

Travelling by Road

The following instructions give directions from both the M5 and M4 motorways. Should you require further help then please call us on (01452) 308097 and we will do our best to assist you.

Please note that Redcliffe is located in a pedestrianised area of the City, and we encourage regular visitors to find parking outside of the town centre. If you are driving into the Cathedral grounds, use the postcode GL1 2NE, instead of the College postcode, to ensure you arrive at the Cathedral gates.

From the North (M5)

- Exit the M5 at Junction 11 and take the A40 towards Gloucester.
- At the first roundabout (Elmbridge Court) go straight over, signposted Longlevens.
- Continue straight ahead through Longlevens until you reach a second roundabout. Take a right.
- Follow the road round over two roundabouts, and go straight on at the next junction.
- At the following junction, fork round to the left and take the exit signposted Shire Hall, Longsmith Street and Westgate Street.
- As the road bends to the right onto Upper Quay Street, carry on straight ahead approaching the pedestrianised area, and take the first left onto College Street.
- The Cathedral is ahead of you, so pass through the gates and if approached by the gatekeeper, tell him that you're visiting Redcliffe College.
- Find a place to park and report to the Redcliffe Office in the bottom left hand corner of the Quad.

From the South (M5)

- Exit the M5 at Junction 11a (keep left) and take the A417 towards Gloucester. At the first roundabout continue straight over.
- At the next roundabout turn right to continue on the A417.
- At the following roundabout continue straight over onto the A40.
- Continue straight ahead until you reach yet another roundabout. Bear left into Tewkesbury Road.
- At the next roundabout, take a right and go straight on at the following roundabout, and straight on again at the next junction.
- At the following junction, fork round to the left and take the exit signposted Shire Hall, Longsmith Street and Westgate Street.
- As the road bends to the right onto Upper Quay Street, carry on straight ahead approaching the pedestrianised area, and take the first left onto College Street.
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South East and London (M4)

- Head west on the M4 to Junction 15 (Swindon), then exit onto the A419, signposted Cirencester.
- On reaching Cirencester continue straight ahead on the A419, which becomes the A417.

- Continue along the A417, following signs to Gloucester. Eventually you will descend into Gloucester and pass under the M5 motorway.
- Continue straight ahead on the A417 and at the following roundabout continue straight over.
- At the next roundabout turn right to continue on the A417.
- At the following roundabout continue straight over onto the A40.
- Continue straight ahead until you reach yet another roundabout. Bear left into Tewkesbury Road.
- At the next roundabout, take a right and go straight on at the following roundabout, and straight on again at the next junction.
- At the following junction, fork round to the left and take the exit signposted Shire Hall, Longsmith Street and Westgate Street.
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From local train, coach and bus stations

Gloucester train, coach and bus stations are situated together in the city centre, about 20 minutes walk from the College.

- From the train station turn right onto Bruton Way (from the coach/bus station turn left).
- Head towards the junction with London Road (traffic lights). Turn left onto Northgate Street.
- Walk up until you reach St John's Lane on your right, and head underneath the canopy to the right of the Osteopath's, to Cathedral Walk.
- Turn left in front of the Cathedral and the Redcliffe Office is in the far corner at the opposite side of the Quad.

Rail and Coach information

- For train information contact National Rail Enquiries. Telephone: 08457 484950.
- For coach information contact National Express Coaches. Telephone: 08705 808080.

From UK Airports

The College is 2 hours' drive from London Heathrow Airport and there are coach services to Gloucester. Coaches also connect Heathrow and London Gatwick Airports.

International Airports at Birmingham, Bristol and Cardiff are less than 1½ hours' drive. All have good rail and bus connections to Gloucester.