

Arriving at Glasgow Airport



Glasgow International Airport is located 8 miles from the Glasgow city centre

Before you arrive into Glasgow

UK Passenger Locator Form

You must complete this form online before you arrive in the UK from any country. This includes if you're travelling from a country or territory where you do not have to self-isolate when you arrive in the UK. You must complete this form even if you've already completed a different form to enter another country.

If you do not complete the form before you arrive in the UK, it might take you longer to enter the UK.

You cannot submit the form until 48 hours before you are due to arrive in the UK. Please visit the below UK government website link to complete your form.

<https://www.gov.uk/provide-journey-contact-details-before-travel-uk>

At the Airport

We would urge passengers travelling through Glasgow Airport to make themselves aware of the most recent government guidance, [which can be found here](#). The latest travel advice can be found on the [Foreign and Commonwealth office website](#).

Simple steps to avoid catching or spreading COVID-19 include:

- [Wearing protective facial coverings](#) and those who don't have will be able to access them in the terminal.
- Anyone who is experiencing Coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms or feeling unwell should not travel to the airport.
- Washing hands with soap and water often and for at least 20 seconds
- Always wash your hands when you get home or into work
- Use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- Put used tissues in the bin straight away and wash your hands afterwards
- Try to avoid close contact with people who are unwell

Passengers arriving and travelling through the terminal are asked to respect physical distancing.

Immigration

Please follow the signs and make your way to the baggage reclaim area via passport-border control (UK Border Force). Have your passport and all relevant documents ready – this will help speed up the process and reduce the amount of time you have to queue.

If you have items to declare

- Please go to the Customs red point.

If you have nothing to declare

- If your journey started in a European Union country, use the blue exit.
- If your journey began outside the European Union, use the green exit.

Students should be aware that due to the Covid regulations and the need for social distancing that waiting times at the immigration control desks may be lengthy and up to 2 hours.

So please plan for onward journey accordingly with this in mind



Travelling from the Airport

Below is information on how students can use safe public transport to travel into Glasgow city centre.

Public Transport



Bus



Glasgow Airport Express service 500

Glasgow Airport Express service 500 is operated by First Glasgow and is the official bus service connecting the airport and the city centre in just 15 minutes.

In both directions, Glasgow Airport Express service 500 runs 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and every day of the year except for Christmas Day. This means you'll easily be able to get to and from the airport, no matter what time your flight.

From the airport, catch Glasgow Airport Express service 500 from stance 1.

The stops from the airport to Buchanan Bus Station include:

- Bothwell Street
- Bothwell Street at Hope Street (near Central Station)
- George Square at Queen Street Station
- North Hanover Street
- Buchanan Bus Station

Buying Your Glasgow Airport Express service 500 Ticket:

The easiest way to buy your ticket is by using the First Bus [App](#). Simply download the app, pre-purchase your ticket, and show it to the driver.

Glasgow Airport Express 500 Ticket	Adult
Single	£8.50 (on app)
	£9.00 (on bus)

External Airport Map



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| BUS STOP | PICK UP |
| CAR RENTAL | PRIVATE HIRE |
| DISABLED ACCESS | TAXI |
| DROP OFF | TERMINAL 2 |
| HOTEL / B&B | WALK WAY |
| MAIN TERMINAL | AIRSIDE |

Bus Stop
Glasgow Airport Express

Taxi Pick up Point
Booked Taxis and Non Booked



Taxi



Travelling to or from Glasgow Airport by taxi? Make it relaxing and stress-free by pre-booking your journey.

Book a Taxi

Glasgow Airport Taxi Number : 0141 889 1813

You can [book your taxi online](#) or via email: taxis@glasgowairport.com

All of our cars have chip-and-pin terminals, so paying by credit/debit cards couldn't be easier. There is no surcharge to pay by card, either.

Other Taxi Numbers –

Glasgow Taxis – 0141 429 7070

<https://www.glasgowtaxi.co.uk/>

Paisley Taxis – 0141 889 9000

<http://www.paisleytaxi.com/>

The taxi fare to Glasgow averages between £20 - £30 depending on what part of the city you are going to.

Top Tip

Have something with your accommodation address on to show your driver to avoid any confusion