

Going to College?

How are you going to get there?

Maynooth University



Welcome to the Smarter Travel Campus travel resource for Leaving Certificate students!

If you're considering your third level choices and how you'll travel to Maynooth University this resource is for you!

Tools To Help You Plan How You'll Get to Maynooth University

You'll find travel information for Maynooth University in this document, as well as on the Maynooth University website (more details below). You can also download the free Transport for Ireland apps to help you find out how to get to your campus on foot, by bike or public transport. These apps are listed below. And if you're exploring travel options to other campuses, you'll find more of these travel resources on our website at www.smartertravelcampus.ie

Student Leap Card

Sign up and start saving on your public transport fares! Find out more at www.studentleapcard.ie

Download Free Transport for Ireland Apps

The Apps below will help you travel smarter to and from campus, and beyond! They are available from the android/apple store.

National Journey Planner

To find the best route for your journey, use the free National Journey Planner App. All you have to do is type in your campus and your destination.

Real Time Ireland

Enter your bus stop or train station into the Real Time Ireland App to find out when the next service is due!

Cycle Planner

This App provides information on the best cycling routes based on individual cycling capabilities. If you are new to cycling or getting out on the bike after a long break, the Cycle Planner will find a route that avoids roads with heavy traffic and difficult turns at busy junctions.

Maynooth University

Maynooth, Co. Kildare

Number of (Full time) Students: 10,500

Student Accommodation

Number on-site	893
Website	www.maynoothuniversity.ie/accommodation

Walking and Cycling

Cycle parking provided	Yes
Covered cycle parking provided – number of spaces	Yes - 60
Cycle parking close to entrances	Yes
Changing areas for active commuters	Yes
Details of Changing Areas	Shower facilities available only. For more information, see https://www.maynoothuniversity.ie/parking
Puncture repair kits?	Yes
Contact for repair kits	https://www.maynoothuniversity.ie/parking
Allen keys or other bike maintenance equipment?	Yes
Contact for Allen keys/ bike maintenance equipment	Cycle repair stand to use at cycle shelter beside Phoenix restaurant, see https://www.maynoothuniversity.ie/parking
Footpaths into campus entrances	Yes
Cycle routes in surrounding areas	Yes
Detail of cycle routes	Cycle lanes throughout Maynooth town
Bike purchase scheme for students	Yes
Detail of bike purchase scheme	We offer euro50 reimbursement on all bikes purchased for travelling to the university
Other supports for cyclists/ walkers	Participate in annual national walking and cycling challenges for students – Student Cycle Challenge and Marchathon

Public Transport

Bus stops on campus	Yes
Detail of bus stops on campus	All information found here: www.maynoothuniversity.ie/location/travelling-bus
Bus stops close to campus	Yes
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Distance to nearest train station	approx 750 metres or 10 minutes walk
Student Leap cards on-site	Yes
Where to buy Leap on-site	Students Union
Student Leap cards available close to campus	Yes
Where to buy Student Leap cards close to campus	Centra, Main Street Maynooth (approx 6 minutes walk)

Carsharing

Carsharing promoted	Yes
Carsharing more information	www.carsharing.ie outdoor banner advertisement, in-house promotion of the carshare website, poster campaign, self promoting all day carshare spaces.
Number of parking spaces	14 all day carshare spaces, see https://www.maynoothuniversity.ie/parking
Permit needed?	Yes
Charge for parking	Yes
More details on charges/ permits	Annual permit cost €40, P&D also available@ €1.00 first hour and €1.50 each additional for max stay 5 hours
Parking off-campus?	Yes
More detail of parking off-campus	Two overflow carparks available for students/staff to use 300 and 700 mtrs from campus entrance

Other Travel Information

For more information see – www.maynoothuniversity.ie