The University is well-served by public transport and many students use either buses or trains to travel to campus and the local area. The bus is generally cheaper and more convenient if you are frequently travelling to campus, however if you live far away from the campus, and especially if you live near a train station, it might be quicker for you to travel by train.

Which bus should I get?

Campus is served by a number of buses going to different destinations, including services 25, 23, 5B, 28 and 29:

- Service 25 (pictured below) connects the campus with central Brighton and Hove/Portslade via the Lewes Road. This is the most frequent service to campus
- Service 23 connects the campus with Brighton Marina
- Service 5B runs from campus to central Brighton via Coldean, Hollingbury and London Road before continuing to Hove
- Services 28 and 29 run from Churchill Square along Lewes Road, stopping on the main road just outside the campus before continuing on to Lewes (when going in the opposite direction, buses 28 and 29 stop across the main road from the campus, outside Falmer Station).

You can see a complete list of services, and plan your route, on Brighton and Hove Buses’ website at www.buses.co.uk.

How frequently do the buses run?

Service 25 runs approximately every 5-10 minutes on weekdays during term-time. On Sundays, in the evenings, and during vacation the 25 service tends to run every 15-20 minutes. Services 28 and 29 run every 10-15 minutes on weekdays, while service 23 runs every 20-30 minutes on weekdays.

How long is the journey?

The journey time on the 25 bus between Churchill Square and campus is approximately 30 minutes, although this can increase to 40 minutes at busy times. Buses 28 and 29 cover the same distance a bit more quickly as they only stop at a limited number of bus stops.

What should I do when I get on the bus?

You should board the bus at the front door, then either buy a ticket from the driver, show a ticket you’ve already bought, or scan your M-ticket or Key smartcard on the reader in front of the driver. You can also pay for your fare by card or Apple/Android Pay once you get on the bus, again by tapping on the reader. Press one of the red ‘Stop’ buttons when you want to get off the bus.
What type of ticket should I buy?

The type of ticket you need depends on how often you will be travelling on the bus. Single tickets or 1-day/24 hour SAV-ER tickets are good for occasional use, however if you are travelling on the bus more than once or twice a week, it is worth getting a Key Smartcard (a plastic ‘smart card’ which you can top up online with tickets) or using ‘M-tickets’ via the Brighton and Hove Buses mobile app.

Having a Key Smartcard or using the mobile app will allow you to buy a range of 24 hour, 1-day, 2-day, 3-day, 4-day, 7-day, 28-day, 90-day and 12 month tickets. These can either be ‘CitySAVER’ tickets, which allow unlimited journeys around the city (but don’t include night buses), and ‘NetworkSAVER’ tickets, which allow unlimited journeys around the entire Brighton and Hove Buses network, including night buses.

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For further information regarding bus travel in Brighton and Hove please refer to the Brighton & Hove Buses website at: www.buses.co.uk