Service summary

All CTA railcars are accessible. See staff for help with “gap fillers” for boarding at accessible stations and check alerts at transitchicago.com.

Additional notes

Federal law requires priority seating be designated for seniors and people with disabilities. **Please stand up** and yield these seats for qualifying riders or when asked.

Schedules are subject to change and staff availability. While we continue work to add scheduled service across the system, our staff may sometimes adjust service throughout the week, as needed, to keep trains evenly spaced and mitigate delays.

Pay close attention to destination signs and announcements when boarding and riding: some trains on some lines may not travel the full length of a line as part of schedules or interval management.

Up to 2 bicycles are permitted per railcar during most hours and most days, except weekday rush periods. See our Bike & Ride brochure or webpage for help, how-tos and more.

Know before you go: Get alerts by text or e-mail about planned service changes every week or instant alerts and regarding elevator status, unplanned reroutes and disruptions.
Sign up for CTA Updates today at transitchicago.com/updates.

For more travel information, use the Ventra app or call the RTA Travel Information Center at 312-836-7000. *Para obtener mayor información, en Español, llame al Centro de Información a 312-836-7000.*

Yellow Line ‘L’

Effective Nov. 15, 2026



Service runs daily between Dempster-Skokie and Howard early morning through late evening

Monday thru Friday — Yellow Line 'L'

Northbound

LV Howard	AR Dempster-Skokie
4:35a	4:44a
4:53	5:02
5:11	5:20
5:27	5:36
5:40	5:49
5:53	6:02
6:06	6:15
6:18	6:27
6:30	6:39
6:42	6:51
6:54	7:03
7:06	7:15
7:18	7:27
7:30	7:39
7:42	7:51
7:54	8:03
8:06	8:15
8:18	8:27
8:30	8:39
8:42	8:51
8:54	9:03
9:06	9:15
9:18	9:27
9:30	9:39
then **every 12 minutes** until	
1:30p	**1:39p**
1:42	**1:51**
1:54	**2:03**
2:06	**2:15**
2:18	**2:27**
2:30	**2:39**
2:42	**2:51**
2:54	**3:03**
3:06	**3:15**
3:18	**3:27**
3:30	**3:39**
3:42	**3:51**
3:54	**4:03**
4:06	**4:15**
4:18	**4:27**
4:30	**4:39**
4:42	**4:51**
4:54	**5:03**
5:06	**5:15**
5:18	**5:27**
5:30	**5:39**
5:42	**5:51**
5:54	**6:03**
6:06	**6:15**
6:18	**6:27**
6:30	**6:39**
6:42	**6:51**
6:54	**7:03**
7:06	**7:15**
7:18	**7:27**
7:30	**7:39**
7:42	**7:51**
7:54	**8:03**
8:06	**8:15**
8:18	**8:27**
8:30	**8:39**
8:42	**8:51**
8:54	**9:03**
9:06	**9:15**
9:18	**9:27**
9:31	**9:40**
9:45	**9:54**
10:00	**10:09**
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**

Southbound

LV Dempster-Skokie	AR Howard
4:55a	5:04a
5:11	5:20
5:27	5:36
5:43	5:52
5:58	6:07
6:11	6:20
6:24	6:33
6:36	6:45
6:48	6:57
7:00	7:09
7:12	7:21
7:24	7:33
7:36	7:45
7:48	7:57
8:00	8:09
8:12	8:21
8:24	8:33
8:36	8:45
8:48	8:57
9:00	9:09
9:12	9:21
9:24	9:33
9:36	9:45
9:48	9:57
then **every 12 minutes** until	
1:48p	**1:57p**
2:00	**2:09**
2:12	**2:21**
2:24	**2:33**
2:36	**2:45**
2:48	**2:57**
3:00	**3:09**
3:12	**3:21**
3:24	**3:33**
3:36	**3:45**
3:48	**3:57**
4:00	**4:09**
4:12	**4:21**
4:24	**4:33**
4:36	**4:45**
4:48	**4:57**
5:00	**5:09**
5:12	**5:21**
5:24	**5:33**
5:36	**5:45**
5:48	**5:57**
6:00	**6:09**
6:12	**6:21**
6:24	**6:33**
6:36	**6:45**
6:48	**6:57**
7:00	**7:09**
7:12	**7:21**
7:24	**7:33**
7:36	**7:45**
7:48	**7:57**
8:00	**8:09**
8:12	**8:21**
8:24	**8:33**
8:36	**8:45**
8:48	**8:57**
9:00	**9:09**
9:12	**9:21**
9:24	**9:33**
9:36	**9:45**
9:49	**9:58**
10:02	**10:11**
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**
11:15	**11:24**

Saturday — Yellow Line 'L'

Northbound

LV Howard	AR Dempster-Skokie
6:15a	6:24a
6:30	6:39
6:45	6:54
7:00	7:09
7:15	7:24
7:30	7:39
7:45	7:54
8:00	8:09
8:15	8:24
8:30	8:39
8:45	8:54
9:00	9:09
then **every 15 minutes** until	
3:00p	**3:09p**
3:15	**3:24**
3:30	**3:39**
3:45	**3:54**
4:00	**4:09**
4:15	**4:24**
4:30	**4:39**
4:45	**4:54**
5:00	**5:09**
then **every 15 minutes** until	
10:00	**10:09**
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**

Southbound

LV Dempster-Skokie	AR Howard
6:30a	6:39a
6:45	6:54
7:00	7:09
7:15	7:24
7:30	7:39
7:45	7:54
8:00	8:09
8:15	8:24
8:30	8:39
8:45	8:54
9:00	9:09
9:15	9:24
then **every 15 minutes** until	
3:15p	**3:24p**
3:30	**3:39**
3:45	**3:54**
4:00	**4:09**
4:15	**4:24**
4:30	**4:39**
4:45	**4:54**
5:00	**5:09**
5:15	**5:24**
then **every 15 minutes** until	
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**
11:15	**11:24**

Sunday/holiday — Yellow Line 'L'

Northbound

LV Howard	AR Dempster-Skokie
6:15a	6:24a
6:30	6:39
6:45	6:54
7:00	7:09
7:15	7:24
7:30	7:39
7:45	7:54
8:00	8:09
8:15	8:24
8:30	8:39
8:45	8:54
9:00	9:09
then **every 15 minutes** until	
3:00p	**3:09p**
3:15	**3:24**
3:30	**3:39**
3:45	**3:54**
4:00	**4:09**
4:15	**4:24**
4:30	**4:39**
4:45	**4:54**
5:00	**5:09**
then **every 15 minutes** until	
10:00	**10:09**
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**

Southbound

LV Dempster-Skokie	AR Howard
6:30a	6:39a
6:45	6:54
7:00	7:09
7:15	7:24
7:30	7:39
7:45	7:54
8:00	8:09
8:15	8:24
8:30	8:39
8:45	8:54
9:00	9:09
9:15	9:24
then **every 15 minutes** until	
3:15p	**3:24p**
3:30	**3:39**
3:45	**3:54**
4:00	**4:09**
4:15	**4:24**
4:30	**4:39**
4:45	**4:54**
5:00	**5:09**
5:15	**5:24**
then **every 15 minutes** until	
10:15	**10:24**
10:30	**10:39**
10:45	**10:54**
11:00	**11:09**
11:15	**11:24**