Parking and Transportation Basics

- Take advantage of the campus alternative transportation network
- Download the bus tracking app – TransLoc
- Students must have their own valid UK permit to park on campus
- Read the signs and park only in lots where permit allows
- Bookmark www.uky.edu/pts
Commonwealth Stadium Parking Tips

- Students should familiarize themselves with campus parking map online before the first day of classes.
- Allow plenty of time to arrive on campus, especially during peak class times (Monday - Thursday, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.).
- Keep a campus parking map in vehicle.
- Program PTS phone number into cell phone – (859) 257-5757.
- Look for PTS employees directing traffic for any questions about where to park.
Where Can My Student Park?

Residential Permits
- Wait until you have received your official housing assignment
- Required by August 25
- Most R areas require an R permit 24/7

Commuter Students
- K permit
- Commonwealth Stadium area (Red, Blue, E/K, R/K)
- Required by September 2

Motorcycle/Moped Permits

Short-term Parking Options
- Parking meters
- Hourly paid parking in W.T. Young Library Visitor Lot, Sports Center Garage and South Limestone Garage
Purchasing a Parking Permit

- Permit sales begin June 1
- Apply for parking permit by mail, in person or on our Web site: www.uky.edu/pts
- Before applying, residential students must have their housing assignment; commuter students must have registered for classes
- If first choice of permit is sold out, apply for student permit lottery
- Permit fees help fund campus bus service – runs ~22 hours per day
Obtaining a Disabled Permit

Short-term (up to two weeks)
- Contact PTS

Extended/Permanent
- Contact Disability Resource Center, Room 2, Alumni Gym
- (859) 257-2754

- UK disabled accessible permit required to park on campus
Evening Parking Options

Parking Structures
- Any valid student permit may enter most parking garages after 3:30 p.m.

Campus lots
- Most areas require a permit until 7:30 p.m., but always check the signs
- K or R permits are valid in most Employee (“E”) and Commuter (“C”) lots from 3:30 pm to 7:30 p.m.
- No permit required in E or C after 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise posted

Evening Permits
- Valid after 3:30 p.m. in most E and C lots
- Reduced rate (currently $120 per year)

Meters
Pay-by-the-hour structure parking
Football Game Day Parking

- Vehicles should be moved from K areas by 7 a.m. on game days
- No parking on University Drive on days of home football games
- Students may move their vehicles to most E lots anytime after 3:30 p.m. on Friday; do not move to an R lot
- Football Game Day Vehicle Relocation Map available online
- University Drive & Sports Center Garages are closed on game days
- Cars must be moved back to Commonwealth Stadium before 5 a.m. Monday
For planned visits, students can visit PTS to pick up a temporary pass visitor pass.
For short or unplanned visits, visitors can utilize pay parking structures or meters.
After hours and on weekends, visitors can park in lots not controlled for permits… read the signs!
Citations and Enforcement

- Designed to protect spaces for permit holders
- One citation per year excused if you have permit for area – must contact PTS
- Most citations/impoundments may be appealed
- Pay tickets promptly to prevent holds on student account or escalation of enforcement
- Pay attention to email reminders from PTS
On Campus Bus Service

Buses operated by PTS do not have a fare

**CATS Buses**
- “University of Kentucky” on side
- Buses range in size; carry between 15-38 passengers
- Serve inner campus

**Lextran Buses**
- “Lextran” on side
- Carry 40+ passengers
- Run from Commonwealth Stadium and Greg Page Apartments to Main Campus
Late Night Transportation

During fall and spring semesters:

**Yellow Night Route**
Operates Monday – Friday between 6 p.m. and midnight

**On-Demand Service – 221- RIDE (7433)**
- Monday – Friday: midnight – 5 a.m.
- Sunday: 7 p.m. – midnight

Calls must be received at least 30 minutes prior to the end of service. Limited to campus.
Finding a CATS Bus

- Pocket bus schedules
- On the web at www.uky.edu/pts
- Via Cat Tracker at uky.transloc.com
  - Using iPhone, Android or BlackBerry Transloc apps
  - Via SMS by texting UKY + bus stop number to 41411
  - Via QR codes found on bus stop signs
Off-Campus Bus Service

Lextran
- Off campus, Lextran is $1 per ride/ 80 cents with student ID
- Class Pass available for $75/year or $50/semester
- Bus passes available at www.lextran.com and at all PTS offices

Colt Trolley
- Free!
- Two routes: UK/Transy connector and Vine St. loop

*Routes and schedules for regular LexTran service and the Colt Trolley found at www.lextran.com*
Bicycles at UK

UK bike permits are encouraged
Bike permits are free and available online
No need to renew – valid for the lifetime you own the bike

Where You Can Park
• Bike racks

Where You Cannot Park
• Areas blocking pedestrian access
• Trees, benches, poles, etc.

More Bike Tips
- Bicycles on campus must obey the rules of the road
- Watch for “Shared Use” symbols
- All Lextran and some CATS buses are equipped with bicycle racks
Bicycles at UK

Bike Fleet for Car-Free Students
- NEW! Dedicated fleet of 100 bikes for residential students who sign car-free commitment
- Bikes assigned through lottery
- 8-speed commuter bike with fenders, rear rack, bell, lock and helmet
- Partnership between PTS, Wildcat Wheels, Student Sustainability Council and UK HealthCare Level I Trauma Program

Wildcat Wheels Bicycle Library
- wildcatwheels.org
- Short-term and long-term bike checkouts
- Open shop hours for bike repair
PTS Car Sharing

Need a car? Use ours!

- Short-term, low-cost car rental to anyone age 18 and older
- $8-$10 per hour includes fuel, insurance & maintenance
- Choose from a variety of SmartWay certified green vehicles, found in reserved spaces in high traffic areas of campus
- PTS currently has two car sharing vehicles, all located near CATS bus stops
- Sign up at www.uky.edu/pts
PTS Ride Home Express

- Charter buses offering alternative travel option for students visiting a variety of destinations during academic breaks
- Significantly cheaper than flying and faster travel times than other major bus companies
- Fares range from $55-$155 round-trip
- Currently serve 18 cities; destinations for 2014-2015 academic year TBD
- Reserve & purchase seats at www.uky.edu/pts
Additional Services

- Motorist assistance for permit holders
- Free holiday shopping shuttle
- Free shuttles to Blue Grass Airport
  - Thanksgiving
  - Winter break
  - Spring break
Online Services

Visit www.uky.edu/pts to...
- Read rules and regulations
- View parking maps, bus routes and schedules
- Purchase and renew permits
- Sign up for student permit lottery
- Manage vehicles and account information
- Pay and appeal citations
- Purchase tickets for Ride Home Express
- Sign up for Parking & Bike e-News
Helpful Hints for Students

Permits are non-transferable
  - Fee for using illegal permit is $175
  - Report lost or stolen permits promptly

Keep windows and doors locked

Observe signs on city streets regarding street cleaning

Stay informed with Parking and Bike e-News & Twitter

Check your email

Contact PTS directly with questions/concerns

When in doubt, don’t!
How to Contact PTS

- Visit www.uky.edu/pts
- Follow us on Twitter @UKParking
- Call 257-5757 or 1-800-441-0555
- Tune into 1700 AM, 24/7
- E-mail UKParking@lsv.uky.edu, UKBikes@lsv.uky.edu or UKBuses@lsv.uky.edu
- ... or just stop by our offices!
Parking & Transportation Services

Main Office:
Press Avenue Garage (PS #6)
Corner of Press and Virginia

Satellite office:
South Limestone Garage (PS #5)
Across from Student Center, next to Kennedy’s Wildcat Den