

Transport for your students

Transport for your students during your visit needs to be provided by your school. If you are short of space in your school buses, many local authorities have buses that, as a teacher, you can hire out. Some local authorities have arrangements through companies which ensure a much lower rate and include insurance.

The example below is for Northumberland but we are happy to help investigate and organise transport options from elsewhere – just ask!

Northumberland County Council (NCC)

NCC have a limited number of minibuses available. These can be hired from about £44/day, including insurance with petrol extra. These buses can be delivered to NCC depots in Hexham, Morpeth, Alnwick, Stakeford or Blyth. NCC require that the teacher has a D1 on their license or a section 19 permit, but please check your own school requirements with your school visit co-ordinator and double check with County.

You can contact Alison at NCC directly to check availability:

fleethiredesk@northumberland.gov.uk 01670 622935

As a teacher you can alternatively hire from AVOR through NCC:

12 seater at about £30/day OR 14 seaters (£35/day) and 17 seaters at between £44 - 85/day, all including insurance, with petrol extra.

These can be delivered to Hexham, Morpeth, Alnwick, Stakeford or Blyth. For a hire of 5 days they can be delivered elsewhere. License requirements as above.

To ensure these rates the booking must be completed through NCC – see contact details above.

Or ask us to help and we'll check availability.

Booking from elsewhere and don't know where to start for minibus hire – let us know and we'll do the legwork for you.