Travelling from the airports to Cambridge

Our team can help you with travel arrangements to and from your arrival in England to Cambridge. Please email studentservices.cambridge@stgiles.co.uk for more information.

Please note, we strongly recommend that students aged 16 and 17 coming to the UK book our taxi transfer service, and it is a requirement for under 16s (from 2019).

Alternatively, you can find your own way to Cambridge, using the information below:

Heathrow:

From Heathrow you can get the underground from Heathrow to Kings Cross St Pancras, via the Piccadilly line. This would take around 55 minutes. From Kings Cross St Pancras underground you will go to the main train station which is a short walk away, to take a train to Cambridge. Try and get the direct one, which will take approximately 50 minutes to arrive at Cambridge station. Approximate cost £30.

Gatwick:

From here you can take the Gatwick Express train to London Victoria, which takes about 40 minutes. At London Victoria, get the tube to Finsbury park. From here you will get another train to Cambridge. This will take a total of 1 hour 14 minutes. Approximate cost £50.

Luton:

From Luton Airport take the National Express bus service direct to Cambridge. This takes roughly 1 hour 40 minutes and the average cost is £22.

Stansted:

From Stansted airport you go towards the Stansted airport train station. From here take the Stansted Express train directed towards Cambridge, this will take approximately 33 minutes and will cost you around £12.

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

- www.nationalrail.co.uk for mainline trains
- www.tfl.gov.uk for London Underground trains

A third option for travel is by coach. You can visit www.nationalexpress.co.uk to check journey options, prices and times.

When arriving at Cambridge train or coach station, you can take a local taxi or bus to your accommodation.