

## **How to travel from the Airport to St Giles London Central and London Highgate**

Your journey time and cost from the airport will vary depending on where your accommodation is. Once you have booked your course and accommodation, our office will tell you the location of your accommodation so you can plan your journey there from the airport. Below are the main routes into Central London from the main airports and from the Eurostar terminal:

### **Heathrow:**

Heathrow airport is on the Piccadilly Underground Line and tube trains run from here into Central London taking about 45-60 minutes depending on your final destination. You can Pay as you go and you will pay approximately £12 or buy a Zone 1-5 travelcard for approximately £18. You can also get the 'Heathrow Express'. This is a fast train service to take you to Paddington Train Station, a central location, in just 15 minutes. It costs approx. £22. From there you can take an underground train or a bus to your final location, you can buy an underground travelcard for this part of your journey for approx. £6.

### **Gatwick:**

The best way to get from Gatwick to London is using the 'Gatwick Express' train. This takes about 30 minutes from Gatwick to London Victoria Station in the centre of London. From there you can take a bus or tube train to your accommodation. This will cost approximately £18 in total.

### **Luton:**

From Luton Airport Parkway station, you can take a mainline train to London St. Pancras station. This will take about 45 minutes. From there, you can take a bus or a tube train to your accommodation. This will cost approximately £18 in total.

### **Stansted:**

From Stansted you can take a mainline train to London Liverpool Street. This will take about 45 minutes. From there, you can take a bus or a tube train to your accommodation. This will cost approximately £20 in total.  
London City: From London City Airport you can take a DLR (Docklands Light Railway) train into the centre of London and then change onto an Underground Line to take you to your accommodation. You can buy a Zone 1-5 day travelcard for approximately £18 for this journey.

### **St. Pancras (Eurostar):**

St Pancras train station is serviced by 6 London Underground lines as well as bus routes. From here you can take an Underground train or a bus to your accommodation. You can buy a Zone 1-5 day travelcard for approximately £18 for this journey. St Giles London Central is located just 15 minutes' walk from St. Pancras, so those arriving at St. Pancras and staying at the London Central on-site Residence may like to take a local taxi from the rank at the station.

St Giles London Central is located close to Russell Square Underground station on the Piccadilly Line. London Highgate is close to Highgate Underground station on the Northern Line.

To help you plan your journey by train, Underground (tube) and bus, and check exact prices, you may find the following websites helpful:

- [www.nationalrail.co.uk](http://www.nationalrail.co.uk) for mainline trains
- [www.tfl.gov.uk](http://www.tfl.gov.uk) for London Underground trains