

# Guide to accommodation near UKCEH, Wallingford site



UK Centre for  
Ecology & Hydrology

**UKCEH provides this guide to guests at our Wallingford site, who wish to stay overnight to attend events, conferences, workshops or training courses.**

Our full postal address is:

UK Centre for Ecology & Hydrology, Maclean Building, Benson Lane, Crowmarsh Gifford, Wallingford, Oxfordshire, OX10 8BB

You can find directions to UKCEH, Wallingford site here:

[www.ceh.ac.uk/about-us/visit-us](http://www.ceh.ac.uk/about-us/visit-us)

Bike shelter & visitor showers on-site, ask at reception.

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## Getting there by public transport:

Thames Travel operate a frequent bus service (X39/X40) between Oxford and Reading. This stops near to UKCEH Wallingford site in Crowmarsh Gifford. ([www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39](http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39) for X39 and X40). When travelling from Oxford, get off at Crowmarsh Gifford, opp. Crowmarsh Church (on The Street) and walk about 7 mins to UKCEH Wallingford site.

When travelling from Reading, use the bus stop opposite Crowmarsh Gifford Village Hall (on Benson Lane) in Crowmarsh Gifford and walk about 4 mins to UKCEH Wallingford.

There is also the 23 and 33 from Didcot to Wallingford. The 33 (about every 30 minutes Mon-Sat and hourly on Sundays.) This requires a slightly longer walk (approx. 20min) from Wallingford town centre. The 23 is less frequent but does stop in Crowmarsh Gifford. ([www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/THTR/23](http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/THTR/23) for 23 and 33).

Recommend use of travel planner: [www.travelinesw.com](http://www.travelinesw.com)

Name	Price Range	No. of rooms	Distance to UKCEH	Address and Contact Details	Travel Options to UKCEH	Nearest bus stop
<b>Wallingford and Crowmarsh Gifford</b>						
Susie Wilmot Private Rental – Victorian Cottage Gothic Double Room	£85 – no credit cards	1	0.8 mile (~20 min walk)	Cornerstone Cottage, 1 St Peter's Street, Wallingford OX10 0BQ Tel: +44 (0) 7808 770722 Email: <a href="mailto:suewilmot@hotmail.com">suewilmot@hotmail.com</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards RAF Benson or X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Wallingford, Market Place, Stop C (on Market Place)
<a href="#">The George Hotel</a>	£71 - £363	39	0.9 mile (~20 min walk)	High Street, Wallingford, Oxfordshire OX10 OBS Tel: +44 (0)1491 836665 Email: <a href="mailto:rooms@george-hotel-wallingford.com">rooms@george-hotel-wallingford.com</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards RAF Benson or X39/X40 towards Oxford. If driving, register car at reception for parking.	Wallingford, Market Place, Stop A (on Market Place)
<a href="#">The Coachmakers Arms</a>	£90-100	3	1 mile (~20 min walk)	37 St Mary's Street, Wallingford, Oxfordshire OX10 0EU Tel: +44 (0) 1491 838229/+44 (0) 7515 762525 Email: <a href="mailto:info@coachmakersarms.com">info@coachmakersarms.com</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards RAF Benson or X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Wallingford, Market Place, Stop A (on Market Place)
<a href="#">The Old School House</a>	£95 to £125	3	1 mile (~20 min walk)	23 Castle Street, Wallingford, Oxfordshire OX10 8DW Tel: +44 (0) 1491 839571/+44 (0) 7900 225167 Email: <a href="mailto:bristow.carolyn@gmail.com">bristow.carolyn@gmail.com</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards RAF Benson or X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Wallingford, Market Place, Stop A (on Market Place)
<a href="#">Jayne Johnson Private Rental</a> – Airbnb listing or contact privately via email	£250 per week	1	1.5 mile (30 min walk)	Radnor Rd, Wallingford, Oxfordshire, OX10 0PH Tel: +44 (0)7748 402587 Email: <a href="mailto:jaynej@betterpeopleltd.co.uk">jaynej@betterpeopleltd.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards RAF Benson or X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Wallingford, Market Place, Stop A (on Market Place)

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<b>Benson</b>						
<a href="#">The Crown Inn</a>	£99 - £119	5	1.8 miles (5 min drive)	The Crown Inn, 52 High Street, Benson, Wallingford, OX10 6RP Tel: +44 (0) 1491 528 930 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@thecrownatbenson.co.uk">enquiries@thecrownatbenson.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136/X40 towards Reading Town Centre, Station Road./ Taxi	Church, corner of Thames Mead
<a href="#">Fyfield Manor</a>	£105 - £120	5 (Includes 2 Self-catering rooms available for longer stays)	3.5 miles (10 min drive)	Fyfield Manor, Benson, Wallingford, Oxfordshire OX10 6HA Tel: +44 (0) 7779 722202 (main)/+44 (0) 1491 835184 Email: <a href="mailto:chris_fyfield@hotmail.co.uk">chris_fyfield@hotmail.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus 136 towards Cholsey, Cholsey Meadows.	Benson, opposite The Cedars (on Brook Street)
<b>Dorchester-on-Thame</b>						
<a href="#">The George Hotel</a>	£55 - £100	17	5.3 miles (15 min drive)	25 High Street, Dorchester on Thames, Oxfordshire OX10 7HH Tel: +44 (0)1858 438300 Email: <a href="mailto:reservations@innmail.co.uk">reservations@innmail.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre, Station Road./ Taxi	Dorchester Bypass (SE-Bound) (on A4074)
<a href="#">The White Hart Hotel</a>	£110 - £165	28	5.3 miles (15 min drive)	26 High Street, Dorchester on Thames, Oxfordshire OX10 7HN Tel: +44 (0)1865 340074 Email: <a href="mailto:whitehart@oxfordshire-hotels.co.uk">whitehart@oxfordshire-hotels.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre, Station Road./Taxi	Dorchester Bypass (SE-Bound) (on A4074)
<b>Shillingford</b>						
<a href="#">The Kingfisher Inn</a>	£70 -£95	6	2.7 miles (10 min drive)	27 Henley Road, Shillingford, Oxfordshire OX10 7EL Tel: +44 (0) 1865 858595 Email: <a href="mailto:web@kingfisher-inn.co.uk">web@kingfisher-inn.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre, Station Road.	Shillingford, opp. The Kingfisher (on Henley Road).
<b>Streatley-on-Thames:</b>						
<a href="#">The Swan at Streatley</a>	£110-£210	47	6.6 miles (15 min drive)	The Swan at Streatley, High Street, Streatley-on-Thames RG8 9HR Tel: +44 (0) 1491 878800 Contact: <a href="http://www.coppaclub.co.uk/contact/">www.coppaclub.co.uk/contact/</a>	Car. Free parking	Streatley & Goring Train Station is a 7 minute walk
<b>Reading:</b> near to the X39/X40 bus route for travelling to Wallingford (see timetable at <a href="http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39">www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39</a> )						

<a href="#">Reading University</a> (1 July – 16 Sep)	£25.96 - £49.95 (students) (no breakfast)	50+	14 miles	Various across Reading; Tel:+44 (0)1118 378 8922 Email: <a href="mailto:stay@reading.ac.uk">stay@reading.ac.uk</a>	X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Reading Town Centre: Friar Street or Station Road
<a href="#">Reading University</a> (all year)	£124- £147/week (no breakfast)	50+	14 miles	Various across Reading; Tel:+44 (0)1118 378 8922 Email: <a href="mailto:stay@reading.ac.uk">stay@reading.ac.uk</a>	X39/X40 towards Oxford.	Reading Town Centre: Friar Street or Station Road
<b>Oxford:</b> near to the X39/X40 bus route for travelling to Wallingford (see timetable at <a href="http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39">www.oxfordbus.co.uk/services/OXBC/X39</a> )						
<a href="#">Travelodge Oxford</a> <a href="#">Abingdon Road</a>	£52 - £122	83	13 miles (30 min drive)	Travel Lodge Oxford, Abingdon Road, Oxford OX1 4XG Tel: 0871 559 1877	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre	Oxford Westgate Stop E3 Approx. 20 min walk)
<a href="#">White House View</a> <a href="#">Guesthouse</a>	£48 - £108	3	13 miles (35 min drive)	9 White house Road, Grandpont, Oxford OX1 4PA Tel: +44 (0) 1865721626/7831 201259 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@whitehouseviewguesthouse.co.uk">enquiries@whitehouseviewguesthouse.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre	Oxford Westgate Stop E3 (Approx. 12 min walk)
<a href="#">Newton House</a> <a href="#">Guesthouse</a>	£90 - £137	14	13 miles (35 min drive)	82/84 Abingdon Road, Oxford OX1 4PL Tel: + 44 (0) 1865 240561 Email: <a href="mailto:martyn@newtonhouseoxford.co.uk">martyn@newtonhouseoxford.co.uk</a>	Thames Travel Bus X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre	Oxford Westgate Stop E3 (Approx. 14 min walk)
<a href="#">Oxford University</a>	£52-£185 (no breakfast)	100+	14 miles	Various including: Thames Street, Christ Church, 117 St Aldates Building, Corpus Christi College, Trinity College, Magdalen College; online only	X39/X40 towards Reading Town Centre	Oxford Westgate Stop E3

**For more places in Wallingford and further afield, please see:**

[www.google.com/wallingfordaccommodation](http://www.google.com/wallingfordaccommodation),

[www.wallingfordtowncouncil.gov.uk/visitors/stay/](http://www.wallingfordtowncouncil.gov.uk/visitors/stay/),

[www.tripadvisor.co.uk/](http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/) or [www.booking.com/](http://www.booking.com/)

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