



Travelling to the College

Free airport transfer

The College offers a free bus transfer for students arriving at Glasgow International Airport on the following dates:

- Saturday 16th January 2010
- Sunday 17th January 2010

You must reserve a place by completing and returning the Arrival Form at least **seven** days before you travel.

It is especially important that we know what time in the day you expect to arrive.

Taxi transfer

If you cannot arrive on one of the dates shown opposite, we can arrange a taxi to collect you from Glasgow International airport at a cost of **£35**.

Students who return completed paperwork 14 days prior to the arrival weekend will be sent a pre-arrival guide to GIC and the city of Glasgow offering you to fast track your registration.

Date	Airport	Time/s
16 th January 2010	Glasgow International	Pick-ups all through the day from 10am – 8pm
17 th January 2010	Glasgow International	Pick-ups all through the day from 10am – 8pm

You must give **seven** days notice of this request.

If you need to cancel the booking, email gic@gla.ac.uk (giving three days notice or you will be charged full price)

Travelling to Glasgow independently

If you are travelling to Glasgow independently, please complete and return the Arrival Form so we know when you expect to arrive.

When you arrive in Glasgow, take a taxi to your accommodation (approximately £7, depending on the residence).

To Glasgow from...	By coach	By train
Glasgow International airport	<p>Bus Stop Bay 1 500 – Glasgow Flyer service takes approx 25 minutes Costs approx £4.20</p> <p>Bus Stop Bay 2 905 – Fairline Coach service leaves from terminal forecourt and the journey takes approx 25 minutes Costs approx £3.00</p>	There is no train service from Glasgow International airport
Glasgow Prestwick airport	<p>Bus x77. Stops outside the airport conprogramme. Journey time is approx 50 minutes Cost approx £5.20</p> <p>Bus X99/X100 (late bus) Departs from the terminal at exit 4 at 23.59 Journey time is approx 60 minutes Costs approx £9.00</p>	<p>The journey takes approximately 50 minutes. All passengers receive half price rail travel on production of their flight reservation.</p> <p>A full price ticket costs £6.20</p>
Manchester airport	<p>Leaves from outside terminal.</p> <p>Journey takes approx 5.5-9.5 hours</p> <p>Costs approx £27.50</p>	<p>There is no direct train from Manchester airport to Glasgow. Instead, change at either Manchester Piccadilly or Preston.</p> <p>The journey takes from 3.5 – 7.5 hours depending on changes.</p> <p>Costs from £15 - £120</p>



➤ **Registration and Induction Programme, 19 – 22 January 2010**

The Induction and Registration Programme is an excellent way to get to know your classmates, find your way around the campus, and meet Glasgow International College staff.

The programme is free of charge and *all students are expected to attend*. If you cannot attend, you must email gic@glg.ac.uk

The Programme will include the below but may be subject to change. The final version will be emailed to you on receipt of your Arrival and Accommodation Forms

Date	Morning session	Afternoon session
Tuesday 19 th January	Welcome and Introduction. Meet the Learning Support Tutors. Registration	Lunch Registration Museum Tour
Wednesday 20 th January	Studying in Glasgow Living in Glasgow Things to do in Glasgow	Campus Tour Collecting student cards
Thursday 21 st January	Briefing on Course Information Time for opening a bank account	College Tour Information Fair (finance, social events, transpo etc)
Friday 22 nd January	Free day to register with police, banks and time to ask any questions. Collect timetables Campus tour Museum Tour Evening event	
Saturday 23 rd January	Day trip	

It starts promptly at **9.15 am** on **Tuesday 19th January 2010**.

Your induction programme will take place at Glasgow International College and the University of Glasgow Campus.

Please be sure to return these to us as soon as possible as early returners are entered into a *prize draw* and have access to the maximum number of social events and benefits.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Glasgow International College!