

CROPPER STREET

Cropper Street is a small 00 scale shunting layout based on a slightly enhanced “Inglenook” or shunting twig design and has been built using Peco Code 75 track. The baseboards are a kit from Scale Model Scenery and can be stored in a 77L “Really Useful Box”.

Most of the time we operate using a card based shunting puzzle. It is loosely based in the 1960s and 1970s and is located on the BR London Midland Region. The scenery and details have been inspired by urban landscapes around the railways in Liverpool. The real “Cropper Street” was a road next to Liverpool Central station.

The layout is run with an NCE DCC system and the locomotives are sound chipped. The couplings are Kadees. We try to operate “hands off” as much as we can. The locomotives are ready-to-run and the rolling stock is mixture of RTR and kits. Everything is weathered based on prototype photos.

The operating team will try to answer any questions.

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