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## **TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION**

### **Senate House**

University of London, Malet Street, London WC1E 7HU

Senate House is situated in the heart of Bloomsbury at the south end of the University precinct, next to the British Museum and very close to the British Library and the West End. It is surrounded on all sides by bars, restaurants, cafes, bookshops, tube stations, bus stops and things to see and do. Many of central London's key attractions and most exciting neighbourhoods are within walking distance, including Covent Garden, Soho, Oxford Street, Piccadilly Circus, Leicester Square, Trafalgar Square and the River Thames.

### **International travel**

Senate House benefits from superb transport connections to London's tube network, and can be reached from London's five airports (Heathrow, Luton, Stansted, City and Gatwick) in less than an hour. It is within a few minutes' walk of major national rail stations Euston and King's Cross, and the International Eurostar terminus at St Pancras.

- Heathrow Airport (LHR) is 32km (20 miles) to the west of central London, about one hour's journey by Tube to Russell Square station (Piccadilly Line), or 15 minutes by Heathrow Express to Paddington Station. <http://www.heathrowairport.com/>
- London Gatwick (LGW) is 45km (28 miles) south of London, about 30 minutes to Victoria Station. <http://www.gatwickairport.com/>
- London City Airport (LCY) is 9.5km (6 miles) east of Central London. The Docklands Light Railway (DLR) leaves LCY every 8 to 15 minutes with an approximate 20 minute journey to the Tube connections at Bank Station. <http://www.londoncityairport.com>
- London Luton Airport (LTN) is 56km (35 miles) north-west of Central London, about 25 minutes to King's Cross Station. <http://www.london-luton.co.uk/>
- London Stansted Airport (STN) is 64km (40 miles) to the north-east of London, 47 minutes by train to Liverpool Street Station. <http://www.stanstedairport.com/>

### **Local travel**

Senate House is a short walk from the following tube stations: Russell Square (Piccadilly Line), Godege Street (Northern Line), Tottenham Court Road (Northern and Central Lines), Warren Street (Northern and Victoria Lines) and Euston Square (Metropolitan, District, Circle, Hammersmith & City Lines).

Paper tickets are being phased out of London's travel network. Payment on tube and bus may be made per journey by contactless debit or credit card, or Oyster cards may be purchased from tube stations and topped up for multiple journeys. NB: cards must be touched in and out at either end of tube journeys, but only touched in once when you board a bus. Cash is no longer used on London buses, but may still be used in tube stations.

For the most up to date London travel information and network maps please see the Transport for London website. <https://tfl.gov.uk/>

**Useful mobile phone applications for local travel:** citymapper, buschecker

**Offline map for mobile phones:** maps.me (download the country map before using offline)

## Accommodation

Bloomsbury has one of London's greatest concentrations of hotel options at affordable rates per night. Below are a number of local options for individual booking. Where prices are given these are accurate to the best of our knowledge at the time of publishing, but you should check with the relevant hotel or B&B for up-to-date rates and reservation information.

### Grange Hotels: Corporate Rates:

Visitors to the School may take advantage of specially negotiated rates at a number of local 3-5 star hotels in the Grange Hotels group as.

To book: <http://www.grangehotels.com/hotels-london/> and use the reference "School of Advanced Study"

### Goodenough College and Club: <http://www.goodenough.ac.uk/>

- The Goodenough Club: 4 star standard accommodation in five historic Georgian townhouses overlooking a quiet garden square in central London
  - o Single from £159, double from £194
- Goodenough College sabbatical accommodation, at London House and William Goodenough House:
  - o Single room from £60, suite from £110, flat from £140

### University of London Halls of Residence: <http://hallstest.housing.london.ac.uk/visitor-accommodation>

- UoL Halls
  - o College Hall – single £45, double £75
  - o Connaught Hall – single £43
  - o International Hall – single £43, double studio £80
  - o Nutford House –twin £53
- UoL Housing Properties
  - o Tavistock Square - £86/2 people
  - o Gordon Square - £100/2 people
  - o Taviton Street - £86
  - o Gower Street - £64 for one person

### University College London Halls of Residence: <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/residences>

- Arthur Tattersall House - £40.50 single rate, £39.00 pp group
- Astor College - £36 single, £35 pp group
- Campbell House - £40.50 single, £39 pp group
- Frances Gardner House - £53 single, £51.50 pp group
- Goldsmiths House - £53 single, £51.50 pp group
- Ian Baker House - £53 single, £50.50 pp group
- Ifor Evans Site - £36 single, £34 pp group
- James Lighthill House - £52.50 single, £51 pp group
- John Dodgson House - £53 single, £51.50 pp group
- John Tovell House - £40.50 single, £39 pp group
- Langton Close - £40.50 single, £39 pp group
- Ramsay Hall - £42 single, £41.00 - £59.00 pp group
- Schafer House - £40.50 single, £39 pp group

#### **Local Hotels:**

- **The Imperial Group** - Please specify the name of the hotel when contacting the group by phone or email.

Email: [info@imperialhotels.co.uk](mailto:info@imperialhotels.co.uk). Tel: +44 (0)20 7278 7871 / 7872 / 7873.

Web: <http://www.imperialhotels.co.uk/>

- The Imperial Hotel – (from £97), Russell Square, London WC1B 5BB, Call: +44 (0)20 7837 3655
  - President Hotel (from £88), 56-60 Guildford Street, London WC1N 1DB, Call: +44 (0)20 7837 8844
  - Bedford Hotel (from £95), Southampton Row, London WC1B 4HD, Call: +44 (0)20 7636 7822
  - Royal National Hotel (from £88), Bedford Way, London WC1H 0DG, Call: +44 (0)20 7637 2488
  - Tavistock Hotel (from £83), Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9EU, Call: +44 (0)20 7636 8383
  - County Hotel (from £53), Upper Woburn Place, London WC1H 0JW, Call: +44 (0)20 7387 5544
- **The Penn Club** – from £63/night for members; from £70 for non-members  
21-23 Bedford Place, London. WC1B 5JJ; Tel: +44 (0)20 7636 4718
  - **Euro Hotel** – from £75/night for a single standard room  
53 Cartwright Gardens, Russell Square, London WC1H 9EL; Tel: +44 (0)20 7387 4321
  - **The George Hotel** – from £59/night  
58-60 Cartwright Gardens, London WC1H 9EL ; Tel: 020 7387 8777
  - **Crescent Hotel** – from £64/night  
49-50 Cartwright Gardens, London WC1H 9EL; Tel: 0207 387 1515
  - **Celtic Hotel** (formerly St Margaret’s Hotel) – from £63/night  
62 Guildford Street, Russell Square, WC1N 1DD; Tel: +44 (0) 2078376737

- **Travelodge London Euston Hotel** - from £75/night  
1-11 Grafton Place, London NW1 1DJ; Tel: 0871 984 6332
- **Hotel Russell** – from £122/night  
1-8 Russell Square, London WC1B 5BE; Tel: +44 (0) 844 854 2910
- **The Montague on the Gardens** – from £139/night  
15 Montague Street, London WC1B 5BJ – from £139; Tel: 020 7958 7731
- **Holiday Inn Bloomsbury** – from £179/night  
Coram Street, London WC1N 1HT; Tel: 0870 400 9222

The British Hotel Reservation Centre has desks at both Heathrow underground stations (020 8564 8808 or 020 8564 8211), at Stansted Airport (01279 662 929) and at Victoria (020 7828 1027); they offer their services free of charge.

They also have a 24 hour booking line on +44 (0) 20 7592 3055; email: [customer.services@weknowlondon.com](mailto:customer.services@weknowlondon.com)

Hotel booking websites: Booking.com, LateRooms, LastMinute, Premier Inn

You might also like to try the following websites:

- <http://www.londontown.com/hotels/>
- [www.hotel-assist.com](http://www.hotel-assist.com)
- [www.smoothhound.com](http://www.smoothhound.com)
- <http://www.trivago.co.uk/>
- <http://www.expedia.co.uk/London-Hotels.d178279.Travel-Guide-Hotels>
- <http://www.hoteldirect.co.uk/london/>
- <http://www.london-discount-hotel.com/>
- <https://www.airbnb.co.uk/>