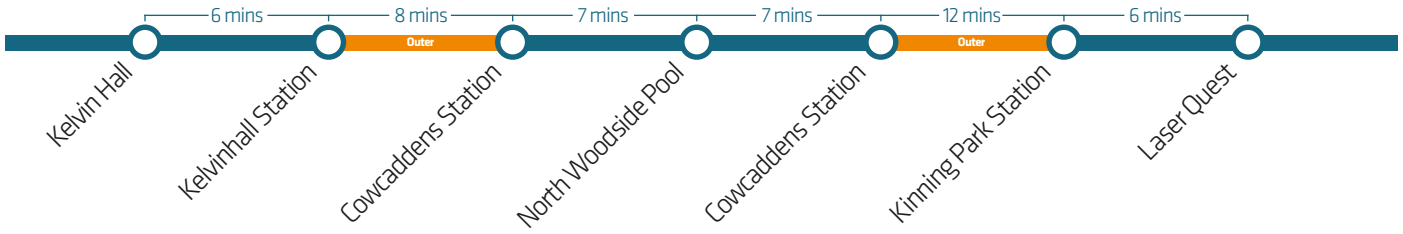ACTIVE EXPLORER