT POINT

PLEASE CHECK
TRIP NUMBER
ON ETM BEFORE
DEPARTING

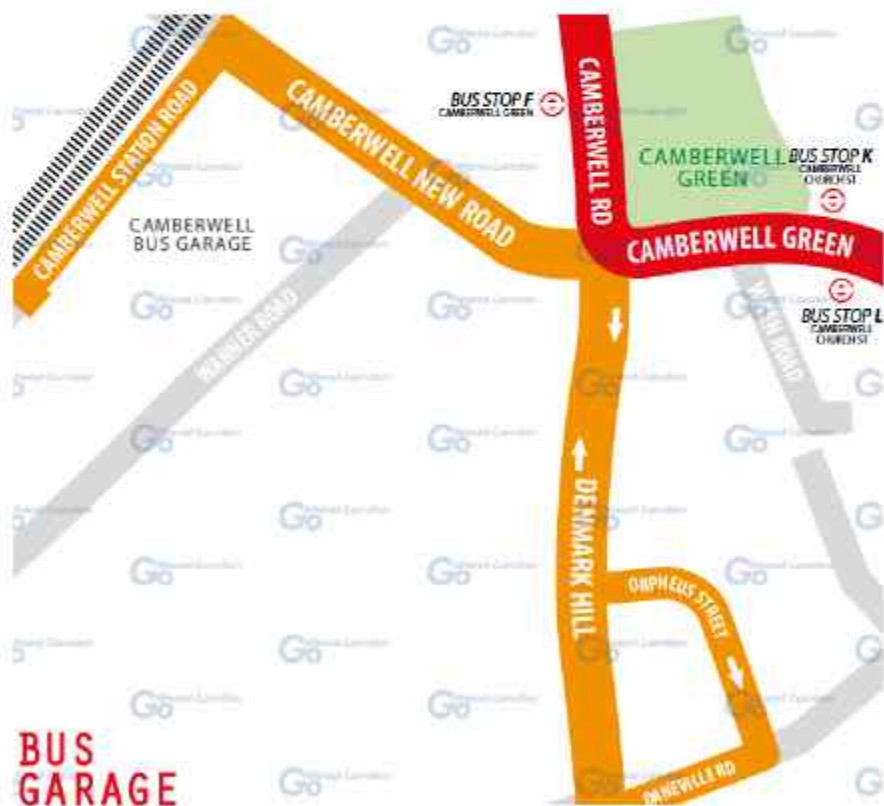
From Catford. Proceed from Camberwell New Road via Camberwell Station Road and Station Terrace to stand. Set down on Camberwell Church Street at **BUS STOP L**.

Towards Catford. Depart via Station Terrace and Camberwell Station Road to Camberwell New Road. Pick up on Camberwell Church Street at **BUS STOP K**.

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from Camberwell Road via Denmark Hill, Orpheus Street, Denmark Hill, Camberwell New Road, Camberwell Station Road and Camberwell Bus Garage to stand. Set down on Camberwell Road at **BUS STOP A**.

Towards Elephant & Castle. Depart via Camberwell Bus Garage and Camberwell New Road. Pick up on Camberwell Green (west-side) at **BUS STOP F**.

Private stand in Camberwell Bus Garage. **Blind display:** **CAMBERWELL GREEN**.



**BUS
GARAGE**

PECKHAM

CURTAILMENT POINT

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From Catford. Proceed from Peckham High Street via Peckham Bus Station to stand. Set down on Queen's Road at **BUS STOP QC**.

Towards Catford. Depart via Peckham Bus Station to Peckham High Street. Pick up on Peckham High Street at **BUS STOP G**.

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from Peckham High Street via Peckham Bus Station to stand. Set down on Peckham High Street at **BUS STOP B**.

Towards Elephant & Castle. Depart via Peckham Bus Station and Peckham High Street to Clayton Road. Pick up on Clayton Road. at **BUS STOP J**.

Stand in Peckham Bus Station. Speed limit 10 mph. Blind display: **PECKHAM**.



NEW CROSS GATE

CURTAILMENT POINT

5

From Catford. Proceed from New Cross Road via Pepys Road and New Cross Garage to stand. Set down on New Cross Road at **BUS STOP K**.

Towards Catford. Depart via New Cross Bus Garage to New Cross Road. Pick up on New Cross Road at **BUS STOP R**.

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from New Cross Rd via Sainsburys Access Rd, New Cross Rd and Pepys Rd to stand. Set down on New Cross Rd at **BUS STOP G**.

Towards Elephant & Castle. Depart via New Cross Bus Garage to New Cross Road. Pick up on New Cross Road at **BUS STOP K**.

Private stand in New Cross Bus Garage. **Blind display:** **NEW CROSS GATE**.



BROCKLEY RISE

CURTAILMENT POINT

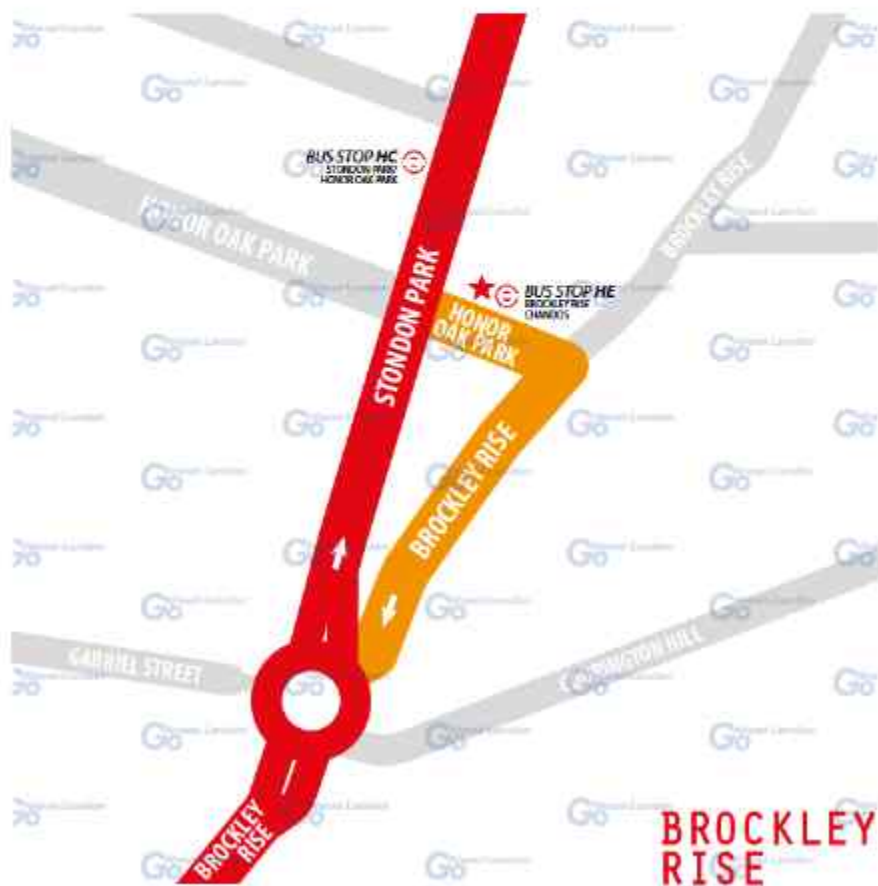
SWITCH THE
ENGINE OFF
WHILST AT THE
STAND

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from Stondon Park via Honor Oak Park to stand. Set down in Honor Oak Park at **BUS STOP HE**.

Towards Elephant & Castle. From stand, depart via Honor Oak Park to Brockley Rise. Pick up in Stondon Park at **BUS STOP HC**.

Public stand for one bus on north side of Honor Oak Park (east arm).
Additional overflow stand for two buses on east side of Brockley Rise.

Blind display: **BROCKLEY RISE**.



CATFORD BRIDGE

TURNING POINT

TURNING POINT ONLY.
BUSES MUST NOT STAND.

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from Catford Road via Rushey Green, Brownhill Road, Plassy Road, Sangley Road and Rushey Green. Set down on Catford Road at **BUS STOP J.**

Towards Elephant & Castle. From stand, depart to Catford Road. Pick up on Catford Road at **BUS STOP C.**

Turning point only - buses must not stand.

Blind display: **CATFORD TOWN CENTRE**



CATFORD GARAGE

TERMINUS POINT

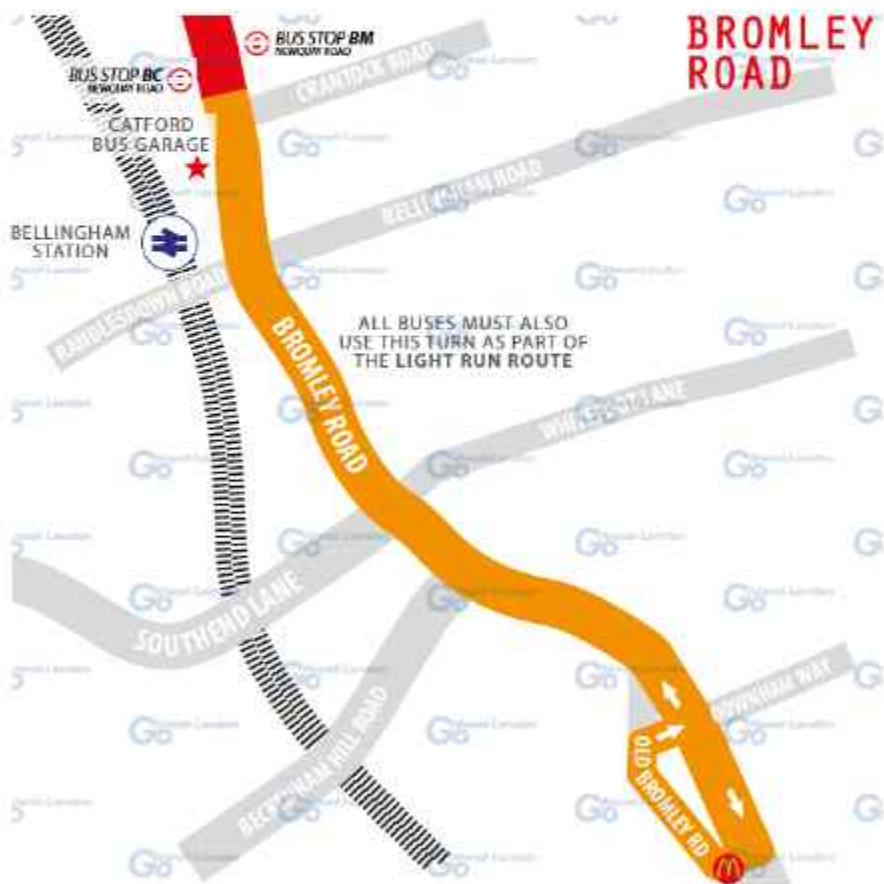
SWITCH THE
ENGINE OFF
WHILST AT THE
STAND

From Elephant & Castle. Proceed from Bromley Road via Old Bromley Road, Downham Way and Bromley Road to stand.
Set down in Bromley Road at **BUS STOP BM**.

Towards Elephant & Castle. Depart via Catford Bus Garage to Bromley Road.
Pick up on Bromley Road at **BUS STOP BC**.

Stand on Bromley Road, outside Catford Bus Garage.

Blind display: **BELLINGHAM, CATFORD BUS GARAGE.**



LOCAL HAZARDS & POINTS TO NOTE

SEE RISK ASSESSMENT VIEWABLE UPON REQUEST



VOLUME OF TRAFFIC | CATFORD ONE-WAY SYSTEM

At times the one way system will require the bus to occupy both lanes drivers must manoeuvre safely and maintain a vigilance for undertaking or overtaking vehicles or cyclists.

BUS LANE MERGING | ST DUNSTAN'S COLLEGE

Drivers should exercise caution at this merging point and make good use of their offside mirrors at all times. Heavy Volume of pedestrian activity and unauthorised parking especially during school opening and closing hours.

LANE MARKINGS | BROCKLEY RISE

Lights. Buses should take the outside lane to proceed ahead, the inside lane has left turn only markings. Drivers should be vigilant for undertaking vehicles or cyclists.

DOUBLE MINI-ROUNDAABOUTS | BROCKLEY CROSS

Fast moving traffic from all directions proceed with care over these two roundabouts.

LOW BRIDGE | MANTLE ROAD OFF-ROUTE

Low bridge on Mantle Rd. Under no circumstances are buses to use this road.

VOLUME OF TRAFFIC | THE VENUE NIGHTCLUB NEW CROSS

Large volumes of traffic and pedestrians build up in this area during weekends and nights.

CONTRA-FLOW CYCLE LANE/LOW KERBS | RYE LANE

Headlights must be switched on. Heavy volume of pedestrian activity especially at weekends drivers should be vigilant for pedestrian activity and oncoming cyclists.

SCHOOL CHILDREN | PECKHAM ROAD

Heavy volume of pedestrian activity especially during several school opening and closing hours, drivers should exercise caution and be vigilant for children running out at these times.

LOCAL HAZARDS & POINTS TO NOTE

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BOX JUNCTION | DENMARK HILL

Vehicles blocking or suddenly stopping at box junction and possible U-turns.

BUS LANE MERGING | MERROW ST/WALWORTH RD

Drivers should exercise caution at this merging point and make good use of their offside mirrors at all times.

ROAD LAYOUT CHANGES | ELEPHANT & CASTLE

Extreme caution due to new cycle lanes, road layout changes and roadworks.

CONTRA-FLOW CYCLE LANE | LONDON ROAD, E&C

Beware of pedestrians walking across the road not expecting bus movements and on-coming vehicles and cyclists.

VARIOUS HAZARDS | OLD BROMLEY ROAD

Low trees, parking and pedestrian movement due to the park and sports and social events.

LOW BRIDGE | SOUTHEND LANE OFF-ROUTE

Low bridge on Southend Lane. Under no circumstances are double deck buses to use this road.

LIGHT RUN TO CATFORD GARAGE | OLD BROMLEY ROAD

The light run to Catford Garage has been extended via Bromley Road, Old Bromley Road (next to McDonald's), Downham Way and Bromley Road back to the stand on Bromley Road, next to Catford Garage. Buses must be parked in the bus stand cage. Always use the above after drop off when running light back to the garage.



**SOUTHEND LANE
CLEARANCE HEIGHT**

**DOUBLE DECK VEHICLES MUST
NOT BE USED ON THIS ROAD**

East of Sydenham Road in Lower Sydenham

AT THE GARAGE

GARAGE AND GENERAL SAFETY INFORMATION

BE VISIBLE
**WEAR YOUR
HI-VIS** WITHIN
THE GARAGE

GO SLOW!
MANDATORY
SPEED OF 5 MPH
WITHIN THE
GARAGE

BE NOTICED
HEADLIGHTS
ON AT ALL TIMES
IN THE GARAGE

STICK TO
DESIGNATED
PATHS AND
WALKWAYS

NO EXCUSES
PLEASE ABIDE BY
THE RULES. IT'S
MANDATORY!

BE AWARE
REPORT ALL
HAZARDS
IMMEDIATELY

REMEMBER
**LOOK OUT
FOR CYCLISTS**
DRIVE SLOWLY

PARK FERRY
VEHICLES WITHIN
DESIGNATED
AREAS

**USE THE
HORN** WHEN
APPROACHING
CORNERS &
REVERSING

HYBRID BUSES
ARE SILENT. BE
EXTRA CAUTIOUS
WHILST ON THE
MOVE!

FUEL, OIL &
COOLANT SPILLS
CAN MAKE THE
SURFACE SLIPPERY
BE AWARE

FAMILIARISE
YOURSELF WITH
THE GARAGE
SAFETY CODE



AND THINK FIRST!

OTHER INFORMATION

CODES AND EMERGENCY RADIO PROCEDURES

REMAIN CALM:
GIVE ACCURATE
INFORMATION.
WE'RE HERE
TO ASSIST!

ROUTE 171 | CURTAILMENT ABBREVIATIONS

EC	Elephant & Castle	CWG	Camberwell Green
PM	Peckham Bus Station	NXG	New Cross Bus Garage
BR	Brockley Rise	CB	Catford Bridge
CG	Catford Garage		

FACILITIES | BETWEEN E&C AND CATFORD GARAGE

- **Elephant & Castle stand.** [REDACTED]
- **New Cross Bus Garage.** Staff toilets and canteen inside the garage.
- **Brockley Rise.** [REDACTED]
- **Catford Stagecoach Bus Garage.** Toilets inside the garage. Use intercom.

CODE RED | EMERGENCY RADIO PROCEDURE

If you require the Emergency Services to attend your vehicle (for example in the event of passenger injury, assault or major RTA), you should contact CentreComm using the radio's Code Red facility. To call CentreComm, **hold down the Code Red button on your vehicle's radio for at least 1 second** until you hear a ringing tone to indicate that your call has been connected. Hold down the foot switch in the cab when you are speaking, and end what you have to say with the word "over" to indicate that you expect a response, or "over and out" if this is the end of your communication. Release the foot switch when you are not speaking. Remember to speak slowly and clearly. Note that you will usually receive a radio call from your depot shortly after you make a Code Red call. *You should not use the radio whilst the vehicle is in motion.*

CODE
GREEN

Call your garage for non-emergency, mechanical defects, help or advice.

CODE
BLUE

Call CentreComm for non-emergency, incident reporting or diversions

CODE
RED

Call CentreComm for emergency services, passenger injury or assault



DONT JUST DRIVE...

**BE ALERT AND BE AWARE
OF LOW BRIDGES IN THE AREA**



Never divert off route or light run, unless authorised
by iBus. **Anticipate and always remain alert.**