

University Hall, Auckland Transport, Directions & Arrival Information

Address for University Hall is 30 Whitaker Place, Grafton
(Just off Symonds Street/Wakefield Street intersection)

www.taxi.co.nz

This is the best website to book and pre-pay your transport to/from Auckland Airports to any destination in Auckland. Booking online guarantees one fixed price and meet and greet at the airport for your taxi/super shuttle pickup.

To make an online booking, (which will compare transport options), on the “Book Now” page:

- FLIGHT DEPARTURE: Enter the date of your arrival OR departure.
- FLIGHT NUMBER: Enter the Flight number you are arriving or departing on then select “Search and compare”.
- Then select the “Auckland – International Airport” OR Auckland – Domestic Airport” (depending on which airport you require).
- In the next option under “To” enter “30 Whitaker Place, Auckland, NZ” or select this option from the dropdown box when it appears.
- Select “Continue” and price options and providers will be listed.
- Select your preferred option of transport and follow through to complete the booking.

The website will then search for transport options – the regular prices are usually:

Taxi:	Prices vary from \$55.31 - \$90.37 depending on the taxi service chosen.
Discount Taxis	City to Airport – NZ\$35.00 CASH ONLY (Up to 4 passengers) Airport to City – NZ\$40.00 CASH ONLY (Up to 4 passengers) Pre-booking essential - book online at http://www.discounttaxis.co.nz/ or call +64 9 529 1000
Airbus:	\$16.00 (Return ticket is \$28.00 – see drop off options below) For more information go to www.airbus.co.nz
Shuttle:	\$36.40 (This is a shared ride service, so other drop offs will be made en route to the city and the trip may take up to one hour).

Airbus – for University Hall drop off points – see page 2 →

ARRIVING AT UNIVERSITY HALL

- University Hall reception is located on the ground floor behind the glass windows.
- Reception hours are from 8.00am – 8.00pm daily. If you intend to arrive outside these hours, please let us know so we can ensure staff are available to give you access to University Hall and arrange check in.
- If you arrive after hours/weekend, please phone the duty phone and our duty staff will be available to assist.
 - 0800 36 63 84 (NZ mobiles) or
 - +64 27 676 4862 (International mobiles)
- Do not press the red buzzer outside office hours, as it can only be responded to within normal reception hours. Please call the duty phone – see number above.
- Check-in time is 2.00pm and checkout is 10am daily. (If you require an early check in before noon, please ensure you have booked your room for an extra night).

AIRBUS

There are 2 Airbuses which take a different route into the city. Airbus kiosks are located at both airport locations for ticket purchase, or these can be purchased from the driver.

Catch the **01 Mt Eden/City Airbus** which will travel down Symonds Street. There are two stops that you can get off at and find your way to University Hall:

1. Langham Hotel

- Get off at the Langham Hotel stop.
- Walk down Symonds Street to the next set of traffic lights at Wakefield/Symonds/Whitaker Place intersection
- At the lights walk across Symonds Street to the top of Whitaker Place
- Walk down Whitaker Place on the left side of the street – at the bottom (facing #38 Whitaker Place) turn left and continue walking down Whitaker Place to University Hall reception, which you will find on the ground floor behind the glass windows.

2. Auckland University (Drop off outside Starbucks/St Pierre's Sushi)

- Walk down to the lights at the intersection of Symonds Street & Wellesley Street ; walk across the street to St Paul's Church; walk down the drive on the left side of the Church
- Continue walking behind the Church taking the left side of the road, between the two Elam Fine Arts buildings (one is painted red/yellow)
- University Hall is the large orange building on the left, opposite the 4 level cream building 'University Hall Apartments'.
- UH Reception is on the ground floor behind the glass windows.
- University Hall reception is open from 8.00 am – 8.00pm – please refer to “arrival”.

MOTORWAY DIRECTIONS

1. From Auckland Airport

- Take George Bolt Memorial Drive (the main exit road from the airport), to the intersection with SH20. Follow the signs for Auckland City. This will take you onto the motorway.
- Leave the motorway at the Queenstown Road exit, turn right into Queenstown Road and continue straight ahead into Pah Road, which becomes Manukau Road.
- After approximately five kilometres, turn left at the traffic lights into Alpers Ave.
- At the end of Alpers Ave, turn right into Gillies Ave, then LEFT onto the motorway exit to Auckland City.
- Take the SYMONDS STREET exit and turn right onto Symonds Street.
- Turn RIGHT into Symonds Street
- Go straight ahead at the Karangahape Road/Grafton Bridge lights and go past the Langham Hotel.
- At the next lights turn RIGHT into Whitaker Place
- Make a second left turn at the bottom of Whitaker Place (facing Building # 38) to University Hall.

2. If you are travelling in on the **Southern Motorway**):

- Take the '**SYMONDS STREET**' exit.
- Turn RIGHT into Symonds Street
- Go straight ahead at the Karangahape Road/Grafton Bridge lights and go past the Langham Hotel.
- At the next lights turn RIGHT into Whitaker Place
- Make a second left turn at the bottom of Whitaker Place (facing Building # 38) to University Hall.

3. If you are travelling in on the **North, North-Western or as an optional exit off Southern Motorway**:

- Take the '**PORT**' exit.
- Then take the **Wellesley Street exit 2A**
- Turn RIGHT into Wellesley Street East
- Turn LEFT (free turn) into Grafton Road, then next free turn left into Grafton Road
- Go straight up Grafton Road to Symonds Street
- Turn left into Symonds Street
- Just past St Paul's Church at the lights turn LEFT into Whitaker Place.
- Make a second left turn at the bottom of Whitaker Place (facing Building # 38) to University Hall.

PARKING

- There is limited parking at University Hall, so if you require a car park, please ensure you pre-book. There is a daily charge of \$5.00 per day or \$30 per week.
- All vehicles must be registered at reception.
- Please enquire at reception if you require parking for more than one week.
- Parking alongside the footpath directly outside University Hall is 5 minute parking only and is enforced by Auckland Council Monday to Friday and often at night. Tickets will be issued if 5 minutes is exceeded (\$65.00) or your vehicle is parked the wrong way (\$40.00 for vehicle facing downhill)
- Alternative parking is available in nearby Wilson's or Tournament car park buildings located on Wakefield Street, Airedale Street or at the top of Whitaker Place. Parking maps are available at reception.
- Please ensure you are aware of the daily charges at carpark buildings as they vary. Early bird rates (\$13-\$15 per day apply at most car park buildings before 9 or 10am, after this casual rates of \$3-5 are per half hour. Night rates range from \$7.50 and apply from 5pm.
- University parking is available in the Owen Glenn building on Grafton Road. All other university parks are reserved spaces and you may be towed or clamped if you park in these spaces during weekdays.
- The casual parking rate on inner city streets ranges from \$2-4.00 per hour between 8am – 6pm during the week.
- Please note, if you visit Auckland during major festivals, concerts and events, most central city car park buildings will charge an event parking rate of \$15 - \$25 during the day/evening.