

A. VENUE - Beauchamp College, Oadby

The venue < <http://www.beauchamp.org.uk/> > is situated in Oadby, 5 miles south-east of Leicester on the A6.

Oadby is a town adjoining Leicester and is easily accessible by train, bus, road and air. There is a range of hotels nearby including a Premier Inn within a short driving distance.

You can find a local map here

<<http://www.streetmap.co.uk/map.srf?x=462941&y=299336&z=0&sv=le2+5tp&st=2&pc=le2+5tp&mapp=map.srf&searchp=ids.srf>> or
< <https://www.google.co.uk/maps/@52.5877502,-1.0748204,17z?hl=en> >

B. HOW TO GET THERE

a - By Rail

Leicester is on the Midland Main Line from London to Sheffield. The 8.02am from London St Pancras International arrives in Leicester at 9.04am. The 6.03pm from Leicester arrives at St Pancras at 7.11pm.

A cross-country line between Peterborough and Cambridge to the east and Nuneaton and Birmingham to the west also provides links to all parts of the country. Buses run direct from the station to Beauchamp College every 15 minutes and taxis are always available. If you are arriving by train and need picking up from the station please email < seminar-booking@one-name.org > and we will endeavour to find you a lift.

b - By Bus

Arriva Bus number 31A (**NOT** 31) runs every 15 minutes from the Haymarket Bus Station, stopping right outside the railway station, to Beauchamp College. The 9.00am from Haymarket arrives at Beauchamp at 9.30am on Saturdays. The bus stop is at the side of the College in Coombe Rise. The 5.32pm from the same bus stop by Beauchamp arrives just before 6.05pm at the railway station. Don't forget your bus pass if you have one.

The Stagecoach bus service no. X7/77 leaves Northampton at 8.05am via Market Harborough and arrives in Oadby at 9.21am. The stop is on the A6 by Ashtree Road, about 5 minutes walk from the College. The return journey times are 5.27pm/6.41pm.

c - By Road.

SATNAV: Use Postcode LE2 5TN (8 Ridge Way, Oadby). Please note that this is not the official postcode of the College, but leads to the entrance to the car park.

Because of the proximity to Oadby of the city of Leicester, the driving instructions vary considerably according to the direction you approach from. For example Beauchamp College is near the A6 on the edge of Oadby so it's really easy to get to for those approaching by the A6 from the Kettering - Market Harborough direction. The College is signposted from the A6.

For detailed driving instructions see < <http://cree.one-name.net/oadbydirections/> >

If you would like any special help please email < seminar-booking@one-name.org > as soon as possible.

From the south-west, west and north-west of England, aim to reach Junction 21 of the M1 which is also Junction 3 of the M69. If driving down the M6, leave at Junction 15 and follow the A500 and A50 (signposted to Uttoxeter) to reach the M1. From all parts of Ireland, crossings to Holyhead provide the quickest route - follow the A55 to the M6, than use the A500, A50 and M1 as above.

From the north-east of England, Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire, the A1(M) to Newark on Trent and the newly dualled A46 from there to Leicester provide a good fast route.

From East Anglia, Kent and East Sussex, getting on to the M11/A14 makes it easier at the Oadby end of the journey as the A6 brings you straight into the part of Oadby where the College is situated. If you live south of the Thames cross the river at Dartford.

d - by Air

Birmingham International Airport and East Midlands Airport are both within an hour's drive of Oadby. Taxis are reasonably cheap when booked in advance.

Birmingham Airport has flights to and from all parts of the world. Emirates now flies a European Airbus A380 daily direct from Dubai with connections to all Asia and Australia. East Midlands Airport has flights from most parts of the UK and Ireland.