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TRAVEL GUIDE PARK PLACE

# ARE YOU AWARE OF YOUR TRAVEL OPTIONS?



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### WELCOME

The MyCommute team is here to help make your journeys to the office easier, healthier, more affordable and more sustainable, however you prefer to travel.

This guide sets out all the travel information and advice needed to make informed travel choices.

It compliments further information, tools and discounts provided online at:

my-commute.com

If you're still not sure about your travel options, or would just like some friendly advice, get in touch with the team at:

dublin@my-commute.com













Based opposite Iveagh Gardens, in Dublin centre, the bank's office at Park Place is well connected.

The map below shows the location of the office in relation to a range of key transport points in the local area, including a range of dublinbike locations, car club vehicles and public transport options.







## YOUR PUBLIC TRANSPORT OPTIONS

#### TRAVEL BY BUS

Travelling by bus from the office at Park Place should be easy and convenient. Given the central location, there are a large number of bus services within just a few minutes' walk from the office. The closest bus stops are located on Charlotte Way and Camden Street Lower. From these stops there are regular services to and from destinations including Dublin Airport, Harristown, Ashington, Kimmage, Dundrum and many more.

The majority of services in the surrounding area are operated by Dublin Bus, you can use their website to view timetables, find full route info, see service updates and much more.

dublinbus.ie

Alternatively, use Transport for Ireland's website or apps to view live travel info, easily plan any bus, rail or Luas journey, top up your Leap card and more.

transportforireland.ie

#### TRAVEL BY LUAS

Harcourt Luas stop is just a couple of minutes' walk from the office at Park Place and sits on the Green Line, which runs from Brides Green to Broombridge / Parnell via Dublin centre.

Services run every I0 minutes on average, with a service up to every 4 minutes during peak periods.

The Green Line stops at a number of Park and Ride locations including Balally, which is a I4-minute journey away with 42I spaces and Stillorgan, which is a I9-minute journey and has 34I spaces.

Find out more about travelling by Luas on the website **luas.ie** 

Find further information and advice on travelling by public transport in Dublin at <a href="mailto:my-commute.com/dublin">my-commute.com/dublin</a>

#### TRAVEL BY TRAIN

The Park Place office is located within a 20-minute walk or I0-minute cycle ride of Dublin Pearse Rail Station, which has secure cycle parking available. The station offers regular links to a wide range of destinations via Dart and rail. Pearse rail station is ideal if you're looking for local commuting services.

If you're looking for longer distance, intercity services then Dublin Heuston is likely to be the best station for you to use. It takes just under I5 minutes to reach by bike, or around 30 minutes on public transport. The station offers regular services to destinations such as Cork, Galway, Limerick and Waterford.

You can use Tfl's journey planner to find the best service for you.

#### **TICKET OPTIONS**

#### LEAP CARDS

Tfl's Leap Card is a convenient way to pay for public transport in Dublin and surrounding counties. When using the Leap Card, fares are up to a third cheaper than cash alternatives and you'll benefit from automatic capping around the Dublin area. **leapcard.ie** 

#### TAX SAVER TICKETS

Tax Saver commuter tickets are great for people regularly commuting by public transport. The cost of your ticket is deducted from your salary before tax, allowing savings of up to 52%!

You can save on monthly and annual tickets for bus, rail, Luas or any combination of the three. Start saving now by contacting the MyBenefits team or visiting the Flagscape portal!

Find out more here: taxsaver.ie





If you live locally, travelling to work by bike or on foot can be a great way to fit exercise into your routine and avoid driving through traffic at rush hour!

There are shower and locker facilities on site to help with your active commute and plenty of secure cycle storage spaces available!

Scan here to download the Active Travel Guide and learn more about your choices around Dublin, including local traffic free cycle routes:



#### **DUBLINBIKES**

dublinbikes is a self-service bike hire scheme, allowing you to travel freely across the city at your own pace. There's a bike station outside the Park Place office, too! You'll get the first 30 minutes of any rental for free, with longer rental costing €5 for a 3-day pass or €35 for an annual pass.

You can even pay using a Leap Card, if you have one.

dublinbikes.ie

#### CYCLE TO WORK SCHEME

Head to the MyBenefits page of the Flagscape portal to take advantage of the Government initiative offering access to bikes and accessories as a tax-free benefit.

# TRAVEL BY CAR



Whilst there are times when it is easy enough to walk, cycle or hop on public transport, for some people and some trips the only realistic option is to travel by car.

That doesn't mean you can't do your bit for the environment and save some money when you do need to drive!

#### ARE YOU READY TO JOIN THE EV REVOLUTION?

With an ever increasing number of charging points available, as well as new and affordable electric vehicles (EVs) coming to the market, drivers now have greater choice and flexibility than ever before when it comes to making the switch!

#### **USING A CAR CLUB**

Becoming a member of a car club gives you convenient access to a car without all the costs and hassle of owning one. Reserve a car at a moment's notice and just pay for your what use!

There are a number of car club vehicles in Dublin centre, operated by either GoCar or Yuko, Toyota's Car Club. Both operators offer free on-street parking across Dublin for their vehicles and GoCar even have a number of fully electric vehicles for hire.

There are two GoCar vehicles right outside the Park Place office on Hatch Street Upper.

You can find out more about travelling by car to Dublin on the MyCommute website **my-commute.com/dublin/car** 

### FURTHER INFORMATION AND ADVICE

#### FIND US ONLINE

my-commute.com/dublin

The MyCommute website is packed full of further information, advice and tools to help you explore and plan your journey.

You can also download all guides for travelling to bank's offices across the UK and Ireland on the website at my-commute.com/resources.

#### **EMAIL US**

If you are unsure about your journey to work, we're here to help!

We can plan your journey for you, based on your origin and time of travel you will receive an interactive email which sets out your choices in a user-friendly format.

Email us at **dublin@my-commute.com** and request your personalised journey plan to find out more.



