

RESIDENCES SERVICES - Session 2025/2026

ARRIVAL INFORMATION – Aberconway Hall, Colum Hall, Student Houses (Colum Road/Place), Aberdare Hall & Hodge Hall

All students:

Where should I go to collect my key?

Aberdare Hall Reception, please see map overleaf or use CF10 3UP for satnav.

When should I collect my key?

10am to 4pm on the first day of your Contract Period (as stated on your online Contract Acceptance – Key Matters)

If you do not collect your room key by 4pm your allocated residence may be withdrawn and the room offered to another student.

Email: residences@cardiff.ac.uk if you have any queries about your booking status.

Arriving by public transport:

If you are arriving at Cardiff Central railway station or by bus:

Taxi – Taxis are easily available from the taxi rank, which is located outside the Cardiff Central railway station, if you arrive by bus and can't locate a taxi, the number for a local taxi company is 02920 333 333. These will cost about £10 depending on the distance and how much luggage you are carrying.

Bus – There are several bus routes that run from Cardiff city centre and stop near residences. For further information and timetables, please visit the following web page: <http://www.cardiffbus.com/>

Is car parking available?

Aberconway Hall, Aberdare Hall, Colum Hall and Student Houses (Colum Road/Place)

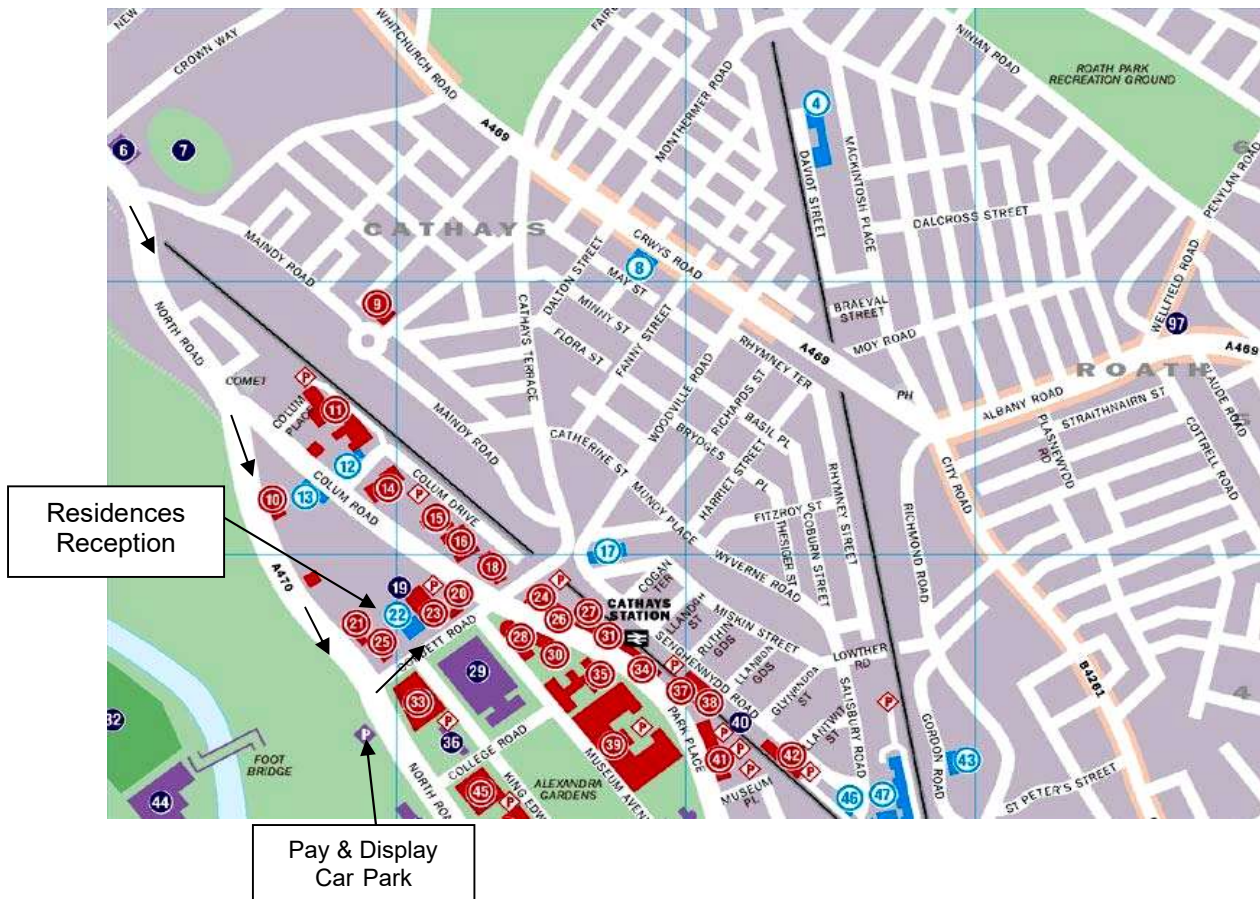
- Unfortunately, there are no University parking spaces available. There is restricted on street parking which is patrolled frequently by traffic wardens so please unload as quickly as possible and ensure someone stays with the vehicle at all times whilst unloading
- Please note there is no parking permitted in Queen Anne Square
- After unloading, the nearest Pay & Display car park is on North Road (see map overleaf)

Hodge Hall

Important: Parking enforcement operates on university car parks.

- Parking may be available on site and is restricted to one car per student
- On key collection, you will need to provide your car registration details at reception
- Unfortunately, we can only allow 45 minutes to unload your vehicle due to parking restrictions
- After unloading, the nearest Pay & Display car park is on North Road (see map overleaf)

Aberconway Hall is map ref. 12
 Colum Hall is map ref. 13
 Aberdare Hall is map ref. 22
 Hodge Hall is map ref. 17



To Aberconway Hall

After collecting your key from Aberdare Hall, travel up Corbett Road (past the School of Music) towards the crossroads

At the traffic lights turn left on to Colum Road

Aberconway Hall is on the right-hand side just after the right turn for the Business School

To Colum Hall

After collecting your key from Aberdare Hall, travel up Corbett Road (past the School of Music) towards the crossroads

At the traffic lights turn left on to Colum Road

Colum Hall is on the left-hand side



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To Hodge Hall

After collecting your key from Aberdare Hall, travel up Corbett Road (past the School of Music) towards the crossroads
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Continue past the crossroads (through the traffic lights) to the top of Corbett Road and then into Cathays Terrace
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At the traffic lights, take the first right into Catherine Street and first right again into Woodville Road

Hodge Hall is on the left-hand side just before the road bears to the left
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To Student Houses

After collecting your key from Aberdare Hall, travel up Corbett Road (past the School of Music) towards the crossroads
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At the traffic lights turn left on to Colum Road
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Student Houses are located along Colum Road and Colum Place
