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City Centre Toilets

(Open 6am - 5pm 7 days a week)

Market Street

Men, Women, Accessible

Westgate Car Park

Men, Women, Accessible.

Baby change

Gloucester Green

Men, Women, Accessible.

Baby change

Castle Street

Men, Women, Accessible

St Giles

Men

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**Telephone: 0845 050 7666
or go to: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
(download copy)**

Magdalen Street

Women

Oxpens

Men, Women

Speedwell Street

Men, Women, Accessible

For further information on opening times or any other queries please telephone 01865 252900

The above 'Accessible' facilities require NKS/RADAR keys. Keys can be brought for about £4 from:

- RADAR 0207 250 3222

In addition:

- NKS (National Key Scheme) guides detailing 'Accessible' facilities nationwide are available via RADAR

For other useful information go to:

www.cae.org.uk/itaalmain.html

www.NeedaLoo.org/

www.direct.gov.uk

For further help with planning journeys please ring: Traveline 0870 608 2608 or AA Disabled Travellers Line: 0800 262 050



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Oxford City Centre Parking Map for People with Disabilities



Access to Blue Badge parking in main city centre streets

High St. - is closed to general traffic (at a point close to Queens Lane) between 7.30am and 6.30pm (everyday). Access to Blue Badge parking at the western end of High St. is via Speedwell St. and St. Aldates. Access to the spaces at the eastern end of the High St. and in Oriel Square is from the Magdalen Bridge direction or via Longwall St.

Broad St. - the western end of Broad St. has been completely closed to all traffic. Blue Badge holders needing to reach the parking spaces in the rest of Broad St. are allowed access throughout the day but will need to approach via Parks Road (see map).

Queen St./Cornmarket St. - all traffic including Blue Badge vehicles is banned 10.00am - 6pm. (Only delivery vehicles are permitted outside these certain times.)

Magdalen St. East - all traffic including Blue Badge vehicles is banned at all times

Turl St./Market St./Ship St. - Blue Badge holders are able to park on

yellow lines subject to normal blue badge restrictions (excluding loading bans - see map). Between 10am and 6pm, barriers will prevent vehicles leaving both Ship St. and Market St. into Cornmarket (exit will need to be via Broad St.).

New Inn Hall St. and St. Michael's St. - Blue Badge spaces in these streets are accessible throughout the day by approaching via Park End St., Worcester St. and George St. Between 10am and 6pm, a barrier will prevent exiting from St. Michael's St. into Cornmarket.

Merton St. and Oriel Square - during the period 7.30am to 6.30pm, Blue Badge holders need to approach the spaces in these areas by using a route over Magdalen Bridge, or via Longwall St.

St. Ebbes St. - The route to access these spaces is via Thames St. and Speedwell St.

Ring-a-Ride bus services

These door to door services for people with mobility difficulties operate in Oxford city centre and to many towns. For more information and booking details, call: **01865 876176**.

Park & Ride Services

This service operates from five sites on the outskirts of Oxford City. Parking is free at Water Eaton and Thornhill. There is a charge at Seacourt, Redbridge and Peartree, it is anticipated that during 2008/09 these sites will transfer to Oxfordshire County Council and the parking will then be free. There is plenty of Blue Badge parking at each site. Low floor, easy access buses leave regularly, every 10-15 minutes approximately. Staff are available at all sites.

For service information call:

01865 785400 (or **772250** for Thornhill Hospitals Service 600).

Shopmobility

Oxford shopmobility is a scheme to enable anyone with a mobility difficulty to borrow a self propelled, or battery operated wheelchair or scooter to travel around Oxford city area. For more information call: **01865 248737**.

Open 9am - 4.30pm Monday - Friday.
9.30 - 4pm Saturday.

For an information leaflet and to book call: **01865 248737**.

Other schemes operate in Cowley, Bicester, Witney, Banbury and more are proposed.

This leaflet explains how people with mobility difficulties can access and park in Oxford city centre.

For pickup/set down facilities phone **01865 252489**

Parking here may be suspended from time to time. Additional information is available by phoning **01865 247090**

Oxford Railway Station is run by First Great Western their Customer Service Tel No. is 0845 7000 125

Blue Badge parking

The map shows the locations of around 98 Blue Badge holder bays.

Blue Badges are allocated by the Oxfordshire County Council Access Team on **0845 050 7666**

Blue Badge holders will continue to be able to park free of charge for unlimited periods in on-street Pay and Display and residents' parking spaces and for up to 3 hrs on yellow lines. The loading/unloading restrictions where Blue Badge holders will not be permitted to park on yellow lines are also shown on the map.

MAP NOT TO SCALE



Key

- Central area
- No entry to Blue Badge holders at any time
- No entry to Blue Badge holders 10am - 6pm
- Location and number of Blue Badge spaces
- One way street
- Central area entry/exit point

Traffic restriction points

- No entry at any time
- No entry 10am - 6pm
- No entry 7.30am - 6.30pm

Loading restrictions

- No loading 8am - 6.30pm
- No loading 7.30am - 9.30am and 4pm - 6.30pm
- No loading 10am - 6pm
- No loading 10.30am - 5.30pm
- No loading 24hrs

Taxi Services

Wheelchair accessible taxis are available from:

- ABC Taxis: 01865 770077 or 775577
- City Taxis: 01865 794000
- Radio Taxis: 01865 242424
- 001 Taxis: 01865 240000 or 241641

A street map showing drop kerbs is available, call: **01865 252531** or **248737** for a copy, or visit: www.oxford.gov.uk

