



GETTING AROUND IN BRUSSELS

From the city centre train station to the very outskirts of the city, public transport in Brussels has you covered. A smart integration of buses, trams, metro and trains means that you can get wherever you need to go with minimal hassle and usually within a short journey time.

The price of a single ticket inside Brussels is 2,10-€2,50. As a student under the age of 25, you can get a yearly season “MOBIB card” on the basis of the documents certifying your student status that you receive when you arrive. You can also get 10-trip or 5-trip tickets, which are loaded onto your top up-able card and works out cheaper than buying single tickets.

You can always check timetables before leaving by installing the STIB mobile application :
https://www.stib-mivb.be/article.html?_guid=a0ee7473-c4af-3710-9495-8be6097c32f1&l=en

Good to know:

You don't want to miss the end of the movie? You want to stay out a while longer during the weekend? Our night network fulfills all these wishes. A bus every 30 minutes on each bus line from Friday to Saturday and from Saturday to Sunday nights from midnight to 3am.

MÉTRO

The metro system is good in Brussels with 70 stations across the city - recognizable by the white «M» on a blue background. The city is also known for displaying impressive artworks at many of its public transport stations.

BUSES AND TRAMS

With lines crisscrossing the entire length and breadth of the city (and far beyond it), both buses and trams are tried and tested ways of getting around Brussels. You do not need special tickets for taking either, thanks to the unified ticketing system used in the city, so just check out the schedules and routes, grab your MOBIB card and enjoy your journey!

CYCLING

An alternative to public transportation is cycling. If you need advice on how to get around, what parking facilities are available, how to rent a bicycle or use the

bicycles sharing service, where to find a repair station, what bicycle-related events are planned on campus, or if you simply wish to subscribe to ULB's newsletter for cyclists, you can visit:
www.ulb.be/mobilite/Velo.html
[/www.provelo.org/en](http://www.provelo.org/en)

CAR SHARING

ULB has entered partnerships with several car sharing companies (including Cambio, Zen Car, and Zipcar), in order for members of the university community to enjoy discounts.

www.cambio.be/cms/carsharing/en/
www.zencar.eu/en
www.mobilite-mobiliteit.brussels/en/

TAXIS

If you need a taxi, it is best to book it by phone, as there are generally few available on the streets. Official taxis are black, with a yellow stripe. You should expect to pay 1.80€ - 2.70€/kilometer, an initial tax of 2.40 - 4.40€ per ride, plus 50 cents per minute if you are in a traffic jam.

The two main taxi companies in Brussels are:
Taxi Vert: +32 (0) 2 349 49 49, www.taxisverts.be/en
Taxi Bleu: +32 (0)2 268 00 00, www.taxisbleus.be/index.php/fr/

The STIB public transport company offers a collective taxi service “Collecto”, between 11.00pm and 6.00am. There are around 200 pick-up points around the city (at STIB bus or tram stops) and the taxi will drop you off wherever you want in Brussels. It may take some time to get home, but the ride costs only 6€ (or 5€ if you have a Mobib card). The collective taxi has to be booked in advance (phone or through the online application) and when making the booking you need to mention the stop where you will be waiting for the taxi, your name, and your destination address. For more information: see www.bruxellesmobilite.irisnet.be/articles/taxi/reserver-un-collecto