



Getting Around Guide

**Getting to and around Villanova
and the Greater Philadelphia Region
by Public Transportation or Car**

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A. GETTING TO AND AROUND VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY BY CAR

TO CONFERENCE SERVICE DESK, GALBERRY HALL FROM US RTE 30, LANCASTER AVE

Galberry Hall is located on Lancaster Ave (US RTE 30), next to Villanova Stadium. Guest Parking is available at the building and the Service Desk is on the second floor.

TO ITHAN AVE. PARKING GARAGE FROM U.S. RTE 30, LANCASTER AVE.

If coming via RTE 30 East (having exited I-476), turn right onto Ithan Ave. and into the Ithan Avenue Parking Garage.

If coming via RTE 30 West, turn left onto Ithan Ave. and into the Ithan Avenue Parking Garage.

TO SOUTH CAMPUS FROM U.S. RTE 30, LANCASTER AVENUE

If coming via RTE 30 East (having exited I-476), turn right onto Ithan Ave. If coming via RTE 30 West, turn left onto Ithan Ave.

Continue straight on Ithan Ave under the railroad bridge (10'3" clearance) and turn left into South Campus.

TO WEST CAMPUS FROM US RTE 30, LANCASTER AVE

If coming via RTE 30E (having exited I-476), turn left onto RTE 320N, Spring Mill Rd, at gas station.

If coming via RTE 30W, turn right onto RTE 320N, Spring Mill Rd, at gas station.

Next, proceed about 0.20 mile, cross over railroad bridge, and take the first right turn to West Campus. At train station, turn right, under bridge to entrance to West Campus which is marked by a guard booth.

Immediately after guard booth, if staying in Klekotka, Moulden, Rudolph or Welsh Apartments, bear right at first fork, and turn left at stop sign. These apartment buildings are then on your left, in order. If staying in Farley, Gallen, Jackson or St. Clare Apartments, bear left at first fork, and turn right at first entrance into parking lot. These apartment buildings are then on your right, in order.

TO SOUTH AND WEST CAMPUS FROM CONFERENCE SERVICE DESK, GALBERRY HALL

Turn right onto Lancaster Ave (US RTE 30W).

For **South Campus**, proceed to first traffic light at Ithan Ave, turn left onto Ithan Ave. Continue straight, go under railroad bridge (10'3" clearance) and turn left into South Campus.

For **West Campus**, proceed to third traffic light at Spring Mill Rd, turn right onto RTE 320N (Spring Mill Rd). Then follow "To West Campus" directions above.

B. GETTING AROUND BY PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

General Information:

ALL SCHEDULES are available at our Conference Service Desk in Galberry Hall (7 days a week, 7am - 9pm) or online at www.septa.org. The Paoli/Thorndale Local regional rail schedule is also posted at the Villanova Station with schedules for connecting trains available in Philadelphia.

Tokens and tickets can be purchased at the Villanova Train Station ticket office (610) 525-4546) Monday through Friday (5:45am - 11:45am). Regional Rail tickets purchased at the time of boarding will be charged the on-board sale price, whether or not the station ticket office is open. On-board ticket prices are higher than advance prices.

A \$13.00 One Day Independence Pass can be used for up to ten rides on any regional rail, bus, trolley or subway route for a single day, as well as PHLASH.

All information and fares listed below are subject to change. All trains, busses and trolleys operate 7 days a week, with sometimes limited weekend service. For the most up-to-date information or assistance, call SEPTA at 215-580-7800 or visit www.septa.org. Schedules change annually in mid summer.

PHILADELPHIA DESTINATIONS

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	30th Street Station, 30th & Market Streets, Philadelphia, PA For AMTRAK trains, SEPTA Regional Rail connections
		Suburban Station, 16th Street & JFK Blvd., Philadelphia, PA For City Hall, Love Park, Benjamin Franklin Parkway and Museums, Business District
		Market East Station, 12th & Filbert Streets For Pennsylvania Convention Center, Old City, Independence National Park

COST: \$6.00 one-way weekday advance/\$7.00 on-board, \$5.25 one-way evening/weekend advance/\$7.00 on-board.

TRANSPORTATION IN PHILADELPHIA:

PHLASH Downtown Loop Bus 10am - 6pm daily, \$2/ride, \$5/all day, 22 key destinations in Center City

Market Street Subway (year-round), 24 hours a day, (Bus service after midnight) Cash: \$2.50/ride (exact change only)

Broad Street Subway (year-round), 24 hours a day, (Bus service after midnight) Cash: \$2.50/ride (exact change only)

PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT DESTINATION

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	30th Street Station, 30th & Market Streets, Philadelphia, PA
Airport Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	30th Street Station	Philadelphia International Airport, Terminals A-East, B-C, D, E (Zone 4)

COST: \$9.25 one-way from campus to airport and vice versa

ALTERNATIVES:

Type	From/To	To/From
Ride Shares: Pick up in outer lanes, Arrivals Road	Villanova University	Philadelphia International Airport
Taxis: Pick up in Zone 5	Villanova University	Philadelphia International Airport
Rental Cars: Pick up in Zone 9	Villanova University	Philadelphia International Airport

MANAYUNK/SHOPPING/DINING DESTINATION

Trolley/Train	From/To	To/From
Norristown High Speed Line (NHSL)	Stadium or Villanova Stations, South Campus	Norristown Transportation Center
Mayayunk/Norristown Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Norristown Transportation Center (Zone 3)	Manayunk (Zone 2)

COST:

NHSL: Exact Cash: \$2.50 one-way

Regional Rail: \$3.75 one-way advance/\$4.00 on-board (Intermediate Fare)

KING OF PRUSSIA MALL DESTINATION

Trolley/Bus	From/To	To/From
Norristown High Speed Line (NHSL)	Stadium or Villanova Stations, South Campus	Gulph Mills Station
124/125 Bus	Gulph Mills Station	King of Prussia Plaza

COST: Exact Cash: \$2.50 one-way, also purchase a \$1.00 transfer when boarding first vehicle of trip (must have a SEPTA Key Card with money loaded on the Travel Wallet to pay for and use a transfer)

**VALLEY FORGE NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK/
SCHUYLKILL RIVER TRAIL DESTINATION
(VISITOR CENTER: 610-783-1077)**

Trolley/Bus	From/To	To/From
Norristown High Speed Line (NHSL)	Stadium or Villanova Stations, South Campus	Gulph Mills Station
125 Bus	Gulph Mills Station	Valley Forge National Historical Park

COST: Exact Cash: \$2.50 one-way, also purchase a \$1.00 transfer when boarding first vehicle of trip (must have a SEPTA Key Card with money loaded on the Travel Wallet to pay for and use a transfer)

**SUBURBAN SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER,
ARDMORE DESTINATION**

Bus	From/To	To/From
105 Bus	Villanova Stations: - Lancaster & Ithan - University - Lancaster & Spring Mill	Ardmore

COST: Exact Cash: \$2.50 one-way

**MAIN LINE TOWNS/SHOPPING/DINING
DISTRICTS OF WAYNE, BRYN MAWR,
ARDMORE, WYNNEWOOD DESTINATIONS**

Bus	From/To	To/From
105 Bus	Villanova Stations: - Lancaster & Ithan - University - Lancaster & Spring Mill	Westbound - Wayne, Devon, Paoli Eastbound - Bryn Mawr, Ardmore, Wynnewood

COST: Exact Cash: \$2.50 one-way

ALTERNATIVE:

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	Westbound - Wayne, Devon, Paoli Eastbound - Bryn Mawr, Ardmore, Wynnewood

COST: \$3.75 one-way advance/\$4.00 on-board (Intermediate Fare)

NEW YORK CITY DESTINATION

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	30th Street Station for Trenton Line connection
Trenton Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	30th Street Station	Trenton Station for New Jersey Transit connection
New Jersey Transit Northeast Corridor	Trenton Station (Zone NJ)	New York, Penn Station

COST:

SEPTA: \$9.25 one-way advance (\$10 on-board)

NJT: \$16.75 one-way

ALTERNATIVE 1:

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	30th Street Station for AMTRAK connection
AMTRAK	30th Street Station	New York, Penn Station

COST:

SEPTA: \$6.00 one-way weekday advance/\$7.00 on-board,
\$5.25 one-way evening/weekend advance/\$7.00 on-board

AMTRAK: From \$50 one-way (Regional Service)

ALTERNATIVE 2:

Bus	From/To	To/From
BoltBus www.boltbus.com	Philadelphia, JFK & N. 30th St Station	New York City Lower Manhattan and Midtown Options
Megabus www.megabus.com	Philadelphia, 30th St Station	New York City 7th Ave. & 28th St.

WASHINGTON D.C. DESTINATION

Train	From/To	To/From
Paoli/Thorndale Local Line (SEPTA Regional Rail)	Villanova Station, West Campus (Zone 3)	30th Street Station for AMTRAK connection
AMTRAK	30th Street Station	Washington D.C., Union Station

COST:

SEPTA: \$6.00 one-way weekday advance/\$7.00 on-board,
\$5.25 one-way evening/weekend advance/\$7.00 on-board

AMTRAK: From \$50 one-way (Regional Service)

ALTERNATIVE:

Bus	From/To	To/From
Megabus www.megabus.com	Philadelphia, 30th Street Station	Washington D.C., Union Station

C. GETTING AROUND BY CAR FROM VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY TO:

Philadelphia - Center City

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
- I-476 North toward Plymouth Meeting
- I-76 East via Exit 16A toward Philadelphia/I-76E
- I-676 East/Vine Street Expressway East via Exit 344 on left toward Central Philadelphia
- Broad Street/Central Philadelphia Exit
- 15th Street Ramp toward Central Philadelphia
- Right onto 15th Street to City Hall/Penn Square

Philadelphia International Airport

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
- I-476 South toward Chester
- I-95 North via Exit on left toward Philadelphia
- Take Exit for Philadelphia International Airport

Manayunk

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
- I-476 North toward Plymouth Meeting
- I-76 East via Exit 16A toward Philadelphia/I-76E
- Belmont Avenue Exit 338 toward Green Lane
- Left onto Belmont Avenue
- Belmont Avenue turns into Green Lane
- Right onto Main Street

King of Prussia Mall

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
- I-476 North toward Plymouth Meeting
- I-76 via Exit 16B toward Valley Forge
- US-202 S/US-202 N/US-422 W Exit 328B-A toward West Chester/King of Prussia/Pottstown/Swedestown Road
- Take Mall Blvd. Exit 327
- Mall parking lot straight ahead

Valley Forge National Historical Park/ Schuylkill River Trail

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
 - I-476 North toward Plymouth Meeting
 - I-76 via Exit 16B toward Valley Forge
 - US-202 S/US-202 N/US-422 W Exit 328B-A toward West Chester/King of Prussia/Pottstown/Swedestown Road
 - County Line Expressway/US-422W via Exit 328A toward Pottstown/Swedestown Road
 - W Valley Forge Road/PA-23W toward Valley Forge
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Suburban Square Shopping Center, Ardmore

- Lancaster Avenue East
- Left onto Anderson Avenue
- Parking lots off Anderson between Lancaster and Montgomery Avenues

Main Line Towns/Shopping/Dining Districts of Wayne, Bryn Mawr, Ardmore, Wynnewood

- **Wayne:** Lancaster Avenue West to Lancaster & Wayne Avenues
- **Bryn Mawr:** Lancaster Avenue East to Lancaster & Bryn Mawr Avenues
- **Ardmore:** Lancaster Avenue East to Lancaster & Anderson Avenues
- **Wynnewood:** Lancaster Avenue East -- Left onto E. Wynnewood Road -- Shopping/Parking on right at Wynnewood & Penn Roads

New York City

- Lancaster Avenue West
- I-476 North toward Plymouth Meeting (portions toll)
- I-276 East/Pennsylvania Turnpike via Exit 20 toward New Jersey (portions toll)
- I-276 East/Pennsylvania Turnpike becomes New Jersey Turnpike Extension (portions toll)
- New Jersey Turnpike via Exit toward New York (portions toll)
- New Jersey Turnpike East/78 via Exit 14 toward 14A-B C/ Bayonne/Jersey City/Holland Tunnel (portions toll)
- Take Holland Tunnel into Downtown Manhattan

Washington D.C.

- Lancaster Avenue/US-30 West
- I-476 South toward Chester
- I-95 South toward Chester
- I-495 South via Exit 11 toward Port of Wilmington/Baltimore
- I-495 South becomes I-95 South (portions toll)
- MD 295 South via Exit 52 toward BWI Airport
- NY Avenue NE/US-50 W toward Washington
- Left onto 6th Street NW/US-1/US-50
- Right onto 16th Street at National Mall