

Directions to the University - London Road Campus

If using sat nav / GPS put in postcode RG1 5AQ - London Road Campus

By car from M4 London

Come off Jct.11 of the M4 and take the 4th exit marked Earley, University etc (DO NOT TAKE A33 EXIT). **(Currently roadworks/redevelopment of this junction so please follow current signs)**

Follow this road to the roundabout at the end. Turn left at roundabout onto A327 towards Reading/University etc. (There has been some building work on this roundabout recently and there may be 2 roundabouts here now - just keep to the left following signs for A327 towards Reading).

Follow A327 and go straight over the first roundabout and pass the shops on your right and then go STRAIGHT OVER the second roundabout (ignore any signs which say Reading University turn right). After 2nd roundabout keep going along A327 and at first set of traffic lights go straight on along A327 (these lights are at the junction of Pepper Lane/Wellington Ave).

You will shortly pass the entrance to the Whiteknights Campus of the University on your right - DO NOT TURN IN HERE!

At the next set of traffic lights (just after the Whiteknights Campus), **get into right hand filter lane** in preparation to turn right. You will notice that there are 2 roads on your right which you could turn down! You want to take the **first** of these roads called Redlands Road – and is signposted to the **Hospital**. (DO NOT TAKE ELMHURST ROAD OPTION).

Once on Redlands Road you can either opt to try and park in the Royal Berkshire Hospital car park - see attached map for instructions on parking, or make your way to Queens Road Car Park - again see map for instructions.

Once you have parked your car – use your map to get to the London Road Campus and then use your Campus Map to find Building L46. Due to the re-development of the London Road Campus we are advising students to enter the campus via the Acadia Road entrance (see map) as at times the Crown Place entrance has been inaccessible. Once inside the Acacia Road Car Park proceed between Buildings 13 and 16 and then follow your map/the path to bring you around to building LO46.

By Car from M4 Wales

Come off Jct.11 of the M4 and take the 2nd exit off roundabout marked Earley, University etc (DO NOT TAKE A33 EXIT). **(Currently roadworks/redevelopment of this junction so please follow current signs)**

Then follow directions as above.

From Reading Station

By Taxi: Taxi rank outside main entrance of the station on the right. Will take approx 5-10 mins, take your map as this will help taxi driver and tell him/her you need the **London Road Campus** of the University in Crown Place. On arrival in White Gates Car Park follow map to building L46. **(Taxi Line: We recommend Yellow Cars but you do need to pre-book: 0118 966 6555 - they charge approx £5 (car) or £8 (mpv) from the station to London Road Campus Other taxis: 07760 148111 / 07766 521943)**

By Bus: Use Bus no's: 20 and 21. Use stop SJ situated outside Reading station. Current bus times as at May 2010 are: **No 20:** 7.15, 7.33, 7.53, 8.15 and 8.30 a.m. **No 21:** 7.10, 7.20, 7.40, 8.00 & 8.20 a.m. You need to get off the bus at the bottom of Kendrick Road and walk up London Road and into Crown Place. Use your map to find building L40. To check bus times call 01189 594000 (Reading buses).

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE CHANGE AS YOU NEED TO HAVE THE CORRECT MONEY TO BOARD THE BUS – £1.70 EACH WAY.

ACCOMMODATION LIST

Listed below are some suggestions for accommodation in the university area. These have been recommended by the Reading Tourist Board (0118 956 6226) for their close proximity to the training venue. It is up to individual students to determine the suitability of accommodation.

Hillingdon Prince (on the corner of Kendrick Road and Christchurch Road)
0118 931 1311

Single room with en-suite facilities:

£40 Fri - Sat £70 Sun –Thurs

(Special rate make sure you mention MNT Training when you book)

Mixed feedback from students - 10 minute walk

Premier Inn
Letcombe Street
Reading
Berkshire
RG1 2HN
0870 850 6318

£59 Fri-Sun £79 Mon-Thurs

Great Expectations Hotel (London Street)
0118 950 3925 / Email: greatexpectations@thechapmansgroup.co.uk

Single room with en-suite facilities including breakfast:

£45 Mon - Sun

Recommended by previous student – 10 minute walk

Abadair House (Redlands Road)
0118 986 3792

Recommended by previous student – 10 minute walk

Carriacou Lodge Bed & Breakfast (Sycamore Road)
0118 975 2872
Recommended by previous students - 20-25 minute walk

Dittisham Guest House (Tilehurst Road)
0118 956 9483 / Email: dittishamgh@aol.com
Recommended by previous students

Beech House Hotel (Bath Road)
0118 959 1901 / www.beechhousehotel.com
Recommended by previous student – 30 minute walk

Black Horse House (residential training centre within Reading University **Whiteknights Campus** – on A327, 20-25 min walk)
0118 931 8906