Using timetables: planning a journey

You will be using timetables to find out:

- how long it takes to travel between two places
- which bus, coach or train to catch

I want to travel from Bodicote to Banbury at eleven minutes past nine Tuesday morning. The B2 bus leaves Bodicote at 09:11 and arrives at Bridge Street Banbury at 09:25, so the journey takes 14 minutes.

When I get to town, I would like to visit my grandmother who lives on Bretch Hill at Bradley Arcade. Which bus service could I use and what time does the first bus leave Bridge Street?

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<th>Banbury</th>
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How long will it take me to get to my grandmother’s?

|                         | 09:43 | 36 minutes | 09:49 |

I need to get home to Bodicote in time to feed my fish at 17:00. What time will I need to get the bus from Bretch Hill?

| 16:25 |

What time will the B2 leave Bridge Street? 16:40 and get to Bodicote? 16:51

Now try these questions:

1. You want to travel from Upper Parade in Leamington to the Hilton National Hotel for an appointment at 4:00 pm on a Tuesday.

Which service will you need? 18 Bus

What time bus should you catch? 16:00

How long is the journey? 22 minutes

2. Using the X5, you need to get from Buckingham to the stop at Cambridge Street in St Neots by 13:50 on a Wednesday.

Which bus should you catch? 11:30

How long will the journey take? 55 mins

3. You need to catch the train from Banbury station to travel to Oxford. The train leaves at 8:55. You need to catch the B2 from Bodicote. Which bus should you take to make it to the train on time?

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(Next Bus 08:39 Arrives 08:57 two minutes late)