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Crossrail

# ONTRACK

Crossrail works in your neighbourhood

## LIVERPOOL STREET

# YOUR NEW STATION

## OPENING IN 2018



Reading

Heathrow

Paddington

Bond Street

Tottenham Court Road

Farringdon

Liverpool Street

Whitechapel

Canary Wharf

Abbey Wood

Sherfield

60 mins

35 mins

10 mins

7 mins

4 mins

2 mins

Starting from

2 mins

6 mins

18 mins

41 mins

# WORKS UPDATE



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## WELCOME

On behalf of the Crossrail team working at Liverpool Street I'd like to thank our neighbours for their continued support. Here are my highlights of the work we have completed so far and details of our plans for the next six months.

Liverpool Street station platform ready for fit out



## STATION FIT OUT BEGINS

The next six months will see the new railway take shape as the stations, platforms and tunnels are fitted with key infrastructure and architectural finishes.

Specialist teams and machinery will start the complex task to lay 42 kilometres of tracks, and install other critical railway components such as platform screen doors, ventilation fans, cables, walkways, power, signalling and communication systems.



A multi-purpose gantry that will carry rail sleepers and track inside the tunnels

## 1 STATION PLATFORMS CONSTRUCTED

The completion of the station platforms marks a major milestone in the construction of Liverpool Street station. Both platforms were built in record time through innovative techniques that accelerated the construction process.

Now the structure is complete, work will begin on station fit out.

## 2 COMPLETION OF TICKET HALL STRUCTURES

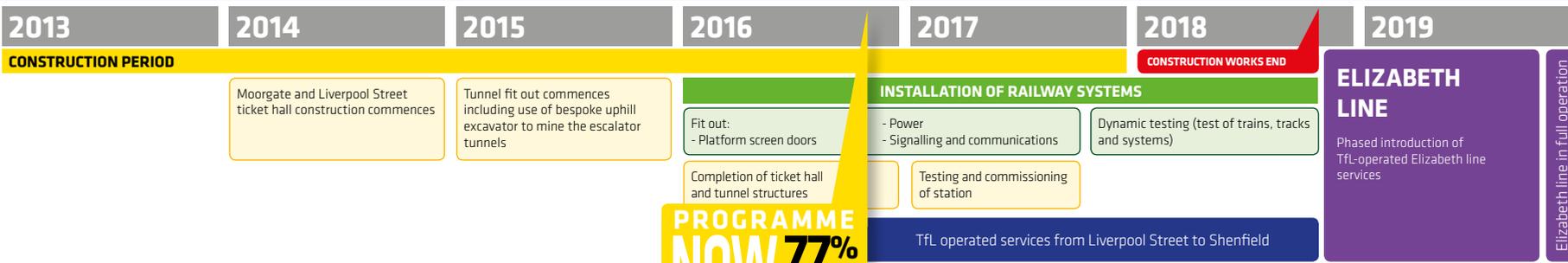
Work to construct the ticket halls is complete and installation of the station's architectural features is underway with the distinctive geometric roof now visible within both ticket halls.

This unique roof is made of concrete panels that have been designed to create a feeling of space and help absorb sound.

### Work coming up at Liverpool Street in the next 6 months

- Installation of glass fibre reinforced concrete cladding to platforms
- Preparation work to commence track laying
- Installation of floating track slab in Barbican tunnels
- Completion of internal structure of Moorgate shaft
- Completion of Blomfield Box structure which will house ventilation, mechanical and electrical equipment, and provide emergency access for the new Liverpool Street station.

## LIVERPOOL STREET TIME LINE



PROGRAMME  
NOW 77%  
COMPLETE

Elizabeth line in full operation

# LONDON GREAT PLAGUE VICTIMS IDENTIFIED

Scientific analysis of skeletons excavated at Liverpool Street has identified the DNA of the bacteria responsible for the 1665 Great Plague. This is the first identification of plague DNA from 17th Century Britain.



The discovery comes following a year-long study of skeletons found in a mass grave within the New Churchyard, the burial ground at the western end of Liverpool Street excavated during construction in 2015.

Over 20,000 Londoners are believed to have been buried at Bedlam between 1569 and 1738. Full findings from the archaeological excavation at Liverpool Street will be published in early 2017.

# OPEN HOUSE LONDON

In September, the Crossrail project took part in Open House London with a total of 1,867 guests visiting across seven sites.

A group of 112 lucky guests had the chance to visit Liverpool Street station for a first-hand look behind the hoardings at our construction progress. A highlight of the tour was viewing the recently installed ticket hall ceilings.



Open House visitors see the ticket hall taking shape at Liverpool Street



## YOUR COMMUNITY RELATIONS MANAGER - NINA RADFORD

Crossrail holds biannual meetings in City of London to inform the community about current works. If you would like to attend this meeting or our Annual Business Breakfast please contact [crossrailliaisonpanels@crossrail.co.uk](mailto:crossrailliaisonpanels@crossrail.co.uk).

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