



TRANSPORT AND PARKING

Parking:

You will have your own private parking space immediately outside the apartment. It is secured by a lockable parking post. The key to your apartment also opens the lock on your parking post. The parking space is the most central parking space in Cheltenham!

Directions by car:

General tips

- The one-way system in Cheltenham has recently change, so it is extremely unlikely that your SatNav database will be up to date, so the directions below have been carefully thought out and will give you the best routes to your apartment. In addition, I have included some general tips that you may find useful during your stay:
 - o Your apartment is very central, so if in doubt, follow signs to the town centre.
 - o Your apartment is very close indeed to the Everyman Theatre (100m), and the Regent Arcade Car Park. Both have several signposts throughout the town. If you see one, follow it!

Using Sat Nav

- **WARNING TO SATNAV USERS** - Do not use the postcode for the apartment or you will end up on the wrong side of the building, and it will then be a 2 mile journey around the one-way system to get to the back. The door to the Apartment is at the rear, which is actually in County Court Road, and you can't turn into that road from the Promenade - despite what your SatNav will try to tell you. You should therefore use the postcode for the Everyman Theatre which is **GL50 1HQ**. You have to drive past the Theatre to get to the apartment anyway, and you will then be about 100m away.
- Once outside the Everyman Theatre in Regent Street, take the next left into County Court Road. Go to the end of County Court Road (it's a cul-de-sac) and to the right of Costa Coffee - which is the rear.
- Apartment 3 is above Costa Coffee and on the left hand side you will see a dark green door with No 24 on it and two flower tubs on the step. Your parking space is in the car park to the right, but you will need a key to unlock the post.

No. 24

THE PROMENADE

CHELTENHAM · GL50 1LR · ENGLAND

- Please call me on (07707)159357 about 20 minutes before your planned arrival time so that I can make sure I am there to meet you.
- Ring the bell for Apartment 1, which is my apartment. I will direct you to your parking space, show you around the apartment and give you your keys.

From London.

- You are advised not to go via Oxford in the morning or evening rush hours due to heavy congestion on the A40. Instead, leave London on the M4 for about 70 miles and exit at Junction 15 (Swindon).
- Take the A419 (which changes to A417) North towards, and past, Cirencester. At the end of the dual carriageway (after 26 miles) continue along the A417 towards Gloucester for 2.3 miles.
- At the next roundabout take the second exit, then immediately left (signposted Leckhampton) for 3.5 miles. It's a small road but it's the quickest way in. On the descent into Cheltenham, look out for some spectacular views on your left. Better still, let your passenger look!
- Go straight over two mini roundabouts that are close together.
- At the bottom of the hill turn right at the roundabout along Bath Road to Town Centre for $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile, going straight over all traffic lights.
- You are then forced to turn left off the Bath Road into Oriel Road. After the first right turn, move to the right hand lane and turn right immediately after the pedestrian crossing - signposted Regent Arcade Car Park and Everyman Theatre.
- Follow the road as it twists to the left past the Regent Arcade Car Park, then the right and you pass under a glass covered bridge.
- The Everyman is on your right, and just past this there is a small road to the left called County Court Road - a no through road.
- Go to the end of County Court Road and to the right of Costa Coffee, until you can't go any further.
- Apartment 3 is above Costa Coffee and on the left hand side you will see a dark green door with No 24 on it and two flower tubs on the step. Your parking space is in the car park to the right, but you will need a key to unlock the post.
- Ring the bell for Apartment 1, which is my apartment.

From the East (except London), using the A40

- Follow the A40 all the way into Cheltenham, as far as you can go, until you meet the pedestrianized area where you are forced to turn left into Bath Road.

No. 24

THE PROMENADE

CHELTENHAM · GL50 1LR · ENGLAND

- Keep in the right hand lane. After 250 yards the road splits. Turn right into Oriel Road.
- After the first right turn, move to the right hand lane and turn right immediately after the pedestrian crossing (signposted Regent Arcade Car Park and Everyman Theatre).
- Follow the road as it twists to the left past the Regent Arcade Car Park, then the right and you pass under a glass covered bridge.
- The Everyman is on your right, and just past this there is a small road to the left called County Court Road – a no through road.
- Go to the end of County Court Road and to the right of Costa Coffee, until you can't go any further.
- Apartment 3 is above Costa Coffee and on the left hand side you will see a dark green door with No 24 on it and two flower tubs on the step. Your parking space is in the car park to the right, but you will need a key to unlock the post.
- Ring the bell for Apartment 1, which is my apartment.

From the M5 – travelling North or South

- Leave the M5 at Junction 11 and follow the A40 into Cheltenham for ¾ mile
- At the next roundabout take the 3rd exit (signposted Cheltenham A40)
- At the next roundabout (Benhall) take the 2nd exit, signposted Town Centre A40 for 1½ miles.
- Join, and go straight over what looks like a roundabout but is little more than a grassy island that splits the road. A hundred meters further on is a roundabout. Take the first exit here, signposted Town Centre.
- After about ½ mile, turn right at the traffic lights, signposted Car Park.
- After about 200 meters you are forced to turn left into Rodney Road. Follow the road as it twists to the left past the Regent Arcade Car Park, then right and you pass under a glass covered bridge.
- The Everyman Theatre is on your right, and just past this there is a small road to the left called County Court Road – a no through road.
- Go to the end of County Court Road and to the right of Costa Coffee, until you can't go any further.
- Apartment 3 is above Costa Coffee and on the left hand side you will see a dark green door with No 24 on it and two flower tubs on the step. Your parking space is in the car park to the right, but you will need a key to unlock the post.
- Ring the bell for Apartment 1, which is my apartment.



Directions by train:

- Take the train to Cheltenham Spa, then a taxi. It's about 5-10 minutes in a taxi depending on traffic. Tell the taxi driver to go via the Everyman Theatre, then County Court Road.

Directions by bus or coach:

- Most buses stop at Royal Well which is very central and within easy walking distance to your apartment (about 300 yards).
- Walk from Royal Well to the Promenade (which runs parallel to Royal Well Road).
- At the Promenade turn left and walk on the right hand side of the road.
- At Costa Coffee turn right. Apartment 3 is above Costa Coffee and on the left hand side you will see a dark green door with No 24 on it and two flower tubs on the step.
- Ring the bell for Apartment 1, which is my apartment.

Taxis:

- Starline - (01242)250250
- A 2 B - (01242)580580
- Spa Tax - (01242)807666