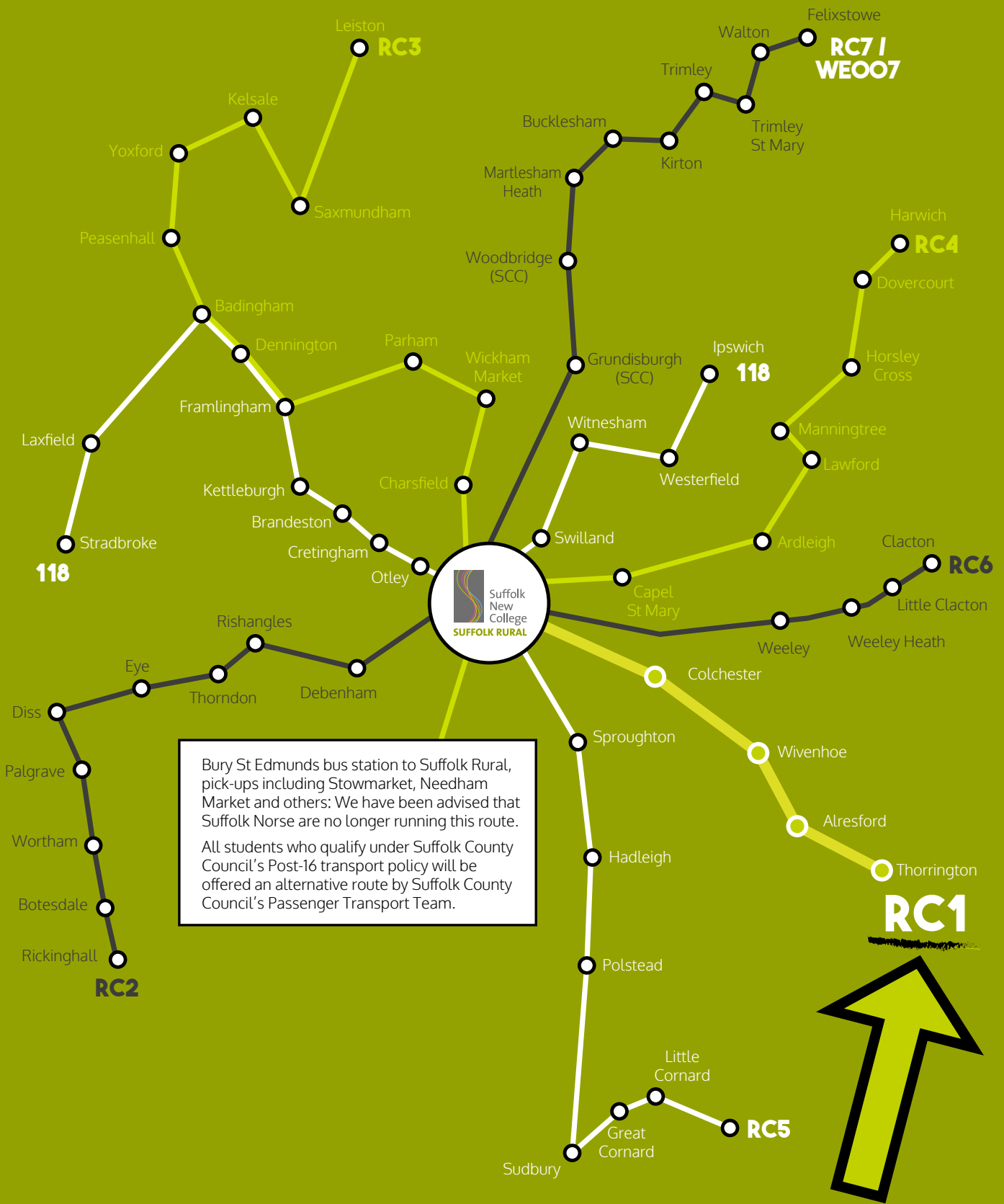


SUFFOLK RURAL BUS ROUTES MAP 20/21



BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

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Suffolk Rural TRANSPORT GUIDE 2020/21

Otley College is set for a new future after changing its name during a merger with Ipswich-based Suffolk New College. The former Otley College, first opened in 1970, has now become Suffolk Rural as of 1 January 2020.



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SUFFOLK RURAL

Travelling to Suffolk Rural

Getting to Suffolk Rural is easy. There is an extensive network of direct bus routes from across Suffolk and Essex.

Suffolk County Council Transport

For routes 116, 118 and WE007 (Woodbridge onwards) you can apply to Suffolk County Council for a discretionary travel pass (16-18 year olds only). Endeavour cards are accepted on pay daily fares. For more information and online applications, please see <https://www.suffolkonboard.com/> or call - 0345 606 6173.

Norfolk County Council Transport

For routes RC1, RC2, RC3, RC4, RC5, RC6 and RC7 (Felixstowe to Martlesham Heath) you must apply to Norfolk County Council for a travel pass. With the exception of the RC7 route, there is no option to pay daily. For more information and online applications, please see www.norfolk.gov.uk, contact 0344 800 8020, or use the following link: [Post-16 Travel Scheme](#). For timetables and bus information see overleaf.

If you are not sure which bus you should apply for, please contact our Student Support team, who will be happy to answer any questions you might have about your journey and how to get to us, at studentsupport@suffolk.ac.uk.

When should I apply?

Please ensure you apply for your travel pass in good time - contact the appropriate council directly for further information on their specific timescales. You do not need to wait until your course offer is confirmed or your bursary application has been processed (if applicable).

Specialist Transport

For students with SEND who may be unable to travel by bus, please contact your local County Council for further information about specialist transport for post-16 education.

Is there any financial support available?

There is a College Bursary Fund available, which can be applied for. If eligible, the bursary may be able to offer help towards travel costs. Please be aware that no bursary payments are made prior to students commencing their course, therefore any payments due before September will need to be made up front.

Can I drive my own vehicle to campus?

Students can choose to bring their own vehicles on site. There is plenty of parking available and all car parks are free. Students will need to register their vehicle details at the point of enrolment and collect a parking permit from Student Support. This must be displayed at all times when on site.

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19): SAFE TRAVEL GUIDANCE FOR BUS PASSENGERS

For information shared by Suffolk County Council for safe travel guidance for public transport passengers at this time, please refer to their [FAQs](#).

For information shared by Norfolk County Council for safe travel guidance for dedicated transport passengers at this time, please refer to their [information leaflet](#).

BUS TIMETABLES

RC7 / WE007: Felixstowe to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Felixstowe, Coach Park, Garrison Lane	0745	1750
Felixstowe, Orwell Road	0746	1747
Felixstowe, Cinema, Hamilton Road	0748	1745
Felixstowe, Gt Eastern Square	0750	1743
Walton, 'Half Moon'	0753	1740
Trimley St Mary, Three Mariners	0756	1737
Trimley, Link Road (Howlett Way)	0759	1734
Kirton, Green	0803	1730
Bucklesham, School	0810	1723
Martlesham Heath, Eagle Way, Link Road	0814	1719
Woodbridge, Duke of York	0820	1713
Woodbridge, Swimming Pool (nr Railway St)	0823	1710
Woodbridge, Market hill	0826	1703
Woodbridge, Grundisburgh Rd, op police station	0830	1700
Grundisburgh Green	0839	1651
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0859	1640

RC6: Clacton to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Clacton, layby, top of Cloes Lane	0735	1755
Clacton, Railway Station	0740	1750
Little Clacton, "The Blacksmiths Arms" Pub	0750	1740
Weeley Heath, Memorial	0753	1737
Weeley, The Street	0755	1735
Weeley, Fiat Garage	0800	1715
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

RC5: Bures to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Bures, Eight Bell Public House	R	R
Little Cornard, Spout Lane Bus Shelter	R	R
Great Cornard, Bus stop in Highbury Way	0720	R
Great Cornard, Bus stop by Shopping Centre	0722	R
Sudbury, Bus Station	0727	1753
Sudbury Industrial Estate, Roundabout A134/ B1115 Bus Layb	0732	1748
Polstead, Brewers Arms	0742	1738
Hadleigh, Bus Station Magdalen Road	0750	1730
Sproughton, Wild Man	0805	1715
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

R = on request

RC4: Harwich to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Harwich, Rail Station	0720	1830
Dovercourt, Hospital	0725	1825
Dovercourt, Main Road, Bus stop opposite Ambulance Station	0727	1823
Horsley Cross, Clacton Road, Opp. Water Tower	0735	1800
Manningtree, "Skinners Arms" Pub	0747	1753
Manningtree, Station Road, Opp. Rail Station	0750	1750
Lawford, Cox's Hill Opp. Long Road	0755	1745
Ardleigh, "The Lion" Pub	0800	1735
Capel St Mary, "The White Horse" Pub, AM only	0820	
Capel St Mary, bus stop before Police Station, PM only		1715
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

RC3: Leiston to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Leiston, Catholic Church (Junction B1122 / Seaward Avenue)	0725	R
Leiston, Old Post Office Square (Opposite Barclays Bank)	0725	R
Saxmundham, Opposite Bus Station	0740	1745
Kelsale, Bus Stop Old A12 - North	0742	1742
Yoxford, The Griffin Public House	0745	1740
Yoxford, Strickland Manor Hill (Bottom)	0745	1740
Peasenhall, Phone Box	0748	1737
Badingham, White Horse PH	0750	1735
Dennington, Queens Head PH	0755	1730
Framlingham, Bus Stop Well Close Square (near roundabout)	0805	1720
Parham, Village Sign	0810	1715
Wickham Market, Market Square	0820	1705
Charsfield, By Garage	0825	1700
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

RC2: Rickinghall to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Rickinghall, Church Bus Shelter	0730	R
Botesdale, National Express Coach Stop / Park View Chapel	0733	R
Wortham, Dolphin PH Bus Shelter	0737	R
Palgrave, Church	0742	R
Diss, Whytehead Gardens (Victoria Road Bus Stop)	0747	1735
Diss, Shell Garage Victoria Road	0748	1732
Eye, Lambseth Street, Bus Stop	0757	1720
Thorndon, Church	0807	1710
Rishangles, Church	0810	1707
Debenham, Angel PH High Street Bus Stop	0817	1700
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

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RC1 - BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

RC1: Thorrington to Suffolk Rural (at Otley)

Thorrington, Crossroads	0720	1810
Alresford, Wivenhoe Road, Junction Ford Lane	0723	1807
Wivenhoe, "The Flag" Pub	0730	1800
Colchester, nr. Greenstead Roundabout (Tesco Bus Stop)	0739	1751
Colchester, Ipswich Road (bottom), Homebase	0743	1746
Colchester, North Rail Station, layby opposite Wickes	0747	1740
Colchester, Brinkley Lane, Brinkley Grove Primary School	0753	1734
Colchester, Ipswich Road (top), Premier Inn layby	0757	1730
Suffolk Rural (at Otley)	0845	1640

Withdrawal by Suffolk Norse of the WE929.

This route took the following journey:

Bury St Edmunds bus station
Beyton
Elmswell
Wetherden
Haughley
Stowmarket
Combs Ford
Needham Market
Darmsden
Claydon
Barham
Henley
Ashbocking
Suffolk Rural

Students who qualify under Suffolk County Council's Post-16 transport policy will be offered an alternative route by Suffolk County Council's Passenger Transport Team.

Regarding the Galloway 116/118 route:

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118/119: (Stradbroke) Framlingham - Otley - Ipswich

Monday to Saturday Only	119	118	119	118	119	118	118	119	119
Stradbroke, White Hart (opp)	--	0715*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Laxfield, Village Hall (opp)	--	072*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Badingham, Pound Corner (S-bound)	--	0730*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dennington, The Dennington Queen (o/s)	--	0734*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Framlingham, Shelter (adj)	--	0751	--	1110	--	1430	1615	--	--
Kettleburgh, Church Road (opp)	--	0802	--	1117	--	1437	1622	--	--
Brandeston, Queens Head (opp)	--	0805	--	1120	--	1440	1625	--	--
Cretingham, New Bell (adj)	--	0808	--	1123	--	1443	1628	--	--
Otley, Shop (opp)	--	0816	--	1131	--	1451	1636	--	--
Otley, College (Side Entrance)	--	0819	--	1134	--	1454	1639	--	--
Framlingham, White Horse (o/s)	0715	--	0930	--	1250	--	--	1705	1844
Saxtead Green, Old Mill House (adj)	0719	--	0934	--	1254	--	--	1709	1848
Earl Soham, Bus Shelter (o/s)	0723	--	0938	--	1258	--	--	1713	1852
Ashfield cum Thorpe, Sunnyside Corner (opp)	0727	--	0942	--	1302	--	--	1717	1856
Framsden, Peats Corner (opp)	0730	--	0945	--	1305	--	--	1720	1859
Framsden, Tollgate Bus Shelter (opp)	0733	--	0948	--	1308	--	--	1723	1902
Helmingham, Otley Turn (opp)	0737	--	0952	--	1312	--	--	1727	1906
Ashbocking, Nelson Close (opp)	0742	--	0957	--	1317	--	--	1732	1911
Swilland, Church Lane (opp)	0747	0822	--	1137	--	1457	1642	--	--
Witnesham, Weyland Road (opp)	0750	0825	1000	1140	1320	1500	1645	1735	1914
Westerfield, Railway Station (adj)	0756	0831	1006	1146	1326	1506	1651	1741	1920
Ipswich, Tower Ramparts Bus Station (FF)	0803	0838	1013	1153	1333	1513	1658	1748	1927
Ipswich, Old Cattle Market Bus Station (L)	--	0843	1018	1158	1338	1518	1703	1753	1932R
Ipswich, Railway Station (RI)	0810	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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For Ipswich - Otley - Framlingham (Stradbroke); please see next page

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118/119: Ipswich - Otley - Framlingham (Stradbroke)

Monday to Saturday Only	118	118	118	119	118	119	118	118	118
Ipswich, Railway Station (R1)	--	0820	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ipswich, Old Cattle Market Bus Station (L)	0630	0825	1025	1205	1345	1525	1615	1715	1755
Ipswich, Tuddenham Road (adj 161)	--	--	--	--	--	1530	--	--	--
Westerfield, Railway Station (opp)	0638	0833	1033	1213	1353	1533	1623	1723	1803
Witnesham, Weyland Road (adj)	0644	0839	1039	1219	1359	1539	1629	1729	1809
Swilland, Church Lane (adj)	0647	0842	1042	--	1402	--	1632	1732	1812
Otley, College (Side Entrance)	0650	0845	1045	--	1405	--	1635	1735	--
Ashbocking, Nelson Close (adj)	--	--	--	1222	--	1542	--	--	1814
Helmingham, Otley Turn (adj)	--	--	--	1227	--	1547	--	--	1819
Framsden, Tollgate Bus Shelter (adj)	--	--	--	1231	--	1551	--	--	--
Framsden, Peats Corner (adj)	--	--	--	1233	--	1553	--	--	--
Ashfield cum Thorpe, Sunnyside Corner (adj)	--	--	--	1236	--	1556	--	--	--
Earl Soham, Bus Shelter (opp)	--	--	--	1240	--	1600	--	--	--
Saxtead Green, Old Mill House (opp)	--	--	--	1244	--	1604	--	--	--
Framlingham, Shelter (adj)	--	--	--	1249	--	1609	--	--	--
Otley, Shop (o/s)	0653	0848	1048	--	1408	--	1638	1738	1823
Cretingham, New Bell (adj)	0701	0856	1056	--	1416	--	1646	1746	1831
Brandeston, Queens Head (adj)	0704	0859	1059	--	1419	--	1649	1749	1834
Kettleburgh, Church Road (adj)	0707	0902	1102	--	1422	--	1652	1752	1837
Framlingham, White Horse (o/s)	0714	0909	1109	--	1429	--	1659	1759	1844
Dennington, The Dennington Queen (opp)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1805*	--
Badingham, Pound Corner (NE-bound)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1808*	--
Laxfield, Royal Oak (opp)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1817*	--
Stradbroke, White Hart (o/s)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1825*	--

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