

# Getting to Wales

Wales is easy to get to. It's a big plus point. We're just a few hours by road and rail from most of the UK's main centres. And if you're visiting us from Ireland, you have the choice of direct ferries to both North and South Wales or direct flights to Cardiff Airport.





### By road

## Mileage and journey times by car

Birmingham – Aberystwyth 123 miles, 2hrs 44mins

Canterbury – Cardiff 214 miles, 3hrs 51mins

Coventry – Barmouth 138 miles, 2hrs 56mins

Exeter – Swansea 144 miles, 2hrs 35mins

Leeds – Llandudno 126 miles. 2hrs 31mins

London – Cardiff 151 miles, 2hrs 53mins

London – Tenby 238 miles, 4hrs 29mins

Manchester – Caernarfon 105 miles, 2hrs 19mins Newcastle-upon-Tyne – 221 miles, 4hrs 20mins

Nottingham – Swansea 204 miles, 3hrs 41mins

Peterborough – Aberystwyth 207 miles, 4hrs 22mins

Reading – Carmarthen 172 miles, 3hrs 02mins

York – Welshpool 152 miles, 3hrs 02mins

Edinburgh – Cardiff 393 miles, 7hrs 03mins

Glasgow – Aberystwyth 331 miles, 6hrs 04mins theaa.com

National Express provides a nationwide network of express coach services linking major towns and cities in Wales as well as the UK's principal destinations. *nationalexpress.com* 

Megabus provides low cost intercity travel in the UK, with buses running from a number of major UK cities to Newport, Cwmbran, Cardiff, Swansea, Carmarthen and Pembroke Dock. Prices from £1 plus 50p booking fee (one way). http://uk.megabus.com



## By rail

In the UK, fast and frequent rail services run between London Paddington and Cardiff, taking only two hours. There is a half-hourly departure to Cardiff Central, with an hourly continuation to Swansea and onward connections to West Wales. Direct trains to North Wales depart from London Euston. There's also a rail service between London Marylebone, Shrewsbury and Wrexham. Hourly services run from Manchester to the North Wales coast.

For general rail enquiries: nationalrail.co.uk/thetrainline.com



#### By sea

#### Irish Ferries

**Dublin Port to Holyhead** Journey time:1hr 49mins (Fast ferry)

Journey time: 3hrs 15mins (Cruise ferry)

Rosslare to Pembroke Journey time: 4hrs irishferries.com

#### Stena Line

**Dublin Port to Holyhead** Journey time: 2hrs 20mins (Fastcraft)

Journey time: 3hrs 15mins (Superferry)

Dun Laoghaire to Holyhead Journey time: 2hrs 20mins (Fastcraft)

Rosslare to Fishguard Journey time: 3hrs 30mins (Superferry) stenaline.ie