

PRESS RELEASE

EAST LANCASHIRE RAILWAY

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CHILDREN CAN HAVE A MAGICAL TIME WITH EAST LANCS RAILWAY

- **Join witches and wizards on a magical train ride through the Irwell Valley**
 - **Practice spells and learn about magic**
- **Help the Grand Old School of Wizardry to save an enchanted artefact**



Trainee witches and wizards can embark on a magical adventure with the East Lancashire Railway [Wizard Academy Express](#).

The spellbinding train ride will let youngsters realise their dreams of boarding a train and steaming off through the stunning 12-mile Irwell Valley tracks to magic school.

On the magical journey they will be joined by a magical cast of wacky warlocks and wild witches as they brush up on broomstick flying, work on wand waving and practice potions. While keeping an eye out for the evil enchanters hoping to make off with one of the schools prized magical artefacts.

Only 30 minutes by Manchester from tram and less than three hours from London, the Wizard Academy Express departs from Bury Bolton Street Station on a range of dates and times throughout the year: 11th April, 30th May, 25th July, 1st August, 15th August, 29th August, 24th October.

Tickets cost £14 per adult and £9.50 per child.

To find out more, or to book your Wizard Academy Express experience, visit:

<http://www.eastlancsrailway.org.uk/events-activities/2019/2/wizard-academy.aspx>

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