



Contact information

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PRE-ARRIVAL STUDENT INFORMATION AND ADVICE.

BEFORE LEAVING YOUR COUNTRY

It is important before leaving your own country to make sure that you are well-prepared for your trip. Below you will find some information which may help you in this direction.

- Make sure that you have all your travel documents in order as this will make passing through airport controls easier.
- The school must be in receipt of your signed application form including emergency address and telephone numbers.
- If you are being accommodated in a host family/homestay provider you must have the name, address (including post code) and telephone number of the host(s) with you for immigration purposes.
- Check insurance – make sure that you are covered for unexpected incidents: for example, travel, incidental and medical insurance (if necessary).
- Pack your suitcase carefully – bring your favourite clothes depending on the time of year of your visit – not forgetting that the weather in England can be changeable.

ARRIVAL INFORMATION

ARRIVING IN THE UK

Once you have cleared immigration and customs you will find yourself in the airport arrivals hall. There are several possibilities for traveling to Brighton – you may take a bus, over-ground train, underground train or a taxi. Below you will find directions from the two main London airports – Heathrow and Gatwick – and also from the two outer airports, Luton and Stansted:

FROM HEATHROW AIRPORT TO BRIGHTON

By Bus

You should take the National Express coach from the airport coach station directly to Pool Valley Bus/coach station in Brighton.
(Standard single £23.00/Return £29.00).

By London Underground / Train

Take the London Underground from Heathrow Airport to London Victoria and take the over-ground train from Victoria Station to Brighton Station
(Underground £4.00 each way/Train £26.00 Return).

By Taxi

Taxis are expensive in the UK – black cabs with meters are particularly expensive. For students requiring a taxi the school can arrange to collect you at the airport. Please make sure this is arranged with the school in advance and confirmed to you.

FROM GATWICK AIRPORT TO BRIGHTON

By Train

The easiest way from Gatwick to Brighton is by train – this can be taken from the main line Gatwick Airport Train Station directly to Brighton Station (Standard Single £7.30/ Return £10.90).

By Taxi

As mentioned above, taxis are expensive. The school can arrange to collect you at the airport. Please make sure this is arranged with the school in advance and confirmed to you.

FROM STANSTED AIRPORT TO BRIGHTON

The best way to travel from Stansted is by bus.
(National Express Standard Single £27.90/Return £31.00).

FROM LUTON AIRPORT TO BRIGHTON

Take the shuttle bus from Luton Airport to Luton Train Station and take the train to Brighton station
(Off Peak Return £35.00/Anytime Return £66.00).

Contacting the School

Please contact the school as follows:

Tel:	01273 748185	During Office Hours (Mon– Fri 09.00– 1900)
Emergency Tel:	07799 770149	For emergencies only! Outside Office Hours
Fax:	01273 748185	
Email:	info@castle-school.co.uk	

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT CASTLE SCHOOL AND ABOUT
BRIGHTON AND HOVE PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE.**

www.castle-school.co.uk

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU SOON!!!!!!



Castle School:

Central school in Brighton

1 minute walk to the Churchill Square Shopping Centre

8 minute walk to the central train station

5 minute walk to the famous Brighton beach

The City

Lively and exciting city on the South Coast of England

Lots of young people living here and lots of things for you to do

Many pubs, nightclubs, parties and cultural activities

Only 50 minutes from London by train

How to find the school

Once you arrive in Brighton the school is not far from the railway station it is just a 5 minute walk. The school is located very close to Churchill Square shopping centre @ 12 Dyke Road

Be careful as there are some busy roads to cross!

If you are driving it is possible to park in Churchill Square car park but parking can be expensive.

