

University of Exeter

Preparing for Exeter: Planning your travel





Meet the Transition and Integration Team

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Over 20 years experience welcoming and working with international students at Exeter.



Meet the International Student Support Team



- Advising students before, during and after their studies
- Trained immigration advisers
- Experts on the Student visa route
- Free service!



Preparing for Exeter webinars



Торіс	Dates
Planning your travel to our campuses	11 and 18 June
Q&A's for parents and carers of students	21 and 27 June
Getting to know your campus (Exeter)	9 and 22 July
Getting to know your campus (Penryn)	8 and 22 July
What's it like to study at University of Exeter	6 and 13 August
Travelling and what to pack	23 and 29 August
Your first week and tips for settling in	3 and 9 September

Click here to book onto a webinar

https://www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/accessourservice/onlineevents/



Travelling to Exeter and Penryn



University Airport Collection Service

Dates	Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 September 2024
Where	Heathrow Airport, Terminal 5
Time	Exeter: 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon, 1.30pm and 2pm both days
	Penryn: 11am both days
Cost	£50 per seat
Who	Everyone, including family members. No babies. No shared seats.
Destination	Direct transfer to Exeter and Penryn main campuses with free onward transport available to your accommodation (if locally based).
Tickets	Bookings taken first come, first served. Booking open early July 2024 www.exeter.ac.uk/internationalstudents/newstudents/airportcolle ctionservice





University Airport Collection Service

Approximate cost £50 Travelling time 3.5 hours, 5 hours Penryn More information: <u>International Students' Guide</u>



Book your flight Choose your flight based on ACS dates Book your ACS seat remember to allow 2.5 hours from landing to your coach departure time We'll send you a reminder 3 days before ACS If you need to change your coach you must cancel your original booking and rebook another seat

On the day Meet us in Terminal 5 at least 30 minutes before your coach. We'll have bright pink tshirts and Exeter signs

Travel to your new campus homes! 3.5 hours to Exeter 5 hours to Penryn



Travelling By Train: Exeter

Approximate cost £100 (all train tickets and taxi fare) Travelling time 3 hours More information: <u>International Students' Guide</u>







Travelling By Coach: Exeter

Approximate cost £50 (tickets and taxi fare) Travelling time 5 hours More information: <u>International Students' Guide</u>

> **National Express** Board the National Express to Exeter Sidwell Street (City Centre)

Taxi Call a taxi from the coach station (Apple Taxi's 01392 666666) to your accommodation or key collection point

Get your key and move in!





Heathrow Airport

From airport terminal

find the National

express coach stop

(Terminal 5: stops 13-

16, Terminal 2 and 3:

central bus station)

Travelling By Train: Cornwall

Approximate cost £210 (all train tickets and taxi fare) Travelling time 7 hours More information: <u>International Students' Guide</u>







Travelling By Coach: Cornwall

Approximate cost £60 (tickets and taxi fare) Travelling time 9 hours More information: <u>International Students' Guide</u>



Heathrow Airport From airport terminal find the National express coach stop (Terminal 5: stops 13-16, Terminal 2 and 3: central bus station)

National Express Board the National Express to Truro, Penryn or Falmouth (research your required stop) Taxi Call a taxi from the coach station to your accommodation/key collection point. Coach station staff can help with this.

Get your key and move in!



Private Taxi hire: both campuses

• Extremely expensive:

starting at £250 to Exeter for a single saloon car, 3 pieces of luggage

£350 for a people carrier, 2 people with 5 standard suitcases between them.

starting at £400 to Penryn for a single saloon car, 3 pieces of luggage

£550 for a people carrier, 2 people with 5 standard suitcases between them.

- DO NOT take a black taxi cab direct from Heathrow. ONLY use pre booked private taxis.
- May charge you extra waiting time if your flight delayed or if you are held up at customs/baggage.







Welcome Week

16 – 22 September 2024

- Academic induction sessions: meet your tutors and your classmates
- International Welcome Programme: campus and city tours, workshops, social events with our International Student Ambassadors there to answer all your questions
 - **Social events:** over 700 social events with our student led societies and sports teams to join in. Something for everyone.





Supporting your university life

- Global Chums: Intercultural Cafe: meet new friends at our free weekly cafes
 - 6 week mentoring programme to help settle in
- **Cultural Events on campus:** Diwali, Christmas, Spring Festival, Ramadan, Cultural Festival. We're here celebrating it all with you!
- Your International News: Our monthly newsletter just for you



Resources

- Planning your travel webpages: www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/newstudents/planningyourtraveltouniversity
- International Students Guide 2024: <u>www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/newstudents/beforeyouarrive</u>
- Before you arrive website: www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/newstudents/beforeyouarrive
- Airport Collection Service: <u>www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/newstudents/airportcollectionservice</u>
- Heathrow Express: <u>www.heathrowexpress.com</u>
- Trainline: <u>www.thetrainline.com</u>
- National Express: <u>www.nationalexpress.com/en</u>

